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The Newark Project isn't appropriate for a Categorical Exclusion, and the Forest Service needs to do an Environmental Assessment. there are numerous reasons-cultural objects need to be protected as well as water sources in our area. Environmental impacts to our natural resources should never be "excluded" from appropriate impact studies and the move to exclude this project is suspect at best,