Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act

Initiate Section 106 Process
- Establish undertaking
- Identify appropriate SHPO/THPO*
- Plan to involve the public
- Identify other consulting parties

Undertaking is type that might affect historic properties

Identify Historic Properties
- Determine scope of efforts
- Identify cultural resources/historic properties
- Evaluate historic significance

No historic properties affected

Historic properties are affected

Assess Adverse Effects
- Apply criteria of adverse effect

No historic properties adversely affected
Programmatic Agreement

Historic properties are affected

Reverse Adverse Effects
- Continue consultation

No undertaking/no potential to cause effects

Failure to Agree

Memorandum of Agreement
Programmatic Agreement

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Comment
Programmatic Agreement

*SHPO/THPO = State Historic Preservation Officer/Tribal Historic Preservation Officer