

APPENDIX E: NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION
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May 05, 2014

Ms. Debbie Pilas-Treadway
Native American Heritage Commission
915 Capitol Mall, Room 364
Sacramento, CA 95814
Sent via Fax

Dear Ms. Pilas-Treadway,

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Please conduct a search of the Sacred Lands Inventory to determine if these locations are within any identified Sacred Lands. Additionally, please forward a list of Native American tribes associated with these areas. Thank you for your time and help.

Respectfully,

Susan Underbrink, M.A., RPA
Project Manager/Senior Archaeologist

Enclosures: USGS map



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Ms. Katherine Erolinda Perez
P.O. Box 28
Linden, CA 95236
Sent via email

Dear Ms. Perez,

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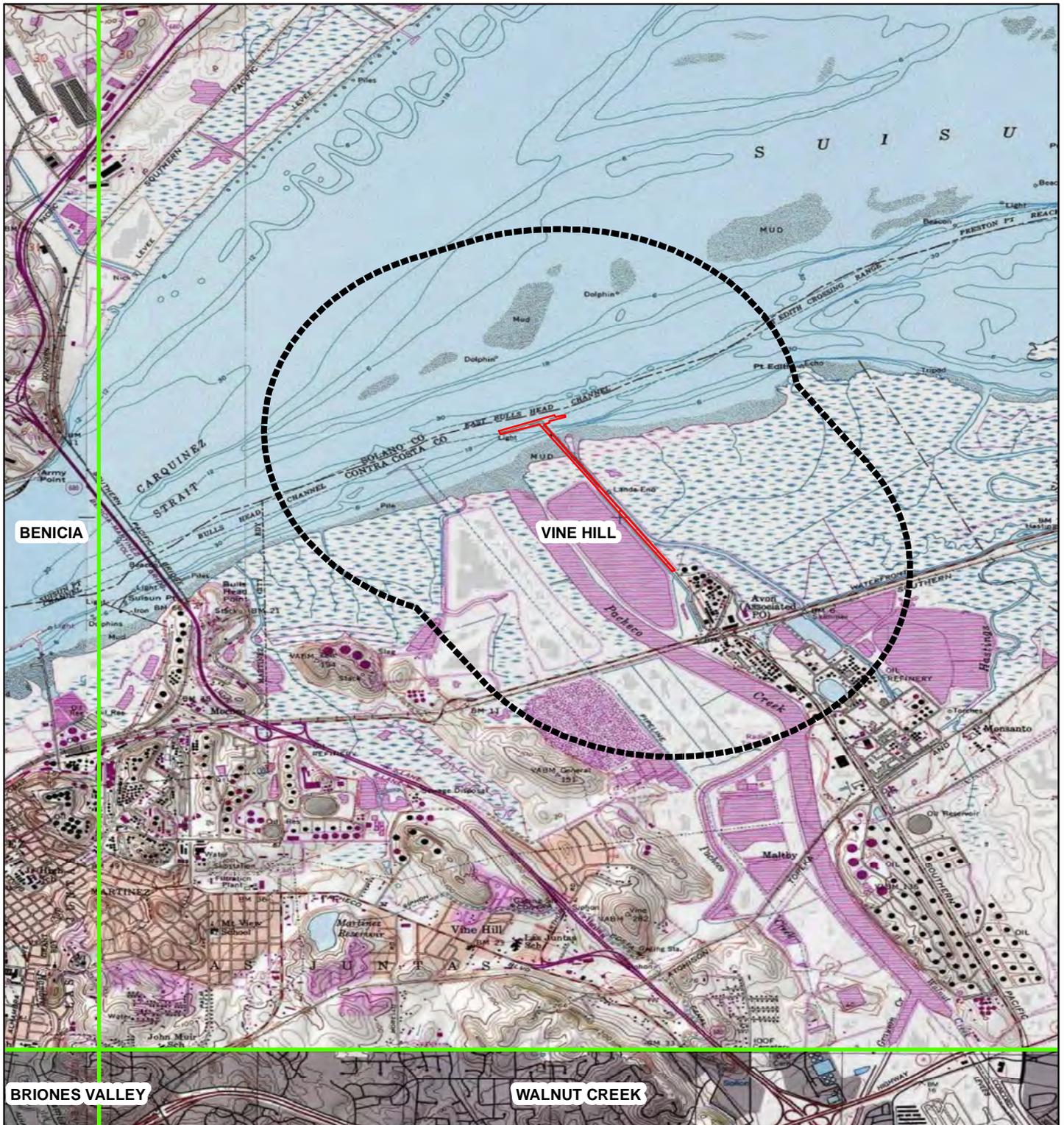
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Enclosure: Project Location Map on USGS Vine-Hill Quadrangle



Tesoro Avon Marine Oil Terminal Record Search

USGS Quad: VINE HILL



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Muwekma Ohlone Indian Tribe of the SF Bay Area
Ms. Rosemary Cambra, Chairperson
P.O. Box 360791
Milpitas, CA 95036
Sent via email

Dear Ms. Cambra,

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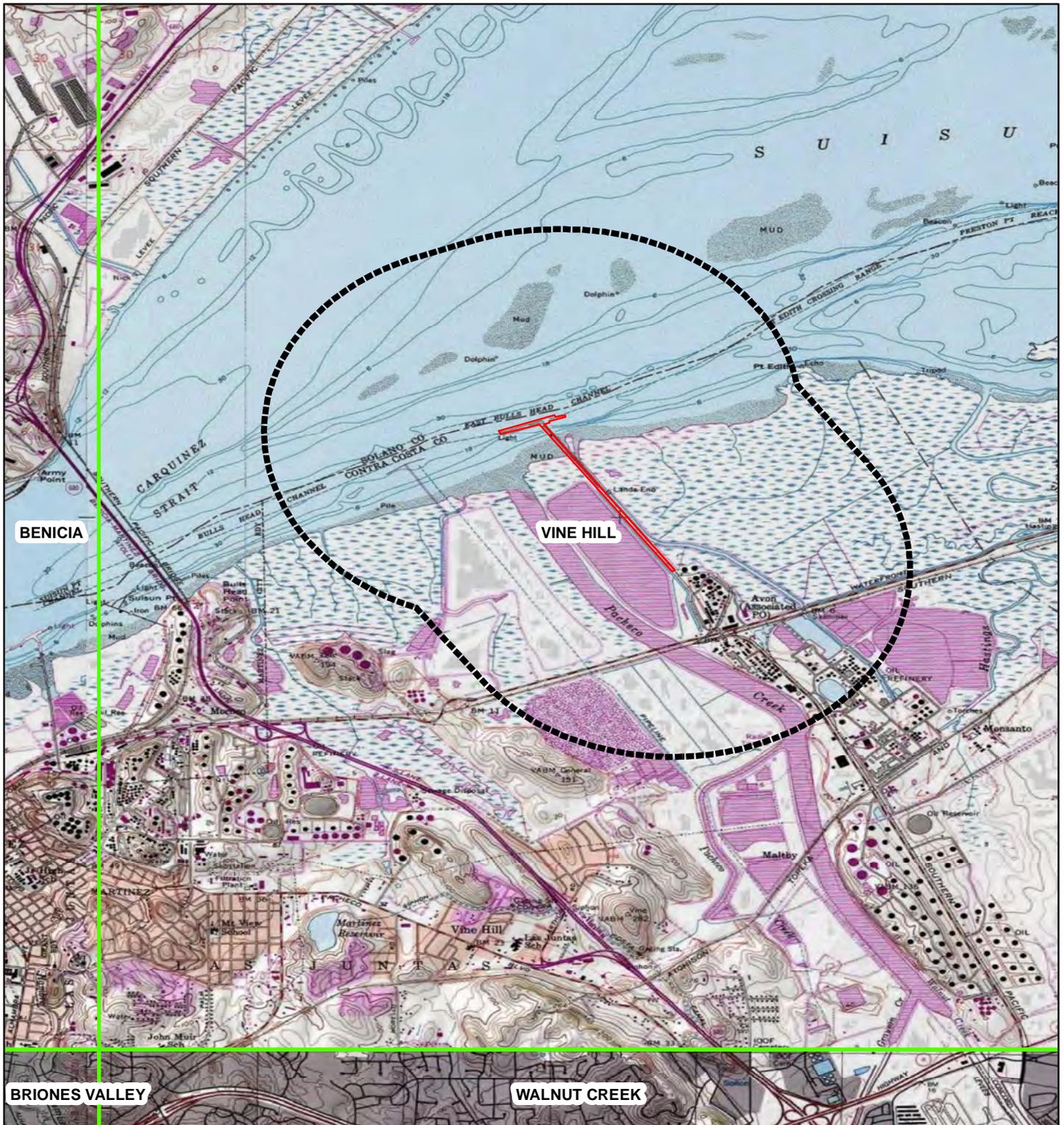
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The Ohlone Indian Tribe
Mr. Andrew Galvan
P.O. Box 3152
Fremont, CA 94539
Sent via email

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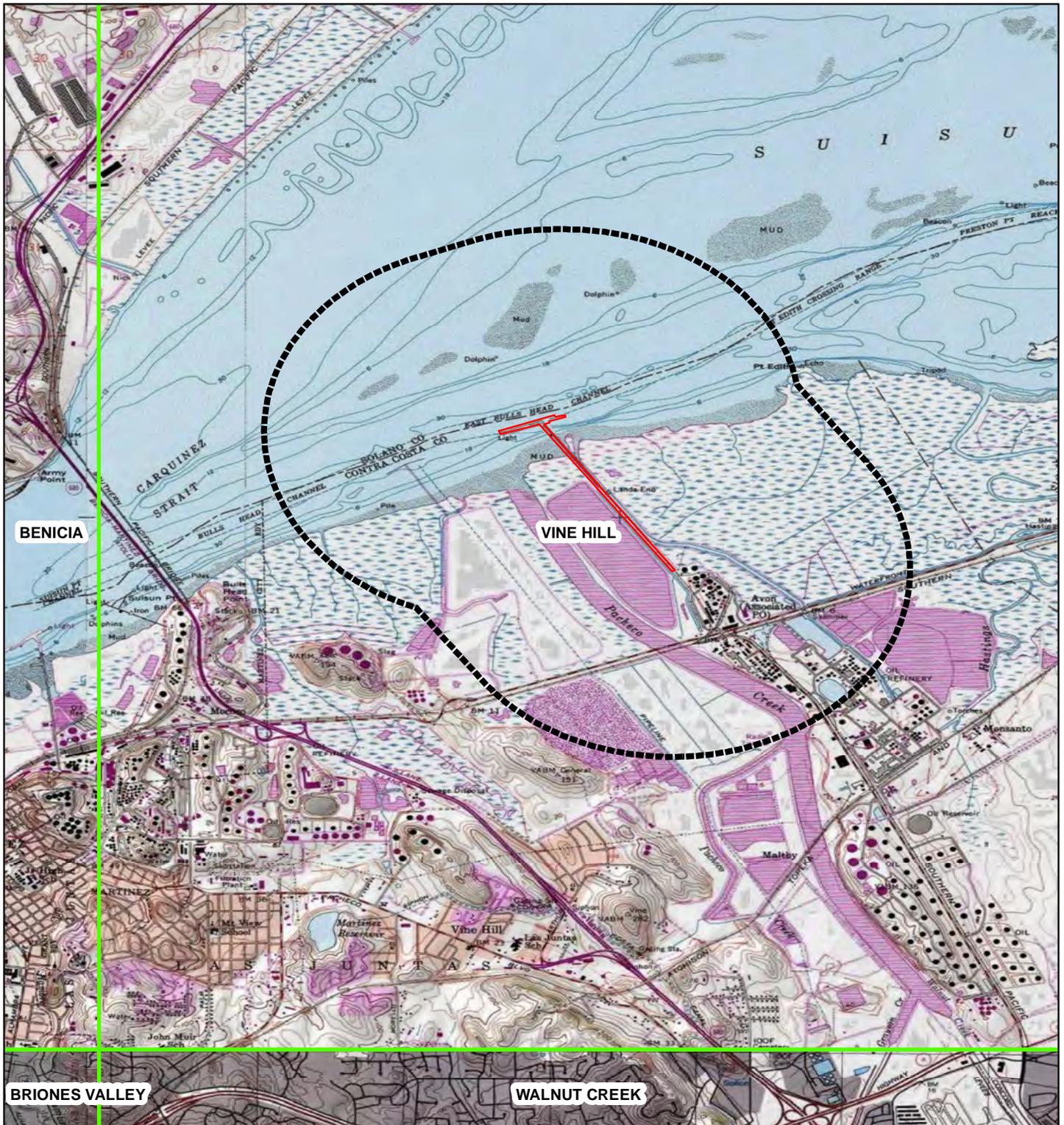
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Trina Marine Ruano Family
Ms. Ramona Garibay, Representative
30940 Watkins Street
Union City, CA 94587

Dear Ms. Garibay,

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Wilton Rancheria
Mr. Steven Hutchason, Executive Director Environmental
9300 W. Stockton, Suite 200
Elk Grove, CA 95758
Sent via email

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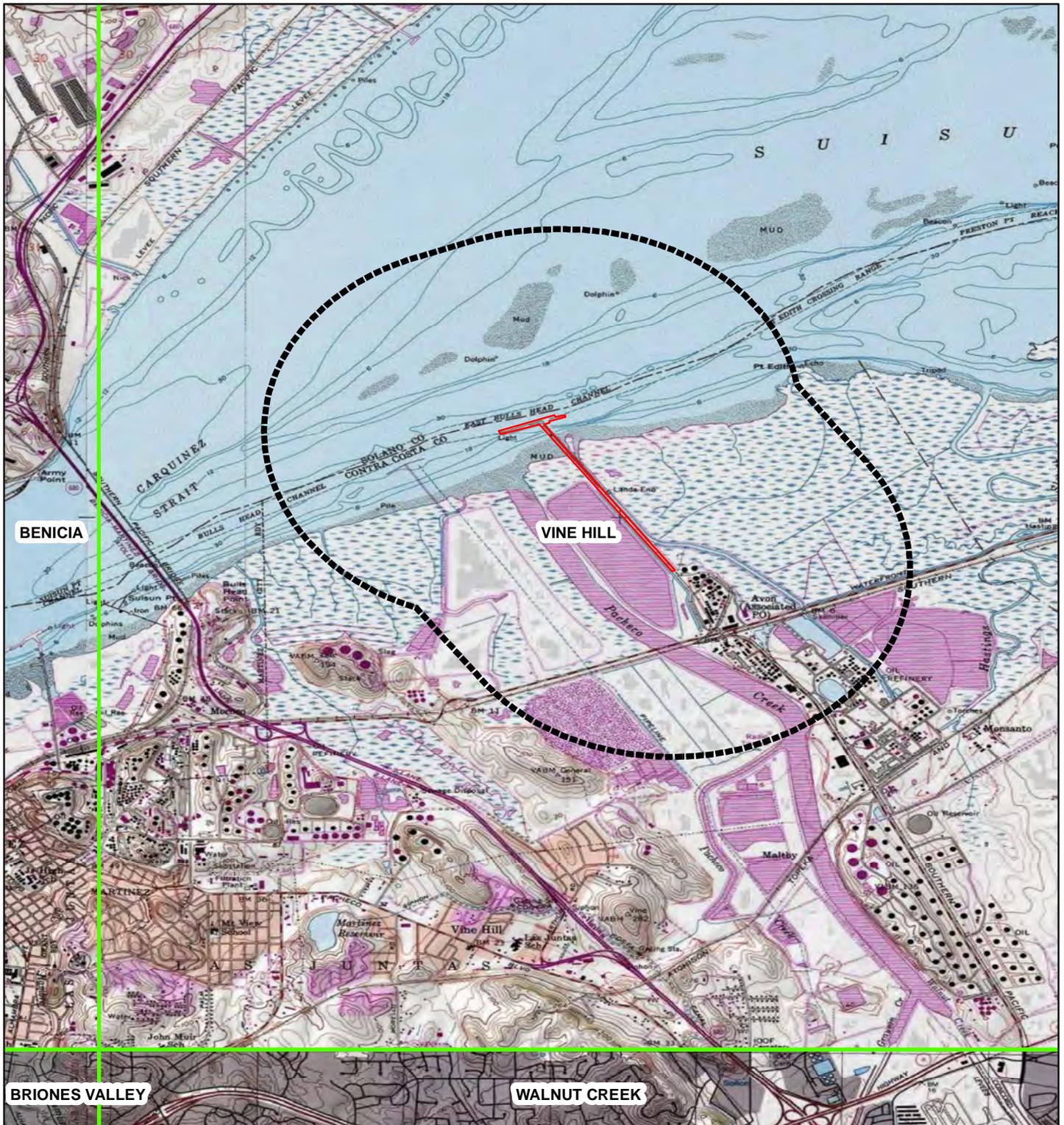
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Ms. Jakki Kehl
720 North 2nd Street
Patterson, CA 95363

Dear Ms. Kehl,

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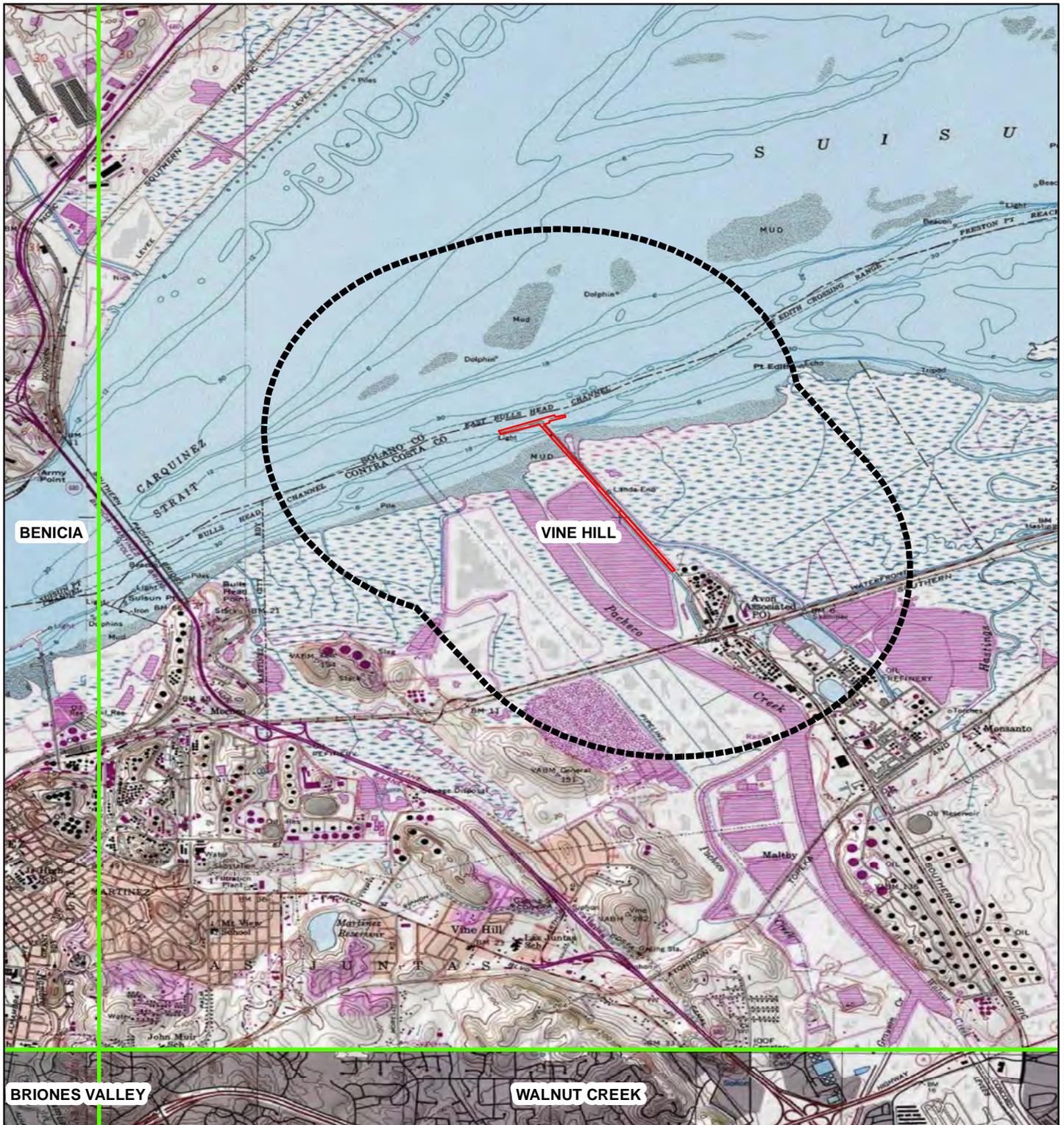
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Underbrink, Susan

From: Amah Mutsun <amahmutsuntribal@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, May 30, 2014 10:52 AM
To: Underbrink, Susan
Subject: Re: Proposed Project Avon

Our recommendations are:

Have all crews Cultural Sensitivity Trained if digging is to occur.

Have a California Trained Archaeological Monitor on site while digging when and if necessary.

Have a Qualified Trained Native American Monitor on site while digging when and if necessary.

Feel free to contact us if you need our assistance.

Thank you

On Tue, May 13, 2014 at 11:03 AM, Underbrink, Susan <SUnderbrink@trcsolutions.com> wrote:

Hi Please see the attached letter for a proposed project in the Contra Costa County for a lease renewal. Feel free to contact me if you have any comments or concerns. Thanks for your time and help Susan

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Project Manager Archaeology



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Michelle Zimmer

***Enrollment and Communications Officer of the
Amah Mutsun Tribal Band of Mission San Juan Bautista***

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May 6, 2014

Susan Underbrink
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Re: Avon Marin Oil Terminal project, Contra Costa County

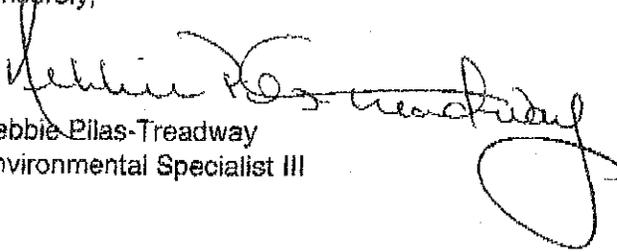
Dear Ms. Underbrink:

A record search of the sacred land file has failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the sacred lands file does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 373-3713.

Sincerely,


Debbie Pilas-Treadway
Environmental Specialist III

**Native American Contacts
Contra Costa County
May 9, 2014**

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Bay Miwok

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Indian Canyon Mutsun Band of Costanoan
Ms. Ann Marie Sayers, Chairperson
P.O. Box 28
Hollister, CA 95024
Sent via email

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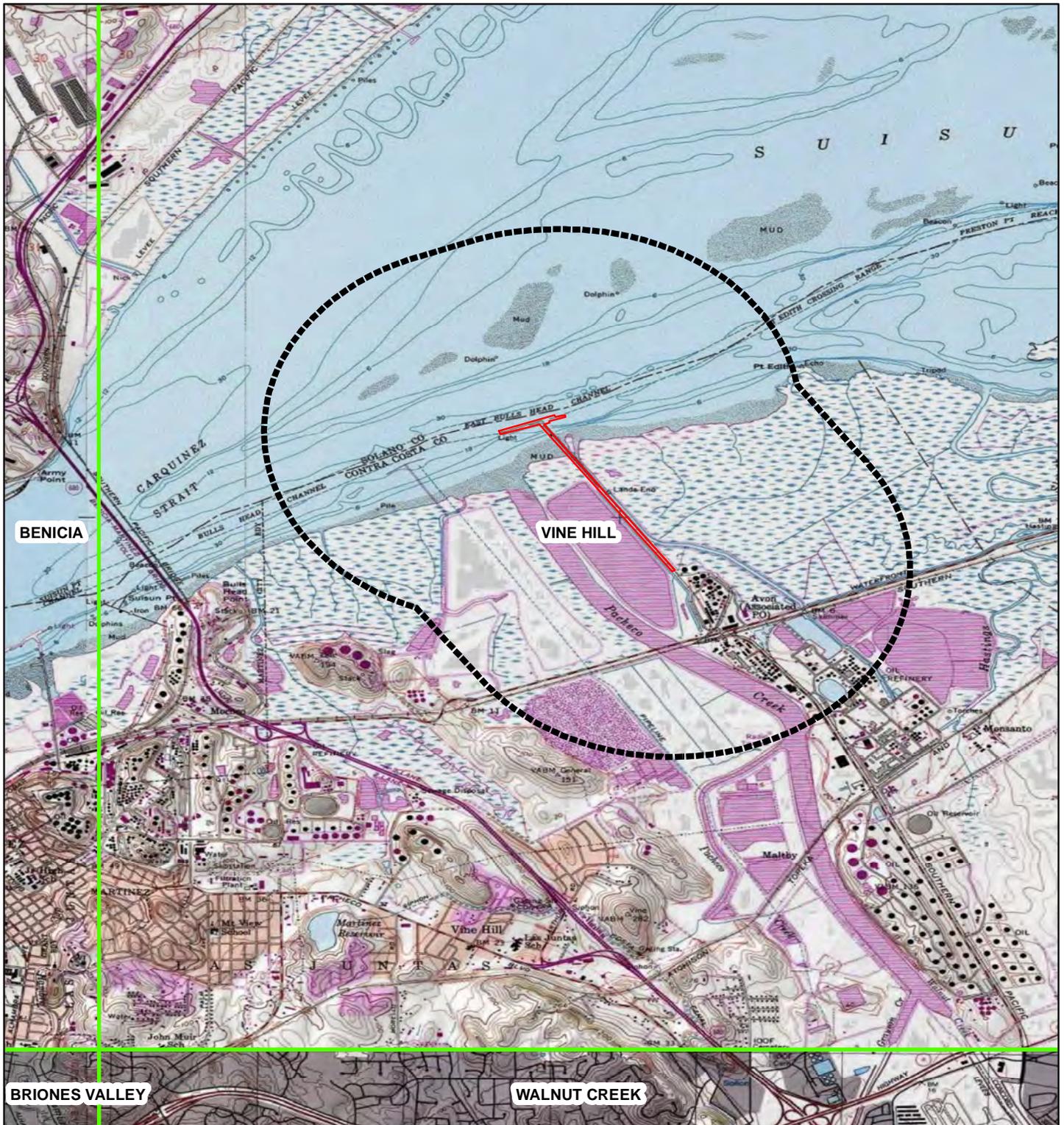
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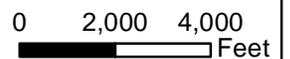
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1585 Mira Mar Ave
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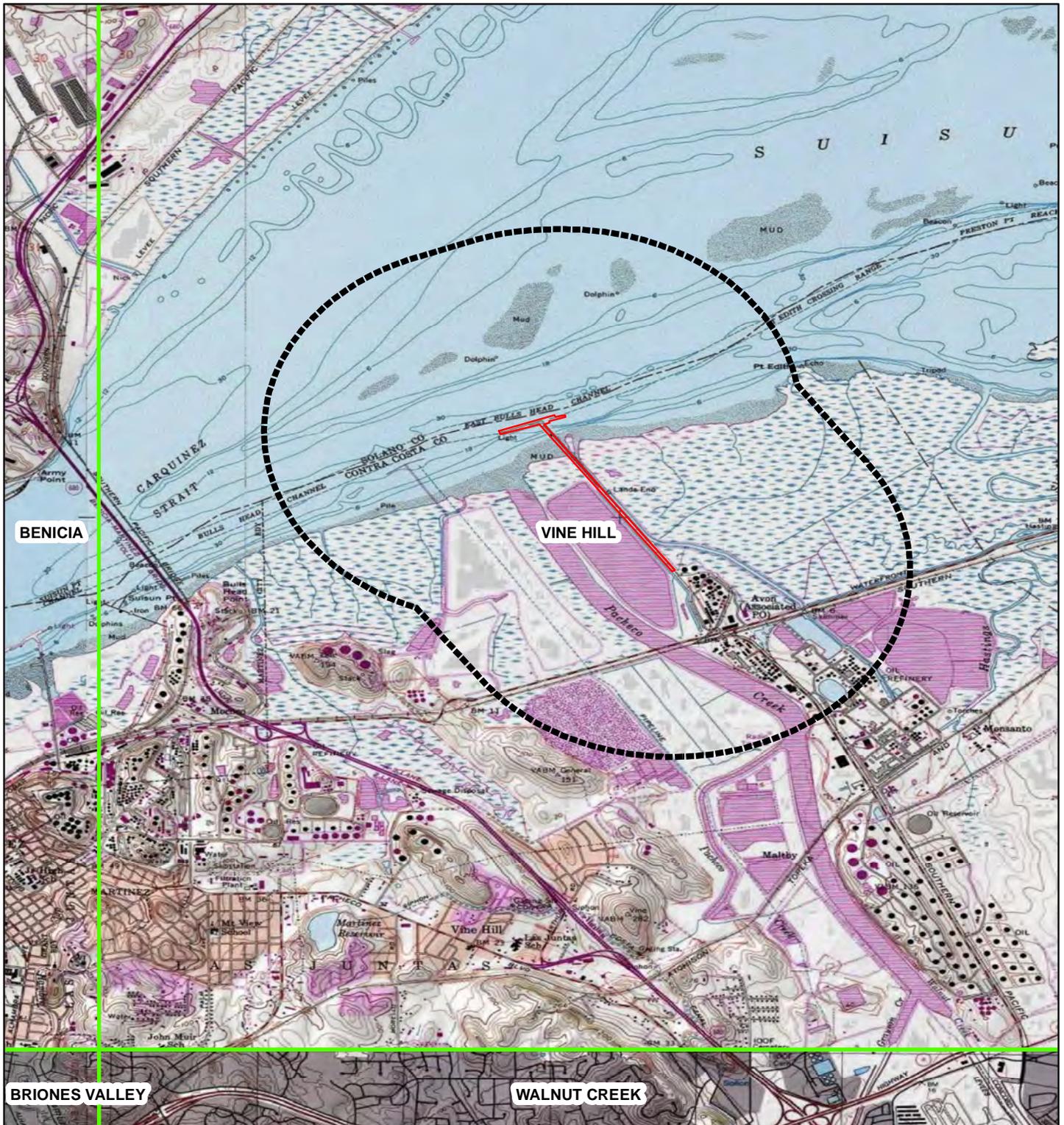
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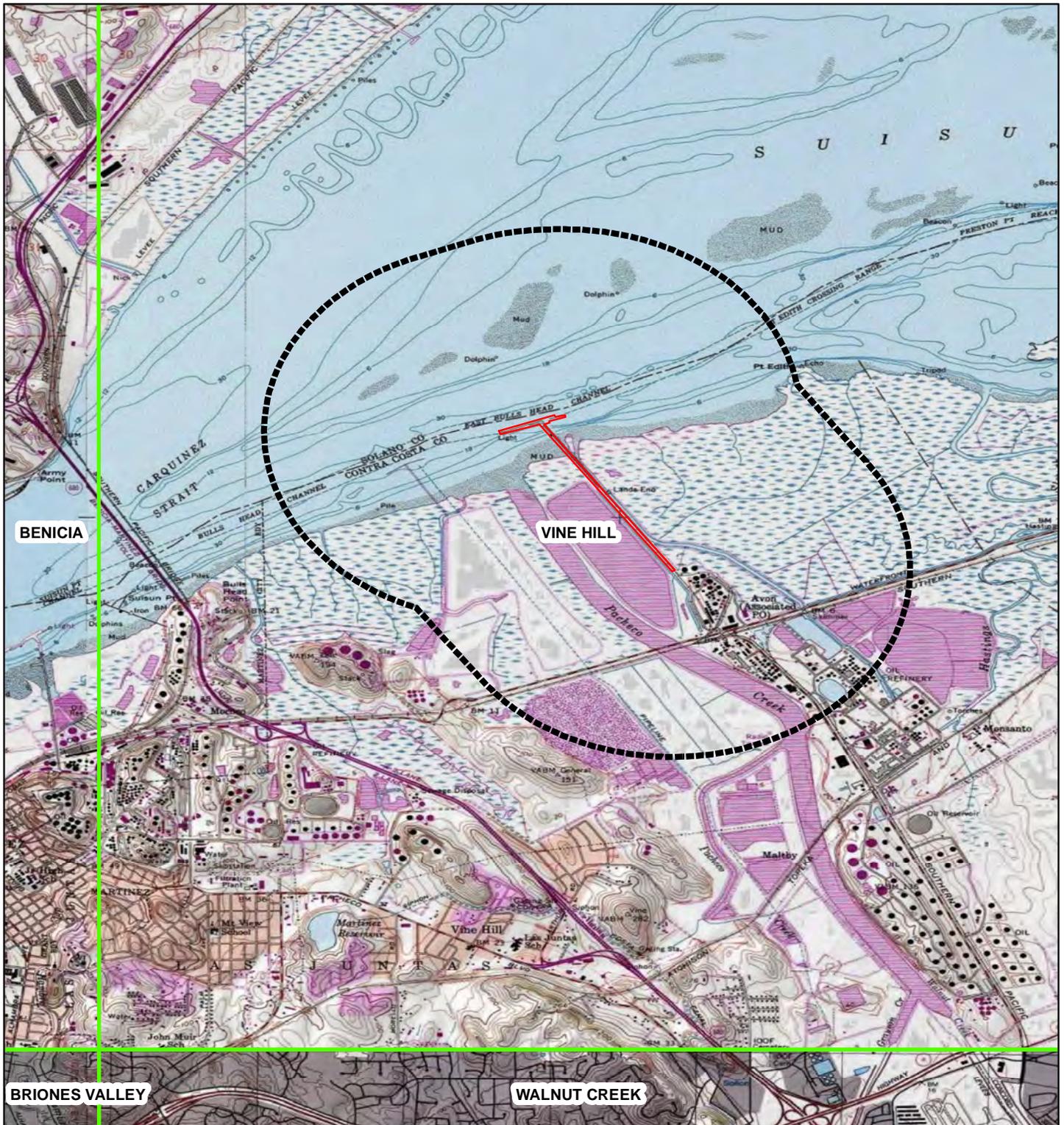
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