

DECISION DOCUMENT

Round 1 Archaeological Initiative Lincoln County Land Act Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation and Development Act

The Bureau of Land Management Director hereby approves the final project recommendations for Round 1 Archaeological Initiative Lincoln County Land Act (LCLA) /Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation and Development Act (LCCRDA) submitted by the Nevada State Director. This decision initially approves the estimated expenditures from the LCLA/LCCRDA Special Account. Final authorization of these amounts for expenditure will occur once the procedures, as set forth in the LCLA/LCCRDA Implementation Agreement and the Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Act of 1977 (31 USC Sect. 6301), are successfully completed.

1. The total expenditure from the LCLA/ LCCRDA Special Account for Round 1 is \$648,230.80 for the following archaeological projects:

Priority	Project Title	Total Cost
1	Inventory, Evaluation and Management Assessment of Rock Art Sites on BLM Managed Lands in Lincoln County, Nevada	\$118,073.00
2	Oral Histories and Place Making Practices among the Paiute and Shoshone of Lincoln County: A Cultural Landscape of the Mormon Mountains	\$77,155.00
3	NVCRIS Research Enhancements and Database Verification	\$235,508.00
4	Continuation of Lincoln County Rock Art Panel Documentation	\$5,000.00
5	Nomination for Archaeological Research and Management at Three Obsidian Quarries in Lincoln County, Nevada	\$110,182.00*
6	Research Design for Obsidian Hydration Chronology-building in Lincoln County	\$36,312.80
7	Archeological Site Condition Monitoring, Unauthorized Use Reporting, Incident Investigations and Preliminary Damage Assessments in Lincoln County	\$66,000.00*
	TOTAL	\$648,230.80

* Includes 10% contingency

The budget figure includes the sum of the estimated costs for projects plus an additional 10 percent contingency for two of the seven projects. The 10 percent contingency may be expended to cover the difference between projected and actual costs without further approval of the Executive Committee, as set forth in the LCLA/LCCRDA Implementation Agreement.

2. The Bureau of Land Management in Nevada will issue task orders, contracts and/or assistance agreements for approved projects in accordance with the LCLA/LCCRDA Implementation Agreement and the Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Act of 1977.

APPROVED:



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Date