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Re: Log# 119282 -CASE #23-55010 Rancho Viejo Solar Project conditional Use Permit-NMCRIS #152338

Dear MS Beyers:

Thank you for submitting this project report to the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO). I have read the submitted archaeological survey report entitled "A Class III Cultural Resources Inventory of the Rancho Viejo Solar Project Access Road Reroute in Santa Fe County, NM" (NMCRIS#152338). The SHPO concurs with the report results for the new road alignment. This project will have no effect on historic properties.

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact me by phone at (505)-827-6162 or e-mail me at richard.reycraft@dca.nm.gov.

Sincerely

Richard Reycraft

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