

Exhibit FF. Girouard Site LA SHPO Letter of Site Recommendation





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Re: Draft Report
La Division of Archaeology Report No. 22-6698
Phase I Cultural Resources Survey for the Girouard Site in Lafayette Parish, Louisiana

Dear Jon Glass:

Please allow this updated response letter to replace our previous response dated 19 February 2021.

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 4 February 2021 and one copy of the above referenced report that was submitted as Due Diligence. This letter is for preliminary, informational purposes only and does not constitute consultation or agency coordination with our Office as defined in 36 CFR 800: "Protection of Historic Properties" or by any state regulatory process. The recommendation stated below could change once the responsible federal and/or state agency initiates consultation with our Office.

If the proposed project will require federal permits, licenses, funds, loans, grants, or assistance for development, we would recommend to the federal or state agency or agencies that no historic properties have been identified in the project area and no further cultural resource survey or investigation is needed.

Consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office does not constitute consultation with Tribal Historic Preservation Offices, other Native American tribes, local governments, or the public. If archaeological materials are encountered during construction, the procedures codified at 36 CFR 800.13(b) will apply. Archaeological materials consist of any items, fifty years old or older, which were made or used by man. These items include but are not limited to, stone projectile points (arrowheads), ceramic sherds, bricks, worked wood, bone and stone, metal, and glass objects. The federal agency or the applicant receiving federal assistance should contact our office immediately. If human remains are encountered, the provisions of the Louisiana Unmarked Human Burial Sites Preservation Act (Revised Statute 8:671-681) should be followed.

We are accepting the report as final; no further submissions are necessary. If you have any questions, please contact Chip McGimsey at cmcgimsey@crt.la.gov or 225-219-4598.

Sincerely,

Director
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