



of Paleoindian hunters on the extinction of mega fauna, and models on how humans adapt during dramatic environmental changes.

Integrity:

- Approximately 80 percent of the site retains a high level of archeological integrity. The remaining 20 percent of the site has been professionally excavated.

Owner of Property: Bureau of Land Management-San Pedro Riparian National Conservation Area

Acreage of Property: 35 acres

Origins of Nomination: The Bureau of Land Management requested that the Murray Springs Clovis Site be considered for NHL nomination in 2004. Since then, the BLM produced a nomination in cooperation with the National Park Service.

Potential for Positive Public Response or Reflection on NHL Program:

- The BLM has taken steps toward increasing public awareness of the Murray Springs Clovis Site via an interpretive trail. Every year the site has thousands of visitors who have expressed enthusiasm for what they have learned, and a desire to learn more about Paleoindians and their life ways. It is expected that NHL designation will further increase the public's awareness of this site, promoting interpretation, education, and preservation.



Potential for Negative Public Response or Reflection on NHL Program: None known.

Public Comments Favoring Designation (comments received as of 10/31/11):

Leigh J. Kuwanwisiwma, Director, Hopi Cultural Preservation Office, Tucson, Arizona
Tom Dabbs, District Manager, Gila District, Bureau of Land Management, United States
Department of the Interior
Kurt Dongoske, Pueblo of Zuni, New Mexico

Landmarks Committee Comments:

Landmarks Committee Recommendation: Designation. Dr. Mills moved, Dr. Allan seconded; unanimous approval.

Advisory Board Recommendation: