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State Historic Preservation Officer

May 22, 2017 Attachment 6A

Mr. Roger Kiers  
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Olympia, WA. 98512-7332

In future correspondence please refer to:  
Project Tracking Code: 2017-05-03635  
Property: US 101- Elwha Bridge Replacement Project  
Re: APE Concur

Dear Mr. Kiers:

Thank you for contacting the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation regarding the above referenced project. In response, we have reviewed your description and map of the area of potential effect (APE).

We concur with your definition of the APE. Please provide us with your survey methodology before proceeding with any inventories. Along with the results of the inventory we will need to review your consultation with the concerned tribes, and other interested/affected parties. Please provide any correspondence or comments from concerned tribes and/or other parties that you receive as you consult under the requirements of 36 CFR 800.4(a)(4).

These comments are based on the information available at the time of this review and on behalf of the SHPO in conformance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations 36 CFR 800. Should additional information about the project become available, our assessment may be revised.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D. Wardlaw', is written over a light blue circular stamp.

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