

June 29, 2012

Clerk
CALIFORNIA COURT OF APPEAL
Fourth Appellate District, Division One
750 "B" Street, Suite 300
San Diego, California 92101

Re: California Valley Miwok Tribe v. Superior Court
Case No. D061811 (Writ of Mandate/Prohibition)

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

TO: THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE COURT OF APPEAL

In accordance with this Court's Order of May 21, 2012, Petitioner/Plaintiff CALIFORNIA VALLEY MIWOK TRIBE ("The Tribe") hereby requests oral argument with respect to this matter.

The focus of Petitioner's argument will be as follows:

1. Why Yakima Dixie's ("Dixie") deposition testimony that he resigned as Tribal Chairman is relevant to the material issues in this case, and required the trial court to lift the stay of this action so as to permit the court to consider dispositive motions.

2. Why the "stay of implementation" language in the Assistant Secretary of Interior's ("ASI") August 31, 2011 decision does not require a stay in this action, and does not prevent entry of judgment against the California Gambling Control Commission ("the Commission").

3. Why the federal litigation brought by Dixie's lawyers challenging the ASI's August 31, 2011 decision recognizing the current governing body of the Tribe is irrelevant to the issues in this case, and

why the trial court can and should independently determine the correctness in the Commission's actions and policies in withholding Revenue Sharing Trust Fund ("RSTF") payments from the Tribe.

The Tribe requests 15 minutes, which includes time to respond to opposing arguments.

Respectfully submitted,



Manuel Corrales, Jr.

Cc: All counsel per enclosed Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

California Valley Miwok Tribe v. California Gambling Control Commission

San Diego Superior Court Case No. 37-2008-00075326-CU-CO-CTL

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 29th day of June, 2012 at San Diego, California.


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