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Hi Cole,

Thank you so much for bringing this to our attention! I passed along the information to the Project Manager, Christopher Johnston, and he indicated that we will be adjusting our plans and moving the project area (APE) to the north to avoid the AA1 cemetery polygon. We will also develop a monitoring and inadvertent discovery plan specific to this project. A Secretary of the Interior- qualified archaeologist will be present to monitor all ground disturbing activities in the area of the cemetery. We will be sending you and the rest of the consulting parties an updated findings letter that addresses these changes, so you will have another opportunity to look over our plans.

Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have additional questions and/or concerns.

Sincerely,
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Hi Everyone,

From the maps showing the potential areas of effect, there may be a problem in the cemetery area. Attached is the draft report of a ground penetrating radar survey done in 2018. If you look at Appendix A, Figure 6, you can see the area of concern

Thanks
Cole