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## ***SHPO Correspondence from Heritage Consultants, LLC***





## INTEGRATED HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLANNING

November 30, 2017

Ms. Marena Wisniewski  
Department of Economic & Community Development  
State Historic Preservation Office  
450 Columbus Boulevard  
Hartford, Connecticut 06103

**RE: Phase IA Cultural Resources Assessment Survey of the Proposed Pawcatuck Solar Center in North Stonington, Connecticut**

Ms. Wisniewski:

Please find enclosed two copies of the Phase IA cultural resources assessment survey report results for the above-referenced project. This project was completed on behalf of All-Points Technology Corporation. If you have any questions about this submittal, please feel free to call me at 860.299.6328 or email me at [dgeorge@heritage-consultants.com](mailto:dgeorge@heritage-consultants.com). We look forward to working with you on this important project. Thank you for your time and consideration.

David George, M.A., R.P.A.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David R. George".

Heritage Consultants, LLC

## Mike Libertine

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**Subject:** Pawcatuck Solar

**From:** Labadia, Catherine <[Catherine.Labadia@ct.gov](mailto:Catherine.Labadia@ct.gov)>

**Sent:** Monday, April 16, 2018 9:44 AM

**To:** David George <[dgeorge@heritage-consultants.com](mailto:dgeorge@heritage-consultants.com)>

**Subject:** Pawcatuck Solar

SHPO understands that Heritage Consultants, LLC (Heritage) is preparing to complete a Phase IB cultural resources of the proposed Pawcatuck Solar Center in North Stonington, Connecticut. According to a previously submitted Phase IA cultural resources assessment survey, Heritage identified 46 and 66 acres of land within the project parcel, respectively, as moderate and high archaeologically sensitive areas based on environmental characteristics. Heritage recommends that Phase IB survey shovel tests in moderate sensitivity areas be excavated at 20 m (65.6 ft) intervals along parallel survey transects spaced 20 m (65.6 ft) apart and in high sensitivity areas be excavated at 15 m (49.2 ft) intervals along parallel survey transects spaced 15 m (49.2 ft) apart. All areas will be photo-documented and the locations of all sampling units will be appropriately displayed on maps of the project area to be included in the survey report. SHPO has consulted with Heritage on these field methods and finds them acceptable.

Do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Cathy

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