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Subject: RE: Tongue River RR, PA Working group, final scheduled meeting
From: Catherine Nadals/STB - Monday 12/08/2014 09:01 AM

Hi David,

As you know, we will need the entire group to vet your proposed changes. I have asked Rick to put your proposed edits into bubble comments for the rest of the group to consider. There are some changes that we just made (based on the call on Friday), but others that need to be vetted.

Thanks,

-Cathy

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Rich, Cathy - Here are my comments on this lat...

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Rich, Cathy – Here are my comments on this latest draft. As you will see, many of them are designed to clarify that certain steps need not be undertaken when a site can be avoided. I have inserted my edits in all caps so that you will find them more readily and also included margin comments. We will likely have more comments that we will get to you by January 16 once I have consulted further with my client, but I'm fine if you want to circulate this version on Monday.

I have also added a definition of TRRC.

Please email me if you wish to speak over the weekend.

Regards. David

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Hi everyone, Thank you for an exceptional working group call today. At the end of the call, Charlene and David asked me to circulate the PA revised with the comments from our call today, so they could take a closer look at it before we distribute it to the rest of the consulting parties on Monday. I've attached the revised draft PA for that purpose.

Please get your comments back to me as soon as possible, as we hope to deliver this to the rest of the consulting parties well before Monday's call at 1 PM Eastern time.

This was our last working group call, and we really appreciate the hard work and expertise you all lent us in this process.

Rick

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Hi everyone, here is the document we'll review today, and we will be focusing on the yellow highlighted sections and comments. Thank you so much!

Rick

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From: Starzak, Richard

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Where: 1-877-423-6338, Passcode: 364456#

<< File: Draft_PA_for_Working_Group_to_review_on_12-5-2014.docx >> Hi Ben, Betsy, Charlene, Chris, Conrad, David, Doug, Michael, Najah, and Stan,

ATTACHED IS THE MOST CURRENT VERSION OF THE DRAFT PA FOR USE TODAY. Rick

Our final scheduled PA working group call is Friday, December 5 at 1 PM EST. (Call in information is: 1-877-423-6338, Passcode: 364456#). Because it is our final call, I hope we get strong participation from you all.

Good news: On our November 21 call, ACHP, OEA, and SHPO all agreed that there will be a single PA and it will follow ACHP's instructions from their September 8 letter, and the process PA examples ACHP provided to us. This is entirely consistent with the revisions the working group has been making to the PA since September, so the group's effort has been right on target.

For the December 5 call, we'll have a draft PA with all the stipulations and attachments prepared, and we hope to get that to you by Wednesday December 3. For the December 5 call, it may be most useful if we spend our time revisiting the comments received and review changes to the PA that address those comments.

I wanted to send out this invite now just so you all have it on your calendars. We understand everyone has busy schedules, especially over the holidays, and we truly appreciate your participation.

Thank you very much,
Rick (in support of Cathy)



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