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IN REPLY REFER TO:  
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Dear Interested Party:

Thank you for your interest in our Johnson Lake Mine Historic District Stabilization Environmental Assessment (EA). We have completed the *Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)* for that EA which was signed on December 17, 2014 by Christine S. Lehnertz, Pacific West Regional Director, National Park Service.

The Regional Director concluded that implementation of the preferred alternative for the Johnson Lake Mine Historic District Stabilization Environmental Assessment does not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and is not an action that normally requires preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS).

In September 2014, the National Park Service (NPS) completed an Environmental Assessment for the Johnson Lake Mine Historic District Stabilization project. This EA, in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act, analyzed the impacts that will likely result from implementation of the project.

Actions under the preferred alternative include stabilizing six historic structures, fuel reduction, trail construction and maintenance, monitoring, and education and outreach.

A printed copy of the FONSI accompanies this letter. This document, in addition to the EA and Determination of Non-Impairment, complete the environmental compliance for this project. These documents are available on the National Park Service Planning, Environment and Public Comment website at (<http://parkplanning.nps.gov/JohnsonLMHDS>). For questions and additional information about this project please contact Gorden Bell, Environmental Protection Specialist at (775) 234-7540.

Sincerely,

Steven Mietz  
Superintendent

Enclosures:  
Finding of No Significant Impact