



# **March 25, 2021 Zoar Section 106 Consulting Parties Meeting Minutes:**

**Attendees: Listed in Table 1**

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

Current Project Status and Schedule:

Recent Activities Completed

- Conducted Consulting Parties (CPs) meeting on February 25, 2021
- Draft report to be circulated to CPs for review and comment
- Pre-construction submittals for IEIT & Berm construction contract ongoing; working on several resubmittals
- Site visit on 15 March to go over the site with new partner - Steven Biehl of OHC
- Soil sampling for IEIT mix design completed on 17 March
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Where Are We Now?

- Reviewing draft flyer
- Preparing Long-term Risk Management Plan
- Planning Docent training
- Circulating draft arch/geophysical report
- Relocation agreement with Village of Zoar has been executed
- Construction contractor planning public meeting
- Evaluation of potential construction of a temporary slurry pond in APE is being conducted. Alternatives to in ground construction under investigation. Updates will be provided.

Review of Current Project Schedule:

- USACE and CPs reviewing draft report
- USACE and CPs reviewing flyer
- USACE integrates comments on Geophys/Arch report and provides final to CPs for review and comment
- USACE Implements Public Outreach Plan
- Construction Phase Commences
- Dedicated telephone line and email address published for stakeholders

Survey Areas:

- Nathan will share SHPO and OAC Comments with Stephen Biehl to initiate further discussion. Original comments stand and have not changed upon review of the draft report by SHPO and OAC. This issue will continue to be discussed.
- There is an expected change to the Effects Determination based on contractor requests to construct a temporary slurry pond. Discussion will continue and alternatives investigated. An intact buried "A" horizon was identified, existing below fill layers containing historic artifacts. Investigations in this area were inconclusive but trending towards "not eligible."

Other Questions:

- There is a discrepancy between the SOW and PA in describing the flyer. Nathan will meet with Tammi Shrum and others so that the content is appropriate.

**Meeting concluded approximately 3:42 P.M.**

**Table 1: Meeting Attendees**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>ORGANIZATION</b>
Kevin Nolan	Ohio Archaeological Council
Joel Kurtz	DR Walter
Lori Feeney	Independent Journalist
Kristen Koehlinger	OSHPO
Bill Kennedy	OHC
Rebecca Rutherford	USACE Supervisory Biologist
Seth Lyle	USACE Lead Engineer
Nathan White	USACE Archaeologist
Stephen Biehl	OSHPO
Adam Sautter	DRS Enterprises
Cheryl Stasiak	DRS Enterprises
Geoffrey Burt	NPS
Amanda Terrell	OSHPO
Annette Ericksen	USACE Archaeologist

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