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Carissa Scarpa
Project Archaeologist
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
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Re: USACE
Audi Property Acquisition - USAG West Point
520 Smith Clove Rd, Highland Mills, NY 10930
20PR06259

Dear Carissa Scarpa:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the New York State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO). We have reviewed the submitted materials in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966. These comments are those of the SHPO and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include other environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project. Such impacts must be considered as part of the environmental review of the project pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act and/or the State Environmental Quality Review Act (New York Environmental Conservation Law Article 8).

SHPO has reviewed *Phase IA Cultural Resources Survey of the Audi Parcel for United States Military Academy, West Point, Orange County, New York* (USACE, April 2020) [20SR00535].

Based upon this review, the New York SHPO concurs that no historic properties, including archaeological and/or historic resources, will be affected by this undertaking. This pertains only to the property acquisition. Should any development of the property be proposed in the future, we recommend further consultation with this office.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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