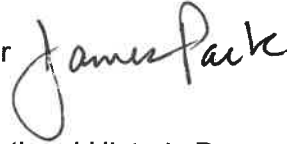


February 22, 2018

NOTE TO: Docket No. 40-8964

FROM: James Park, Environmental Project Manager  
NMSS/FCSE/ERB



SUBJECT: Meeting Summary for February 15, 2018, National Historic Preservation Act  
Section 106 Webinar

On Friday, February 15, 2018, the NRC staff hosted a webinar with the purpose of providing background information to interested Tribes on historic resource surveys performed at the Smith Ranch project sites and the historic resources identified by those surveys. The webinar also provided the direct and indirect Areas of Potential Effect (APEs) concurred on by the State of Wyoming Historic Preservation Office.

The webinar attendees were as follows:

NRC: James Park, Environmental Project Manager  
Douglas Mandeville, Licensing Project Manager

Tribal Representatives: Devin Oldman, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, Northern  
Arapaho Tribe  
Steve Vance, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer, Cheyenne  
River Sioux Tribe

The NRC staff provided a Microsoft PowerPoint presentation (enclosed) that addressed (1) NRC roles and responsibilities; (2) background information for the Smith Ranch, North Butte, Ruth, and Gas Hills project sites, noting that NRC's consultation would address only the Smith Ranch and North Butte project sites; (3) the direct and indirect APEs for the Smith Ranch and North Butte project sites; and (4) the currently identified eligible and potentially eligible historic resources at the Smith Ranch and North Butte project sites.

Following the NRC staff presentation, the tribal representatives provided their thoughts and perspectives on the staff presentation and on the conduct of the Section 106 consultation for the Smith Ranch license renewal.

As a next step, the tribal representatives recommended face-to-face, government-to-government meetings with interested Native American tribes.

Enclosure (non-public): February 15, 2018 webinar slides