



# January 28, 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 Draft report will be circulated for comments.

## Where Are We Now?

- Nathan to schedule a meeting to discuss the draft long-term risk management plan (possibly next week or the week after).
- Nathan to reach out to Tammi Shrum on docent training schedule.
- Scott: When are you planning to do the building inspections?
  - o Soil sampling will be similar to the test borings.
  - o Building inspections (structural stability assessment) will be conducted prior to test trench.
    - USACE doesn't have a definite timeframe yet, but it won't be next month.

## 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?
  - o 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).

## Survey Areas:

- OSHPO and OAC expressed concerns about methods and equipment employed as described in the management summary.
  - o Nathan will provide concerns from OAC, OSHPO and NPS to contractor.
  - o Contractor will fully explain methods and equipment in draft report.
  - o Draft report may require further meetings to resolve.
    - Corps and CPs will work to resolve issues efficiently and fully.
- Does DRS/DR Walter have any experience with Section 106/NHPA?
  - o Nathan discussed Section 106 assisted by Al Tonetti of OAC and John Schweikart of OSHPO.

- Will need to plan for inadvertent discovery (if during the process of excavation, remains are found, procedures will need to be followed).

Questions:

- Mayor Gordon asked for POC for contractors
  - Outlined in PA and public outreach plan.
  - Nathan to make sure everyone has one another's contact info.
  - Details will be included in the draft Long-term Risk Management Plan

**PLEASE NOTE: THE CALL-IN NUMBERS WILL BE CHANGED FOR THE FEBRUARY MEETING!**

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

**Table 1: Meeting Attendees**

NAME	ORGANIZATION
Jon Elsasser	Zoar Village Council
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
Adam Sautter	DRS Enterprises
Lori Feeney	Independent Journalist
John Schweikart	OSHPO
Kristen Koehlinger	OSHPO
Dawn Bringelson	NPS
Bill Kennedy	OHC
Linda Pansing	OHC
Kim Carr	USACE Biologist
Rebecca Rutherford	USACE Supervisory Biologist
Jones, Greg	USACE Project Manager
Seth Lyle	USACE Lead Engineer
Nathan White	USACE Archaeologist
Mike Nield	USACE Senior Geologist

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