

Suggested edits

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**Page 2:**

In total Shaw AFB has 36 identified NRHP eligible archaeological sites.

~~Research- Consultation~~ has ~~resulted in~~ identified one Native American tribe, the Catawba Indian Nation, that is culturally....

Use the SOPs outlined in this document, in particular, integrating the NEPA process for.....

**Page R-7 and other locations:**

The citation for the National Historic Preservation Act changed in December 2014 from 16 U.S.C. § 470 et seq. to 54 U.S.C. § 300101 et seq. Section 106 of the NHPA has moved from 16 U.S.C. § 470f to 54 U.S.C. § 306108

**Page R-22:**

Section 2.3 Notes 142 archaeological sites identified. However pages 1&2, has 14 sites at Shaw and 124 sites at PECR = 138

A table showing listing all of the sites and their current NRHP status would be a helpful addition. Add earlier reference to Appendix 4.

Change language to, “According to the *SC Standards and Guidelines for Archaeological Investigations*, Isolates are defined as two or less artifacts.” (see also page R-24, R-2-1)

**Page R-23:**

In addition to eligibility under Criteria D, sites should also be evaluated using Criterion A, B, and C.

We note that while ARPA specifies that resources be 100 years old, the National Historic Preservation Act and National Register consider resources 50 years old or older.

**Page R-24:** Compare site numbers to those on pages 1&2. Are there 35 or 36 eligible sites?

**Page R-27:**

In 1996, Shaw AFB requested a ~~determination~~ concurrence from the SC SHPO that, based on past construction practices.....

38SU1096 is not in our DOE log or ArchSite (online GIS)....did our office review and concur with the NRHP eligibility? (We see in R-2-4 that the SHPO has not had the opportunity to concur on the final status of this and 4 other sites id'd in 2013)

**Page R-35:** References draft PA, related to management issues. Need to complete PA.

**Page R-39:** Please reference the *SC Standards and Guidelines for Archaeological Investigations*.

**Page R-47:** Update SHPO website reference to [shpo.sc.gov](http://shpo.sc.gov). Contact information for SHPO staff can be found at on the Department of Archives & History webpage [scdah.sc.gov](http://scdah.sc.gov). Please note that Chuck Cantley is no longer with the SHPO.

**R-53:** Add “Tribes” to list of entities to cooperate with

**R-54:** In step 1, the archaeologists should be SOI qualified

**R-63:** The SC SHPO has recently issued guidance on when to record cemeteries as archaeological sites and when to record as above-ground historic properties.

Please note: SCIAA issues archeological site numbers. The SHPO issues numbers for above-ground historic properties.

**R-66:** Here and elsewhere. Please note that the SC SHPO has recently issued guidance on the use of the term “potentially eligible”. The SHPO recommends the use of unevaluated, or requires further evaluation.

**R-70:** Please include the full citation for the *SC Standards and Guidelines for Archaeological Investigations*. The Standards and Guidelines should be followed at all steps of the Phase II testing.

**R-88:** no historic properties....SHPO timeframe is still 30 days, not 15.