



# Parks, Recreation, and Historic Preservation

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Mr. Grant Johnson  
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Re: PSC  
Baron Winds Project  
Steuben County, NY  
15PR02834

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Division for Historic Preservation of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the submitted materials in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (section 14.09 of the New York Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the Division for Historic Preservation and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include potential environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project. Such impacts must be considered as part of the environmental review of the project pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (New York Environmental Conservation Law Article 8) and its implementing regulations (6NYCRR Part 617).

OPRHP has reviewed the following document submitted for this project – *Phase 1A Archaeological Survey and Phase 1B Work Plan, Baron Winds Project, Steuben County, New York* (EDR, June 2016). Based on the information provided, we concur with the proposed Phase IB work plan. Please note that the OPRHP guidelines contain no recommendation regarding any specific ratio of shovel tests to surface collection. The appropriate data gathering technique should be employed based on field conditions.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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