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Dennis Carr, Chairman
Vallejo Inter-Tribal Council
P.O. Box 5552
Vallejo, CA 94591

RE: *Glen Cove Burial Site known as SOL-236*

Dear Chairman Carr:

We are in receipt of your letter of January 22, 2004, regarding the Glen Cove Burial Site.

The protection of Native American burial sites and other spiritually and archaeologically significant areas, which are being desecrated or destroyed by vandals or development all across the State of California, is an issue of importance to all Native Americans. These sites are an integral and irreplaceable part of California history and culture. The Rumsey Band of Wintun Indians has always supported these preservation efforts, and, in fact, has supported legislation to strengthen current law in this area.

The Rumsey Band of Wintun Indians supports the Vallejo Inter-Tribal Council's efforts to preserve and protect the Glen Cove Burial Site. Please keep us informed of your progress.

Sincerely,

Paula Lorenzo
Tribal Chairwoman

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