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Re: CRMC File Number 2022-01-064

> Applicant: Butler Hospital/City of Providence Intersection of Brookway Road and Grotto Avenue

Providence. Rhode Island

Dear Mr. Coia:

The Rhode Island Historical Preservation and Heritage Commission (RIHPHC) staff has reviewed the information that your office provided for the above-referenced application. Butler Hospital and the City of Providence are proposing roadway improvements near the intersection of Brookway Road and Grotto Avenue in Providence, Rhode Island.

Butler Hospital campus is individually listed in the National Register of Historic Places. The applicants propose to reconstruct a maintenance access drive at the southern end of the campus. The driveway will be rebuilt following the original alignment wherever possible. The driveway does not appear to be close to any buildings. Based on our review of available information, it is the conclusion of the RIHPHC that the project will have no adverse effect on historic properties.

These comments are provided in accordance with 650-RICR-20-00-1.2.3 Areas of Historic and Archaeological Significance of the Coastal Resources Management Council. If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth Totten, Project Review Coordinator, or Charlotte Taylor, Staff Archaeologist of this office. RECEIVED MAR 1 0 2022

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Emidy

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