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CASA 09-50

PROJECT TITLE: Cultural Resource Inventory Recon Oil Company's Grey Mesa Pit and Haul Road Near Newcomb, Navajo Nation Lands, San Juan County, New Mexico

LEAD AGENCY: BIA/NR

SPONSOR: Brian Wood, Permits West 37 Verano Loop Sante Fe, New Mexico 87508

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The proposed undertaking will involve the expansion of a gravel pit and an access road with associated facilities within the 91.03 acre lease area. Ground disturbance will be extensive and intensive.

LAND STATUS: Navajo Tribal Trust CHAPTER: Newcomb LOCATION: T.23N, R.18W; Sections 2, 3 and 10; Newcomb Quadrangle; San Juan County, New Mexico; NMPM T.24N, R.18W; Section 35 and 36; Sheep Springs Quadrangle; San Juan County, New Mexico; NMPM

PROJECT ARCHAEOLOGIST: Laurens C. Hammack NAVAJO ANTIQUITIES PERMIT NO.: B09256

DATE INSPECTED: 6/5/09 and 6/6/09 DATE OF REPORT: 6/15/09 TOTAL ACREAGE INSPECTED: 107.95

METHOD OF INVESTIGATION: Class III pedestrian inventory with transects spaced 15 m apart.

LIST OF CULTURAL RESOURCES FOUND: LIST OF ELIGIBLE PROPERTIES: LIST OF NON-ELIGIBLE PROPERTIES: LIST OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES: (3) NM-G-46-75, NM-G-46-76, and NM-G-46-77 (2) NM-G-46-76 and NM-G-46-77 (1) NM-G-46-75 (2) NM-G-46-76 and NM-G-46-77

EFFECT/CONDITIONS OF COMPLIANCE: No historic properties affected, with the following conditions:

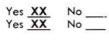
## Sites NM-G-46-76 and NM-G-46-77:

1) All construction within 50 ft of the site boundaries must be flagged and monitored by a qualified archaeologist prior to any activity.

In the event of a discovery ["discovery" means any previously unidentified or incorrectly identified cultural resources including but not limited to archaeological deposits, human remains, or locations reportedly associated with Native American religious/traditional beliefs or practices], all operations in the immediate vicinity of the discovery must cease, and the Navajo Nation Historic Preservation Department must be notified at (928) 871-7148.

FORM PREPARED BY: Ettie Anderson FINALIZED: June 25, 2009

Notification to Proceed Recommended: Conditions:



Navajo Region Approval: 307/16/09

Yes No

05 Alan S. Downer Date reservation Officer Navajo Nation Historic

**Regional Director**