



# Pennsylvania State Historic Preservation Office

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RE: ER 2015-1839-042-H  
COE: Phase I Archaeological Report, Addendum 1, Falcon Ethane Pipeline, Shell Pipeline Company, Allegheny, Beaver, and Washington Counties

Dear Ms. Rankin:

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.

This report meets our standards and specifications as outlined in Guidelines for Archaeological Investigations in Pennsylvania (SHPO 2016) and the Secretary of the Interior's Guidelines for Archaeological Documentation. We agree with the recommendations of this report. In our opinion no further archaeological work is necessary for this project provided that the archaeological sites identified in this report are avoided as detailed in the Avoidance Plan (Appendix D). Should plans change, and additional ground disturbance be needed, our office should be contacted as soon as possible as additional archaeological investigation may be necessary.

If you need further information regarding archaeological resources, please contact Kira Heinrich at [kiheinrich@pa.gov](mailto:kiheinrich@pa.gov) or (717) 705-0700. If you need further information on above ground resources please consult Cheryl Nagle at [chnagle@pa.gov](mailto:chnagle@pa.gov) or (717) 772-4519.

Sincerely,

Douglas C. McLearn, Chief  
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