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Subject: Shoreline Review: PSA-22-00474 Request for Comments
Date: Thursday, May 4, 2023 4:49:38 PM
Attachments: [PSA-23-00192.pdf](#)

Good afternoon all,

You are receiving this request for shoreline review with an associated 15 day comment period because this application (Preliminary Site Analysis, PSA-23-00192) is proposing a project within shoreline jurisdiction that is not exempt from cultural resources review pursuant to Kittitas County SMP 5.1(B)(1)(a). In accordance with the settlement agreement between the Yakama Nation and Kittitas County, Kittitas County Resolution No. 2018-195 and the Department of Ecology Final Approval (letter dated 1/14/19, effective 1/28/19) of the County's amended Shoreline Master Program, Kittitas County is hereby requesting comments regarding the proposed project.

This request is based off of the following amendment to Kittitas County SMP 5.1(B) as shown below:

- B. Regulations
1. *Project Approval Requirements.* Prior to issuing a permit, exemption, or other approval for a proposed project in a shoreline area, the County shall determine whether or not a cultural resources review or archaeological survey shall be required under this Section 5.1(B)(1).
 - a. *Exceptions.* No cultural resources review or survey shall be required under this Section 5.1(B)(1) where the project applicant can demonstrate one or more of the following conditions is met:
 - i. The project or use does not include any ground disturbance. Projects that require the insertion of structural elements, but which do not require any excavation and create no spoil piles, shall be considered non-ground-disturbing for purposes of this Section (e.g. driving T-posts, planting tree seedlings with a hoedad).
 - ii. The project is limited to the installation of infrastructure entirely within the same area as an existing project or development.
 - iii. The project's entire three-dimensional area of proposed ground-disturbance is located within previous fill or previously disturbed earth.
 - iv. A professional archaeologist has surveyed the entire project area within the last ten (10) years, and the survey report(s) show that no cultural, archaeological, or historic resources were found.
 - b. *Cultural Resources Review.* The County shall provide electronic notice and a fifteen (15) day comment opportunity to DAHP and affected Native

American tribes for all proposed projects in shoreline areas which are not excluded under Section 5.1(B)(1)(a) above.

- i. When applicable, the above notification requirement will be included in the Preliminary Site Analysis process.
- ii. Where the proposed project is already subject to a comment period through shoreline permitting and/or SEPA review, this comment period shall be run concurrently.
- iii. For shoreline projects that fall under a shoreline exemption permit and have no notification requirement, if not already completed through the Preliminary Site Analysis process, the above notification and cultural resources review requirements will occur prior to the issuance of an exemption permit.

Kittitas County will not act on the attached request until the end of the 15 day comment window. Please respond to this email with any comments regarding this proposal no later than end of business day May 19, 2023.

Please contact me should you have any questions.

Best regards,

Kelly Bacon

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Subject: Re: Shoreline Review: PSA-22-00474 Request for Comments
Date: Tuesday, May 9, 2023 1:36:59 PM

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Hello Kelly,

This consultation is in reference to PSA-23-00192. This undertaking is located within the CCT Usual and Accustomed Territories. We request any undertakings, particularly those involving ground disturbing activities, to have an IDP in place prior to implementation.

The proposed project lies within the Usual and Accustomed territory of the Wenatchi and Moses Columbia Tribes, 2 of the 12 constituent tribes of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation (CTCR), which is governed by the Colville Business Council (CBC). The CBC has delegated to the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) the responsibility of representing the CTCR with regard to cultural resources management issues throughout the traditional territories of all of the constituent tribes under Resolution 1996-29. This area includes parts of eastern Washington, northeastern Oregon, the Palus territory in Idaho, and south-central British Columbia.

There are several known cultural resources of historic and pre-contact significance nearby; and known Traditional Cultural Places, particularly a named place and a known gathering area. This parcel is considered Very High Risk for an inadvertent discovery according to the DAHP predictive model.

Due to ground disturbing activities CCT H/A requests a cultural resource survey prior to implementation and that during implementation there be an inadvertent discovery plan (IDP) in place to ensure compliance with all Section 106 and relevant cultural resource laws both federally and to the state of Washington.

Thank you for consulting with the Colville Confederated Tribes History and Archaeology Program.

On behalf of Guy Moura Tribal Historic Preservation Officer,

Sincerely,

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On Tue, May 9, 2023 at 1:31 PM Kelly Bacon (CD) <kelly.bacon.cd@co.kittitas.wa.us> wrote:

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Subject: RE: Shoreline Review: PSA-22-00474 Request for Comments (DAHP Project Tracking # 2023-05-03279)
Date: Thursday, May 18, 2023 1:02:16 PM

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Hi Kelly,

Thank you for contacting the Washington State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) and providing documentation regarding the above referenced project. These comments are based on the information available at the time of this review and on behalf of the SHPO in conformance with Washington State law. Should additional information become available, our assessment may be revised.

Our statewide predictive model indicates that there is a high probability of encountering cultural resources within the proposed project area. However, due to the small footprint of the project, DAHP is not requesting a cultural resources survey at this time. We do ask that you prepare an Inadvertent Discovery Plan (IDP) and prepare construction crews for the possibility of encountering archaeological material during ground disturbing activities.

Please note that the recommendations provided in this letter reflect only the opinions of DAHP. Any interested Tribes may have different recommendations. We appreciate receiving any correspondence or comments from Tribes or other parties concerning cultural resource issues that you receive.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this project. Please ensure that the DAHP project Tracking Number is attached to any future communications about this project.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

All the best,

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Hello Kelly

The Snoqualmie Indian Tribes Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation will defer to more proximate tribes regarding the above-mentioned project.

Thank you.

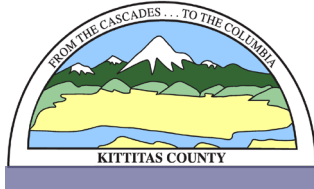
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PSA 23-00192

Request for comment sent: 05/04/2023

Comment Period ended: 05/19/2023

DAHP, Snoqualmie, Colville responded during 15-day comment period

DAHP requests an IDP.

Colville requests an Cultural Survey and an IDP.

Snoqualmie defers to more proximate tribes.

The following was added to this PSA:

Please be aware your project is located in an area of high significance for potential cultural resources. Should ground disturbing or other activities related to the proposed project result in the inadvertent discovery of cultural or archaeological materials, work shall be stopped in the immediate area and contact be made with the Washington State Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) and the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation. Work shall remain suspended until the findings are assessed and appropriate consultation is conducted. Should human remains be inadvertently discovered, as dictated by Washington State RCW 27.44.055, work shall be immediately halted in the area and contact made with the coroner and local law enforcement in the most expeditious manner possible.