# Cultural Resources
## Useful Links

**GDOT**
Georgia Department of Transportation
Office of Environmental Services
**Environmental Procedures Guidebooks**

GDOT Cultural Resources Sites
Agreement Documents
Regulations, Standards, and Qualifications
Guidelines and Procedures

The following list includes helpful links for Cultural Resource professionals working on GDOT projects and is intended to complement the information included in the Cultural Resource Guidebooks.  The list is not intended to be exhaustive and the most current editions of all guidance, documents, and procedures should be utilized when working on GDOT projects.

## GDOT CULTURAL RESOURCES SITES

[Cultural Resources Sharepoint Main Page](#)

[Cultural Resources Template Library](#)

[Public GDOT Cultural Resources Webpage](#)

## AGREEMENT DOCUMENTS

[Programmatic Agreement Regarding the Section 106 Process for the Transportation Program in Georgia](#) (See accompanying Cultural Resource Manual below)

[Programmatic Agreement Regarding Historic Streetcar Archaeological Sites in Georgia](#)

[Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Regarding Definition of the Section 106 Area of Potential Effect for Historic and Archaeological Resources for GDOT Traffic Operations Projects: Improvements to Existing Signalized Intersections](#)

## REGULATIONS, STANDARDS, AND QUALIFICATIONS

[Section 106 Regulations (36 CFR 800)](#)

[Secretary of Interior's Standards for Professional Qualifications](#)

[Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historic Preservation](#)

[Georgia's Abandoned Cemeteries and Burial Grounds Act (OCGA 36-72)](#)

Georgia Council of Professional Archaeologists Guidelines for Archaeological Investigations (2019)

Society for American Archaeology Style Guide (revised July 2021)

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Standards for Excavation Safety, 29 CFR 1926 Subpart P.

## GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES

Many of the following links can be found on the GDOT Cultural Resources Sharepoint Site under "Policies and Procedures".

GDOT Section 106 Cultural Resources Manual (see 2019 Section 106 PA above)

Environmental Survey Boundary Guidance

OES Consultant Document Review Process

GDOT Cultural Resources Cemetery Procedures

GDOT Archaeological Short Form Instructions and Template

GDOT Archaeological Report Guidelines

GDOT Archaeological Digital Data Package Guidance

A3M Tracking Database (OES Sharepoint Site)

A3M Checklist and Resources

A3M Preparation Tool Kit for Cultural Resources

GDOT Plan Reading Resources

University of West Georgia's Antonio J. Waring, Jr. Archaeological Laboratory "Standards for Archaeological Collections"

University of West Georgia's Antonio J. Waring, Jr. Archaeological Laboratory "Collections Labelling and Packaging Guide"

Georgia Office of the State Archaeologist *Policy on Encountering American Indian Human Remains*

GDOT Historic Property Noise Policy for State Funded Projects

GDOT Guidelines for Determining Noise Impact to Historic Resources

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