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Dianne Jacob, County Supervisor
Chairperson Indian Gaming Local Community Benefit Committee
County Administration Center
1600 Pacific Highway
San Diego, CA 92101

Dear Supervisor Jacob:

The San Diego County District Attorney's Office is requesting a four (4) year extension to the $296,718 grant award received from the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund Committee on May 4, 2011.
The current grant expenditure projections anticipate that $183,900 of unclaimed grant funds will remain at the end of the grant term. The unclaimed grant funds are the result of the refinement of protocols between the District Attorney's Office, Sheriff's Department and other law enforcement agencies resulting in a decrease in amount of time required by DA staff to deliver services under the grant.

The request to extend the grant proposes the same services as those described in the original grant proposal. The Tribal and Casino Liaison Legal Advisor, a Deputy District Attorney (DDA), and the Tribal and Casino Liaison, a District Attorney Investigator (DAI) will continue to work in conjunction with local law enforcement and Tribes to expedite the investigation and prosecution of crimes related to Indian gaming and crimes that occur on Tribal lands. Both staff members are well-versed in Tribal and casino matters and jurisdictional issues.

In addition to this request to extend the grant term, we have also submitted a new grant proposal in the event you are unable to grant an extension. The District Attorney's Office values its strong relationship with our local Tribal Nations and looks forward to a continued close working relationship.

Sincerely,

For BONNIE M. DUMANIS
County of San Diego District Attorney