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San Diego County may lift barriers to tribes expanding their reservations

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San Diego County has prohibited the region's 18 tribes from expanding their reservations for more than two decades. That ban, which was put into place when casino operations were proliferating at the turn of the century, could be lifted next week.

County Board of Supervisors Jim Desmond and Nora Vargas will propose Wednesday that the county repeal previously approved resolutions stifling tribal growth.

Ruling could open possibility of Indian casinos outside tribal lands

In a victory for Indian tribes in California, a federal judge says the state violated legal boundaries in the demands it made during lengthy negotiations to renew gambling casino contracts with five tribes. The ruling could lead to construction of new casinos outside the tribes' reservations.

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Black Oak Casino Resort cancels 2021 concert series

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Black Oak Casino Resort announced in a news release Friday that it has canceled its concert series at Westside Pavilion in Tuolumne again this year and will not be rescheduling previously postponed shows featuring the rock band Train and rapper Ice Cube.

The release said the reason for the cancellation is due to ongoing health and safety concerns surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic, which forced the resort to cancel its 2020 series last year.