

WREZ Environment & Lands Work Group		
Significant Areas for Consideration: This is a living document and will be updated as information becomes available or is revised		
Land Type	Description	Contact Information
<b>Cultural/Historical Resources</b>		
NPS National Historic Districts and Archaeological Districts eligible for or listed in the National Register of Historic Places	Areas of historic and prehistoric cultural resources deemed locally, regionally and/or nationally significant because they illustrate particular times, forms or qualities	National Park Service; State Historic Preservation Officer ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/shpo.html">http://www.achp.gov/shpo.html</a> ); or State Archaeologist
NPS National Historic Landmarks and Landmark Districts	Prehistoric or historic sites or groups of sites deemed nationally significant because they "possess exceptional value or quality in illustrating or interpreting the heritage of the United States"	Elaine Jackson-Retondo, NPS Pacific West Regional Office (CA, NV, WA, ID, OR); Nancy Shock, NPS Intermountain Regional Office (AZ, CO, MT, NM, UT and WY)
Traditional Cultural Properties eligible for or listed in the National Register of historic places or an equivalent state register	A place that is locally, regionally and/or nationally significant because of its association with cultural practices and beliefs that are (1) rooted in the history of a community, and (2) are important to maintaining the continuity of that community's traditional beliefs and practices	State or Tribal Historic Preservation Officer ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/programs.html">http://www.achp.gov/programs.html</a> )
Areas designated by Congress for the purpose of protecting cultural resources	Specific areas with locally, regionally and/or nationally significant cultural resources protected through Congressional acts	State Historic Preservation Officer ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/shpo.html">http://www.achp.gov/shpo.html</a> ) or State Archaeologist
Sacred sites identified by an Indian tribe in accordance with Executive Order 13007	Specific, discrete, narrowly delineated locations on Federal land that are identified for an agency by an Indian tribe, or Indian individual determined to be an appropriately authoritative representative of an Indian religion, as sacred by virtue of their established religious significance to, or ceremonial use by, an Indian religion	State or Tribal Historic Preservation Officer ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/programs.html">http://www.achp.gov/programs.html</a> ); or Federal Archaeologist
Areas identified by experts as containing significant concentrations of cultural resources	Prehistoric or historic cultural resource landscapes notable for their site density, site type and time period, and/or relationship to surrounding topography and environment	State and Tribal Historic Preservation Officers ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/programs.html">http://www.achp.gov/programs.html</a> ); and Federal and State Archaeologists

High potential route segments of National Historic Trails	Intact or minimally altered segments of trails deemed nationally significant under the National Trails System Act of 1968 for their connection to historic people or events. Those managed by BLM fall within NLCS Units, and those managed by the NPS fall under NPS Units and are listed on the exclusion and avoidance lists. U.S. Forest Service lands are not and are therefore accounted for on this list.	Federal Archaeologists and Recreation Managers
National Historic Sites	Individual places or features deemed nationally significant under the Historic Sites Act of 1935 because of their direct association with important historic people or events. Those managed by the NPS fall under NPS Units and are listed on the exclusion list. U.S. Forest Service and BLM managed lands are not and are therefore accounted for on this list.	Federal Archaeologists and Recreation Managers
<b>Federal Lands</b>		
BLM Acquired lands	Lands purchased with private funds and donated to BLM	
DOT National Scenic Byways	Roads recognized as nationally significant based on their archeological, cultural, historic, natural, recreational and/or scenic qualities	Cindi Ptak, FHWA National Scenic Byways Program Washington, DC Team Manager
<b>State/Provincial Lands</b>		
Historic sites & trails	State designated historic sites and trails	State and Tribal Historic Preservation Officers ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/programs.html">http://www.achp.gov/programs.html</a> )
Forests (development precluded by statute/regulation only in CA)	State forests	State Forester/State Parks/ Department of Lands
State-held conservation easements		State Fish & Wildlife Agency/ Department of Natural Resources
<b>Local and Private Lands</b>		
Areas identified as critical for adaptation to climate change		
Conservation easements		
Larimer County conservation easements		Jeffrey Boring, Larimer County Natural Resource Department
Nevada Tahoe Parcels		
Private preserves		
Rare/endangered plants		State Natural Heritage Programs; Grasslands Conservation Council of British Columbia
USFWS Proposed HCPs		

Other		
Buffers	Both for visual impacts and for species-species requirements. Issues are best considered at a project-specific level because most requirements are based on the specific renewable resource as well as the specific location.	State and Tribal Historic Preservation Officers ( <a href="http://www.achp.gov/programs.html">http://www.achp.gov/programs.html</a> ); and Federal and State Archaeologists for cultural resources