

Mountain Valley Pipeline Project

Docket No. CP16-10-000

Attachment DR5 Cultural 1d



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BLRI-2016-02
SEAC-02830

February 17, 2017

Dr. Sydne Marshall
Tetra Tech, Inc.
6 Century Drive, 3rd Floor
Parsippany, NJ 07054

Dear Dr. Marshall:

Thank you for your report addendum, "Mountain Valley Pipeline Project Phase I Archaeological Investigation, MVP Alternative 3, in Blue Ridge Parkway, Roanoke and Franklin Counties, Virginia," covering fieldwork from June and July of 2016, which I received on January 23, 2017 in partial fulfillment of ARPA Permit BLRI 2016-002 (accession number SEAC-02830). I appreciate the opportunity to review your report and the results of your survey. The park's Cultural Resources Manager, John McDade, also has reviewed the report. My review of your report focuses on Tetra Tech's compliance with the terms of the ARPA permit you were issued, and thus represents only one part of the Section 106 process. Acceptance of your report in partial fulfillment of the ARPA permit will not complete the Section 106 process.

The only requested revision regards an inconsistency in the site numbers in the introduction. The report introduction refers to sites BLRI00400 and BLRI00401, but these sites are not on the maps or referenced in the rest of the report. It appears these site numbers need to be revised to BLRI00240 and BLRI00241. With this minor revision, the report is accepted as part of the terms of ARPA permit of ARPA Permit BLRI 2016-002 (accession number SEAC-02830). Park Cultural Resources Manager John McDade has also indicated that the park is satisfied with the report.

SEAC and the Blue Ridge Parkway should each receive one unbound and two bound copies of the final report on archival paper (Special Permit Condition 10), as well as electronic copies of the reports. The permit stipulates that all materials, including artifacts, reports, project documents, and GPS/GIS data, are due within 30 days of the submission of the final report. Please contact SEAC GIS Coordinator Jill Halchin (jill_halchin@nps.gov or 850-580-8249) about providing GPS/GIS data.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions.



Sincerely,

Mike Russo (acting)

David W. Morgan, Ph.D.
Director and Regional Archeologist

cc: Superintendent Mark Woods, BLRI
Cultural Resource Manager John McDade, BLRI



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BLRI-2017-01
SEAC-02868

March 28, 2017

Dr. Sydne Marshall
Tetra Tech, Inc.
6 Century Drive, 3rd Floor
Parsippany, NJ 07054

Dear Dr. Marshall:

Thank you for your report, "Mountain Valley Pipeline Project Phase II Archaeological Evaluations of Sites BLRI 00231 (44RN0383) and BLRI 00233 (44FR0402), in Blue Ridge Parkway, Roanoke and Franklin Counties, Virginia," covering archeological testing from December of 2016, which I received on February 19, 2017 in partial fulfillment of ARPA Permit BLRI 2017-01 (accession number SEAC-02830). The report is well written, and I appreciate the opportunity to review the results of your investigations. The park's Resource Manager, Bambi Teague, also has reviewed the report and indicated that the park is satisfied with it. The report is accepted as part of the terms of ARPA permit BLRI 2017-01 (accession number SEAC-02830).

Please be aware that acceptance of your report is based on Tetra Tech's compliance with the terms of the ARPA permit you were issued, and thus represents only one part of the Section 106 compliance process. Acceptance of your report in partial fulfillment of the ARPA permit will not complete the compliance process.

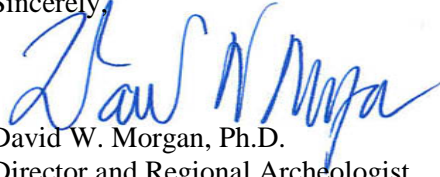
SEAC and the Blue Ridge Parkway should each receive one unbound and two bound copies of the final report on archival paper (Special Permit Condition 10), as well as electronic copies of the reports. The permit stipulates that all materials, including artifacts, reports, project documents, and GPS/GIS and total station data, are due within 30 days of the submission of the final report. If you have not already done so, please



contact SEAC GIS Coordinator Jill Halchin (jill_halchin@nps.gov or 850-580-8249) about providing spatial data.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David W. Morgan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

David W. Morgan, Ph.D.
Director and Regional Archeologist

cc: Superintendent Mark Woods, BLRI
John McDade, BLRI
Ryan McCormick, BLRI
Mary Krueger, NPS NER
Bambi Teague, BLRI
Suzette Molling, BLRI