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Society for Industrial Archaeology Compartment of Social Sciences Michigan Tech University 1400 Townsend Drive Houghton, MI 49931-1295

To the Society for Industrial Archaeology,

The Bayfield Heritage Association (BHA), an affiliate of the state of Wisconsin Historical Society, is pleased to recommend the Apostle Islands Historic Preservation Conservancy (AIHPC) for receipt of an Industrial Heritage Preservation Grant. The Ashland Ore Dock preservation effort will benefit the greater Chequamegon Bay communities historically and economically; a win-win for the citizenry.

BHA and AIHPC have a strong working relationship and have partnered often through a variety of educationally related lectures and historic exhibit completions that share the rich history of Northwest Wisconsin and Bayfield Peninsula with the general public. We feel this organization and those so named as project team members are qualified to carry out the duties required in the project summary and application narrative.

Thank you in advance for this consideration. If BHA can be of further assistance feel free to bring your thoughts to my attention.

Sincerely,

Jerald Phillips

President