



Mákkín Mak Muwékma Wolwóolum, 'Akkoyṭ Mak-Warep, Manne Mak Hiswi!
We Are Muwekma Ohlone, Welcome To Our Ancestral Homeland!

**Muwekma Ohlone Tribal Land Acknowledgment
For
Foothill College located in Los Altos Hills, CA
Within the *Puichon Thámien* Ancestral
Muwekma Ohlone Territory
Short Version**

Horše túuxi! (Hor-sheh troo-hee)

Foothill College recognizes that it is located on the ethnohistoric territory of the ancestral and traditional land of the **Puichon Thámien** Ohlone-speaking People, and the successors of the historic sovereign Verona Band of Alameda County, presently identified as the Muwekma Ohlone Tribe of the San Francisco Bay Area. This land was and continues to be of great importance to the Muwekma Ohlone Tribe and other familial descendants of the Verona Band.

We recognize that every member of the greater Foothill College/Los Altos Hills community has, and continues to benefit from, the use and occupation of this land, since the institution's founding in 1957. Consistent with our values of community, inclusion, and diversity, we have a responsibility to acknowledge and make known through various enterprises Foothill College's relationship to Native peoples. As members of the Foothill College/Los Altos Hills community, it is vitally important that we not only recognize the history of the land on which we live, work, and learn, but also, we recognize that the previously federally recognized Muwekma Ohlone Tribal People are alive and flourishing members of the Foothill College/Los Altos Hills and broader Bay Area communities today. Aho!