

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

LOCAL SUPPORT

The Scotts Valley Band of Pomo Indians, under the leadership of its Tribal Council, has successfully gained the active support of both local and organized labor communities.

Organizational Support

- Contra Costa Central Labor Council
- Contra Costa Construction and Building Trades Council
- Neighborhood House of North Richmond
- North Richmond Municipal Advisory Committee
- North Richmond Neighborhood Council
- Parchester Village Neighborhood Council

Individual Support

 Over 2,800 residents of the North Richmond, Parchester Village and Richmond communities are on record in support of the proposed casino and entertainment center.

ACTIVITIES

The Tribe sponsored and the members of the Tribal Council participated in the following outreach activities:

- Over Fifty (50) key stakeholder briefings including members of the local press
- Two (2) Town Hall meetings with over 350 residents in attendance.
- Ongoing meetings with local community stakeholders and opinion leaders both elected and appointed.

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COMMUNICATIONS TOOLS AND OUTREACH MATERIALS

As part of its commitment to the community and the public to maintain ongoing communication, a wide variety of tools and outreach materials are used, including those listed below, to provide updates on the project, its status and progress:

- Interactive Tribal project website, established July 2004
 - Supporters: Over 3,250 individuals over the age of eighteen have added their names in support of the proposed project.
 - Visitors to site since going on-line: 94,283
- Printed materials, including:
 - Information kits
 - Brochures
 - Town Hall invitations
 - Letters from the Chairman
- Seven (7) direct mailings providing notifications, updates and information to the estimated 40,000 residents living in neighborhoods at or near the site of the proposed project.

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