



July 29, 2021 Zoar Section 106 Consulting Parties Meeting Minutes:

Attendees: Listed in Table 1

Meeting Start: 3:00 p.m. EST

Review of Recent Activities:

- Consulting Parties meeting was held on June 24, 2021
- Archaeology/Geophysical work underway, completion estimated within a week. Several anomalies have been identified. Will update as work completes.
- Pre-construction submittals for IEIT & Berm construction contract ongoing; two submittals reviewed and approved.
- Draft long-term Risk Management Plan circulated.
- Draft flyer map and text prepared.
- Docent training scheduled with Tammi Shrum; August 6, 2021
- Public Meeting for vibration assessment and surveys completed; Contractor coordinating with land owners for surveys.

Review of Current Project Schedule:

- USACE and CPs submitted comments on draft Risk Management Plan
- USACE Coordinating IEIT schedule with Contractor
- USACE coordinating schedule with contractor
- Construction Phase Commences
 - Plan reviews still need to be approved prior to start
- Dedicated telephone line and email address published for stakeholders and remains active

Discussion

- A review of comments on the Draft Long-Term Risk Management Plan was presented.
 - o Comment was submitted by OAC relevant to contractor training or on-site qualified archaeologist be available during construction to identify archaeological remains encountered.
 - o USACE identified the request as out of scope.
- In reference to work stoppages and reporting of finds to agencies.
 - o OAC concurred.
- In reference to planning for recordation, documentation and evaluation of resources encountered.

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- OAC comments that identified resources be considered NRHP eligible and relevant criteria be applied.
 - USACE Concur
- In reference to the discovery of Human Remains.
 - OAC requested a qualified Forensic Anthropologist monitor all work.
 - USACE identified the request as out of scope.
- Date of Archaeology /Geophysical survey will be included
- OSHPO does not require daily updates
 - USACE Concur
- OSHPO requests identification of backhoe monitor.
 - USACE indicated the individual(s) will be SOI certified.
- OSHPO requests 24 hour notification and option for site visit.
 - USACE Concur

Tentative Meeting Schedule

Meeting forum(s) will likely be impacted by continuing COVID-19 restrictions.

Other Discussion

- Clarification of Soil Bore radar signatures from previous investigations.
- Resident of House #25 Brian Hoadley seeing information on project.

Meeting concluded approximately 4:00 P.M.

Table 1: Meeting Attendees

NAME	ORGANIZATION
Lori Feeney	Independent Journalist
Michael Nield	USACE Senior Geologist
Judy Meiser	Zoar Resident
Kristen Koehlinger	OSHPO
Al Tonetti	OAC
Nathan White	USACE Archaeologist
Stephen Biehl	OSHPO
Seth Lyle	USACE Lead Engineer
Annette Ericksen	USACE Archaeologist