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Dear Supervisors,

On October 31st you will hear a proposal to vote on an agreement with the Santa Ynez Band of Mission Chumash Indians and the County of Santa Barbara to take property, Camp 4, into trust.

I realize this has been an arduous ordeal and lots of thought has gone into this agreement but there are many things that need to be questioned.

I will name but one.

There is to be a tribal center. The size of this center is, and I quote the answers given by the ad hoc committee and in the final EA, "approximately 12,500 square feet building, with parking for approximately 250 cars, with approximately 400 hundred guests plus vendors." The only item not approximate is, "100 events a year." there is no where in Santa Ynez that 100 events a year would be allowed. 100 events a year will bring traffic to a rural community with narrow roads and limited vision.

The entire agreement is based on an EA that is flawed.

Please review with great care this agreement and make sure there is no question of what is expected.

Thank you for your time, Linda Kastner Santa Ynez , California