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Ms. Devon Frazier
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma
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Shawnee, OK 74801

Dear Ms. Frazier :

Subject: KA-5700-02
NHPP-A570(002)
Johnson County

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Sincerely,

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Dr. Brice Obermeyer
NAGPRA Director
Delaware Tribe of Indians
1200 Commercial Street, Roosevelt Hall, Rm 212 Emporia State University
Emporia, KS 66801

Dear Dr. Obermeyer:

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July 9, 2021

KDOT

Attn: William J. Haverkamp and T.D. Blackwell
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Re: KA-5700-02
NHPP-A570(002)
Johnson County

Dear William J. Haverkamp and T.D. Blackwell,

Thank you for informing the Delaware Tribe on the proposed construction associated with the above referenced project. Our review indicates that there are no religious or culturally significant sites in the project area. As such, we defer comment to your office as well as to the State Historic Preservation Office and/or the State Archaeologist.

We wish to continue as a consulting party on this project and look forward to receiving a copy of the cultural resources survey report if one is performed. We also ask that if any human remains are accidentally unearthed during the course of the survey and/or the construction project that you cease development immediately and inform the Delaware Tribe of Indians of the inadvertent discovery.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact this office by phone at (620) 341-6699 or by e-mail at bobermeyer@delawaretribe.org

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Brice Obermeyer".

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Mr. Brett Barnes
Cultural Preservation Director
Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma
P.O. Box 350
Seneca, MO 64865

Dear Mr. Barnes:

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**EASTERN SHAWNEE
CULTURAL PRESERVATION DEPARTMENT**

70500 East 128 Road, Wyandotte, OK 74370

August 4, 2021

Kansas Department of Transportation
700 S.W. Harrison Street
Topeka, KS 66603-3745

RE: KA-5700-02 NHPP-A570(002), Johnson County, Kansas

Dear Mr. Haverkamp,

The Eastern Shawnee Tribe has received your letter regarding the above referenced project(s) within Johnson County, Kansas. The Eastern Shawnee Tribe is committed to protecting sites important to Tribal Heritage, Culture and Religion. Furthermore, the Tribe is particularly concerned with historical sites that may contain but not limited to the burial(s) of human remains and associated funerary objects.

As described in your correspondence, and upon research of our database(s) and files, we find our people occupied these areas historically and/or prehistorically. However, the project proposes **NO Adverse Effect** or endangerment to known sites of interest to the Eastern Shawnee Tribe. Please continue project as planned. However, should this project inadvertently discover an archeological site or object(s) we request that you immediately contact the Eastern Shawnee Tribe, as well as the appropriate state agencies (within 24 hours). We also ask that all ground disturbing activity stop until the Tribe and State agencies are consulted. Please note that any future changes to this project will require additional consultation.

In accordance with the NHPA of 1966 (16 U.S.C. § 470-470w-6), federally funded, licensed, or permitted undertakings that are subject to the Section 106 review process must determine effects to significant historic properties. As clarified in Section 101(d)(6)(A-B), historic properties may have religious and/or cultural significance to Indian Tribes. Section 106 of NHPA requires Federal agencies to consider the effects of their actions on all significant historic properties (36 CFR Part 800) as does the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (43 U.S.C. § 4321-4347 and 40 CFR § 1501.7(a)). This letter evidences NHPA and NEPA historic properties compliance pertaining to consultation with this Tribe regarding the referenced proposed projects.

Thank you, for contacting the Eastern Shawnee Tribe, we appreciate your cooperation. Should you have any further questions or comments please contact our Office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Paul Barton".

Paul Barton, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO)
Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma
(918) 666-5151 Ext:1833



**EASTERN SHAWNEE
CULTURAL PRESERVATION DEPARTMENT**

70500 East 128 Road, Wyandotte, OK 74370

October 15, 2021

Kansas Department of Transportation
700 S.W. Harrison Street
Topeka, KS 66603-3745

RE: KDOT Project Number: 69-46 KA-5700-02, Johnson County, Kansas

Dear Mr. Rockers,

The Eastern Shawnee Tribe has received your letter regarding the above referenced project(s) within Johnson County, Kansas. The Eastern Shawnee Tribe is committed to protecting sites important to Tribal Heritage, Culture and Religion. Furthermore, the Tribe is particularly concerned with historical sites that may contain but not limited to the burial(s) of human remains and associated funerary objects.

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Ms. Lynn Williams
Chair
Kaw Nation of Oklahoma
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Kaw City, OK 74641

Dear Ms. Williams:

Subject: KA-5700-02
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Environmental Services Section

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From: Stephanie Richardson <srichardson@kawnation.com>
Sent: Friday, June 11, 2021 2:23 PM
To: KDOT#RoW.EnvCultural
Subject: KA- 5700-02 NHPP-A5700(002) Johnson County

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The Kaw Nation appreciates the opportunity to respond to your enquires concerning Section 106. I feel that you are safe to continue your project at this time. If, however, you uncover any cultural materials or human remains, during excavation, I expect you to notify my office within 24 hours of discovery. At which time we will need to follow the guidelines set in place by NAGPRA.

Thank you,

*Stephanie Richardson
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Dr. Andrea Hunter
Archaeologist
Osage Nation of Oklahoma
627 Grandview Avenue
Pawhuska, OK 74056

Dear Dr. Hunter:

Subject: KA-5700-02
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From: Deseray Helton <deseray.helton@osagenation-nsn.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 24, 2021 3:48 PM
To: Terry Blackwell [KDOT]
Cc: Jess Hendrix; Chris Eichman [KDOT]; Cliff Ehrlich [KDOT]; Courtney Neff
Subject: RE: Response to letter dated July 22, 2021 - KDOT, KA-5700-02 NHPP-A570(002), Addition of a thru lane in each direction, US-69 from 151st ST. N to 103rd St., Johnson County, KS --- File: 2021-45994KS-6

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Mr. Blackwell,

Thank you for the clarification. After checking our files we did receive the requested CRS on 9/15/21.

During the month of October the Osage Nation Historic Preservation Staff will be starting our annual File Transfer from this fiscal year to the new, therefore staffs time will be devoted to transferring files and responses to S.106 projects will be halted until the end of the month. Your patience during this time would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you,

Deseray Helton

Archaeologist, MA
Osage Nation Historic Preservation Office
627 Grandview Avenue, Pawhuska, OK 74056
Office: 918-287-9719
deseray.helton@osagenation-nsn.gov

From: Terry Blackwell [KDOT] <Terry.Blackwell@ks.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 24, 2021 2:34 PM
To: Deseray Helton <deseray.helton@osagenation-nsn.gov>
Cc: Jess Hendrix <Jess.Hendrix@osagenation-nsn.gov>; Chris Eichman [KDOT] <Chris.Eichman@ks.gov>; Cliff Ehrlich [KDOT] <Cliff.Ehrlich@ks.gov>
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Ms. Helton,

Sorry for any confusion.

The entire APE was assessed as if it could be disturbed or acquired for new ROW needed to perform construction activities. The areas requiring field surveys after this assessment were evaluated using the proper technics following SHPO standards. These Surveys were completed and mailed to the Osage

Nation on September 9th. Please let me know if you did not receive these reports and we can mail them again.

Contact me if you still have any questions.

Thank you,

Terry Blackwell [KDOT]
Environmental Services -
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Importance: High

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Mr. Blackwell,

The Osage Nation appreciates your recordation of our request for the planned CRS's and anticipate receiving them once they are completed. For clarification, it is the Osage Nation's understanding that it is assumed that 100% of the current APE will be disturbed by construction activities and therefore the entire APE will be surveyed, is that correct?

Thank you,

Deseray Helton

Archaeologist, MA

Osage Nation Historic Preservation Office

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From: Terry Blackwell [KDOT] <Terry.Blackwell@ks.gov>
Sent: Thursday, July 29, 2021 11:41 AM
To: Deseray Helton <deseray.helton@osagenation-nsn.gov>
Cc: Jess Hendrix <Jess.Hendrix@osagenation-nsn.gov>; Chris Eichman [KDOT] <Chris.Eichman@ks.gov>; Cliff Ehrlich [KDOT] <Cliff.Ehrlich@ks.gov>
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Dear Ms. Helton,

In response to your July 22, 2021 letter I would like to clarify the description of the scope of the project. The project is not a typical KDOT design project with plan sets and construction details available for review, but is a "Design Build" project. The design build project will use the maximum limits of the project area to seek all of the NEPA and 106 reviews required. Once all of the required reviews and approvals are completed the project will be sent out to bid, and the selected contractor will be responsible for the completion of the final project design, plans sets, and construction details as part of the project. During the construction of the project, if the work activities must go beyond the original maximum limits then the NEPA and 106 review will be re-initiated for the additional areas.

I have attached an updated KMZ file with the boundaries that represent the maximum limits of construction for the project that have been reduced in size from the previously submitted version. This is why we are responding to your letter by email.

The KDOT contract archeologist will be conducting Phase II surveys for the project area in the near future and we have updated are database showing your request for these reports and will send them once they are completed.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Terry Blackwell [KDOT]
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Osage Nation Historic Preservation Office

HAZAZA BOSN BANPAIA

Date: July 22, 2021

File: 2021-4594KS-6

RE: **KDOT, KA-5700-02 NHPP-A570(002), Addition of a thru lane in each direction, US-69 from 151st St. N to 103rd St., Johnson County, Kansas**

Kansas Department of Transportation
T.D. Blackwell
700 SW Harrison Street
Topeka, KS 66603-3745

Dear Mr. Blackwell,

The Osage Nation Historic Preservation Office has received notification and accompanying information for the proposed project listed as KDOT, KA-5700-02 NHPP-A570(002), Addition of a thru lane in each direction, US-69 from 151st St. N to 103rd St., Johnson County, Kansas. **The Osage Nation requests that a Phase II cultural resources survey with shovel testing be conducted for this project. The Osage Nation also requests more detailed project plans including where and the types of ground disturbing activities that will be taking place.**

In accordance with the National Historic Preservation Act, (NHPA) [54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq.] 1966, undertakings subject to the review process are referred to in 54 U.S.C. § 302706 (a), which clarifies that historic properties may have religious and cultural significance to Indian tribes. Additionally, Section 106 of NHPA requires Federal agencies to consider the effects of their actions on historic properties (36 CFR Part 800) as does the National Environmental Policy Act (43 U.S.C. 4321 and 4331-35 and 40 CFR 1501.7(a) of 1969).

The Osage Nation has a vital interest in protecting its historic and ancestral cultural resources. **The Osage Nation anticipates reviewing and commenting on the planned Phase II cultural resources survey report for the proposed KDOT, KA-5700-02 NHPP-A570(002), Addition of a thru lane in each direction, US-69 from 151st St. N to 103rd St., Johnson County, Kansas.**

Should you have any questions or need any additional information please feel free to contact me at the number listed below. Thank you for consulting with the Osage Nation on this matter.

Deseray Helton
Deseray Helton
Archaeologist



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Mr. Joseph Rupnick
Tribal Chair
Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation
16281 Q Road
Mayetta, KS 66509

Dear Mr. Rupnick:

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Tonya Tipton
THPO
Shawnee Tribe
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Miami, OK 74354

Dear Tonya Tipton:

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From: Tonya Tipton <tonya@shawnee-tribe.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 22, 2021 3:49 PM
To: Terry Blackwell [KDOT]
Subject: RE: KA-1266-02 Shawnee Co. and KA-5700-02 Johnson Co.

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Terry,

Thank you so much for contacting the Shawnee Tribe regarding the above referenced projects.

The Shawnee Tribe does wish to consult on these projects as this is one of the areas that we occupied historically, prior to moving to our present location.

We are committed to protecting sites that are important to our tribal heritage, culture and religion with particular concern for archaeological sites potentially containing burials and associated funerary objects.

I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,



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Ms. Tipton,

This information is being provided for 106 Consultation. Find attached a letter and plan sheets for the above noted project. If you need additional information, please let me know.

Regards,

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Ms. Terri Parton
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Dear Ms. Parton:

Subject: KA-5700-02
NHPP-A570(002)
Johnson County

In accordance with the National Historic Preservation Act we are contacting your tribe to identify any potential impacts the referenced project may have on properties that have religious and cultural significance. This project will also be reviewed by professional archeologists and by the Kansas State Historic Preservation Office. You will be notified if any sites of potential interest are identified during their review.

Tech Location - US-69 from 151st Street North to 103rd Street. A general description of the project is as follows: Project for the addition of a thru lane in each direction- and advance acquisition of Right of Way and Utility.

If you have any questions I can be reached by phone at (785) 296-8414 or my Email address is KDOT#RoW.EnvCultural@ks.gov.

Please send any comments on this project to me using either the address shown above or my Email address, if preferred, within 60 days of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

William J. Haverkamp, P.S., Chief
Bureau of Right of Way

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