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**RE: Section 106 Consulting Party Invitation Letter**

ALDOT Project PE# NH-0006 () SR 6/US-82 Access Management and Improvements from Rose Boulevard to Jug Factory Road Northport/Tuscaloosa

CN# DEMO A210 (943) McFarland US-82 Improvements and Bridge Replacement over Black Warrior River Tuscaloosa County, Alabama

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), in cooperation with the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) are continuing the environmental studies for an 11.2-mile corridor along McFarland Blvd/SR-6(US-82) from Rose Blvd in Northport to east of Jug Factory Road in Tuscaloosa. Cultural Resource Studies identified two (2) historic resources: Bryce Cemetery and the Woolsey Finnell Bridge. Burials associated with Bryce Cemetery were found within existing ALDOT right-of-way. Utilizing the existing right-of-way to build the proposed project will disturb the burials. The historic bridge will be removed and replaced with a more modern structure.

Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act requires Federal agencies to consider the effects of their projects on historic properties. The regulation implementing Section 106 may be found in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 800. Under this regulation, certain individuals or organizations with demonstrated interest in the project may participate as Consulting Parties due to the nature of their legal or economic relation to the project or affected properties or their concern with the project's effects on historic properties.


With this letter, we extend to your organization (you) an invitation to become a Section 106 Consulting Party with the FHWA and ALDOT for the proposed project. To become a Consulting Party, please scan the QR code.



Thank you for your cooperation and interest in this project. Please feel free to forward this information to other interested parties.

Sincerely,

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Mr. Jesse Chambless, ETS Project Manager  
Cultural Resources File