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Mr. Alan Lord
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Re: APA
Woodward Lake Subdivision
Collins Gifford Valley Road, Northampton and Mayfield, Fulton County, NY
18PR06226
#A2018-0034

Dear Mr. Lord:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Division for Historic Preservation of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the submitted materials in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (section 14.09 of the New York Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the Division for Historic Preservation and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources.

OPRHP has reviewed the materials documenting the Woodward Lake Cemetery (03507.000183) in Lots 8 and 9 and a stone foundation in Lot 9 of the Woodward Lake Subdivision, Town of Northampton, Fulton County, New York submitted in August and September 2020. The Woodward Lake Cemetery is located approximately 75 feet east of the planned driveway in Lot 9. OPRHP recommends that this cemetery be avoided by all construction activities. The cemetery and a 25-foot buffer should be indicated on project plans, temporarily fenced, and marked with signage prior to the commencement of construction activities.

The stone foundation in the southeast corner of Lot 9 is within the *100' Onsite Wastewater Treatment System (OWTS) Setback and Vegetative Buffer from Perennial Stream Wetland* and is approximately 75 feet south of the planned driveway. OPRHP recommends that project plans continue to avoid this location.

OPRHP recommends that no properties, including archaeological and/or historic resources, listed in or eligible for inclusion in the New York State and National Registers of Historic Places will be adversely impacted by this project with the condition that the avoidance measures described above are implemented. Please note that this letter replaces the OPRHP's no impact determination dated 25 September 2018. If you have any questions, I can be reached at Jessica.Schreyer@parks.ny.gov.

Sincerely,

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