



**New York State
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Historic Preservation**

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May 8, 2024

Jennifer Geraghty
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1744 Washington Avenue Ext
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Re: DEC
Deerfield Mixed Use Development
Town of Deerfield, Oneida County, NY
24PR02723

Dear Jennifer Geraghty:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Division for Historic Preservation of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the submitted materials in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (section 14.09 of the New York Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the Division for Historic Preservation and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include potential environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project.

OPRHP has reviewed the Phase IA/IB Archaeological Survey report for the Deerfield Mixed Use Development project (24PR02723) prepared by Hartgen Archeological Associates, Consulting Archaeologists (March 2024; 24SR00197). OPRHP concurs with the report recommendation that no additional archaeological investigation is warranted.

Based upon this review, it is OPRHP's opinion that no properties, including archaeological and/or historic resources, listed in or eligible for the New York State and National Registers of Historic Places will be impacted by this project.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at Bradley.Russell@parks.ny.gov.

Sincerely,

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