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Re: Treatment Plan for Mitigative Excavation of Prehistoric Site 48SW16604 for the Proposed Lost Creek ISR Project in Sweetwater County, Wyoming (SHPO File # 0708JRD021)

Dear Mr. Madigan *JD 7-28-08*

Thank you for consulting with the Wyoming State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding the referenced project. We have reviewed the project report and find the documentation meets the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Archaeology and Historic Preservation (48 FR 44716-42). We concur with your determination that site 48SW16604 is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

We agree that site 48SW16604 will be adversely impacted. In accordance with 36 CFR § 800.6, we recommend the Bureau of Land Management develop a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), specifying the terms under which the adverse effects to the historic property will be minimized or mitigated. The agency official, SHPO and the Advisory Council (should they choose to participate) are the signatories and consulting parties to the MOA. The agency official and the SHPO, in agreement with the agency official, may choose to invite additional parties to be signatories and to concur in the MOA. Invited signatories and consulting parties may include Native American tribes that attach religious or cultural significance to the historic property and any party that assumes a responsibility under the MOA.

Please refer to SHPO project #0708JRD021 on any future correspondence regarding this project. If you have any questions, please contact Joseph Daniele, Archaeologist/Review and Federal Consultation at 307-777-8793.

Sincerely,



Joseph Daniele  
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