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RE: Superfund Site
Iron King Mine and Humboldt Smelter Site, Yavapai County, AZ
Section 106 Consultation
SHPO-2008-2023 (38608)

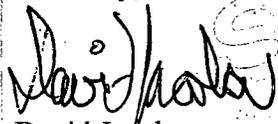
Dear Ms. Butler:

Thank you for initiating consultation with the Arizona State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding the above referenced project pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act as implemented by 36 CFR Part 800. We have reviewed the submitted materials and offer the following comments.

Thank you for submitting the cultural resources and historic building survey [A Cultural Resource and Building Historic-Building Survey for a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study at the Iron King Mine-Humboldt Smelter Superfund Site, Dewey-Humboldt, Yavapai County, Arizona] conducted by Archaeological Consulting Services, LTD. The submitted survey is adequate, and our office concurs with the eligibility recommendations of the two identified sites, the Iron King Mine [AZ N:7:430 (ASM)] and the Humboldt Smelter [AZ N:8:71 (ASM)]. Both are eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion D, and neither is eligible under Criteria A, B, or C. We look forward to further consultation in January regarding the impact to and treatment of the identified historic properties.

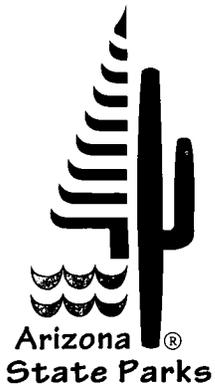
We appreciate your cooperation with this office in considering the impacts of federal undertakings on cultural resources situated in Arizona. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (602) 542-7140 or electronically via djacobs@azstateparks.gov.

Sincerely,



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