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Re: Notice of 112 Construction Materials Reclamation Permit Application Consideration ACA Products, Inc., ACA 301 Pit, File No. M-2014-055 (SHPO Project #66955)

Dear Mr. Czapla:

Thank you for your notice dated November 6, 2014 (received by our office on November 10, 2014) regarding the subject project.

A search of the Colorado cultural resource inventory database indicated two previously recorded site within close proximity to the project area:

Site No.:	National Register Eligibility (NRHP):	Name/Type:	Recording or Assessment Year:
5CF2431.3 5CF400	Officially Eligible Officially Eligible	HELENA DITCH – SEGMENT WESTON HOUSE-WESTON RANCH COLORADO STATE REFORMATORY DAIRY	2008 (assessment) 2013 (assessment)

In addition two previous surveys (CF.PA.R3 and MC.IC.R1) did cover portions of the permit area. However, please keep in mind that our files contain incomplete information for this area, as most of Colorado has not been inventoried for cultural resources. As a result, there is the still the possibility that as yet unidentified cultural resources exist within the proposed permit area.

Should further human remains be discovered during mining activities, the requirements under State law C.R.S. 24-80 (part 13) apply and must be followed. Under 24-80-1305 any person who knowingly disturbs or has knowledge that an unmarked human burial is being unlawfully disturbed commits a misdemeanor under state law.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. If we may be of further assistance, please contact Todd McMahon, Staff Archaeologist at (303) 866-4607/todd.mcmahon@state.co.us or Dan Corson, Intergovernmental Services Director at (303) 866-2673/dan.corson@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Edward C. Nichols

State Historic Preservation Officer

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