



## **MEMORANDUM**

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**Date:** April 28, 2022  
**To:** Deadwood City Commission  
**From:** Kevin Kuchenbecker, Historic Preservation Officer  
**Re:** **Loan Agreement with USD Dept. of Anthropology & Sociology**

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On April 12, 2022 Dr. Linea Sunstrom contacted the City Archives and asked if the University of South Dakota (USD) Department of Anthropology & Sociology could borrow equipment for the September 3-10, 2022 archaeological field school at Ft. Meade. Attached to this memorandum is the email and list of items (highlighted in yellow) to be used during this field school.

The field school is in conjunction with the 2022 Outside of Deadwood grant archaeological investigation of "Suds Row", the laundry area once located at Ft. Meade military post. USD Department of Anthropology & Sociology will supervise this archaeological investigation.

The Historic Preservation Commission reviewed this request at their April 27, 2022 meeting and recommend approval.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Move to grant USD Department of Anthropology & Sociology permission to use the highlighted items during the September 3-10, 2022 archaeological field school at Ft. Meade.