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June 15, 2010

The Honorable Norman Yoder
Mayor, City of Auburn
Post Office Box 506
Auburn, Indiana 46706

Federal Agency: City of Auburn as the delegatee of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Re: Notification of the City of Auburn's finding of "no adverse effect" regarding the north side sewer improvements using Disaster Recovery II or Community Focus Funds through the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs (DHPA #9187)

Dear Mayor Yoder:

Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (16 U.S.C. § 470f) and 36 C.F.R. Part 800, the staff of the Indiana State Historic Preservation Officer ("Indiana SHPO") has conducted an analysis of the materials dated May 18, 2010 and received on May 20, 2010 for the above indicated project in Auburn, Dekalb County, Indiana.

We concur with the City of Auburn's May 18, 2010 finding that there are no historic buildings, structures, districts, objects, or archaeological resources within the area of potential effects that will be adversely affected by the above indicated project.

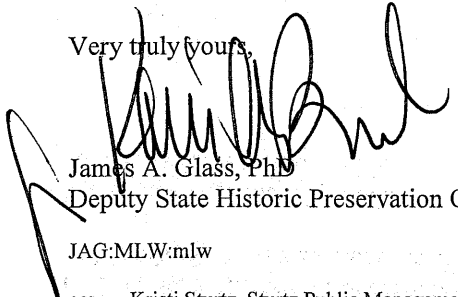
This identification is subject to the following condition:

- The project activities remain within areas disturbed by previous construction.

If any archaeological artifacts or human remains are uncovered during construction, demolition, or earthmoving activities, state law (Indiana Code 14-21-1-27 and 29) requires that the discovery must be reported to the Department of Natural Resources within two (2) business days. In that event, please call (317) 232-1646. Be advised that adherence to Indiana Code 14-21-1-27 and 29 does not obviate the need to adhere to applicable federal statutes and regulations.

If you have questions about archaeological issues please contact Cathy Draeger-Williams at (317) 234-3791 or cdraeger-williams@dnr.IN.gov. If you have questions about buildings or structures please contact Miriam Widenhofer at (317) 233-3883 or mwidenhofer@dnr.IN.gov.

Very truly yours,


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