

Rich Felsing

From: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Sent: Thursday, October 8, 2020 7:55 AM
To: Ron Buckholt
Subject: RE: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Hi Ron,

This is a very interesting project. From my understanding some level of cultural resource investigation has occurred along parts of the shorelines within the area of the larger project, however, the higher dry land areas and the southern shoreline have never been investigated. Additionally, this project is broken into two separate phases and contains four known pre-contract archaeological sites. Taking into consideration the scale and scope of the project, we recommend that the applicant hire an archaeologist to conduct a cultural resources investigation of the entire project area, including the later phase activities. This investigation should also focus on presence or absence testing for subsurface cultural resources via Shovel Probes. The entire project area is considered to have a very high potential for encountering cultural resources.

Lastly, will this project require any federal permits?



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From: Delicia Durden <delicia.durden@co.thurston.wa.us>
Sent: Monday, October 5, 2020 4:37 PM
Subject: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Please review the items below submitted to Thurston County Community Planning & Economic Development Department:

Heather Tschaekofske

From: Rich Felsing
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2021 9:35 AM
To: Paul Miller; Bob Droll; Quita Terrell; Dave Winter
Subject: FW: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Good Morning,
Shaun Dinubilo of the Squaxin Island Tribe provided the following clarification, though your archaeologist would need to refer to the DAHP request and devise an approach from there—

Best,
Rich

From: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Sent: Monday, December 20, 2021 9:16 AM
To: Rich Felsing <rich.felsing@co.thurston.wa.us>
Cc: Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org>
Subject: FW: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Hello Rich,

To clarify on this project, the cultural resource survey is only recommended for the bus turn around area.

I hope you are doing well.



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From: Shaun Dinubilo
Sent: Monday, October 12, 2020 9:12 AM

To: Ron Buckholt <ron.buckholt@co.thurston.wa.us>

Subject: RE: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Ron,

Thanks for informing me.

-Shaun

From: Ron Buckholt <ron.buckholt@co.thurston.wa.us>

Sent: Thursday, October 8, 2020 1:36 PM

To: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>

Subject: RE: Thurston County Project #2020104385 - 4849 Johnson Point Road NE, Olympia

Shaun,

Thanks for the note. It may require an army corp. permit perhaps, but it will be a while before I can actually dig into this project to know for sure. We will see if the army corp provides any comments as well. Thanks.

Ron B.

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Sharon Lumbantobing

From: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Sent: Wednesday, March 30, 2022 1:27 PM
To: Rich Felsing
Subject: RE: 2020104385 Inspiring Kids Nature Preserve / Archaeology Report

Hello Mr. Felsing,

Thank you for contacting the Squaxin Island Tribe Cultural Resources Department regarding the above listed project for our review and comment. After reviewing the project we have one comment/question, why did Caldera Archaeology terminate their shovel probes at their depths?



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From: Rich Felsing <rich.felsing@co.thurston.wa.us>
Sent: Wednesday, March 23, 2022 11:34 AM
To: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>; Brad Beach <beach.brad@nisqually-nsn.gov>
Cc: Stephanie.Jolivette@dahp.wa.gov
Subject: 2020104385 Inspiring Kids Nature Preserve / Archaeology Report

Good Morning Mr. Dinubilo, Mr. Beach, and Ms. Jolivette,

Attached please find the Archaeological Report for Project #2020104385, the Capitol Land Trust's proposed 'Inspiring Kids Nature Preserve' nature education facility.

The report has been filed with DAHP. Please advise regarding any protocols County staff needs to follow in terms of transmitting cultural reports and related materials—
Please direct any concerns or question to me via email or phone, and don't hesitate to reach out for any reason.

Thank you,
Rich

Richard Felsing

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Laurence Reeves

From: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Sent: Tuesday, January 2, 2024 10:26 AM
To: Laurence Reeves
Subject: RE: Squaxin Island Tribe CRA question

I have no concerns with you proceeding with the bus project.



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From: Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org>
Sent: Tuesday, January 2, 2024 10:24 AM
To: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Subject: RE: Squaxin Island Tribe CRA question

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Thanks Shaun, and happy new year to you, too! Can I assume that you are okay with us proceeding with the proposed bus parking area on the property? Best regards, Laurence

From: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Sent: Tuesday, January 2, 2024 7:53 AM
To: Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org>
Subject: RE: Squaxin Island Tribe CRA question

Hello Laurence,

Happy New Year. That does answer my question.

Thank you,



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From: Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org>
Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2023 3:05 PM
To: Shaun Dinubilo <sdinubilo@squaxin.us>
Subject: FW: Squaxin Island Tribe CRA question

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Hi Shaun, I'm wondering if Thurston County or DAHP ever sent you our response to your question about our project on Henderson Inlet (Inspiring Kids Preserve)? No one seems to know where things stand, so I'm reaching out myself to try to get the cultural resources process completed.

Does Camille's response below answer your question, or do you need more information? I'm sorry it has taken so long for you to get a response. I just assumed it was being handled. Please let me know if I can provide any more information. Best regards, Laurence

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From: Camille Mather <camille@calderaarchaeology.com>
Sent: Wednesday, February 15, 2023 10:04 AM

To: Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org>

Subject: Re: Squaxin Island Tribe CRA question

Hi Laurence-

My apologies for the delay, I was out in the field. All shovel probes were excavated to hardpan glacial sediments, as discussed in the methodology on pg. 25; "The terminal depth of the probes is dependent upon the geologic conditions encountered during excavation; excavation typically continues until sediments that predate human occupation of the area are encountered. The wide-spread glacial till sediments deposited across the project area during the Vashon Stage of the Fraser Glaciation provide a suitable temporal marker for termination of excavation." The depths that the glacial sediments were encountered across the APE varied due to the amounts of surface disturbances, but a light yellowish brown to pale brown compact glacial stratum present at the base of the probes was excavated into, in most cases, at least two sterile levels (10 cm) into sediments that predate human occupation of the landform. Please let me know if you need additional information.

Thanks,
Camille

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On Tue, Feb 14, 2023 at 11:00 AM Laurence Reeves <laurence@capitolandtrust.org> wrote:

Hi Camille, Thurston County has really dragged their feet on our permit for the driveway/bus turn-around at our Inspiring Kids Preserve, including getting cultural resources feedback from the tribes. The Squaxin Island Tribe had the following question below. Is this something you can easily answer? Thanks, Laurence

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