SUBJECT: Approval of support for protecting and preserving Glen Cove Shellmound Burial Site

WHEREAS: The Redding Rancheria is a federally recognized Indian Tribe (the "Tribe");

WHEREAS: The Tribe is governed under a Constitution approved in 1989 by the General Membership of the Tribe;

WHEREAS: Article V, Section (1) (a) of the Constitution authorizes the Tribal Council as Governing Body of the Tribe to enter into negotiations with the Federal, State and local government and other private sector entities;

WHEREAS: The Tribe has been active and deliberate in the protection of indigenous, traditional, religious, civil and inherent sovereign rights;

WHEREAS: The Tribe acknowledges the Glen Cove Shellmound Burial Site (aka Glen Cove Waterfront Park) as a sacred site that must be protected and preserved for its historical, cultural and religious value; and

WHEREAS: The Greater Vallejo Recreation District (GVRD) and the City of Vallejo are currently purposing to develop a park with trails and amendments that would desecrate the Glen Cove Shellmound Burial Site;

WHEREAS: The Tribe supports preserving this sacred and historic site.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT: The Redding Rancheria through its tribal council hereby acknowledges the Glen Cove Shellmound Burial (aka Glen Cove Waterfront Park) a sacred site that deserves/demands protection and respect;
CERTIFICATION

The foregoing Resolution was approved by a vote of 6 for, 0 against and 0 abstentions, at a duly called meeting of the Tribal Council of the Redding Rancheria, at which a quorum was present, this 26 day of April, 2011.

[Signature]
Chairperson, Redding Rancheria Tribal Council

[Signature]  4/26/11
Barbara Murphy, Secretary, Redding Rancheria Tribal Council

[Date]  4/24/11