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December 10, 2008

Suzanne Lewis
Superintendent
Yellowstone National Park
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RE: Review and Comment on the Wireless Communications Services Plan Environmental Assessment for Yellowstone National Park and Request for Concurrence with Yellowstone National Park's Determination of No Historic Properties Adversely Effected (SHPO File # 1008BHB013)

Dear Ms. Lewis:

Thank you for continuing to consult with the Wyoming State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding the above referenced project. This letter clarifies the extent to which we are able to comment on the plan.

As your letter of September 19, 2008 notes, you are requesting a concurrence for no historic properties adversely affected, as required under the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106, based on the plan and environmental assessment. At this time, we are only able to concur that Alternative C has the least potential to adversely affect historic properties.

As to the specific installation comments we made in our letter of October 22, 2008, the plan provides excellent guidance for the planning of new installations. However, as is usual in Section 106 consultation, we must comment on a specific proposal and consider all projects on a case-by-case basis. We look forward to using the plan and its guidance in that future consultation.

Please refer to SHPO project #1008BHB013 on any future correspondence regarding this project. If you have any questions, please contact me at 307-777-8594.

Sincerely.

Betsy H/Bradley

Historic Preservation Specialist

