

**SANTA YNEZ BAND OF CHUMASH INDIANS****P.O. BOX 517 · SANTA YNEZ · CA · 93460**

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October 16, 2016

The Business Committee of the Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians (“Tribe”) has (1) made the decision to affirmatively sponsor the following grants labeled SPONSORED and (2) has decided that the following applications labeled SPONSORED both have a reasonable relationship to a casino impact and satisfy at least one of the priorities listed in Govt. Code Section 12715(g) (hereinafter (1) and (2) collectively referred to as “Sponsored”), subject to the “Conditions of Sponsorship for both Sponsorship and Non-Sponsorship” contained herein:

**TOTAL AVAILABLE GRANT FUNDS: \$113,000.00****Sponsorship:**Decision & AmountApplicant

Sponsored

**City of Solvang**

Nexus or Discretionary

Solvang Fire Station Renovation

Depending on source

Brad Vidro, City Manager

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**Conditions of Sponsorship for both Sponsorship and Non-Sponsorship**

1. Tribal sponsorship is not any type of vested property right and can be withdrawn by the Tribe without cause or notice any time prior to approval of the grant by the SBCIGLCBC. Sponsorship in any one year is no guarantee of sponsorship in any future year and the Tribe reserves the right to review Sponsorship applications for each new grant cycle or as permitted or required herein more frequently.
2. **Any legal challenge or any other contesting of any part of this sponsorship letter, including, but not limited to grant sponsored or grant amount sponsored if applicable, shall immediately void all sponsorships contained herein and all other sponsorships by the Tribe to all other grant applications by the same grant applicant whether prior to or after approval of the grants by the SBCIGLCBC regardless of Condition of Sponsorship No. 1 above.** Any sponsorship or non-sponsorship decision is not subject to any appeal to the Tribe, the General Council, Business Committee or otherwise.

3. Nothing herein shall subject the Tribe, General Council, Business Committee or either of their, officers, employees, agents or members to the jurisdiction of the State of California, County of Santa Barbara, or any city/municipality or otherwise constitute an express or implied waiver of the sovereign immunity of the Tribe, General Council, Business Committee, or either of their, officers, employees, agents or members.
4. The Tribe's determination that an application is reasonably related to casino impact(s) is for grant funding purposes only and shall not be construed as any admission by the Tribe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Kahn', written in a cursive style.

Kenneth Kahn,  
Tribal Chairman