

## **Appendix F      Agency Correspondence**



In reply to  
2016-PIC-33998

April 11, 2016

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Dear Ms. Kelley

**Re: Columbia Gas of Ohio Sofidel Pipeline, Pickaway County, Ohio**

This letter is in response to correspondence, received on February 19, 2016 (sent February 16, 2016) and March 3, 2016 (Sent March 1, 2016), regarding the Columbia Gas of Ohio Sofidel pipeline project. My comments are in accordance to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, and the associated regulations at 36 CFR Part 800.

The project consists of the installation of 12.18 mile long 30-centimeter diameter gas pipeline in order to provide natural gas to Sofidel America's proposed manufacturing facility near Circleville, Ohio.

Included with the February 19 correspondence was the report, *Addendum Phase I Investigations for the Proposed Columbia Gas of Ohio Sofidel Pipeline Project, Pickaway County, Ohio*. The report documents a survey of reroute near the Big Darby Creek and a new access road, resulting in the additional survey area of 9.71 ha. No new archaeological or architectural sites were identified.

Similar to previous comments sent by our office on February 17, 2016 (regarding the original report submission), please revise the report to more clearly indicate high, medium, and low probability area on the maps. Please print the maps on larger paper so that they may be more easily interpreted. Please describe the difference between a walkover survey and surface inspection. Send a revised comb-bound copy of the report addressing these questions and concerns.

Additionally, a structure (PIC0371107) listed on the Ohio Historic Inventory is located near the proposed entrances for the "Access Road- Big Darby Creek Reroute." Is this structure present and or eligible for listing? Given its location near an access road, what effects were considered? Upon receipt of this information, we can continue our review of this portion of the undertaking. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Included with the March 3, 2016 correspondence was the revised report, *Phase I Investigations for the Proposed Columbia Gas of Ohio Sofidel Pipeline Project, Pickaway County, Ohio* (Kelley and Leone 2016). The report documented the discovery of five previously unidentified sites (33PI1317-1321) and two historic structures (PIC0073807 and PIC0073913). Three previously identified sites were revisited (33PI0164, 33PI0486, and 33PI0487). The boundaries for 33PI0164 and 33PI0486 were expanded to include additional artifacts, while the boundary for 33PI0487 was reduced. Two newly recorded historic structures were identified (PIC0073807 and PIC0073913).

Sites 33PI0487, 33PI1317-1321, and PIC 0073807 were not recommended as eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places. Sites 33PI0164, 33PI0486, and PIC0073913 were recommended as eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places. These sites will be avoided through the use of horizontal directional drilling.

This revised report included more information regarding the use of a predictive model and clearer maps showing the high, medium, and low probability areas.

Based on the information submitted, it is my opinion that the proposed undertaking will have no adverse effect on properties listed or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (614) 298-2000, or via email at [jbelleville@marrion@ohiohistory.org](mailto:jbelleville@marrion@ohiohistory.org)

Sincerely,



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