



# February 25, 2021 Zoar Virtual Meeting Minutes:

**Attendees: Listed in Table 1**

**Meeting Start: 3:00 p.m. EST**

**Recent Activities:**

- Geophysical/Archaeological survey complete, management summary provided to all consulting parties.
  - o Nathan forwarded concerns from OAC and OSHPO to archaeological consultant
  - o OAC and OSHPO would prefer to see the document prior to drafting
  - o Nathan points out that the draft may already be complete (UPDATE, draft is complete, will be distributed to Consulting Parties in the week of 2 March, 2020.

**Where Are We Now?**

- USACE and OSHPO will meet on 26 Feb. to discuss Long-Term Risk Management Plan
- Nathan to reach out to Tammi Shrum on speaking engagement and docent training
- Draft flyer expected soon
- Al Tonetti et al suggested broadest possible distribution of the PDF flyer and group agreed.
  - o Echoes Magazine, Shakertown, other historical sites, ACHP/KYSHPO, WVSHPO etc.
- Nathan requested further suggestions from the group in the next few weeks.
- John Schweikart of OSHPO suggests contacting Andy Veerhoff (Ohio History Fund and Outreach Manager) among other outlets.

**Review of Current Project Schedule:**

- Geophys/archaeology draft report to be provided in February.
- What can and can't be put on the flyers without putting the cultural sites at risk?

- Provide a general area, maybe photographs?
- Geophys/archaeology final report to be provided in late February?
- CPs to submit comments on draft report to Nathan (possibly by the end of next week).

Questions:

- OSHPO and OAC offered to discuss with archaeological consultants their concerns about the fieldwork
  - Nathan said that a meeting with OSHPO, USACE and consultants is possible.
  - OSHPO offered to expedite review of report, if possible.
  - Nathan will request that those Consulting Parties who do not choose to comment let USACE know via email.
- Mayor Gordon asked if trench and berm were separate subcontractors
- Greg and Cheryl stated there is only the one subcontractor

**Meeting concluded approximately 3:30 p.m.**

**Table 1: Meeting Attendees**

NAME	ORGANIZATION
Jon Elsasser	Zoar Village Council
Hans Fischer	Zoar Resident
Scott Gordon	Zoar Mayor
Tammi Shrum	Zoar Site Director
Kevin Nolan	Ohio Archaeological Council
Alan Tonetti	Ohio Archaeological Council
Joel Kurtz	DR Walter
Cheryl Stasiak	DRS Enterprises
Lori Feeney	Independent Journalist
John Schweikart	OSHPO
Kristen Koehlinger	OSHPO
Geoff Burt	NPS
Bill Kennedy	OHC
Linda Pansing	OHC
Annette Ericksen	USACE Biologist
Rebecca Rutherford	USACE Supervisory Biologist
Jones, Greg	USACE Project Manager
Seth Lyle	USACE Lead Engineer
Nathan White	USACE Archaeologist

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