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Hi All – Tribal program is asking for any updates to this fact sheet for TON. Please let me know by Thurs COB if you have any additions. The Rosemont Mine entry needs updating for contact name at least. (Pat – I feel like we recently updated this – perhaps for another Tribe's fact sheet?)

Rosemont Copper Mine ~~EIS~~ [I RECOMMEND DELETING "EIS", SINCE THE EIS IS DONE]
This mine is proposed on ~4,750 acres of primarily National Forest Service lands about 30 miles south of Tucson (east of the ASARCO complex at San Xavier), and would produce 4.7 billion pounds of copper over 25 years. EPA rated the Forest Service's Draft EIS "Environmentally Unsatisfactory – Inadequate" (EU-3) due to potential violation of air and water quality standards, as well as impacts to biological resources, tribal resources, and human health. EPA did not comment on the Final EIS. The Los Angeles District of the Corps of Engineers recommended denial of a Clean Water Act Section 404 permit for the project; a decision by the Corps' South Pacific Division is pending. Prior to issuing a decision on the permit, the Corps is expected to adopt the Forest Service's EIS. The Tohono O'odham Nation has spoken out in direct opposition to the proposed development. As proposed, the mine would result in the loss of 111 National Register of Historic Places eligible properties, approximately 1/3 of which are known or likely to have human remains. The Tohono O'odham consider the Santa Rita Mountains to be "Ce:wi Duag", a Traditional Cultural Place eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

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Tohono O'odham (Alheli Banos is GAP PO)

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Thanks for your help!

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