Changes to WUI EA

- 1. Updated the following figures using new or revised GIS data provided by the Tribe:
 - a. Created a new figure using the Landownership data and labeled it Figure 3-1.
 - b. Updated the Vegetation Communities figure and changed this to Figure 3-2.
 - c. Updated Figure 1-2 using the new roads layer and aerial image. All figures need to have the aerial image where applicable.
 - d. Updated figures 1-1, 1-2, 2-1, 2-2 using the new aerial image.
- 2. Section 3.2.1 Structures/Density updated to reflect new Census Bureau data from 2000 to 2010.
- 3. Section 3.4 Topography, Slope, Aspect, Elevation Added in Photograph #1.
- 4. Section 3.5.2 Changed title from "Noxious Weeds" to "Invasive Weeds".
- 5. Section 3.5.4 Threatened and Endangered Species Updated to reflect revisions made to listed species per the California Natural Diversity Database (CNDDB).
- 6. Section 3.6 Soils and water resources. Added in Photographs 2 & 3. Photographs show a dry creek bed in the WUI Planning Area.
- 7. Section 3.8 Recreation Added in Photograph 4 showing ATV tracks.
- 8. Section 3.9 Aesthetics Added in Photographs 5, 6, & 7 showing an overview of the planning area from a hill top.
- Section 3.11 Community Updated section per new Census Bureau data from 2000 to 2010.
- 10. Section 4.2.4 Ecology Updated information to be consistent with the updated information in Section 3. No impact analysis was changed.
- Section 4.3.4 Ecology In the vegetation analysis, added in the following sentence:
 "The continued use of these abandoned firebreaks by off road vehicles will also limit the revegetation of these areas as well."
- References Added in the following reference California Natural Diversity Database (CNDDB). 2012. Biogeographic Data Branch. Department of Fish and Game. Commercial Version, Dated September 4, 2012. Report printed September 14, 2012.

Action Items to finalize Final WUI EA:

- 1. Get comments from BIA, if any;
- Section 5.2.2 Need to review and verify the following paragraph: "The Final EA was available for comment for 30 days from April 1, 2009 through April 30, 2009. During that period XXX comments were received and addressed. The comments and responses are included in Appendix A."

I believe this is referencing comments on the Final EA solicited to Tribal Council including the Tribal Chairman and Council Members, and to Tribal Administration including Morongo Department Heads and the Morongo Environmental Department. But I need you to verify this. I included a comment solicitation letter dated March 31, 2009 which I believe may be the letter asking for comments on the Final EA. If this is correct, then we need to understand how many, if any, comments were received. Based on the previous Project Manager's notes, it is my understanding that you were going to gather the comments and send to us. If you got any comments, I do not have them.

- 3. Appendix A.6 Provide letter sent to the BIA Soliciting Comments on the DEA.
- 4. Appendix A. 8 Verify this is the correct Stakeholders list.