



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, OMAHA DISTRICT
106 SOUTH 15TH STREET
OMAHA NE 68102-1618
October 15, 2004

Planning, Programs, and Project Management Division

Mr. Jay D. Vogt, State Historic Preservation Officer
South Dakota State Historical Society
Cultural Heritage Center
900 Governors Drive
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-2217

Dear Mr. Vogt:

The South Dakota Department of Game, Fish, & Parks has submitted plans for the repair of a bank failure at Cedar Shores Resort at Cedar Shores Recreation Area (Enclosure 1). The work will include the placement of a 300-foot long rock buttress at the bottom of the slide area and the restoration of the bank. The buttress will be 12 feet high and 30 feet in width. The proposed site is in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 9, T104N, R71W, Lyman County (Enclosure 2).

An August 2004 file search revealed one previously recorded site within Section 9. The property, 39LM200, is a historic homestead depression recorded by Augustana (Winham 1984) was considered not eligible for the National Register of Historic Places. The State Archeological Research Center (SARC) tested the site in 1989 (Wardlow & Lees) in conjunction with earlier development at the Cedar Shores Recreation Area. SARC concurred with the determination of ineligibility. The project will occur in an area previously disturbed by the construction of the current marina enclosure.

An e-mail request for further information was received from the Three Affiliated Tribes and was furnished by return e-mail. No additional consultation was requested within the next 30 days. Therefore, your concurrence with a No Historic Properties Subject to Effect determination for the current project is anticipated.

Please contact Ms. Sandra Barnum at (402) 221-4895 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Candace M. Gorton, Chief
Environmental, Economics, and
Cultural Resources Section
Planning Branch

Enclosure