

## Victor Fernandez

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**From:** Ryan Peterson <rpeterson@middletownrancheria.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, October 21, 2019 1:01 PM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Subject:** Re: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36  
**Attachments:** RFR Tribal UP 19-36.pdf; Lake Vista Farms Project Desc & Suggested Findings.pdf; Lake Vista Farms Cultivation Area Site Plans (11x17).pdf; Lake Vista Farms Property Mngmt Plan.pdf

Good afternoon,

The Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California (the "Tribe") or ("Middletown Rancheria") is in receipt of your notification dated 10/18/19 and attached to this email regarding the referenced project in the subject line of this email correspondence.

Middletown Rancheria is a Sovereign Tribal Nation comprised of several tribelets, including Pomo, Wintu, Wappo and Lake Miwok. The natural ancestral boundaries of our aboriginal lands are dictated by our Lake Miwok language. Our Tribal Historic Preservation Office has reviewed the project and concluded that it is not within the aboriginal territories of the Middletown Rancheria. Therefore, we respectfully decline any comment on this project.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office:

Middletown Rancheria  
Tribal Historic Preservation Department  
Office: (707) 987-1315  
Email: [THPO@middletownrancheria.com](mailto:THPO@middletownrancheria.com)

We thank you for providing us with this notice and the opportunity to provide comments to the referenced project(s). Nothing herein should be construed to be a waiver of or limitation of any of Middletown Rancheria's rights in law, equity or otherwise. All rights, claims and remedies are specifically reserved.

Regards,

Ryan Peterson  
Admin & Projects Coordinator  
Middletown Rancheria  
Tribal Historic Preservation Department  
PO Box 1035 Middletown, CA 95461  
Phone: (707) 987-1315  
Fax: (707) 987-9091

On Fri, Oct 18, 2019 at 1:43 PM Victor Fernandez <[Victor.Fernandez@lakecountycalifornia.gov](mailto:Victor.Fernandez@lakecountycalifornia.gov)> wrote:

Good Afternoon Tribal Agencies,

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**From:** Fahmy Attar <FahmyA@lcaqmd.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, October 21, 2019 11:00 AM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Subject:** Re: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

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**From:** Northwest Information Center <nwic@sonoma.edu>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 22, 2019 9:13 AM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Subject:** Re: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

Thank you for your UP 19-36; IS 19-56, EA 19-21, 010-053-01 and 02, Garrett W. Burdick and Brian D. Pensack request, we have added it to our queue and will be in touch if questions arise.

### **Your file has been assigned NWIC 19-0687**

We will do our best to send our results to you on or by October 29th but it may take us a few extra days, certainly no later than November 1. Please let us know if this does not work for you.

Contact our office referencing this number for any further questions or concerns regarding this project.

Thanks,  
Claire Shudde  
Northwest Information Center  
150 Professional Center Dr., Suite E, Rohnert Park, CA 94928  
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[nwic@sonoma.edu](mailto:nwic@sonoma.edu)  
[www.sonoma.edu/nwic](http://www.sonoma.edu/nwic)

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Sincerely,

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**From:** Peggy Barthel  
**Sent:** Friday, October 25, 2019 11:28 AM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Subject:** RE: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

Block "E" will require a grading permit to clear native vegetation. Initial Study needs to include impacts of grading. A biological survey should identify vegetation and any sensitive species that potentially would be impacted, and recommend mitigation for the disturbance.

Peggy Barthel  
Associate Resource Planner  
707-263-2221

**From:** Victor Fernandez  
**Sent:** October 18, 2019 1:43 PM  
**To:** Steven Hajik <Steven.Hajik@lakecountyca.gov>; Fahmy Attar <FahmyA@lcaqmd.net>; Doug Gearhart <dougg@lcaqmd.net>; Ryan Lewelling <Ryan.Lewelling@lakecountyca.gov>; Scott DeLeon <Scott.DeLeon@lakecountyca.gov>; Mary Jane Montana <MaryJane.Montana@lakecountyca.gov>; Jack Smalley <Jack.Smalley@lakecountyca.gov>; Lucas Bingham <Lucas.Bingham@lakecountyca.gov>; Lori Baca <Lori.Baca@lakecountyca.gov>; Kelli Hanlon <Kelli.Hanlon@lakecountyca.gov>; Greg Peters <Greg.Peters@lakecountyca.gov>; Elizabeth Martinez <Elizabeth.Martinez@lakecountyca.gov>; Elizabeth Knight <elizabethk@lcaqmd.net>; Yuliya Osetrova <Yuliya.Osetrova@lakecountyca.gov>; Peggy Barthel <Peggy.Barthel@lakecountyca.gov>; Ronald Yoder <Ronald.Yoder@lakecountyca.gov>; kyle.stoner@wildlife.ca.gov; R2CEQA@wildlife.ca.gov; mike.wink@fire.ca.gov; Rex.Jackman@dot.ca.gov; james.shupe@dot.ca.gov; anafus@blm.gov; chief800@northshorefpd.com; Gloria.Fong@fire.ca.gov; Mandi.Huff@fire.ca.gov; mike.wink@fire.ca.gov; Fdchf700@yahoo.com; PGENorthernAgencyIns@pge.com; rlk7@pge.com; T4b5@pge.com; lcfarmbureau@sbcglobal.net; dave.rosenthal@sbcglobal.net; robert@mtkonociwines.com; nwic@sonoma.edu; DLRP@conservation.ca.gov; centralvalleysac@waterboards.ca.gov; bperry@ncoinc.org; ron.parsons@parks.ca.gov; korinn.woodard@ca.usda.gov  
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Sincerely,

*Victor Fernandez - Assistant Planner*

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Lake County – Community Development Department

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**From:** Ryan Lewelling  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 29, 2019 10:48 AM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Cc:** Lan Dai Janakes  
**Subject:** RE: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

Victor,

This Assessor-Recorder Office review of proposed development has the following request:

- Please forward contact information (name, mailing address, telephone number, email) for the commercial cannabis permit applicant to the Business Property Auditor-Appraiser, Lan Dai Janakes. Do not send contact information for the property owner as they are not the business entity engaged in the proposed permit activities.

There are no other assessment related issues or concerns to convey at this time.

Ryan Lewelling  
Cadastral Mapping Specialist  
707-263-2302 | [Ryan.Lewelling@LakeCountyCA.gov](mailto:Ryan.Lewelling@LakeCountyCA.gov)

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**From:** Yuliya Osetrova  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 30, 2019 8:51 AM  
**To:** Victor Fernandez  
**Subject:** RE: Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

Victor,

As for Water Resources I would review:

- Well info:
  1. Legal ownership docs
  2. Well production
  3. Water levels and capacity metering for 3 month prior to the start of the project
  4. Water calculations

For Stormwater:

- BMPs proposed
- Location on the project of such BMPs

This is the general part of any PMP for any cannabis project. However, I am not sure if an applicant is required to submit this info for the "Initial Study" part of the application. This is in regards to any cannabis project.

For this specific application all I mentioned above is missing.

Thank you,

Yuliya Osetrova  
Water Resources Engineer III  
Lake County Water Resources Department  
(707) 263-2344

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**To:** Steven Hajik <Steven.Hajik@lakecountyca.gov>; Fahmy Attar <FahmyA@lcaqmd.net>; Doug Gearhart <dougg@lcaqmd.net>; Ryan Lewelling <Ryan.Lewelling@lakecountyca.gov>; Scott DeLeon <Scott.DeLeon@lakecountyca.gov>; Mary Jane Montana <MaryJane.Montana@lakecountyca.gov>; Jack Smalley <Jack.Smalley@lakecountyca.gov>; Lucas Bingham <Lucas.Bingham@lakecountyca.gov>; Lori Baca <Lori.Baca@lakecountyca.gov>; Kelli Hanlon <Kelli.Hanlon@lakecountyca.gov>; Greg Peters <Greg.Peters@lakecountyca.gov>; Elizabeth Martinez <Elizabeth.Martinez@lakecountyca.gov>; Elizabeth Knight <elizabethk@lcaqmd.net>; Yuliya Osetrova <Yuliya.Osetrova@lakecountyca.gov>; Peggy Barthel <Peggy.Barthel@lakecountyca.gov>; Ronald Yoder <Ronald.Yoder@lakecountyca.gov>; kyle.stoner@wildlife.ca.gov; R2CEQA@wildlife.ca.gov; mike.wink@fire.ca.gov; Rex.Jackman@dot.ca.gov; james.shupe@dot.ca.gov; anafus@blm.gov; chief800@northshorefpd.com; Gloria.Fong@fire.ca.gov; Mandi.Huff@fire.ca.gov; mike.wink@fire.ca.gov; Fdchf700@yahoo.com; PGENorthernAgencyIns@pge.com; rlk7@pge.com; T4b5@pge.com; lcfarmbureau@sbcglobal.net; dave.rosenthal@sbcglobal.net; robert@mtkonociwines.com; nwic@sonoma.edu; DLRP@conservation.ca.gov; centralvalleysac@waterboards.ca.gov; bperry@ncoinc.org; ron.parsons@parks.ca.gov; korinn.woodard@ca.usda.gov  
**Subject:** Request For Review for Major Use Permit; UP 19-36

Good Afternoon Fellow Agencies,



YOCHA DEHE  
CULTURAL RESOURCES

October 28, 2019

County of Lake  
Attn: Community Development Dept.  
255 N. Forbes Street  
Lakeport, CA 95453

RE: 2050 and 2122 Ogulin Canyon Road Cannabis Project

Dear Sir or Ma'am:

Thank you for your project notification letter dated, October 18, 2019, regarding cultural information on or near the proposed 2050 and 2122 Ogulin Canyon Road Cannabis Project, Clearlake, Lake County. We appreciate your effort to contact us.

The Cultural Resources Department has reviewed the project and concluded that it is not within the aboriginal territories of the Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation. Therefore, we respectfully decline any comment on this project. However, based on the information provided, please defer correspondence to the following:

Habematelol Pomo of Upper Lake  
Attn: Linda Rosas-Bill  
P.O. Box 516  
Upper Lake, CA 95485

Please refer to identification number YD-10182019-04 in any future correspondence with Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation concerning this project.

Thank you for providing us with this notice and the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer

cc: Habematelol Pomo of Upper Lake

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November 7, 2019

File No.: 19-0687

Community Development Department, Project Planner  
Lake County  
Community Development Department  
255 N. Forbes Street  
Lakeport, CA. 95453

re: UP 19-36, IS 19-56, EA 19-21 / APN 010-053-01, 02 at 2050 & 2122 Ogulin Canyon Rd, Clearlake / Garrett W. Burdick and Brian D. Pensack

Dear Project Planner,

Records at this office were reviewed to determine if this project could adversely affect cultural resources. **Please note that use of the term cultural resources includes both archaeological sites and historical buildings and/or structures. The review for possible historic-era building/structures, however, was limited to references currently in our office and should not be considered comprehensive.**

**Project Description:** Type 3: "Outdoor": 15 acres of Outdoor cultivation for adult use cannabis, 1.5 acres of nursery facilities (barn, greenhouse, fabric covered area and outdoor area, 10-15 parking spaces.

**Previous Studies:**

XX Study # 8729 (Apple et al 1986), covering approximately 15% of the proposed project area, specifically Area E, identified no cultural resources (see recommendation below).

**Archaeological and Native American Resources Recommendations:**

XX Based on an evaluation of the environmental setting and features associated with known sites, Native American resources in this part of Lake County have been found on ridges, midslope benches, in valleys, near ecotones, and near intermittent and perennial watercourses. The proposed project areas are located East of Burns Valley, and south east of the confluence of Ogulin Canyon and Blackeye Canyon, along its borders. The project areas include each of the above mentioned environmental settings. Given the similarity of one or more of these environmental factors, there is a moderate to high potential for unrecorded Native American resources in the proposed project area.

Due to the passage of time since the previous survey (Apple et al 1986) and the changes in archaeological theory and method since that time, we recommend a qualified archaeologist conduct further archival and field study for the entire project areas to identify cultural resources. Field study may include, but is not limited to, pedestrian survey, hand auger sampling, shovel test units, or geoarchaeological analyses as well as other common methods used to identify the presence of archaeological resources. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.



XX We recommend the lead agency contact the local Native American tribe(s) regarding traditional, cultural, and religious heritage values. For a complete listing of tribes in the vicinity of the project, please contact the Native American Heritage Commission at 916/373-3710.

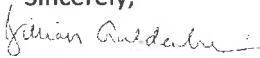
**Built Environment Recommendations:**

XX The 1945 and 1958 USGS Lower Lake 15' quad depicts one building in the proposed project area. Since the Office of Historic Preservation has determined that any building or structure 45 years or older may be of historical value, it is recommended that prior to commencement of project activities, a qualified professional familiar with the architecture and history of Lake County conduct a formal CEQA evaluation.

Due to processing delays and other factors, not all of the historical resource reports and resource records that have been submitted to the Office of Historic Preservation are available via this records search. Additional information may be available through the federal, state, and local agencies that produced or paid for historical resource management work in the search area. Additionally, Native American tribes have historical resource information not in the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) Inventory, and you should contact the California Native American Heritage Commission for information on local/regional tribal contacts.

The California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) contracts with the California Historical Resources Information System's (CHRIS) regional Information Centers (ICs) to maintain information in the CHRIS inventory and make it available to local, state, and federal agencies, cultural resource professionals, Native American tribes, researchers, and the public. Recommendations made by IC coordinators or their staff regarding the interpretation and application of this information are advisory only. Such recommendations do not necessarily represent the evaluation or opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer in carrying out the OHP's regulatory authority under federal and state law.

For your reference, a list of qualified professionals in California that meet the Secretary of the Interior's Standards can be found at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>. If archaeological resources are encountered during the project, work in the immediate vicinity of the finds should be halted until a qualified archaeologist has evaluated the situation. If you have any questions please give us a call (707) 588-8455.

Sincerely,  
  
Jillian Guldenbrein  
Researcher

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In accordance with Assembly Bill 52 (AB52) and Section 21080.3.1(b) of the California Public Resources Code (PRC), we are responding to your request to be notified of projects in our jurisdiction that will be reviewed under CEQA. We are hereby notifying you of an opportunity to consult with us regarding the potential for this project to impact Tribal Cultural Resources, as defined in Section 21074 of the PRC. The purposes of tribal consultation under AB52 are to determine, as part of the CEQA review process, whether or not Tribal Cultural Resources are present within the project area, and if so, whether or not those resources will be significantly impacted by the project. If tribal cultural resources may be significantly impacted, then consultation will also help to determine the most appropriate way to avoid or mitigate those impacts. **In accordance with Section 21080.3.1(b) of the PRC, Consultation request under AB52 must be received in writing within 30 days of receipt of this notice.** If the Tribe would like to formally request an AB 52 consultation, **Please email your comments to [CDD@lakecountyca.gov](mailto:CDD@lakecountyca.gov) or mail them to the address listed in the letterhead above.**

Sincerely,

*Victor Fernandez - Assistant Planner*

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*Lake County – Community Development Department*

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*County Website: [www.lakecountyca.gov](http://www.lakecountyca.gov)*

*Phone: (707) 263-2221*

**From:** [Fahmy Attar](#)  
**To:** [Michael Taylor](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Notice Of Intent (CEQA documents-Initial Study) - file no. UP19-36, "Lake Vista Farms"  
**Date:** Thursday, September 23, 2021 1:03:51 PM

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Hello Michael,

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6. All engines must notify LCAQMD prior to beginning construction activities and prior to engine Use. Mobile diesel equipment used for construction and/or maintenance must be in compliance with State registration requirements. All equipment units must meet Federal, State and local requirements. All equipment units must meet RICE NESHAP/NSPS requirements including proper maintenance to minimize airborne emissions and proper record-keeping of all activities, all units must meet the State Air Toxic Control Measures for CI engines, and must meet local regulations. Contact LCAQMD for more details.
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Best Regards,

**Fahmy Attar** | Air Quality Engineer  
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On Sep 3, 2021, at 1:03 PM, Michael Taylor  
<[Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov](mailto:Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov)> wrote:

SCH#: 2021060178

Notice of Intent and CEQA documents were originally uploaded to the State Clearinghouse website on June 8, 2021, for a Major Use Permit (UP19-36), and documents are available for review. The State Clearinghouse number is: 2021060178.

Greetings Fellow Agencies,

This is a commercial cannabis project, and the CEQA documents were sent to the State Clearinghouse on June 8, 2021-July 12, 2021 review period. You may access all documents at the State Clearinghouse website. Attached is the NOI and Initial Study for your convenience.

The comment period ends on September 17, 2021, so please send any request for additional information to me before that date.

Best Regards,

Michael Taylor

## Assistant Planner

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**Michael Taylor**  
**Assistant Planner**

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**From:** [ROBERTSON, JESSE GRAHAM@DOT](mailto:ROBERTSON_JESSE_GRAHAM@DOT)  
**To:** [Michael Taylor](mailto:Michael.Taylor)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Automatic reply: Notice Of Intent (CEQA documents-Initial Study) - file no. UP19-36, "Lake Vista Farms"  
**Date:** Friday, September 3, 2021 1:50:01 PM

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You have reached Jesse Robertson, with the Caltrans District 1 System Planning and Local Development Review (IGR) Branch. I am currently out of the office and will return on Monday, October 4. During my absence I will not have access to email.

In my absence, please send any local development or intergovernmental review referrals to Jacob Rightnar, at: <jacob\_rightnar@dot.ca.gov>.

You may also contact Rex Jackman for further assistance, at (707) 834-2413 or by email: <rex.jackman@dot.ca.gov>.

Thanks for your understanding and cooperation.

**From:** [Pascus, Kaitlyn A CIV USARMY CESPCK \(USA\)](#)  
**To:** [Michael Taylor](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] FW: Notice Of Intent (CEQA documents-Initial Study) - file no. UP19-36, "Lake Vista Farms"  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 8, 2021 7:34:47 AM  
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Good Morning Michael,

Per the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. § 811, et seq.), marijuana is considered a controlled substance, with cultivation, possession, and/or use being a federal crime. Therefore, the Corps cannot process and/or issue a permit for these activities. Marijuana defined as "Industrial Hemp" is exempt from the Controlled Substances Act at Section 201 (21 U.S.C. 811). If the applicant discharges dredged and/or fill material below into waters of the United States without a DA permit, they would be in violation of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act.

v/r

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\*Information on the Regulatory Program:

<http://www.spk.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.aspx>

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**From:** Haley, Nancy A CIV USARMY CESPCK (USA) <[Nancy.A.Haley@usace.army.mil](mailto:Nancy.A.Haley@usace.army.mil)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 12:02 PM  
**To:** Pascus, Kaitlyn A CIV USARMY CESPCK (USA) <[Kaitlyn.A.Pascus@usace.army.mil](mailto:Kaitlyn.A.Pascus@usace.army.mil)>

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We have letters and emails to address cannabis

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**From:** SPKRegulatoryMailbox <[SPKRegulatoryMailbox@usace.army.mil](mailto:SPKRegulatoryMailbox@usace.army.mil)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 3, 2021 2:40 PM  
**To:** Haley, Nancy A CIV USARMY CESP (USA) <[Nancy.A.Haley@usace.army.mil](mailto:Nancy.A.Haley@usace.army.mil)>  
**Subject:** FW: Notice Of Intent (CEQA documents-Initial Study) - file no. UP19-36, 'Lake Vista Farms'

Email received 03SEPT2021, unsure the PM assigned for Lake county.

-Todd

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**From:** Michael Taylor <[Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov](mailto:Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 3, 2021 1:03 PM  
**To:** Michael Taylor <[Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov](mailto:Michael.Taylor@lakecountyca.gov)>  
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SCH#: 2021060178

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Best Regards,

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**To:** [Michael Taylor](mailto:Michael.Taylor)  
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**Date:** Wednesday, September 8, 2021 1:07:44 PM  
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Hello Michael,

This site has turned in all the required documents for the waterboard, however, I have a Mike Mitzel as the lead Cultivator. I did not see his name anywhere in the two documents you've sent over. I'm curious if I need to reach out for a Change of Information form to this discharger.

*We are currently undergoing a reduced in-office presence from implications due to COVID19. But all efforts are made to reply as quickly as possible.*

Janae Fried

Engineering Geologist

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