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From: Matthew Seddon
To: Helfrich, Joe
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Subject: Re: Skyline Mine exploration arc survey task #2835

CC: Grubaugh-Littig, Pam
Joe,

We concur with your determination of effect for this project.

This letter serves as our comment on the determinations you have made, within the consultation process specified in §36CFR800.4. Additionally, Utah Code 9-8-404(1)(a) denotes that your agency is responsible for all final decisions regarding cultural resources for this undertaking. Our comments here are provided as specified in U.C.A. 9-8-404(3)(a)(i). If you have questions, please contact me at (801) 533-3555 or mseddon@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

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>>> Joe Helfrich 8/6/2007 3:39 PM >>>
Hi Matt,

Ark Land Company C/O Skyline Mine has submitted an application to drill one coal exploration hole on private land in Winter Quarters canyon during the summer of 2007. The exploration hole will be completed by heilicopter drilling. The exploration site can be located on the Scofield 7.5 minuet quadrangle map, township 13 south range 6 east in the NE 1/4 of the N/W quarter of section 1. The application includes a site specific cultural resource evaluation for the drill hole # C-07, (Earth Touch Cultural Resource report No. 07-15 attachment). A class three pedestrian survey was completed in July of 2007. The project area covered a 100' by 100' area.

According to the survey there were no known districts, sites, buildings, structures, or objects listed on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places within 1/2 mile of the proposed drill site location. Accordingly we seek your concurrence with the Applicant's determination of no properties affected by the proposed drilling project.....Thanks, Joe