Summit Anthropology

Program Information

Program Name: Summit Anthropology

General Description / Special Programs:

Summit Anthropology is a small, woman-owned business headquartered in Salt Lake City, Utah. We are a pioneering cultural anthropology firm with 15 years of experience working with Native American Tribes, governmental agencies, and private industry in the professional disciplines of historic preservation and environmental policy. We specialize in tribal outreach assistance to Federal and state agencies for laws that require the identification and documentation of traditional cultural places, natural resources, and other perceived project impacts to tribal heritage as understood by tribal communities. The applicable laws that our employees work with include the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act (AIRFA), Endangered Species Act (ESA) and Executive Order 13007 for Sacred Sites, and the Executive Order 13175 for Tribal Consultation. Summit employees are also familiar with the various Federal and state tribal consultation guidelines, including California State Bill 18. We have worked with the California Native American Heritage Commission for local California projects and multi-state, multi-land status linear projects that terminate in California. We are currently considering similar governmental project assistance in Latin America. In addition to tribal outreach assistance, our services include ethnographic/ethnohistoric contexts and ethnographic overviews for cultural resource analyses, Traditional Cultural Properties (TCPs) analysis, mitigation analysis and recommendations, and community-based education meetings for NEPA, NHPA, TCPs, and Sacred Sites. Summit has experience working with Resource Management Plans (RMPs), Integrated Cultural Resource Management Plans (ICRMPs), ethnographic overviews and Federal agency tribal consultation assistance for the processing of right-of-way applications (transmission lines, transportation, pipeline, fiber optics), drilling permits (mining, natural gas development), and seismic survey permits on public lands.

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<td>Contact Molly Molenaar for more details. We typically have internships available on an as needs basis. Typical work includes ethnographic research, maintaining our electronic library and other administrative needs. Fieldwork can also be a part of an internship. Native American and international students are encouraged to contact us for internship opportunities.</td>
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