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Project File: 4650-08-0045
Permit File: 2013-194
OPaC Application: 04541159

Ms. Annette Gear
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Dear Ms. Gear:

**SUBJECT: *HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT (HRA) APPROVAL
INLAND AGGREGATES
INLAND SCOTT RESOURCE PROPERTY IN 5-26-2-W5M,
MITIGATION OF SITES EHPN-73, -75, -76, -77, AND -78
SAND / GRAVEL EXTRACTION***

Acting on behalf of Inland Aggregates (Proponent) and in accordance with Section 37(2)(a)(b) of the *Historical Resources Act*, Ghostpine Environmental Services Ltd.:

- carried out Historic Resources Stage 1 Studies for the Inland Scott Resource Property in 5-26-2-W5M (Project); and,
- provided Alberta Culture with copies of the final report discussing the results of these studies, *FINAL REPORT HISTORICAL RESOURCE IMPACT MITIGATION OF EHPN73, EHPN-75, EHPN-76, EHPN-77 AND EHPN-78 (PERMIT 2013-194) FOR THE INLAND SCOTT RESOURCE PROPERTY IN 5-26-2-W5M* (Archaeology Permit: 2013-194).

HISTORIC RESOURCES STAGE 1 STUDIES

Terms of Reference

The terms of reference for the Stage 1 Studies were outlined in Schedule "B" of my letter dated September 25, 2008. These requirements included either avoidance or Stage 1 excavations at archaeological sites EhPn-31, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and EhPn-79.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESEARCH PERMIT NO. 2013-194

Under Archaeological Research Permit No. 2013-194, Ghostpine Environmental Services Ltd. conducted the required Stage 1 Studies at archaeological sites EhPn-73, 75, 76, 77 and 78. The remaining sites listed in the Schedule B were investigated under a separate permit (2013-204).

HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT (HRA) APPROVAL

Based upon the results of the Stage 1 Studies, there are no further HRIA requirements for archaeological sites EhPn-73, 75, 76, 77 and 78 (HRV 0). *Historical Resources Act* approval is granted to the Proponent to proceed with development in the area of these sites, as outlined in Table 1.0.

Terms and Conditions of Approval

The Proponent must comply with standard conditions applicable to all land surface disturbance activities in the Province.

Section 31 of the *Historical Resources Act* requires the Proponent and their agent to report the discovery of any archaeological resources, palaeontological resources, historic period sites and/or Aboriginal traditional use site(s) of a type considered to be historic resources under the *Historical Resources Act*, the Proponent may be ordered to undertake further salvage, preservative or protective measures or take any other actions that the Minister responsible for the *Historical Resources Act* considers necessary.

Should you require additional information or have any questions concerning this approval, contact Barry Newton, Land Use Planner at (780) 431-2330 (toll-free 310-0000) or barry.newton@gov.ab.ca.

I would like to thank representatives of Inland Aggregates for their cooperation in our endeavour to document the Province's historic resources.

Sincerely,



David Link, PhD
Assistant Deputy Minister

Attachments

HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT APPROVAL

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For the purposes of this Schedule Inland Aggregates shall be referred to as the “Proponent” and Inland Scott Resource Property In 5-26-2-W5M Mitigation of Sites EhPn-73, -75, -76, -77, and -78 shall be referred to as the “Project.”

The following *Historical Resources Act* approval is based upon the results of the Historic Resources Impact Assessment (HRIA) studies carried out by Ghostpine Environmental Services Ltd. under Archaeological Research Permit No. 2013-194 and reported upon in *Final Report Historical Resource Impact Mitigation Of EhPn73, EhPn -75, EhPn -76, EhPn -77 And EhPn -78 (PERMIT 2013-194) For The Inland Scott Resource Property In 5-26-2-W5M*.

Part I provides the Proponent with *Historical Resources Act* approval for components of the Project while Part II outlines the conditions attached to this approval.

I. HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT APPROVAL

Historical Resources Act approval is granted to the Proponent for the Project as illustrated on the attached plan.

II. CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO APPROVAL

The Proponent is granted conditional *Historical Resources Act* approval to proceed with those components of the Project encompassing archaeological sites EhPn-73, EhPn-75, EhPn-76, EhPn-77 and EhPn-78, as outlined in Table 1.0, on the understanding that the outstanding requirements conducted under Permit 2013-204 receive *Historical Resources Act* approval prior to development proceeding in those areas.

1.0 STANDARD CONDITIONS UNDER THE HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT

The Proponent must comply with standard conditions under the *Historical Resources Act*, which are applicable to all land surface disturbance activities in the Province. Standard conditions require applicants to report the discovery of historic resources and comply with the historic resources section of *Alberta’s First Nations Consultation Guidelines on Land Management and*

Resource Development (Alberta Culture's Consultation Guidelines). These requirements are stated in Attachment 1- *Standard Requirements under the Historical Resources Act, Reporting the Discovery of Historic Resources*.

2.0 FURTHER SALVAGE, PRESERVATIVE OR PROTECTIVE MEASURES

Based upon the results of the HRIA(s) reporting the discovery of archaeological resources, palaeontological resources, historic period sites and/or Aboriginal Traditional Use Site(s), the Proponent may be ordered to undertake further salvage, preservative or protective measures or take any other actions that the Minister responsible for the *Historical Resources Act* considers necessary.

3.0 REQUESTS FOR HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT CLEARANCE

Based upon the results of the HRIA studies, Alberta Culture may consider granting *Historical Resources Act* approval to all or portions of the Project area. In the final report, and any interim report(s) the Proponent's consultant(s) must clearly identify and illustrate those portions of the Project area for which *Historical Resources Act* clearance is requested.

4.0 PRE-EMINENCE OF CONDITIONS OF HRA REQUIREMENTS

Should the contents of conditions included within this Schedule be at variance with any instructions associated with the *Listing of Historic Resources* and/or the permit application, the conditions of the Schedule take precedence. Following instructions as outlined in this Schedule should result in the granting of *Historical Resources Act* clearance and/or the issuance of requirements regarding further historic resources studies in a timely manner.

5.0 COMPLIANCE IS MANDATORY

These conditions shall be considered directions of the Minister of Alberta Culture under the *Act*. The Proponent and agents acting on behalf of the Proponent are required to become knowledgeable of the conditions. Failure to abide by the conditions will result in *Historical Resources Act* approval not being granted, or delayed.

**INLAND AGGREGATES
 INLAND SCOTT RESOURCE PROPERTY IN 5-26-2-W5M
 HISTORICAL RESOURCES ACT APPROVAL
 (PROJECT FILE: 4650-08-0045; PERMIT FILE 2013-194)**

TABLE 1.0

SITE	HRV	LEGAL DESCRIPTION	SITE DESCRIPTION	REQUIREMENTS/CLEARANCE
EhPn-73	0	LSD 8,9-5-26-2-W5M	Historic surface/subsurface scatter >10	No further HRA requirements
EhPn-75	0	LSD 9-5-26-2-W5M	Prehistoric subsurface scatter <10	No further HRA requirements
EhPn-76	0	LSD 16-5-26-2-W5M	Prehistoric subsurface killsite	No further HRA requirements
EhPn-77	0	LSD 16-5-26-2-W5M	Prehistoric subsurface killsite	No further HRA requirements
EhPn-78	0	LSD 16-5-26-2-W5M	Prehistoric subsurface killsite	No further HRA requirements



Application for *Historical Resources Act* Clearance

Activity Administration

Date Received: December 17, 2013

HRM File: 4650-08-0045

Purpose of Application: All New Lands Additional Lands No New Lands

Project Category: Aggregate Extraction (4650)

Project Type: Sand / Gravel Extraction ESRI Shapefiles are attached yes
(yes/no)
Approximate Project Area (ha) 238 ha

Project Identifier: Inland Scott Resource Property in 5-26-2-W5M, mitigation of sites EhPn-73, -75, -76, -77, and -78
Additional Identifier(s):

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Is the Proponent the same as the Key Contact? Yes No If no, complete the following:

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Proposed Development Area					Land Ownership			
MER	RGE	TWP	SEC	LSD List	FRH	SA	CU	CT
5	2	26	5	1-16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Historical Resources Impact Assessment:

For archaeological resources:


Has a HRIA been conducted? Yes No

Permit Number (if applicable): 13-194

For palaeontological resource:

Has a HRIA been conducted? Yes No

Historical Resources Act clearance is granted for the activities described on this application and its attached plan(s)/sketch(es) subject to the conditions specified in the attached document(s).



David Link

April 11, 2014

Date