

**HAM/CLE-SR 32F-2.50/0.00 (Eastern Corridor) PID 86462**  
**Summary of Tribal Notification/Invitation Section 106 Programmatic Agreement Consultation**  
*Last Revised June 14, 2011*

<b>Native American Tribe</b>	<b>March 17,2011 Notification letter sent</b>	<b>As of June 15, 2011 Response to notification letter</b>	<b>May 04, 2011 Telephoned Tribe</b>	<b>Response to telephone inquiry</b>	<b>June 07, 2011 Telephoned Tribe</b>	<b>Response to telephone inquiry</b>
Absentee-Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
Citizen Potawatomi Nation	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
Delaware Tribe of Indians	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Yes	Conditional*
The Delaware Nation	Yes	Accepts Email April 29, 2011				
Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma	Yes	Accepts Email April 21, 2011				
Forest County Potawatomi	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
Miami Tribe of Oklahoma	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
Peoria Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma	Yes	Accepts Letter April 06, 2011				
Prairie Band of Potawatomi Nation	Yes	No Response	Yes	Declines participation		
Seneca-Cayuga Tribe of Oklahoma	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Yes	Accepts
Seneca Nation of Indians	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response
The Shawnee Tribe	Yes	No Response	Yes	Declines participation		
Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Yes	Declines Participation
Wyandotte Nation	Yes	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response	Left voicemail	No Response

\* Conditional=tribe does not want to participate in Programmatic Agreement consultation but wants to be notified if and when human remains are encountered

**NOTE:** Contact person for each tribe assigned user name and password for Section 106 Sharepoint discussion board on ODOT website in the March 17, 2011 letter. All tribes currently retain Sharepoint access regardless of whether they accepted, declined, or did not respond to invitation.

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*Revised 01 March 2011*

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March 17, 2011

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Subject: Section 106 Consultation, Eastern Corridor Multimodal Project in Cincinnati, Ohio  
ODOT Project Identification: HAM/CLE-SR 32F-2.50/0.00 PID 86462

Dear Governor Blanchard:

On behalf of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the Ohio Department of Transportation, Office of Environmental Services (ODOT-OES) wishes to inform the Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma of new developments in the major transportation study currently evaluating multi-modal (combined highway, light rail and bike/pedestrian trail) solutions to congestion and safety in the Eastern Corridor of the metropolitan Cincinnati area (Hamilton and Clermont Counties). Previously, FHWA provided your tribe with preliminary and general information covering four contiguous corridor segments under the project identification HAM-SR 32-0.00 (Eastern Corridor Study) PID 22970. The purpose of this letter is to notify you of additional archaeological information which came to our attention concerning Segments II and III, which we believe may be of potential interest and importance to your tribe.

The corridor for Segments II and III include the proposed crossing of the Little Miami River and extension of the multimodal alignments up the valley. A number of feasible alternative alignments are proposed and currently under evaluation. More detailed studies are needed to determine the alternative alignment with the least overall impacts to the natural and cultural resources. Numerous archaeological investigations are anticipated and we are beginning their preliminary designs and priority.

As part of the planning we gathered more detailed information on the recorded and suspected Native American sites previously identified in the Little Miami River valley. Two National Register

Archaeological Districts and several National Register archaeological sites, all of which contain buried prehistoric Native Americans occur within the Segment II and III corridor across the Little Miami River valley. Although detailed in some respects, the current information provides limited understanding on the full extent of the recorded sites and only general locations for the suspected sites within and outside of the National Register Districts. Based on the additional information, we believe a very high probability for encountering remains of prehistoric Native Americans and associated habitation sites exists for all alternatives.

As part of designing the archaeological investigations, the FHWA, the ODOT-OES and the Ohio State Historic Preservation Office (OSHP) are currently developing procedures for treatment of human remains before conducting any fieldwork to identify and evaluate the prehistoric sites. All three agencies are in the process of preparing a draft Programmatic Agreement (PA) for the treatment of human remains through all aspects of the archaeological investigations. We welcome and encourage your review and input of this document and invite your tribe to participate in its preparation as a Section 106 consulting party. Fourteen other federally recognized tribes with ancestral ties to Ohio are also being invited to participate in the preparation of the PA.

ODOT established a secure electronic SharePoint website for your tribe to review the detailed additional archaeological information for Segments II and III, as well as a copy of the draft PA at:



The information can then be accessed under the Eastern Corridor Section 106 link. The website provides a PDF file with interactive map layers that show how the feasible alternatives impact the recorded and suspected Native American sites and National Register Districts, as well as Microsoft Excel worksheets which provide detailed site information. These user friendly files replace the typically more cumbersome multivolume reports ODOT previously submitted to your tribe on other highway projects. To access and use the interactive map files you will need Adobe Acrobat Pro. If you do not have this software program, please advise ODOT's staff archaeologist, Dr. Bruce W. Aument, by email at [bruce.aument@dot.state.oh.us](mailto:bruce.aument@dot.state.oh.us) at your earliest convenience. If necessary, ODOT will attempt to provide select and pertinent static maps out of the nearly 100 available interactive map combinations as Adobe Reader 9.0 files on the website.

The opening page of website contains operating instructions. A monitored comment forum allows the participating tribes to submit and review questions and concerns, as well as to respond to other tribes' comments. ODOT will monitor and edit comments for appropriate usage and all comments will become part of the public record.

It is our understanding that Henryetta Ellis serves as your tribe's THPO/NAGRPA contact. To access the SharePoint site she needs to enter her user name, ODOTONLINE\hellis, and password H\*el4030. Please type the user name and password exactly as they appear, because the letters are

case sensitive. We ask that you limit use of the SharePoint site to the contact person and tribal leaders since it contains confidential information on the locations of known and suspected Native American burial sites.

As the part of the process for Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act under 36CFR 800.2(c)(2)(ii)(A), we are providing you this opportunity to present any concerns on the project and the draft PA, as well as to advise us on whether your tribe wishes to participate as a consulting party. Please address your response in writing by Friday, May 06, 2011 to the attention of Dr. Bruce W. Aument, Staff Archaeologist, ODOT, Office of Environmental Services, 1980 W. Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43223, or by email at [baument@dot.state.oh.us](mailto:baument@dot.state.oh.us), or by telephone at 614-466-5230. If you prefer to respond directly to the FHWA, please contact Mr. Noel Mehlo, Jr. at Federal Highway Administration, Ohio Division Office, 200 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215, by e-mail at [Noel.Mehlo@dot.gov](mailto:Noel.Mehlo@dot.gov), or by telephone at 614-280-6841.

Respectfully,

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Office of Environmental Services

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