

THE REAL TRUTH:

Contrary to what tribal opponents claim, the Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians conforms to all the rules and regulations necessary for land development.

WE FOLLOW THE RULES IN LAND DEVELOPMENT

Same rules, same regulations, different governing bodies.

The Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians is required to follow federal guidelines when it comes to a large variety of issues – including land development on tribal land.

For example, where a developer on non-tribal land may use the National Environmental Protection Agency (NEPA) and/or California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) guidelines for general environmental impact issues concerning land development, the tribe uses NEPA. Same issue, different governing body, comparable results.

Bottom line: The Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians doesn't circumvent the rules. We follow the federal guidelines – as we are required to do so.



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All told, we follow the same rules as everyone else. Find out more at www.santaynezchumash.org.