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**From:** Ron Linton  
**To:** laura watchempino  
**Date:** 05/29/2007 9:07:04 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Section 106 Consultation Homestake Mining Co. Proposed Evaporation Pond #3

Laura:

Thanks for the e-mail and I'll look for the Pueblo of Acoma letter. If you can, let me know when it is sent so I can look for it. Sometimes letters take awhile to get to their intended target because of security and because of scanning into our agencywide document and management system (ADAMS). Once the letter is sent, if you have a .pdf version, I'd greatly appreciate if you would send that to me via e-mail which I will likely get two weeks before the hard copy.

I don't know if Homestake tried to get input on the Cultural Resource Inventory, other than what they indicate in the Survey. Homestake did send "preconsultation" type letters to Tribes in the area requesting information on cultural and historic sites. One letter was sent on July 6, 2006 and six additional letters were sent on July 7, including one to Governor Jason Johnson. However, the letters appear to have been sent after the Survey was completed. I've not sure if you are aware of this July 7, 2006 letter or not.

Give me a call if you have any questions.

Ron

>>> laura watchempino <[haakuwater@yahoo.com](mailto:haakuwater@yahoo.com)> 05/25/2007 7:27 PM >>>

Hello Ron,

I'm sending this email to notify you that the Pueblo of Acoma has grave concerns regarding this proposed project.

Our Historic Preservation Office is currently reviewing the Cultural Resources Inventory compiled by Taschek Environmental Consulting. This survey was prepared without notice or input from Acoma.

The Pueblo of Acoma is preparing an official response requesting consultation on the proposals submitted by Homestake Mining Company.

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