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From: Ashcroft, Tyler
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Josh,

The areas shown on the map that was provided to you by Brian (b)(5) DPP (b)(5) ACP

Moon House ruin is only one part of an expansive Moon House complex that stretches more than a half of a mile. The Moon House complex consists of approximately 50 domestic habitation structures, storage granaries and ceremonial kivas. The Moon House Complex is important for its connection to late Pueblo III period beginning in 1240 A.D. The BLM successfully nominated the Moon House complex (not just the Moon House ruin) to the National Register of Historic Places in November of this year. Among the numerous archaeological sites that dot the landscape of San Juan County, the Moon House complex has achieved significant status due to its pristine condition and its standing as one of the largest cliff dwellings in southeast Utah. Architecturally, the site remains nearly intact from when it was abandoned more than 700 years ago, with perfectly preserved room suites, roofs, storage granaries, and mural art.

Earlier this year the Forest Service provided specific information to me and you on the Doll House ruin. The actual "Doll House" is not considered a dwelling, but is a very good representation of a large sized single room granary associated with an extensive agricultural area on the mesa top. Its uniqueness is in how well preserved and fully intact it is. Based on previous tree ring analysis of the structure's wood beams, it has been determined that the structure was constructed in 1232 and remodel in 1243. Recently, the Forest Service staff and field crew have conducted condition surveys and monitoring of the cultural resources at the Doll House site and surrounding area.

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Worth noting, I do not know the extent to which these areas have been surveyed or whether site location information included in the SHPO database is accurate for these areas. The acreages that we arrived at are based on information that I have immediate access to.

Let me know if you have any additional questions.

On Thu, Nov 30, 2017 at 12:41 PM, Hanson, Joshua <joshua.hanson@sol.doi.gov> wrote:

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From: **Mueller, Brian** <bmueller@blm.gov>

Date: Thu, Nov 30, 2017 at 2:20 PM
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See the updated map.

The Doll House Ruin addition (b)(5) DPP (b)(5) ACP

The Moon House Ruin (b)(5) DPP (b)(5) ACP, all BLM lands.

On Thu, Nov 30, 2017 at 12:08 PM, Hanson, Joshua <joshua.hanson@sol.doi.gov> wrote:

We can do this for GSENM, but BLM-UT is in the process of making some minor changes to the BE map to reflect the addition of small

On Thu, Nov 30, 2017 at 1:43 PM, Magallanes, Downey <downey_magallanes@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

Can we do final maps for public release removing the draft and the internal use only? Who in Utah created this and can help? Many thanks. Comms needs ASAP. In the home stretch.

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