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To Participants in C.L.U.W.

Planning for the Conference on Lithic Use-Wear is proceeding apace and there are several developments which you should know of. First, I am enclosing a list of all persons who have agreed to participate in the workshop sessions and prepare some original research. As you can see, response has been overwhelmingly supportive and in most cases very enthusiastic. Second, I have sorted out paper topics into several categories which will form topics for workshop sessions. It would be helpful if you would orient your paper texts towards these major themes where feasible, or make them pertinent to one or more topics. Third, because of the scope of the topics of discussion, and to accomodate a general summary session, the conference has been extended in length to 5 (it may have to go to 6) days. If anyone has strong feelings one way or the other about extending the sessions over 6 days (2 sessions per day) please let me know. Fourth, because a number of participants have indicated time and monetary conflict with the International Union of Pre- and Protohistorical Sciences Congress at Nice, and because of planning considerations, I have decided to reschedule the conference for the 15 (16) - 20th March, 1977. I hope this poses no inconvenience for anyone.

Finally, although funding is still under way, we have already obtained several commitments. I think I can guarantee at least a 40% reimbursement for travel at this point.

Let me say again that I find the prospect of this conference continually exciting, and am convinced that it will be an extremely significant archaeological happening and an important source of data for years to come.

Yours sincerely,

Brian D. Hayden,

Conference Co-ordinator

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CONFERENCE ON LITHIC USE-WEAR

LIST OF DELEGATES

Ahler, Stanley, Illinois State Museum

Berman, Ira, New York University

Brose, David, Case Western Reserve Univ.

Collins, Michael B., University of Kentucky

Crabtree, Don,
Idaho State University

Del Bene, Terry, Washington State University

Faulkner, Alaric, University of Wisconsin

Gorman, Chet, University of Pennsylvania

Hester, Thomas, University of Texas

Howser, Susan D., Washington State University

Kamminga, Johan, University of Sydney

Keeley, Lawrence, University of Oxford

Kleindienst, Maxine, Scarborough College

Korobkova, Galya, Institute of Archaeology, USSR

Luedtke, Barbara, University of Massachusetts

McPherron, Alan, University of Pittsburgh

Nance, Jack D., Simon Fraser University

Odell, George, Harvard University

Peterson, Warren, University of Illinois

Roberts, Michael, Harvard University

Shafer, Harry J., Texas A & M University

Shelly, Phil, Washington State University

Benfer, Alice, University of Missouri

Bordes, François (Tentative) Universite de Bordeaux

Clouse, Robert A., University of Illinois

Copp, Stanley, Simon Fraser University

de Lumley, Henry, Universite de Provence

Diamond, George P., University of London

Frison, George C., University of Wyoming

Gorman, Frederick J., Boston University

Holley, Gerald A., Seattle, Wash.

Ilkjaer, Jorgen, University of Aarhus, Denmark

Kancev, Kanco, Institute of Archaeology, Bulgaria

Klein, Ellen, University of Pennsylvania

Knudson, Ruthann, University of Idaho

Levitt, Jeff, University of Calgary

McManamon, Frank, SUNY Binghamton, N.Y.

Muto, Guy, Washington State University

Newcomer, Mark, University of London

Pant, R.K., Physical Research Lab., Ahnedabad, India

Prinz, Beth, University of Pittsburgh

Schiffer, Michael B., University of Arkansas Museum

Sheets, Payson D., University of Colorado

Shiner, Joel L., Southern Methodist University Tixier, Jacques, Institut Paleontologie Humaine

Tsirk, Are, New York University

Wilmsen, Edwin, University of Michigan

Elster, Ernestine, U.C.L.A.

Peterson, Warren, University of Illinois

Franklin, Ursula (Tentative) University of Toronto

Kukan, J., (Tentative) University of Toronto

Tomenchuck, John, (Tentative)

University of Toronto

Tringham, Ruth E., Harvard University

Whitman, Anne, Harvard University

Wylie, H.G.,

Six Rivers National Forest, Cal.

Grigg, Paul S.,

University of New Mexico

Singer, Clay, U.C.L.A.

Hayden, B. D.,

Simon Fraser University

Schroeder, H. Bruce, University of Toronto

Simonsen, Bjorn, A.S.A.B., B. C.

Representatives from the B. C. Provincial Museum

Symposia Topics

- Fracture types and mechanics of Use-wear definitions: formation
- TT. Use-wear definitions: Edge rounding to gloss and
- mechanics of formation
 Sources of Use-wear morphology I: Raw lithic material III. as an independent variable
- Sources of Use-wear morphology II: Motor patterns as an independent variable
- Sources of Use-wear morphology III: Edge shapes, V .

sections and impacts as independent variables

- VI. Sources of Use-wear morphology IV: Worked materials as independent variables
- VII. Sources of Use-wear morphology V: Causes of damage other than use
- Change in wear patterns with continued use VIII.
 - IX. Interpreting use-wear
 - Experimental procedures and communication of results Detection and recording techniques Χ.
 - XI.
- XII. General Session: summaries and conclusions