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Carl Daly, Director
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re: Cheyenne Light, Fuel & Power PSD Permit: Cheyenne Prairie Generating Station 220 MW
Combustion Turbine Project: Laramie County, Wyoming (SHPO File # 0512RLC011)

Dear Mr. Daly:

Thank you for consulting with the Wyoming State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding the above referenced undertaking. We have reviewed the associated report and find the documentation meets the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Archaeology and Historic Preservation (48 FR 44716-42). We concur with your finding that site 48LA3231 is not eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places and no further work or protective measures are necessary.

We recommend the US Environmental Protection Agency allow the undertaking to proceed in accordance with state and federal laws subject to the following stipulation:

If any cultural materials are discovered during construction, work in the area shall halt immediately, the federal agency and SHPO staff be contacted, and the materials be evaluated by an archaeologist or historian meeting the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards (48 FR 22716, Sept. 1983).

This letter should be retained in your files as documentation of a SHPO concurrence with your finding of no historic properties affected. Please refer to SHPO project #0512RLC011 on any future correspondence regarding this undertaking. If you have any questions, please contact me at 307-777-5497.

Sincerely,

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