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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

#### Notice of Inventory Completion: University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice.

Notice is here given in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3003, of the completion of an inventory of human remains in the possession of University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA. The human remains were removed from San Joaquin County, CA.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 25 U.S.C. 3003 (d)(3). The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of the Native American human remains. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by University of the Pacific professional staff in consultation with representatives of the Santa Rosa Indian Community of the Santa Rosa Rancheria, California.

In 1964, human remains representing a minimum of one individual were removed from the campus of University of the Pacific in San Joaquin County, CA, by unknown persons during the construction of a parking lot. The remains were turned over to the university administration anonymously late in 1990, and a consultant was engaged to conduct a forensic analysis. No known individual was identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

The book *Archeology of the Northern San Joaquin Valley* (Schenk and Dawson, 1929) identifies a site on the campus of College of the Pacific containing indigenous remains. Another document of unknown provenance states that two "graduate students in anthropology from Sacramento State College examined the site and judged the bones to be of the Miwok or Yokut Indian Tribes and about 300 years old." Consultation with Mr. Lalo Franco of the cultural office of the Santa Rosa Indian Community of the Santa Rosa Rancheria, California, confirmed that

the provenience of the human remains is consistent with that of other discoveries of indigenous remains in the area. Mr. Franco consulted with representatives of other tribal entities who serve on a regional committee coordinating the repatriation of indigenous remains and artifacts, and it was determined by them that the Santa Rosa Indian Community would receive the remains from University of the Pacific and hold them until such time as the Ione Band of Miwok Indians of California can complete preparations to receive them on a permanent basis.

Officials of the University of the Pacific have determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (9-10), the human remains described above represent the physical remains of one individual of Native American ancestry. Officials of the University of the Pacific also have determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (2), there is a relationship of shared group identity that can be reasonably traced between the Native American human remains and the Santa Rosa Indian Community of the Santa Rosa Rancheria, California and the Ione Band of Miwok Indians of California.

The human remains were repatriated to NAGPRA representatives of the Santa Rosa Indian Community of the Santa Rosa Rancheria, California on August 4, 2005, on behalf of the Ione Band of Miwok Indians of California. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that wishes to comment on this repatriation should contact Michael Capurso, University of the Pacific, Gladys L. Benerd School of Education, 3601 Pacific Avenue, Stockton, CA 95211, telephone (209) 946-2287.

The University of the Pacific is responsible for notifying the Buena Vista Rancheria of Me-wuk Indians of California; Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California; Ione Band of Miwok Indians of California; Jackson Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California; Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians of California; Santa Rosa Indian Community of the Santa Rosa Rancheria, California; Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs Rancheria (Verona Tract), California; Table Mountain Rancheria of California; Tule River Indian Tribe of the Tule River Reservation, California; Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians of the Tuolumne Rancheria of California; and United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria of California that this notice has been published.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Reclamation

#### Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Advisory Council (Council) was established by the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Act of 1974 (Pub. L. 93-320) (Act) to receive reports and advise federal agencies on implementing the Act. In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Bureau of Reclamation announces that the Council will meet as detailed below.

**Dates and Location:** The Council will conduct its annual meeting at the following time and location:

Tuesday, October 25, 2005—  
Riverside, California—The meeting will be held in the Mission Inn located at 3649 Mission Inn Avenue. The meeting will begin at 8 a.m., recess at approximately 1 p.m., and reconvene briefly the following day at 1 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting of the Council is open to the public. Any member of the public may file written statements with the Council before, during, or up to 30 days after the meeting, in person or by mail. To the extent that time permits, the Council chairman will allow public presentation of oral comments at the meeting. To allow full consideration of information by Council members, written notice must be provided to Kib Jacobson, Bureau of Reclamation, Upper Colorado Regional Office, 125 South State Street, Room 6107, Salt Lake City, Utah 84138-1147; telephone (801) 524-3753; faxogram (801) 524-3826; e-mail at: [kjacobson@uc.usbr.gov](mailto:kjacobson@uc.usbr.gov) at least FIVE (5) days prior to the meeting. Any written comments received prior to the meeting will be provided to Council members at the meeting.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the accomplishments of federal agencies and make recommendations on future activities to control salinity. Council members will be briefed on the status of salinity control activities and receive input for drafting the Council's