

# Exhibit II. I-12 Industrial Site LA SHPO Letter of Recommendation



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## I-12 Industrial Site LA SHPO Letter of Site Recommendation

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Re: Draft Phase I Report

La Division of Archaeology Report No. 22-6171

*Phase I Cultural Resources Survey I-12 Industrial Site in Tangipahoa Parish, L. A.*

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 3, 2019 (received January 7) 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. Consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office is not a substitution for consultation with Tribal Historic Preservation Offices, other Native American tribes, local governments, or the public. We have completed our review of this report and have the following comments to offer:

- As this project is not yet a Federal undertaking, the use of terms such as Area of Potential Effects (APE) is not appropriate, as that is decided by the permitting Federal agency. This language should be changed throughout the document.
- Check typos in the 3<sup>rd</sup> to last sentence of the Abstract (and elsewhere).

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.

The recommendation stated above could change once the responsible federal and/or state agency initiates consultation with our Office. Our recommendation may change if the Site Certification boundary is altered or if the responsible agency or agencies define a different direct or indirect Area of Potential Effects.

We look forward to receiving one bound copy (printed double sided) and one pdf of the final report. If you have any questions, please contact Emily Dale at the Division of Archaeology by email at [edale@crt.la.gov](mailto:edale@crt.la.gov) or by phone at 225-219-4596.

Sincerely,

Kristen Sanders,  
State Historic Preservation Officer



February 15, 2019

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**Re: FINAL Phase I Cultural Resource Survey I-12 Industrial Site in Tangipahoa Parish, LA  
Report No. 22-6171**

Dear Mr. Boggan:

ELOS is pleased to provide the FINAL Phase I cultural resource survey of 261.02 acres (105.63 hectares) in Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana, between Robert and Covington, for a proposed Louisiana Economic Development (LED) Certified Industrial Site—Interstate 12 (I-12) Industrial Site. As per your offices comments the following edits have been made;

- *As this project is not yet a Federal undertaking, the use of terms such as Area of Potential Effects (APE) is not appropriate, as that is decided by the permitting Federal agency. This language should be changed throughout the document.*

This language has been changed the Direct APE is now referenced as the Project Area and the Indirect APE is no referenced as One-Mile Buffer, throughout the report.

- *Check typos in the 3rd to last sentence of the Abstract (and elsewhere).*

This typo was corrected and the report was check for any additional typos.

The Phase I was completed as part of the due diligence action items that must be completed for LED certification. This Phase I survey complied with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), as amended by 16 U.S.C. 407f and with its implementing regulations 36 CFR Part 800 and the Louisiana 2018 guidelines for archaeological survey and reporting. The land tract is located on the south side of U.S. Highway 190 (US 190) in Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana east of the Florida Parishes Juvenile Detention Center (Figure 1). The project is situated in Section 25; Township 6 South – Range 9 East. This report is being submitted for SHPO review. Please provide any comments and they will be addressed promptly.

Please contact me by phone at 985-662-5501 or email at [mhealey@elosenv.com](mailto:mhealey@elosenv.com) if you need any additional information. Thank you for your time and efforts in this matter.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Healey, M.A., R.P.A.  
ELOS Environmental, LLC  
Cultural Resources Specialist

The Final Report has been reviewed and accepted.

Report # 22-6171

Kristin P. Sanders  
State Historic Preservation Officer

Date 3/12/2019