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**LOWER SNAKE RIVER CHANNEL MAINTENANCE
IMMEDIATE NEED DREDGING FOR COMMERCIAL
NAVIGATION ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT**

**TIERED FROM THE LOWER SNAKE RIVER
PROGRAMMATIC SEDIMENT MANGEMENT PLAN FINAL
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT DATED AUGUST
2014**

Appendix H

**Washington SHPO NHPA Section 106 Concurrence Letter dated
June 16, 2022**



Allyson Brooks Ph.D., Director
State Historic Preservation Officer

June 16, 2022

Scott Hall
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Corps of Engineers
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RE: Snake River Navigation Channel Maintenance Dredging
Wisaard # : 2022-05-02808 -COE-WW

Dear Scott Hall;

Thank you for contacting our department. We have reviewed the professional cultural resources survey report you provided for the proposed *SNAKE RIVER NAVIGATION CHANNEL MAINTENANCE DREDGING*, Asotin, Franklin and Whitman Counties, Washington.

We concur with your Determination of No Adverse Effect with the stipulation for an unanticipated find plan.

We would appreciate receiving any correspondence or comments from concerned tribes or other parties that you receive as you consult under the requirements of 36CFR800.4(a)(4).

In the event that archaeological or historic materials are encountered during project activities, work in the immediate vicinity must stop, the area secured, and the concerned tribe's cultural staff and cultural committee and this department notified.

These comments are based on the information available at the time of this review and on the behalf of the State Historic Preservation Officer in conformance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations 36CFR800. Should additional information become available, our assessment may be revised. Thank you for the opportunity to comment and a copy of these comments should be included in subsequent environmental documents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Rob Whitlam', followed by a horizontal line.

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