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Brittney Nadler  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 5  
77 West Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, IL 60604-3590

Federal Agency: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Re: Environmental Protection Agency's finding of "no historic properties affected" to remediate the former Arnolt Corporation site located at 2525 East Durbin Street (DHPA #28470)

Dear Ms. Nadler:

Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (54 U.S.C. § 306108) and 36 C.F.R. Part 800, the staff of the Indiana State Historic Preservation Officer ("Indiana SHPO") has conducted an analysis of the materials dated January 25, 2022 and received on March 3, 2022 for the above indicated project in Warsaw, Kosciusko County, Indiana.

We concur with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's January 25, 2022 finding that there are no historic buildings, structures, districts, objects, or archaeological resources within the area of potential effects that will be affected by the above indicated project.

This identification is subject to the following condition:

- The project activities remain within areas disturbed by previous construction.

In terms of archaeology, no currently known archaeological resources listed in or eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places have been recorded within the proposed project area. No archaeological investigations appear necessary provided that all project activities remain within areas disturbed by previous construction. Please be advised that archaeological resources may exist underneath modern development. Also, we note that in an article at <https://www.indianalandmarks.org/2021/04/warsaws-last-link-to-arnolt-legacy/>, it is stated that legend claims several Arnolt-Bristols were cut up and buried beneath the concrete driveway.

If any prehistoric or historic archaeological artifacts or human remains are uncovered during construction, demolition, or earthmoving activities, state law (Indiana Code 14-21-1-27 and 29) requires that the discovery must be reported to the Department of Natural Resources within two (2) business days. In that event, please call (317) 232-1646. Be advised that adherence to Indiana Code 14-21-1-27 and 29 does not obviate the need to adhere to applicable federal statutes and regulations, including but not limited to 36 C.F.R. 800.

If you have questions about archaeological issues please contact Amy Johnson at (317) 233-3883 or [mburkett@dnr.IN.gov](mailto:mburkett@dnr.IN.gov). If you have questions about buildings or structures please contact Miriam Burkett at (317) 233-3883 or [mburkett@dnr.IN.gov](mailto:mburkett@dnr.IN.gov).

Very truly yours,

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