From: Sent: To: Subject: Thomas Cinadr <thomas.cinadr@mnhs.org> Wednesday, September 26, 2012 9:16 AM Daniel W. Jones Re: Request for SHPO records

THIS EMAIL IS NOT A PROJECT CLEARANCE.

This message simply reports the results of the cultural resources database search you requested. The database search produced results for only previously known archaeological sites and historic properties. Please read the note below carefully.

No archaeological sites or historic structures were identified in a search of the Minnesota Archaeological Inventory and Historic Structures Inventory for the search area requested.

The result of this database search provides a listing of recorded archaeological sites and historic architectural properties that are included in the current SHPO databases. Because the majority of archaeological sites in the state and many historic architectural properties have not been recorded, important sites or structures may exist within the search area and may be affected by development projects within that area. Additional research, including field survey, may be necessary to adequately assess the area's potential to contain historic properties.

If you require a comprehensive assessment of a project's potential to impact archaeological sites or historic architectural properties, you may need to hire a qualified archaeologist and/or historian. If you need assistance with a project review, please contact Kelly Gragg-Johnson in Review and Compliance @ 651-259-3455 or by email at <u>kelly.graggjohnson@mnhs.org</u>.

The Minnesota SHPO Survey Manuals and Database Metadata and Contractor Lists can be found at http://www.mnhs.org/shpo/survey/inventories.htm

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On Thu, Sep 20, 2012 at 3:48 PM, Daniel W. Jones <<u>DJones@barr.com</u>> wrote:

Mr. Cinadr: I am assisting Northshore Mining Company with an Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) for a stream restoration project in Alango Township, St. Louis County. I do not believe that there are documented cultural resources in the project area, but I would appreciate your assistance in consulting the SHPO database to confirm that. The project restores an approximately 2,000 foot segment of Gilmore Creek to its original plan and profile, reestablishing natural stream processes, improving connectivity with the surrounding floodplain and maintaining a higher baseflow. The TRS location of the project is:

NW 1⁄4	SW 1⁄4	Section 20	Township 61N	Range 19W
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Please advise whether there are documented historic, archaeological or architectural resources present within or adjacent to the project area. Please contact me at the number or e-mail below if you have any questions.

Thank you for your assistance.

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