

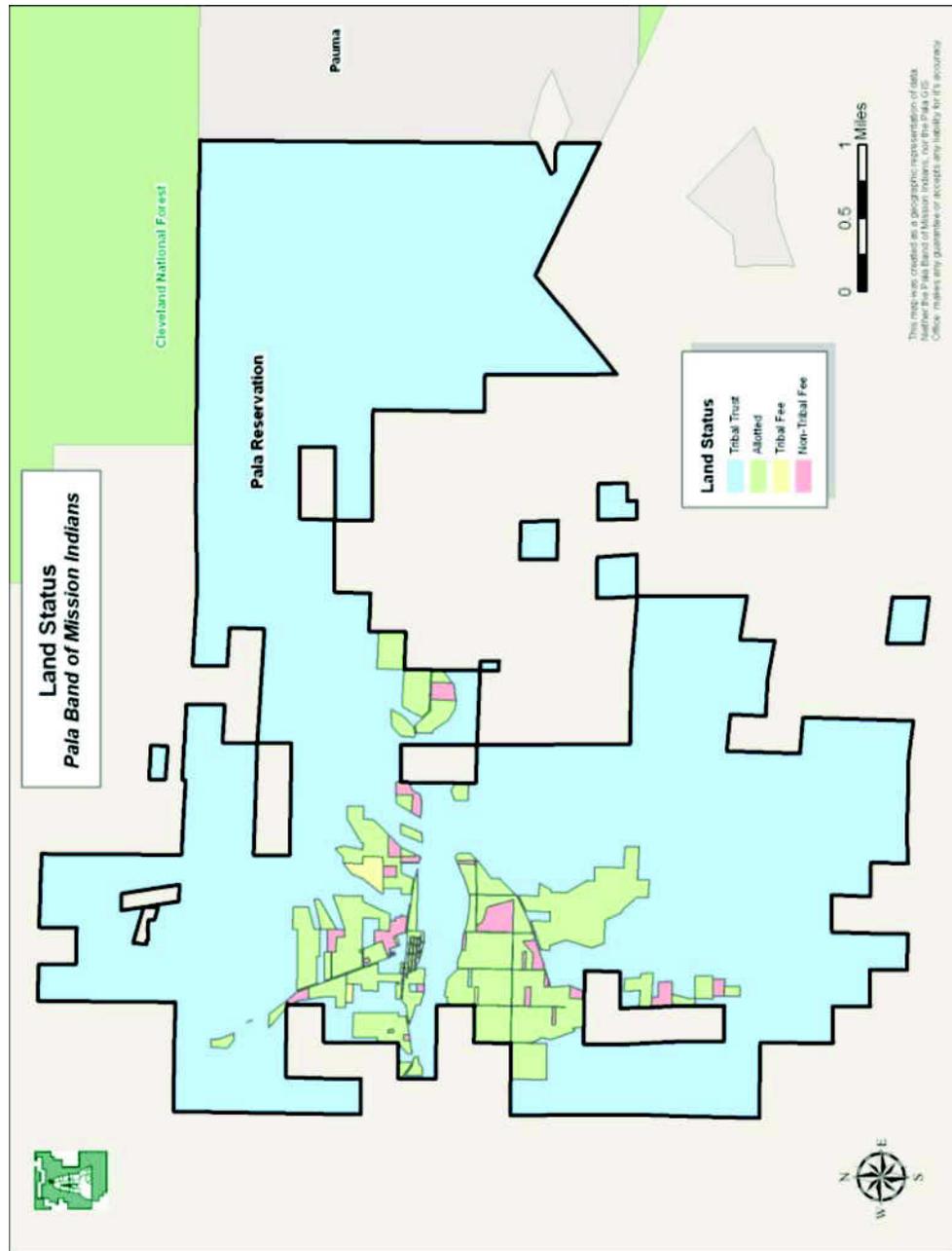
2.1.2. Land Status

The reservation has four types of land designation which can be seen in Map 5. “A large segment of Indian land law and terminology was shaped by the federal government's allotment policy and the General Allotment Act of 1887, also commonly known as the Dawes Act.”¹

1. Tribal Trust Land
2. Allotted Land is federal land which has been set aside for the exclusive use of an Indian who is called the allottee. The allottee has the right to live on, use and profit from the allotment, but the federal government owns the land and holds it in trust.
3. Tribal Fee Land is land that is no longer held in trust; it is “land that is held in fee simple and not in trust.”²
4. Non-tribal Fee Land

¹ <http://library.findlaw.com/1999/Jan/1/241490.html>

² <http://library.findlaw.com/1999/Jan/1/241490.html>



Map 5 Land Status on the Pala Reservation³

³ Map provided by [REDACTED] GIS Specialist, Pala Band of Mission Indians