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Mike Beebe
Governor

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Director

RE: Little River County - Foreman
Section 106 Review - EPA
NPDES Permit No. AR0042846; Ash Grove Cement Company
AHPP Tracking No: 27159

Arkansas Arts Council

Arkansas Natural Heritage
Commission

Delta Cultural Center

Historic Arkansas Museum

Mosaic Templars
Cultural Center

Old State House Museum

Dear Mr. Shafii:

This letter is written in response to your inquiry regarding properties of architectural, historical, or archeological significance in the area of the referenced project. My staff has reviewed the documentation regarding the above-referenced undertaking. Our records show that one historic site (LR0030 - White Cliffs) is located on the subject property. However, it is our judgment that the scenic point of interest has largely lost its integrity and, therefore, we have no objection to this undertaking.

If a resource that appears to possess historical or architectural significance is encountered, or if cultural remains, such as Native American pottery, stone tools, bones, old bottles or china are discovered during project implementation, work in the area of discovery should stop and this office should be contacted immediately.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this undertaking. If you have any questions, please contact Steve Imhoff of my staff at (501) 324-9880.

Sincerely,

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