
FW: Solicitation of Views Tangipahoa Landfill Sewer Connection Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana

From: Kellie McNamara <kellie@fdaengineers.com>

To: David Dammon <david@dammonengineering.com>

Hi David,

Michael Hill with ELOS forwarded me this email from the Choctaw Nation. They are requesting some language to be placed into the contract for the force main installation to protect any artifacts that may be encountered during the project. FDAE does not have any issues having this language placed in the contract, but I wanted to run it by you before I reply to Michael.

I'm surprised the SHPO did not say anything, but that may be because this is within the buffer zone.

What are your thoughts?

Thanks,

-Kellie

From: Michael Hill <mhill@elosenv.com>

Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 4:33 PM

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Please see Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma response below.

Please let me know if there is any concern with their requests.

Thank you,

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From: Lindsey Bilyeu <lbilyeu@choctawnation.com>

Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 1:49 PM

To: Michael Hill <mhill@elosenv.com>

Subject: RE: Solicitation of Views Tangipahoa Landfill Sewer Connection Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana

Good afternoon,

The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma thanks you for the correspondence regarding the above referenced project. This project lies within an area that is of historic interest to the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. As a federally recognized Tribe, we wish to exercise our right to enter into government-to-government consultation directly with the federal agency (HUD) as directed in 36 CFR Part 800.3(c) (3), Executive Order 13175, Presidential Memorandum 86 FR 7491, and as stated in HUD policy Section III B.

This project lies in the buffer zone for a historic Choctaw village. Just to verify, this project will be taking place in previously disturbed, existing right of way, correct? Also, will the project's depth of ground disturbance be deeper than what is present and where will the new lift stations be placed?

In addition, we request that the following inadvertent discovery clause be written into the contract for this project:

"In the advent that ground-disturbing work uncovers significant archaeological materials, such as stone arrowheads, ceramics, or early building foundations, or if work uncovers human burials or human remains, ground disturbing activities will immediately be stopped within a 300 foot radius and the materials protected. The State Historic Preservation Officer and the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma Historic Preservation Department will be contacted as soon as possible, and given an opportunity to provide input before construction resumes.

If any archaeological or cultural materials are discovered during the project undertaking, neither the construction team or the applicant will disclose this information to the general public or the media in any manner. Discoveries of archaeological material will be kept private and confidential."

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Yakoke (thank you),



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