

Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians

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Jared Blumenfeld Regional Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 75 Hawthorne St. San Francisco, CA 94105

Re: 2012 National Ambient Air Quality Standard (2012 annual PM2.5 NAAQS)

Administrator Blumenfeld;

This letter serves as an official request for formal consultation in regards to the 2012 annual PM2.5 NAAQS nonattainment designations. As referenced in your letter, the Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians requests further consultation on the preliminary decision to designate the Soboba Indian Reservation as nonattainment for 2012.

Specifically, the Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians has questions in regards to the supporting documentation that was provided by U.S. EPA (Technical Support Document) that was received on August 19, 2014.

We look forward to working with your Regional 9 Air Quality staff in order to provide further clarification on the preliminary designations. If you have any questions, please contact Steven Estrada, Environmental Manager, at (951) 654-5544 ext. 4130 or email at sestrada@soboba-nsn.gov.

Sincerely,

Rosemary Morillo

Chairwoman

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