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Mr. Ronald Hollis
Sylamore District Ranger
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Sylamore Ranger District
1001 East Main Street
Mountain View, AR 72560

RE: Stone County: Blanchard Springs
Section 106 Review: OSF-FS
Proposed Undertaking: Blanchard Springs Caverns Environmental Assessment
AHPP Tracking Number: 106500.08

Dear Mr. Hollis:

The staff of the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program (AHPP) has reviewed the draft Environmental Assessment (EA) for the aforementioned undertaking at Blanchard Springs Caverns in Stone County, Arkansas. As we are actively pursuing a Memorandum of Agreement for the Section 106 review, we have no comments at this time regarding the EA.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this EA. Please refer to the AHPP Tracking Number listed above in all correspondence. If you have any questions, please call Jessica Cogburn of my staff at 501-324-9357 or email jessica.cogburn@arkansas.gov.

Sincerely,

for
Scott Kaufman
State Historic Preservation Officer and Director, AHPP