APPENDIX F PALEONTOLOGICAL RECORDS SEARCH





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UltraSystems Environmental Attn: Stephen O'Neil

re: Paleontological resources for the San Dimas MCTA 20-0005 Project. UltraSystems Environmental Project No. 7145

Dear Stephen:

I have conducted a thorough search of our paleontology collection records for the locality and specimen data for proposed development at the San Dimas MCTA 20-0005 project area as outlined on the portion of the San Dimas USGS topographic quadrangle map that you sent to me via e-mail on February 25, 2022. We do not have any fossil localities that lie directly within the proposed project area, but we do have fossil localities nearby from the same sedimentary deposits that occur in the proposed project area, either at the surface or at depth.

The following table shows the closest known localities in the collection of the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County (NHMLA).

Locality				
Number	Location	Formation	Таха	Depth
	Lot 14 off Calle			
	Amapola Street in San			
LACM VP 7471	Dimas	Puente Formation	Mola (Molidae)	Unknown
		Puente		
	Calle Andrea and S.	Formation(dense		
LACM VP 6172	San Dimas Avenue	tan/yellow shale)	Fish (Osteichthyes)	Unknown
	First bike path			
	diverging south from			
	Via Verde Road in			
	Bonelli Regional			
LACM VP 6166	County Park	Puente Formation	Sturgeonfish (<i>Prionurus</i>)	Surface
	Ridge overlooking the			
	southwestern bank of			
	Puddingstone	Puente Formation		
LACM VP 6173	Reservoir	(shale)	Extinct bony fish (Etringus)	Surface
LACM VP 6167	Puddingstone Dam	Puente Formation	Mako shark (<i>Isurus planus</i>)	Unknown
	W of Monterey Pass			
	Road in Coyote Pass;			
	E of the Long Beach			
	Freeway & S of the N	Unknown Formation		
	boundary of Section	(Pleistocene; sand and		
LACM VP 3363	32; Monterey Park	silt)	Horse (<i>Equus</i>)	Unknown

			Fish (<i>Gasterosteus</i>); Snake	
	Intersection of 26th St		(Colubridae), Rodents (Thomomys,	
	and Atlantic Blvd, Bell	Unknown Formation	Microtus, Reithrodontomys); Rabbit	
LACM VP 7702	Gardens	(Pleistocene; silt)	(Sylvilagus)	30 feet bgs

VP, Vertebrate Paleontology; IP, Invertebrate Paleontology; bgs, below ground surface

This records search covers only the records of the NHMLA. It is not intended as a paleontological assessment of the project area for the purposes of CEQA or NEPA. Potentially fossil-bearing units are present in the project area, either at the surface or in the subsurface. As such, NHMLA recommends that a full paleontological assessment of the project area be conducted by a paleontologist meeting Bureau of Land Management or Society of Vertebrate Paleontology standards.

Sincerely,

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enclosure: invoice