

June 8, 2023

Robert Ahlrichs Commonwealth Heritage Group, Inc. 20 HAGERTY BLVD., SUITE 3 WEST CHESTER PA 19382

RE: ER Project # 2020PR01726.018, ASPEN SOLAR PROJECT, Army Corps of Engineers, Fannett Township, Franklin County

Dear Robert Ahlrichs:

Thank you for submitting information concerning the above referenced project. The Pennsylvania State Historic Preservation Office (PA SHPO) reviews projects in accordance with state and federal laws. Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, and the implementing regulations (36 CFR Part 800) of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, is the primary federal legislation. The Environmental Rights amendment, Article 1, Section 27 of the Pennsylvania Constitution and the Pennsylvania History Code, 37 Pa. Cons. Stat. Section 500 et seq. (1988) is the primary state legislation. These laws include consideration of the project's potential effects on both historic and archaeological resources.

Archaeological Resources

No Archaeological Concerns - Environmental Review - No Effect - Archaeological - Avoidance

The PA SHPO concurs with the proposed scope of work and avoidance plan for the McCartney archaeological site (36FR0485). If project plans change and the site cannot be avoided and/or if additional historic properties are located during project construction, you will need to reinitiate consultation with our office using PA-SHARE.

For questions concerning archaeological resources, please contact Justin McKeel at jusmckeel@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Emma Diehl Environmental Review Division Manager