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WELCOME

The Legacy Resource Management Program

Full proposals are due **1 November** at 11:59pm local time. No late submittals will be accepted. Please contact Hillori Schenker, 703-604-1724, with any questions about your submittal.

The Legacy Cultural Resources Review Committee will meet 14 November to discuss the proposals. Authors will be notified of their proposal's acceptance/rejection as funds become available.



FIRST FLIGHT

Historians and flight enthusiasts gathered in early October to commemorate the 102nd anniversary of the Wright brother's flight at Huffman Prairie Flying Field, currently at Wright-Patterson AFB in Ohio. For photos and the full article, visit: http://www.daytondailynews.com/n/content/oh/story/news/local/2007/10/02/ddn100307wrightflight.html



CALL FOR ABSTRACTS FROM US/ICOMOS

US/ICOMOS seeks abstracts that discuss innovative, successful programs and partnerships from the United States and other countries involving collaboration in international preservation. Abstracts are due 15 November 2007. For more information and abstract requirements, visit: http://www.icomos.org/usicomos.

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NEWS

"Preservation Matters:" The 2007 National Preservation Conference



MICKEY'S DINER A STAPLE OF DOWNTOWN ST. PAUL, MN FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS, IS ONE OF SEVERAL ST. PAUL BUILDINGS LISTED ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER FOR HISTORIC PLACES (1983).

The National Trust for Historic Preservation's 2007 National Preservation Conference, "Preservation Matters!" descended upon the Twin Cities, October 2-6. The four day conference featured St. Paul, MN hometown hero and nationally-acclaimed satirist Garrison Keillor as the key-note speaker; sessions on topics to suit any interest; and myriad networking opportunities.

Some sessions of interest to the nine DoD attendees were Public Outreach and Heritage Tourism at Military Installations; Bringing the Past into the Future: Connecting the Preservation and Green Building Movements; and Public-Private Partnerships for Military Housing. The Heritage Tourism session, chaired by CERL's Adam Smith, gave overviews of the very different types of public outreach engaged by the Army. The well-attended Green Building session, led by ANG's Matt Nowakowski, brought together three experts on historic preservation and sustainability. The speakers gave indepth addresses followed by an active question and answer period. The Privatization session featured representatives from each stakeholder in the Navy's privatization process: the architect, the military, and the private industry to provide a well-rounded picture of the restoration and redevelopment at NS Great Lakes, IL.

With 2039 attendees, the National Preservation Conference is the largest gathering of professionals and volunteers in the preservation field. Through the several receptions, luncheons, sprawling exhibit hall, and closing party, the National Trust conference offers opportunities to discuss emerging issues, brag about success stories, and disseminate information. Next year's conference will take place in Tusla, Oklahoma, October 21-25, 2008.

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HERITAGE TOURISM ON MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

On Thursday 4 October 2007 at the National Trust for Historic Preservation conference in St Paul, Minnesota an informative and refreshing session on Public Outreach and Heritage Tourism on Military Installations was led by Adam Smith, architectural historian from ERDC/CERL. Presenters described how their programs have responded to the requirements in DoDI 4715.3 and Preserve America. Michelle Michael, architectural historian Fort Bragg Cultural Resources Management Program, detailed how her program facilitated a reunion at one of their antebellum churches and the programs involvement with the Army Community Heritage Partnerships Program. Edward Hooker III, historic architect Fort Riley, discussed Fort Riley's Apple Days, regular and ghost tours of the historic Custer House, and their relationship with the Kansas State Historical Society and the First Territorial Capitol. Finally, Dr. Laurie Rush, Fort Drum Cultural Resources Manager, talked about the historic LeRay Mansion and archeological investigations of historic town sites.

The session was well received by the audience with many questions.

ARCHEOLOGICAL RESOURCES PROTECTION TRAINING PROGRAM

The Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC) presents training in all aspects of an archeological investigation and subsequent prosecution of the crimes. Subject matter experts in the fields of law enforcement, archeology and law instruct attendees in gathering and processing physical evidence, writing incident reports, executive summaries, search warrants, damage assessments, and provide testimony in a courtroom scenario. The class cumulates in a twelve-hour archeological crime scene practical exercise where law enforcement officers and archeologist work as a team to investigate and document a crime scene.

Columbus, OH -- March 10, 2008 to March 14, 2008 Bar Harbor, ME -- April 07, 2008 to April 11, 2008 Panama City, FL -- April 21, 2008 to April 25, 2008

LOWER SIOUX INDIAN COMMUNITY ASSUMES SHPO FUNCTIONS

The Director of the National Park Service formally approved the proposal of the Lower Sioux Indian Community to assume certain State Historic Preservation Officer duties within the exterior boundaries of the tribe's reservation in Minnesota. The Tribe assumed formal responsibility for review of Federal undertakings pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. In addition, the Tribe assumed all of the other SHPO functions set out in the Act with the exceptions of assisting in the certification of local governments and assisting in the evaluation of Investment Tax Credit rehabilitation projects. The Tribe's historic preservation officer is Ms. Pamela Halverson.

Managing DoD's Historic Real Property - Part 1

This is the first article in a series that will discuss how DoD tracks and manages information on its historic real property assets.

With the largest real estate portfolio in the world, the Department of Defense (DoD) has a significant challenge to identify and maintain its historic properties. Of DoD's 344,000 buildings worldwide, approximately 32% are more than 50 years old and potentially historic. DoD estimates the number of historic assets will more than double over the next 20 years. Many of these historic buildings are still in daily use and must be appropriately maintained to meet operational needs. DoD strives to balance responsible stewardship of this significant legacy with meeting the demands of defending our nation.

In addition to appropriately managing historic assets and their data, DoD must comply with the law and with two Federal Executive Orders pertaining to historic properties: Federal Real Property Asset Management (EO 13327) and Preserve America (EO 13287). The goal of these Orders is to improve federal inventory management, build preservation partnerships, and increase federal stewardship of historic properties.

It is imperative that DoD obtain a complete and accurate inventory of its historically significant resources to support the military's mission, preserve the assets' character and function, and protect the health and safety of occupants. To improve the management of its immense inventory, DoD's Installations and Environment (I&E) organization developed a real property transformation strategy. Obtaining accurate historic property data is a key component of this strategy.

As mandated by Federal Executive Orders, the Military Services and Defense Agencies are required to report the historic status of each asset-noting if the property has been evaluated for historic status and recording all National Historic Landmarks; historic properties eligible for, or listed on, the National Register of Historic Places; or properties with contributing elements to historic districts.

The Real Property Inventory Requirements, issued in FY2005, include provisions for a 'Historic Status' data element. Under current (FY2007) reporting requirements, all Military Components must indicate the historic status for all constructed (buildings, structures) real property assets. Currently, DoD has eleven choices (or codes) for historic status:

Individual National Historic Landmark

NHLC Contributing element of NHL district
 NRLI Individual National Register Listed
 NRLC Contributing element of NRL district
 NREI Individual National Register Eligible
 NREC Contributing element of NRE district
 ELPA Eligible for the purposes of a Program Alternative

NCE Non-contributing element of NHL/NRL/NRE district NEWS continued on page 4

NHLI

Call for Information

DESIGN GUIDELINES HANDBOOK QUESTIONNAIRE

Fort Bragg Cultural Resources Management Program, funded by the Department of Defense (DoD) Legacy Resources Management Program, is developing a handbook on design guidelines for historic buildings and districts located on DoD installations in the continental United States. In order to develop a comprehensive handbook, please answer each of the following questions about your installation's historic buildings and district(s) and your existing treatment practices for those resources.

Please return your completed questionnaire to Michelle Michael via email at michelle.michael@us.army.mil by 15 December 2007. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Michael at 910-396-6680 or Ms. Heather McDonald at 706-548-1458.

Section I – Historic Resources

- 1. Respondent Contact Information and Installation
- 2. Provide a brief description or list of the historic buildings and/or historic districts on your installation. Please note the period of significance for each district, the date or estimated date of construction for each building, and whether the building or district is listed on the National Register of Historic Places, determined eligible for the National Register or is a National Historic Landmark.
- 3. Provide examples of your eligible individual buildings as well as contributing building types, structures, objects and landscapes located in your historic district(s) and if known the building's architectural style and the landscape design. For example, Fort Bragg's Old Post Historic District consists of Georgian Revival style barracks and Spanish Eclectic style family housing with landscape features designed utilizing Beaux-Arts principles.
- 4. Is all of your historic housing privatized under the Residential Communities Initiative? Or do you have historic houses utilized under another use such as offices or guest quarters?

Section II – Treatment of Historic Resources

- 1. Do you have existing treatment or maintenance plans in place for your historic districts, buildings, structures, objects or landscapes? If so please list and briefly describe your various treatment plans (i.e. maintenance manuals, stewardship standards, design guidelines, etc.).
- 2. Do you have existing standards for the treatment of historic buildings approved by your State Historic Preservation Office (i.e. design of new exterior security lights, bollard or gate design, design for enclosing open porches, etc)? If so, please list and briefly describe below.
- 3. Do you have existing or pending Programmatic Agreements or Memorandum of Agreements relating to the treatment of historic buildings, structures, objects or landscapes?
- 4. Have historic building projects been successfully completed on your installation implementing both LEED standards and the Secretary of Interiors Standards for Rehabilitation? If so, please briefly describe below.

Section III – Present or Future Concerns regarding Historic Resources

- 1. Do you have any specific areas of concern or issues that should be addressed when considering the treatment of historic resources on DoD installations? (i.e. LEED, force protection, landscape treatments, etc.) Please briefly describe below.
- 2. Provide any additional information and/or comments.
- 3. Would you be willing to submit copyright free photographs illustrating your historic buildings and districts for use in the design guidelines handbook?

For Air Force Installations, please answer these additional questions:

- 1. Did your installation implement the standards and guidelines for rehabilitating historic buildings and structures developed in 1996 by Richard Wagner titled "Preserving a Heritage"?
- 2. If so, please provide feedback as to what you liked and/or disliked about the guidelines including but not limited to such topics as the format of the document and the content (i.e. useful sections or sections that need to be added).
- 3. Please provide examples of various projects where the guidelines assisted you in minimizing the adverse effect to a historic building or structure. If possible, can we obtain before and after photographs of the projects to use in the handbook?

Thank you for your time and assistance!



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DNR National Historic Landmark / National Register property, designation rescinded

DNE Determined Not Eligible for Listing

NEV Not Yet Evaluated

Combined with other data collected as per the Real Property Inventory Requirements on the properties' condition, use, operating costs, and mission dependency, the Department has valuable information to efficiently manage its historic preservation program. With more reliable and complete data on historic properties, DoD will be able to operate and protect its historic assets more effectively.

Next month - When does an ELPA trump a NREC? Part 2 of "Managing DoD's Historic Real Property" will address the historic status codes in detail, including their application and hierarchy.

THE NEW DENIX, ONLINE SOON...

As you're likely aware, the Defense Environmental Network and Information Exchange (DENIX) web site is in the midst of a complete redesign. The planned launch of the new DENIX is scheduled for November 5, 2007. As the DENIX team works to migrate all content to the new system, the old system will remain available (concurrently with the new) for a period of time, ultimately shutting down no later than December 31, 2007.

Unfortunately, due to Department of Defense security policies, the DENIX team will be unable to migrate user accounts to the new system. While re-registration may be an inconvenience, users will have the option to register using a CAC and will no longer need to remember a complicated, regularly-changing password (username/password registration will still be available as an option if-preferred).

If you are a sponsored user (contractor or non-DoD federal employee), you will need to make sure your sponsor has re-registered and activated their account before you will be able to create a new account. Unsponsored users may re-register immediately following the November 5 release.

For more information about the DENIX redesign or if you have any questions about the re-registration process, please contact:

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ARCHAEOLOGY CARD WATCH

For those of you still trying to convince Mom & Dad that those years of schooling are as relevant to the current world as a law degree could be: the Legacy archaeology cards were featured in the *Wall Street Journal* on Thursday, October 4.

DOD SUBMISSIONS TO THE 2008 PRESERVE AMERICA PRESIDENTIAL AWARDS

Recently, the DoD Historic Preservation Working Group (HPWG) reviewed eight nomination packages for the 2008 Preserve America Presidential Awards. This review was in advance of the upcoming Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's (ACHP) November 1, 2007 deadline for nominations.

The 2008 Awards mark the first opportunity for consideration of publicly-funded preservation projects. Formerly, preservation projects had to be primarily privately funded to qualify. This means that preservation efforts meeting Preserve America Presidential Award criteria that are funded by private, federal, state, city, county, or tribal means, or any combination of funding sources, now are eligible.

The HPWG reviewed nominations from Fort Bragg and Carlisle Barracks (Army); Bolling Air Force Base, Eglin Air Force Base, Cape Canaveral Air Force Station, Nellis Air Force Base and the National Museum of the US Air Force (Air Force); and the OSD Legacy Resource Management Program. The HPWG reviewed the nominations, many of which showcase outstanding and innovative heritage tourism projects and programs based upon sustainable use of cultural and natural historic resources. The HPWG recommended some minor improvements to some of the packages; authors of the packages are requested to send the final nominations directly to the ACHP before the deadline.

The ACHP will present four Preserve America Presidential Awards during Preservation Month in May 2008. More information on the 2008 program, as well as information on past winners and the overall Preserve America initiative, are available at http://www.preserveamerica.gov/presidentialaward.html.

HORACE H. FOXALL, JR. ELECTED TO BOARD OF ADVISORS OF NATIONAL TRUST FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION

Horace Henry Foxall, Jr., of Seattle, has been elected to the Board of Advisors of the National Trust for Historic Preservation. An architect with the Army Corps of Engineers for some 31 years, Mr. Foxall's participation in many noteworthy preservation projects nationwide, his extensive activities as an instructor, and his service on numerous preservation-related boards equip him with an admirable fluency in communicating historic preservation's issues and opportunities to a wide variety of audiences. He will serve as Advisor to the national nonprofit preservation organization for an initial three-year term. Foxall complements two other Washington state Advisors: Joanne Moyer of Spokane and Michael Sullivan of Tacoma. The National Trust for Historic Preservation's Board of Advisors is composed of two Advisors from each state, in addition to "at large" members.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

HISTORIC STRUCTURES REPORTS: A MANAGEMENT

TOOL FOR HISTORIC PROPERTIES

PLACE: GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA AND PHEONIX, AZ DATE: 13 NOVEMBER 2007 AND 27 FEBRUARY 2008

SECTION 106: A REVIEW FOR EXPERIENCED

PRACTITIONERS

PLACE: COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA DATE: 13-14 NOVEMBER 2007

SECTION 106: AN INTRODUCTION

PLACE: WASHINGTON, DC AND SACRAMENTO, CA DATE: 13-15 NOVEMBER 2007 AND 11-13 MARCH 2008

PRESERVATION MAINTENANCE: UNDERSTANDING AND PRESERVING HISTORIC BUILDINGS

PLACE: GREENSBOROR, NORTH CAROLINA AND PHEONIX, AZ DATE: 14-15 NOVEMBER 2007 AND 28-29 FEBRUARY 2008

SECTION 4(F) COMPLIANCE FOR TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS

PLACE: AUGUSTA, MAINE AND AUSTIN, TX

DATE: 14-15 NOVEMBER 2007 AND 11-12 MARCH 2008

SERDP/ESTCP PARTNERS IN ENVIRONMENTAL
TECHNOLOGY TECHNICAL SYMPOSIUM & WORKSHOP

PLACE: WASHINGTON, DC DATE: 4-6 DECEMBER 2007

NEPA COMPLIANCE AND CULTURAL RESOURCES

PLACE: COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA AND HONOLULU, HI DATE: 15-16 NOVEMBER 2007 AND 3-4 MARCH 2008

NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURAL PROPERTY LAW

PLACE: SEATTLE, WASHINGTON DATE: 4-5 DECEMBER 2007

SECTION 106 AGREEMENT DOCUMENTS

PLACE: CARSON CITY, NEVADA AND WASHINGTON, DC DATE: 4-6 DECEMBER 2007 AND 11-13 MARCH 2008

FACILITIES PLANNER

PLACE: TBA, HAWAII DATE: 14-18 JANUARY 2008

ACHP Section 106 Essentials

PLACE: HOUSTON, TEXAS DATE: 16-17 JANUARY 2008

HISTORIC PRESERVATION LAW AND SECTION 106

COMPLIANCE

PLACE: CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS DATE: 26-28 FEBRUARY 2008

*** BE SURE TO CHECK <u>HTTP://www.npl.org/</u> AND HTTPS://www.cecos.navy.mil/schedule.cfm ***

DENIX

The new DENIX will feature many improvements over the old, including a customizable interface, improved search capabilities, subscription services for email notifications and new file structures for many of the content areas. The new Cultural Resources area on DENIX will be organized using a completely revamped file and menu hierarchy designed by the Clearinghouse Advisory Group (CAG), an inter-service group of cultural resources specialists. Under a FY2007 Legacy-funded project, the CAG met in July 2007 to discuss a "clearinghouse" approach to Cultural Resources documents on DENIX. The revised hierarchy is one of the first steps in a process to collect as much DoD Cultural Resources content (reports, documents, policy, guidance, etc) in one location for the benefit of the entire DoD CRM community. The CAG will meet again in January 2008 to discuss the new structure and move forward with other phases of the project. Future issues of the CR UPDATE will include more information on the CAG and their progress.

CR CENTERFOLD

HISTORY AND NATURE TRAIL



This trail is located on the military installation that can boast the oldest European settlement in North America.

Its interpretive signs, like the one above, discuss uses of the surrounding land from pre-history up to the present military uses.

The military has maintained a presence on this site since the 1880s.

Do you know the location of this trail?

Answer, next month.

If you are interested in posting photographs, announcements, news articles, courses, or conference information please suemit items to Hillori. Schenker.ctr@osd.mil.

THE LAST ETHNIC MARKER TO FADE FROM A CULTURE IS THE WAY WE PREPARE FOOD. TO CELEBRATE DIVERSITY AND OUR HERITAGE A RECIPE WILL BE PUBLISHED EACH MONTH.

NEXT MONTH PLEASE SEND YOUR FAVORITE *INDIGENOUS FOOD* RECIPE TO HILLORI.SCHENKER.CTR@OSD.MIL

NOTE: Native Americans first grew squash approximately 9,000 years ago. Pumpkins, a variety of squash, were valued for their edible seeds and flesh. The pumpkin was roasted raw and eaten right off the fire, boiled, or dried for later use. Some pumpkin was even dried and woven into mats. The seeds eventually moved into the Northeast, where the Pilgrims discovered the domesticated varieties. The Pilgrims, after spending a hungry winter, quickly realized the value of pumpkins and soon started growing their own. The pumpkin became an important food source for the Pilgrims. From the settlers, Pumpkin seeds were sent across the ocean to England. Today pumpkins are grown world wide.



AUTUMN RECIPE: Pumpkin Bread

RECIPE

3 ½ c	all-purpose flour	1 tsp	baking powder
¹/₂ tsp	cloves	1 c	applesauce
2 tsp	cinnamon	1 can	pumpkin
1 tsp	nutmeg	3 c	sugar
1 tsp	ginger	3	eggs
1 tsp	salt	1 c	water
2 tsp	baking soda		

DIRECTIONS

Sift dry ingredients together, then mix in the wet ingredients. Pour into 2 loaf pans of into a Bundt pan (greased and floured). Bake at 350 degrees for 50 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted into the bread comes out clean.

Previous editions of the *UPDATE* can be found on the web

LEGACY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

The Legacy program was established by Congress in 1990 to provide financial assistance to DoD to preserve our natural and cultural heritage. The program assists the DoD in protecting and enhancing resources while supporting military readiness. A Legacy project may involve regional ecosystem management initiatives, habitat preservation efforts, historic preservation projects, archaeological investigations, invasive species control, Native American consultations, and/or monitoring and predicting migratory patterns of birds and animals.

See www.dodlegacy.org for more information.

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