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Records Search File #: 9627N

Project: 11.7 Acres at 4201
 McHenry Ave., Modesto, CA

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Dear Ms. Levesque:

We have conducted a records search as per your request for the above-referenced project area located on the Riverbank and Salida USGS 7.5-minute quadrangle maps in Stanislaus County.

Search of our files includes review of our maps for the specific project area and the immediate vicinity of the project area, and review of the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP), the California Register of Historical Resources (CRHR), the *California Inventory of Historic Resources* (1976), the *California Historical Landmarks* (1990), and the California Points of Historical Interest listing (May 1992 and updates), the Directory of Properties in the Historic Property Data File (HPDF) and the Archaeological Determinations of Eligibility (ADOE) (Office of Historic Preservation current electronic files dated 03-20-2014), the *Survey of Surveys* (1989), the Caltrans State and Local Bridges Inventory, GLO Plats (Sheet #44-186, dated 1853-1854), and other pertinent historic data available at the CCIC for each specific county.

The following details the results of the records search:

Prehistoric or historic resources within the project area: None have been formally reported to the Information Center.

Prehistoric or historic resources within the immediate vicinity of the project area: Portions of the historic Hetch Hetchy Aqueduct have been recorded elsewhere in Stanislaus County as P-50-000074. This structure would not be affected by the subject project.

Resources that are known to have value to local cultural groups: None have been formally reported to the Information Center.

Previous investigations within the project area: The project area has been subject to previous cultural resources investigations:

CCaIC Report # ST-06101

Peak and Associates, Inc.

2004 Cultural Resources Assessment for the Meritage Project, City of Modesto,
Stanislaus County, California.

This investigation covered a larger area than the current project area. No cultural resources were identified within the subject project area and none were determined to be affected by this proposed project.

Previous investigations within the immediate vicinity of the project area: Three documents reference the Caltrans Rural Conventional Highways cultural resources investigations conducted by Far Western Anthropological Research Group, Inc. (2004) along the portion of McHenry Avenue immediately east of the northeastern portion of the project area:

CCaIC Report #ST-05498, -05501, -05502

Recommendations/Comments: Based on existing data in our files the project area has a low sensitivity for the possible discovery of historical resources. Survey by qualified historical resources consultants has been conducted and no further work is recommended at this time.

In the event that you might require the services of qualified consultants, we advise you that the Statewide Referral List for Historical Resources Consultants is posted for your use on the internet at <http://chrisinfo.org>

We also advise you that in accordance with State law, if any historical resources are discovered during project-related activities, all work is to stop and the lead agency and a qualified professional are to be consulted to determine the importance and appropriate treatment of the find. If Native American remains are found the County Coroner and the Native American Heritage Commission, Sacramento (916-373-3710) are to be notified immediately for recommended procedures.

Due to processing delays and other factors, not all of the historical resource reports and resource records that have been submitted to the State Office of Historic Preservation are available via this records search. Additional information may be available through the federal, state, and local agencies that produced or paid for historical resource management work in the search area. Additionally, Native American tribes have historical resource information not in the CHRIS Inventory, and you should contact the California Native American Heritage Commission for information on local/regional tribal contacts.

The California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) contracts with the California Historical Resources Information System's (CHRIS) regional Information Centers (ICs) to maintain information in the CHRIS inventory and make it available to local, state, and federal agencies, cultural resource professionals, Native American tribes, researchers, and the public. Recommendations made by IC coordinators or their staff regarding the interpretation and application of this information are advisory only. Such recommendations do not necessarily represent the evaluation or opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer in carrying out the OHP's regulatory authority under federal and state law.

We thank you for contacting this office regarding historical resource preservation. Please let us

know when we can be of further service. Please sign and return the attached Access Agreement Short Form.

Note: Billing will be transmitted separately via email from the Financial Services office (\$150.00), payable within 60 days of receipt of the invoice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. A. Greathouse".

E. A. Greathouse, Coordinator
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