

APPENDIX M

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY REPLIES TO PHASE I CULTURAL RESOURCES ASSESSMENTS

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October 24, 2008

Mr. John Templeton
Mississippi Power Company
2992 West Beach Blvd.
Gulfport, Mississippi 39501

RE: A Phase I Cultural Resources Assessment of a Proposed Integrated Gasification
Combined Cycle Generating Station, MDAH Project Log #09-118-08, Kemper
County


Dear Mr. Templeton:

We have reviewed the revised cultural resources survey report by Jason A. Gardner, Principal Investigator, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that sites 22Ke604, 22Ke605, 22Ke606, 22Ke607, 22Ke608 and 22Ke609 are ineligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. We do not concur, however, that the standing structure identified in the report is ineligible. Rather, our staff has determined that the Goldman House is potentially eligible as a local example of a vernacular rural house with late Victorian details. As such, demolition of this resource would be an adverse effect. To mitigate the adverse effect, it is our recommendation that HABS-level documentation (including measured drawings and archival photographs) would, at a minimum, be appropriate mitigation. If, after consultation, this is determined to be the appropriate mitigation, we would be happy to provide information on the type of documentation referenced.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

Please provide a copy of this letter to Mr. Gardner. If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,

 Jim Woodrick
Review and Compliance Officer

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March 10, 2009

Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc.
3701 Northwest 98th Street
Gainesville, Florida 32606

RE: Phase I Cultural Resource Survey of 40-Mile CO₂ Pipeline, MDAH Project Log
#02-127-09, Lauderdale, Clarke and Jasper Counties

Dear Sirs:

We have reviewed the January 14, 2009, cultural resources survey report by Natalie P. Adams, Principal Investigator, received on February 18, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that sites 22LD739, 22LD740, 22LD741, 22LD742, 22LD747, 22LD749, 22LD751, 22LD753, 22LD754, 22CK651, 22CK652, 22CK654, 22CK655, 22CK656, 22CK658, 22CK661, 22CK662, 22JS672, and 22JS673 are ineligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. We also concur that sites 22LD743, 22LD744, 22LD745, 22LD746, 22LD748, 22LD750, 22LD752, 22CK653, 22CK657, 22CK659, 22CK660, 22JS671 and 22JS674 are potentially eligible for listing in the NRHP, and that site 22LD755 is eligible for listing in the NRHP. We further concur with the recommendation for avoidance of the potentially eligible sites and eligible site, with Phase II and/or Phase III testing if avoidance is not possible. We also concur with the eligibility determinations for the architectural resources. Specifically, we concur that Pleasant Grove M.B. Church and Cemetery, the house on the S. side of Hwy. 513 W. of I-59 interchange, and the house at 6018 Highway 18 West are eligible for listing in the NRHP. While eligible, we also concur that the project will have no effect. We also concur that the other seven (7) properties identified in the report are ineligible for listing in the NRHP. With these determinations, we have no objection with the proposed undertaking.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during the project. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

Please provide a copy of this letter to Ms. Adams. If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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May 22, 2009

Mr. Hunter B. Johnson
Principal Investigator
Tennessee Valley Archaeological Research
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RE: A Cultural Resources Management Survey of the Proposed New Natural Gas Line, Access Roads, and Liberty Metering Site Associated with the Mississippi Power Kemper County IGCC Project, MDAH Project Log #04-090-09, Kemper County

Dear Mr. Johnson:

We have reviewed your January 2009 cultural resources survey report, received on April 15, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that sites 22Ke617, 22Ke618, 22Ke619, and the five (5) isolated finds are ineligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). We also concur that neither of the standing structures identified in the report (Structures 10 and 11) are eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. Therefore, we concur that the proposed natural gas line corridor will not affect any known cultural resources, and that the project may proceed as planned.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during the project. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

Please provide a copy of this letter to Mississippi Power, 2992 West Beach Blvd., Gulfport, Mississippi 39501. If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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Jim Woodrick
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May 26, 2009

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RE: A Cultural Resources Management Survey of the Proposed New Transmission Lines Associated with the Mississippi Power Kemper County IGCC Project in Kemper and Lauderdale Counties, MDAH Project Log #04-185-09, Kemper and Lauderdale Counties

Dear Mr. Johnson:

We have reviewed your February 2009 cultural resources survey report, received on April 29, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that of the twenty-seven (27) new archaeological sites and twenty-six (26) isolated finds identified in the survey, two of the sites (22Ke611 and 22Ld794) are potentially eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) and should be avoided. We also concur that none of the twenty-three (23) standing structures identified in the report are eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. Therefore, with the recommendation for avoidance of the two sites listed above, we concur that the proposed transmission line corridor will not adversely affect any known cultural resources, and that the project may proceed as planned.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during the project. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jim", is written over a circular blue ink stamp. The stamp contains the text "JIM WOODRICK" and "REVIEW AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER".

Jim Woodrick
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June 23, 2009

Mr. John Templeton
Mississippi Power
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Gulfport, Mississippi 39502-4079

RE: Phase I Cultural Resource Survey of a 40-Mile CO2 Pipeline, MDAH Project Log
#05-161-09, Lauderdale, Clarke and Jasper Counties

Dear Mr. Templeton:

We have reviewed the April 12, 2009, cultural resources survey report by Natalie P. Adams, Principal Investigator, received on May 21, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that 22Ld755 is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places and concur with the recommendation of data recovery as mitigation. We also concur that sites 22Ck653, 22Ck657, 22Ck659, 22Ck660, 22Js675, 22Js674, 22Ld743, 22Ld744, 22Ld745, 22Ld746, 22Ld748, 22Ld750 and 22Ld752 are potentially eligible for listing in the NRHP, and should be avoided. If avoidance is not possible, we concur that additional testing is appropriate. It is also our determination that the architectural resources (1, 2 and 9) are potentially eligible for listing in the NRHP, and concur that the resources will not be adversely affected by the proposed project. With these recommendations, we have no objection with the proposed undertaking.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during construction. Should this occur, the applicant should immediately contact our office in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Jim Woodruff
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September 3, 2009

Mr. John Templeton
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RE: Addendum to Phase I Archaeological Survey of a 40-Mile CO₂ Pipeline, MDAH
Project Log #08-048-09, Lauderdale, Clarke and Jasper Counties


Dear Mr. Templeton:

We have reviewed the cultural resources survey report by Natalie Adams, Principal Investigator, received on August 7, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that sites 22Ck667 and 22Ck668 are ineligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places, and concur that no other known cultural resources listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places are likely to be affected. We also concur with the recommendation for avoidance of the modern cemeteries. With that recommendation, we have no concerns with the proposed undertaking.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during the project. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,



Jim Woodrick
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September 4, 2009

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Gulfport, Mississippi 39501

RE: An Addendum to a Cultural Resource Management Survey of the Proposed New Transmission Lines Associated with the Mississippi Power Kemper County IGCC Project, MDAH Project Log #08-049-09, Kemper and Lauderdale Counties

Dear Sirs:

We have reviewed the June 2009 cultural resources survey report by Hunter B. Johnson, Principal Investigator, received on August 7, 2009, for the above referenced undertaking, pursuant to our responsibilities under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and 36 CFR Part 800. After review, we concur that no known cultural resources listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places are likely to be affected. Therefore, we have no objections with the proposed undertaking.

There remains the possibility that unrecorded cultural resources may be encountered during the project. Should this occur, we would appreciate your contacting this office immediately in order that we may offer appropriate comments under 36 CFR 800.13.

Please provide a copy of this letter to Mr. Johnson. If you need further information, please let us know.

Sincerely,

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