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In future correspondence please refer to:

Project Tracking Code: 2018-04-02909

Property: Salish Lodge and Spa Expansion PCI 18-0001, *ARCHAEOLOGICAL INVESTIGATION REPORT: MORGAN PARCELS, SNOQUALMIE FALLS, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON*

Re: Archaeology - Concur with Survey, Please add Inadvertent Discovery Plan to Permit

Dear Mr. Hofman:

Thank you for contacting the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and the Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation (DAHP) with documentation regarding the above referenced project. We concur with the recommendations made in ERCI's report that:

1. Any development projects that proceed on Parcels should do so with a review by a professional archaeologist to determine if ERCI's shovel testing covered the development area. Due to the high probability of encountering lithic isolates we recommend a that a professional archaeological monitoring plan be developed that includes a detailed Unanticipated Discoveries Protocol (UDP) such as the example plan included in Appendix 3. The monitoring plan with the UDP should be kept on site at all times.
2. Prior to any construction, maintenance or other activities that may include ground disturbance, an on-site training to workers should be provided by a professional archaeologist.
3. In the event that any ground-disturbing activities uncover protected cultural material (e.g., bones, shell, stone or antler tools), all work in the immediate vicinity should stop, the area should be secured, and any equipment moved to a safe distance away from the location. The protocol outlined in the example UDP (Appendix 3) should be followed.
4. In the case of the unanticipated discovery of human remains, the contractor and project manager will cease excavation; secure the area and call the King County Sheriff's Office who will contact the Coroner to determine if the remains are forensic in nature. If not, then the Coroner will coordinate with the State Physical Anthropologist who will then be responsible for their management.

We also request that the Inadvertent (Unanticipated) Discovery Plan (IDP) at the back of the above report be kept onsite during any development and that the permit be conditioned that the IDP must be followed in the event of the discovery of archeology and/or human remains during ground disturbance.



Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gretchen Kaehler". The signature is written in a cursive style and is followed by a long horizontal flourish.

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