



LACO ASSOCIATES

GENERAL ENGINEERS

GUY J. CONVERSANO • CE 14398/TE 0037
HOWARD W. GARDNER • ME 21300/CHIE 4063
CHARLES W. GALLATY • CE 20181
RONALD C. CHANEY • CE 29027/GE 000934
RONALD J. DEN HEYER • CE 45626
DAVID N. LINDBERG • RG 5581/CEG 1895
FRANK R. BICKNER • REA 12138
DAVID K. IMPER • REA 01160

February 20, 1996

Eric Cortez
613 Singley Road
Loleta, California 95551

Subject: Casino on Singley Road, Loleta


Dear Mr. Cortez:

In response to your letter of 2/14/96, we offer the following:

- a. Our original involvement with the subject project was to delineate the area that could be designated as "wetlands".
- * b. LACO ASSOCIATES was also asked to submit a proposal for preparing the environmental assessment document. That proposal was still pending when the newspaper article named "LACO" as working on the project.
- * c. Since that time, LACO ASSOCIATES has been notified that we will not be further involved with the casino project.

If you need additional information, we suggest you contact the Tribe directly.

Very truly yours,
LACO ASSOCIATES


C. W. Gallaty
Vice President

CWG:amm

*What do you think this means? Its
much "heat" from the media?*