

Memo to: Fred Eissler, and Dr. William E. Siri  
From: Kathleen Jackson  
Date: November 13, 1964  
Subject: NIPOMO DUNES protection

I have just received mimeographed copy of Sierra Club testimony submitted to Assembly Rules Committee Hearing on Atomic Energy Facilities held today in Sacramento.

All well written ... and comprehensive.

One correction I feel is immediately important: Sierra Club resolution June 9, 1963, recommends Los Berros Creek as boundary for Nipomo Dunes area. This is in error...as pointed out to you, Fred, several months ago, at which time I suggested the Sierra Club minutes be corrected. The resolution should read Arroyo Grande Creek. (Los Berros Creek is an inland tributary of Arroyo Grande Creek, a long way removed from and not bounding any dunes area.)

An addition to this testimony might appropriately be made by including significant historical data on Nipomo Dunes area; evidences of early civilizations 10,000 years before the Chumash, plus history in the area of the Spanish-California period. Maybe also include geological interest of unique Nipomo Mesa structure. Under biological sciences, perhaps include rare botany of the area, especially the endemic plants (contact Dr. Robert F. Hoover, California Polytechnic College, San Luis Obispo, who is Natural Science Chairman for Santa Lucia Group). Unusual fresh water, salt water, sand dune, ecology here merits study.

/s/ Kathy Jackson

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