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Subject: Notification of Adoption of Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) Program
Comment on Certain Housing, Building, and Transportation Undertakings

Dear Directors,

This letter is notification of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Service's (NRCS) intent to use the ACHP's *Program Comment on Certain Housing, Building, and Transportation Undertakings*, issued December 20, 2024. Specifically, NRCS intends to use the Program Comment for undertakings on our Plant Materials Centers and other real property holdings (see enclosed list) nationwide. This Program Comment will be available to streamline compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act for covered NRCS undertakings at these locations. Pursuant to the Program Comment's provisions, NRCS will maintain documentation of covered undertakings and determinations and submit an annual report as specified in Section X.A.

If you have additional questions, please contact NRCS's acting Federal Preservation Officer, Christina Pappas at email christina.pappas@usda.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:
NRCS PMC-Owned Real Property