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Memorandum

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From: David Palumbo
Acting Commissioner

Subject: Notification of Alternative Compliance Approach for the Advisory Council for Historic
Preservation, *Program Comment on Certain Housing, Building, and Transportation
Undertakings*

This memorandum serves as Reclamation's notification of intent to use the Advisory Council for Historic Preservation (ACHP) *Program Comment on Certain Housing, Building, and Transportation Undertakings* (Program Comment), Appendix A. Reclamation intends to make available the Program Comment to all its regions nationwide as a tool to streamline selected National Historic Preservation Act Section 106 undertakings.

Pursuant to Section X. of the Program Comment, Reclamation will adhere to annual reporting to the ACHP regarding the use of the Program Comment during the previous fiscal year reporting period, ending September 30 annually. Reclamation will provide the annual report by December 31 of each year, starting December 31, 2025. Contents of the annual report will follow the guidelines in Section X.3 of the Program Comment. Reclamation staff may attend annual meetings held by the ACHP as outlined in Section X.C. of the Program Comment.

We look forward to working closely with your offices to implement the Program Comment. If there are any concerns, please contact BranDee Bruce, Federal Preservation Officer, Natural and Cultural Resources Division at BBruce@usbr.gov or (916) 978-3871.

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