

**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT AMONG
THE VILLAGE OF SANDOVAL,
THE ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, AND THE ILLINOIS
STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER
REGARDING DEMOLITION OF THE EXISTING WATER TOWER ON THE WEST
SIDE OF NORTH PINE STREET BETWEEN WEST BARR AVENUE AND
WISCONSIN AVENUE IN SANDOVAL, ILLINOIS
(SHPO LOG #021071618)**

WHEREAS, the Village of Sandoval (Village) plans to demolish the existing water tower on the west side of on North Pine Street between West Barr Avenue and Wisconsin Avenue (Tower) and construct a new water tower in Sandoval, Marion County; and

WHEREAS, the project will utilize a Public Water Supply loan, partially funded by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and administered by the Illinois Environmental Agency (IEPA), which makes it an Undertaking subject to review under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, 54 U.S.C. § 306108, and its implementing regulations (36 CFR Part 800) (Act); and

WHEREAS, the Village has consulted with the Illinois State Historic Preservation Office (Office), a Division of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR), pursuant to the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Office currently resides within the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR), and the Director of IDNR is the duly designated State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO); and

WHEREAS, on July 8, 2019 the SHPO determined that the Tower is eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) under Criteria A and C with local significance; and

WHEREAS, the SHPO has determined that the Undertaking will have an adverse effect on the Tower that is eligible for listing on the NRHP; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with 36 CFR § 800.6(a)(1) and 36 CFR § 800.10(b), the Village has notified the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) of the adverse effect determination, and the ACHP has chosen not to participate in the consultation pursuant to 36 CFR § 800.6(a)(1)(iii);

NOW, THEREFORE, the Village, IEPA, and the SHPO agree that the Undertaking shall be implemented in accordance with the following stipulations in this Memorandum of Agreement (Agreement) in order to mitigate the adverse effects of this Undertaking to the NRHP-eligible property as a result of this project.

STIPULATIONS

I. MITIGATION

The Village shall retain a historical contractor(s) of its choice (Contractor) who meets the Secretary of the Interior's Qualifications (36 CFR Part 61, https://www.nps.gov/history/local-law/arch_stnds_9.htm) to complete the measures described below. Prior to the expiration of the Agreement, the Village will ensure that the following Historic American Engineering Record (HAER) recordation (see: <https://www.nps.gov/hdp/standards/index.htm>) is completed by the Contractor. The Contractor must consult with the SHPO prior to the initiation of the work to ensure that expectations are understood.

A. Recordation

1. Fieldwork: Site Visit, Photography, Measurements

- a. The Contractor shall take site, exterior and detail digital images of the Tower. These photos should be used for reference in developing the architectural description outlined in I.A.2.d. Field notes/sketches should be used to create the digital sketch plans outlined in I.A.2.a.
- b. The Contractor shall submit draft digital images of the same or very similar views that are proposed for HAER photography to the SHPO for comment. Selection of view and quantity of images shall be done in consultation with the SHPO. Images must include site, elevations, and distinctive exterior structural features. Upon SHPO concurrence in writing of the selected draft views, the Contractor may proceed with taking the final HAER photography as outlined in I.A.1.c.
- c. Final HAER photographs must be taken by a professional photographer and must include all the views agreed to in I.A.1.b. Photographs must be taken with a large-format film camera using 4" x 5" or larger black-and-white negatives, processed according to HAER guidelines, with in-camera perspective correction (as needed).
- d. Upon completion of I.A.1.a, b, and c, the Contractor shall digitally submit the images and copies of field notes to the SHPO for review and comment. Upon SHPO confirmation in writing that all of the information necessary to complete HAER recordation has been collected, the demolition of the Tower may commence.

2. Recordation components shall consist of the following items.

- a. Sketch plans/elevations, as defined by HAER and digitally drawn, of the Tower in its current condition printed drawing-size on vellum with either a large-format inkjet printer using a HAER-designated ink set or with a large-format laser printer (i.e., photocopier).
- b. HAER photographs. Prints from the negatives taken in I.A.1.c must be either wet processed on regular (not resin-coated) photo paper or inkjet-printed, according to HAER guidelines. The size of the final prints shall be the size of the negatives, and their mounting and labeling shall be done in accordance with guidance provided by the NPS. Final recordation package must contain the photo prints, original negatives, and a contact sheet, per HAER standards.
- c. Archival digital photography. This set of labeled photos are those taken as a part of the reconnaissance and agreed to as stated in I.A.1.a. They should be printed as directed by HAER staff.
- d. Narrative and description. A written historic narrative and an architectural description of the Tower using HAER-designated outline format printed single sided on regular-weight, archival (non-recycled, with 25% cotton fiber content) bond paper.
- e. Original and/or historic drawings. Any original and/or historic drawings of the Tower scanned at a minimum of 400 dpi, dropped full-size onto HAER title blocks, and printed on vellum with either a large-format inkjet printer using a HAER-designated ink set or with a large-format laser printer (i.e., photocopier). The Contractor must consult with the SHPO to determine which extant plans warrant scanning and inclusion in the recordation package.
- f. Original field notes, if applicable (i.e., field sketches, laser-scan info, photogrammetric data info.)
- g. Historic images and maps. Photographic copies of illustrative historic images and maps must be scanned, and printed, and labeled according to HAER guidelines. The Contractor must consult with the SHPO to determine which historic images and maps warrant inclusion in the recordation package.
- h. CD/DVD. Digital versions of items I.A.2.a through I.A.2.g must be saved onto an archival CD/DVD.

3. Draft submission. The Contractor shall email in pdf format and mail a hardcopy of the 95% draft of the items in I.A.2.a through g to the SHPO for review and comment. When the SHPO accepts in writing the 95% draft submission, the Contractor will complete the final documentation as directed in I.A.4.
4. Final submission. Upon completion of the final documentation, the Contractor shall submit the following to the SHPO:
 - a. One (1) HAER recordation package containing items I.A.2.a, b, c, d, e, f, g, and h.
 - b. One (1) recordation package containing items I.A.2.a, c, d, e, g, and h in an archival clamshell.

Upon final approval, the SHPO will submit the HAER recordation package to the Heritage Documentation Programs in the National Park Service for eventual deposit in the Library of Congress, and the SHPO will deposit the recordation package with the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library in Springfield, Illinois.

II. DURATION

This Agreement shall terminate if its stipulations are not carried out within two (2) years from the date of its execution. Prior to such time, the Village may consult with the other signatories to reconsider the terms of the Agreement and amend it in accordance with Stipulation VI AMENDMENTS below. The Village shall notify the signatories as to the course of action it will pursue.

III. POST-REVIEW DISCOVERIES

If potential historic properties are discovered or unanticipated effects on historic properties found, the Village shall consult with the SHPO immediately and make reasonable efforts to avoid, minimize, or mitigate adverse effects to such properties. In the event of an unanticipated discovery of human remains or burials, the Village understands and agrees that it must immediately stop work within the area of discovery and consult with the SHPO.

IV. MONITORING AND REPORTING

Each six months following the execution of this Agreement until it expires or is terminated, the Village shall provide all parties to this Agreement a summary report detailing work undertaken pursuant to its terms. Such report shall include any scheduling changes proposed, any problems encountered, and any disputes and objections received

in Village's efforts to carry out the terms of this Agreement.

V. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Should any signatory to this Agreement object at any time to any actions proposed or the manner in which the terms of this Agreement are implemented, the Village shall consult with the signatories to resolve the objection. If the signatories cannot agree regarding a dispute, the signatories shall:

- A. Forward all documentation relevant to the dispute, including the Village's proposed resolution, to the ACHP. The ACHP shall provide the Village with its advice on the resolution of the objection within thirty (30) days of receiving adequate documentation. Prior to reaching a final decision on the dispute, the Village shall prepare a written response that takes into account any timely advice or comments regarding the dispute from the ACHP, signatories and concurring parties, and provide them with a copy of this written response. The Village will then proceed according to its final decision.
- B. If the ACHP does not provide its advice regarding the dispute within the thirty (30) day time period, the Village may make a final decision on the dispute and proceed accordingly. Prior to reaching such a final decision, the Village shall prepare a written response that takes into account any timely comments regarding the dispute from the signatories and concurring parties to the Agreement, and provide them and the ACHP with a copy of such written response.
- C. The Village's responsibility to carry out all other actions subject to the terms of this Agreement that are not the subject of the dispute remain unchanged.

VI. AMENDMENTS

This Agreement may be amended when such an amendment is agreed to in writing by all signatories. The amendment will be effective on the date a copy is signed by all of the signatories.

VII. TERMINATION

If any signatory to this Agreement determines that its terms become impossible to carry out, that party shall immediately consult with the other signatories to attempt to develop an amendment per Stipulations V and VI above. If within thirty (30) days an amendment cannot be reached, any signatory may terminate the Agreement upon written notification to the other signatories.

Once this Agreement is terminated, and prior to work continuing on the Undertaking, the Village must either (a) execute a Memorandum of Agreement pursuant to 36 CFR § 800.6 or (b) request, take into account, and respond to the comments of the ACHP under 36 CFR § 800.7. The Village shall notify the signatories as to the course of action it will

pursue.

VIII. COUNTERPARTS; FACSIMILE OR .PDF SIGNATURES

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be considered an original and together shall be one and the same Agreement. A facsimile or .pdf copy of this Agreement and any signatures thereon will be considered for all purposes as an original.

IX. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Agreement is effective on the date signed by the Village.

EXECUTION of this Agreement and the implementation of its terms evidences that the Village and IEPA have afforded the SHPO an opportunity to comment on the effects of the Undertaking in compliance with the Act.

[Signature Pages to follow]

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SIGNATORY

VILLAGE OF SANDOVAL (Village)

Signature: Pam Gelsinger Date: 12/13/19
Name: Pam Gelsinger
Title: Village President

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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (IEPA)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

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ILLINOIS STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER (SHPO)

By: _____



Date: _____

12-13-19

Colleen Callahan, Director and State Historic Preservation Officer
Illinois Department of Natural Resources

APPROVED FOR EXECUTION

Date: 12/12/19

Legal Counsel: _____

