



Department of Transportation

## STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

Parks and Recreation Division

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Ron Nelson  
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Dear Mr. Nelson:

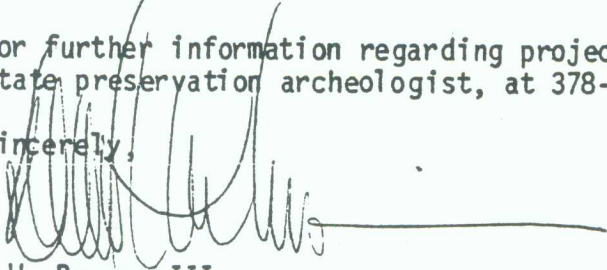
RE: FERC Project #3571  
Central Oregon Sites  
Deschutes County

This letter is in response to your request for official comment from the State Historic Preservation Office regarding impact of your federally funded project on cultural resources.

After a careful review of your proposed project, our office can offer the following comments. We feel the area of the project is not of historic significance and since ground disturbance of previously undisturbed ground is minimal, this office feels that there will be no likely impact to archeological resources. We therefore feel no cultural resource surveys are required and that the project is in compliance with Public Law 89-665 and Executive Order 11593.

For further information regarding projects, contact Leland Gilson, state preservation archeologist, at 378-5001.

Sincerely,

  
D.W. Powers III  
Deputy SHPO

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cc: Richard Craven