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WELCOME

[The Sustainability 2007 Conference--UPDATE](#)

Last issue, the UPDATE reported that the save-the-date website for the DoD-sponsored Sustaining Military Readiness Conference website would be available 1 December. Due to circumstances beyond our control, the website has not been functional. The website is now functional and available at:

<http://www.sustainingmilitaryreadiness2007.com/>

Stay tuned to UPDATE and to the website for forthcoming information on the 30 July-3 August conference.

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This past month, the Legacy staff met and reviewed the proposals. The proposals continue making their way up the chain. Those applicants whose proposals receive funding will be notified towards the end of January.

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NEWS

[Your Opportunity to Develop DoD's New Cultural Resources Policy](#)

The Historic Preservation Work Group (HPWG) has completed the first full draft of the new DoD Cultural Resources Instruction. It is out to the DoD Components for informal comment, with comments due January 19, 2007. A copy is posted on DENIX at:

https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/DOD/Webnotes/show_index.cgi/denix/DOD/Library/NCR/about.html?dod.interact.ncr-cult-res.discuss

The new policy focuses on meeting the Department's Section 110 requirements from NHPA. The intent is to expand the importance of using historic properties to meet mission needs.

Please take a few minutes to review this draft. If you have comments or suggestions, please feel free to post them on the Cultural Resources discussion area on DENIX at:

https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/DOD/Webnotes/show_index.cgi/denix/DOD/Library/NCR/about.html?dod.interact.ncr-cult-res.discuss

The HPWG will consider all posted comments when addressing the comments from the DoD Components when preparing the final version of the new Instruction.



CONGRESS ENACTS ACHP AUTHORIZATION

Contributed by Bruce Milhans

December 9—Today the U.S. House of Representatives passed S. 1378, a bill drafted by the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), to provide appropriations authorization for the ACHP and the Historic Preservation Fund and to make certain operational improvements for the ACHP. The House action clears the bill to go to President Bush for signature.

The legislation provides a permanent authorization for the ACHP, which in the past had to be reauthorized every five years with a fixed dollar appropriations limit. In a fitting conclusion to the year-long 40th anniversary celebration marking passage of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (NHPA) that created the ACHP, the now-permanent status of the independent, federal agency affirms its stature as a pivotal element of the national historic preservation program.

John L. Nau, III, chairman of the ACHP, took an active leadership role in advocating the ACHP's legislation and worked closely with House members to turn back efforts to limit the protections for historic properties found in Section 106 of the NHPA. Partnering with committee leadership and Rep. Mike Turner (R-OH), co-chair of the House Historic Preservation Caucus, Chairman Nau pressed to bring the legislation to final action before close of the legislative session.

In addition to the permanent, no limit appropriations authorization, the bill provides for the addition of three new federal agency council members designated by the president and new flexibility in contracting for administrative support services, a major part of the ACHP's annual cost of operation. A new provision authorizes the ACHP to enter into cooperative agreements with federal grant-making agencies to make grants more supportive of historic preservation goals. Of importance to the broader preservation community is inclusion of language extending the deposit into the Historic Preservation Fund of receipts from outer continental shelf oil and gas leases through 2015 at an annual rate of \$150 million.

The original authorization bill had been introduced in the Senate by Sen. James Talent (R-MO) on July 11, 2005, and was passed by the Senate on September 29, 2006. The House had previously passed a similar bill, H.R. 5861, which contained several provisions relating to Section 106 and the Certified Local Government program. Last minute negotiations focused on whether the House or Senate bill would be the final vehicle for reauthorization. In the end, the House accepted the Senate version.

The culmination of this multi-year legislative effort is a major achievement for the ACHP and its preservation partners, an appropriate tribute to the 40th anniversary of the NHPA.

[This bill is still waiting presidential signature.]

COMMENTS SOUGHT ON PRESERVE AMERICA SUMMIT ISSUE AREA REPORTS

Contributed by Brian Lione



DoD representatives at the Preserve America Summit included (L-R): Mr. Donald Schregardus, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Environment); Mr. Paul Lumley, OSD Senior Tribal Liaison; Dr. Jay Thomas, Navy Deputy Federal Preservation Officer (FPO); Mr. Brian Lione, DoD Deputy FPO; Mr. Philip Grone, Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations and Environment) (DUSD(I&E)); Mr. Michael McGhee, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Environment, Safety and Occupational Health); Captain Richard Cook, DUSD(I&E) Military Engineer Advisor; Ms. Maureen Sullivan, DoD FPO; Mr. William Armbruster, Deputy Assistant of the Army (Privatization and Partnerships) (DASA(P&P)); Ms. Sara Streff, DASA(P&P) Assistant for Competition and Partnerships.

Mrs. Laura Bush, Honorary Chair of Preserve America, led nearly 500 participants of the Preserve America Summit Oct. 18-20, 2006 in New Orleans. The Summit coincided with the October 15, 1966 passage of the landmark National Historic Preservation Act - 40 years ago - making October an appropriate time to bring together cross disciplinary panels to review America's preservation programs and propose improvements. For information on the Summit, including rebroadcasts of the Summit plenary sessions, click here

<http://www.preserveamericasummit.org/pa/>.

The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) seeks additional public comment on the eleven issue area reports that were developed at the recent Preserve America Summit in New Orleans. Comments are particularly welcome on action items to be presented to the ACHP at its February 2007 business meeting and are due by close of business on Jan. 16, 2007. Visit

http://www.preserveamericasummit.org/pa/hay_reg_index.asp?page=1022 to review the reports and obtain information on providing comments.

The White House is working with the ACHP, the Department of the Interior and other federal agencies to implement Preserve America. For more information about the initiative and its programs visit

www.PreserveAmerica.gov. For more information on DoD's role in Preserve America, email Brian Lione at brian.lione@osd.mil.

Call for Funding Proposals

Preserve America Grants

The National Park Service has posted the FY 2007 Preserve America application and guidelines on the NPS/Historic Preservation Grants Division website. The application deadline is **14 February** 2007. The Application, Guidelines, and more information is available at:

<http://www.cr.nps.gov/hps/hpg/PreserveAmerica/index.htm>

Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Grants

The National Park Service invites proposals for FY 2007 Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) grants. NAGPRA is the federal law that provides a process for museums and federal agencies to return certain Native American cultural items to lineal descendants, culturally affiliated Indian tribes, and Native Hawaiian organizations. Two types of grants are available. Consultation/Documentation Grants are awarded annually and range from \$5,000 to \$75,000. Deadline is **1 March**. Repatriation Grants of up to \$15,000 are awarded on an ongoing basis, October through June.

Application information is online. <http://www.cr.nps.gov/nagpra/grants>

Call for Proposals

National Trust for Historic Preservation Conference 2007—Education Session

The National Trust for Historic Preservation calls for submissions for an education or poster session for the Twin Cities National Preservation Conference in Saint Paul, Minnesota, 2-6 October 2007. The Trust seeks proposals that present cutting edge historic preservation strategies and critical issues that challenge communities across the country. Sessions dealing with:

- green building
- teardowns and infill design
- smart growth
- community development tools and incentives
- eminent domain
- rural heritage
- the future of historic sites
- and all aspects of diversity are of particular interest.

National Trust for Historic Preservation Conference 2007—Poster Session

New in 2007, Poster Sessions will feature individual presentations displayed on 4' x 8' poster boards in a special area of the Exhibit Hall. Poster sessions are a visual, tangible way to highlight a success, describe a program, or just share your work. Did you use innovative strategies to save a building? Brag about it! Do you have an outstanding Board, and innovative management practices? Share your success with your colleagues. Browsing the Posters while enjoying refreshments will become a Preservation Conference tradition. Posters will be displayed for one day, and must be attended by the presenter during designated poster session times.

For more information, or to submit a proposal or poster, visit:

<http://www.nthpconference.org/proposals/>

Education/Poster session proposal submission deadline is **12 January**.

DENIX

DENIX is a great website full of interesting and valuable information on cultural resource management. It also contains many of the reports funded by Legacy.

WORKSHOP:

[Report of Proceedings: Cultural Resource Management Workshop](#)

FACT SHEETS:

[Hardening Nineteenth Century Sites: Best Management Practices \(Legacy Project 06-303\)](#)



Be sure to check the other CR pages: [Archaeology](#), [BRAC](#), [Cold War](#), [Curation](#), [GIS](#), [Guidance Documents](#), [Historic Contexts](#), [Links](#), [Military Museums](#), [National Historic Landmarks](#), [Native Americans](#), [Preserve America](#), [Program Alternatives](#), and [Underwater Archaeology](#).

HISTORIC PRESERVATION WORK GROUP STRATEGIC PLAN FOR 2007

The Historic Preservation Work Group brainstormed to develop a list of issues to focus on for the next year. The intent was to develop a list of topics that will meet upcoming deadlines and/or assist installations in meeting their historic preservation/cultural resources needs. The HPWG looked at the tasks coming out of the Preserve America Report to the President, the ACHP Six-Year Strategic Plan, and the Preserve America Summit.

The list of topics, in no particular order, is posted on DENIX at:

https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/Public/Library/NCR/progam_alternatives.html?fm-culres

If you have suggestions on what the HPWG should be concentrating on during 2007, please post your comments under the title "FY07 HPWG Strategic Plan" at:

https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/DOD/Webnotes/show_in dex.cgi/denix/DOD/Library/NCR/about.html?dod.interact.ncr-cult-res.discuss

Since the major deadline for Heritage Asset Reporting is September 2008, the HPWG chose to address this issue at the January meeting. If you have questions about Heritage Asset Reporting that the HPWG should address as they develop guidance, please post those questions also.



2006 DoD CULTURAL RESOURCES WORKSHOP WEBSITE NOW ACTIVE!

Papers and presentations from the July workshop 2006 DoD Cultural Resources Workshop are now available on the web.

Legacy, in partnership with the Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program (SERDP) and the Environmental Security Technology Certification Program (ESTCP), convened the workshop to discuss ways to strategically tackle emerging military cultural resource challenges. From July 11 through 13, 2006, ninety five invited participants gathered in Seattle, Washington to participate in the workshop. Participants included cultural resource experts and professional representatives from DoD and the military services, other federal agencies, tribal governments, State Historic Preservation Offices, universities, and private firms.

The workshop papers and presentations are now available on the **Defense Environmental Network and Information eXchange (DENIX)** website at <https://www.denix.osd.mil/denix/Public/Library/NCR/cr-presentations-crw-seattle-0706.html?fm-culres>. We will release an outcomes document early in 2007 that builds on this information and workshop discussions to form recommendations for future DoD cultural resource investments. More information on SERDP and ESTCP is available online at www.serdp.org and www.estcp.org.

MILITARY MUSEUM HIGHLIGHT

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



Picture from museum website.

The world's largest and oldest military aviation museum is located at the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base near Dayton, Ohio.

The museum displays over three hundred aircraft and missiles, features an IMAX theater showing a selection of films throughout the year. Special events are offered, including concerts by the USAF Band, behind the scenes tours, lectures, and military reunions.

The National Museum of the USAF is open daily from 9am to 5pm, except Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. The museum offers free parking and admission to all visitors.

For more information about exhibits or directions, visit: <http://www.nationalmuseum.af.mil/>

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

[SAVING PLACES CONFERENCE 2007](#)

PLACE: DENVER, COLORADO
DATE: 7-9 FEBRUARY 2007

[COURSE ON CONSERVATION OF BUILT HERITAGE 2007](#)

PLACE: ROME, ITALY
DATE: 1 FEBRUARY - 30 MARCH 2007

[Historic Preservation Law and Section 106 Compliance](#)

PLACE: TAMPA, FL AND TUCSON, AZ
DATE: 13-15 FEBRUARY 2007 AND 17-19 APRIL 2007
(RESPECTIVELY)

This course takes the next step after the "Introduction to Cultural Resource Management Laws and Regulations" emphasizing legal compliance (the National Historic Preservation Act Section 106 Process).

[Introduction to Cultural Resource Laws and Regulations](#)

PLACE: KANEHOE BAY, HI AND SHREVEPORT, LA
DATE: 13-15 MARCH 2007 AND 17-19 JULY 2007
(RESPECTIVELY)

This three-day course provides an integrated overview of all pertinent laws and regulations needed to understand and fulfill cultural resource management responsibilities.

[SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY \(SAA\) CONFERENCE](#)

PLACE: AUSTIN, TEXAS
DATE: 25-29 APRIL 2007

[2007 SUSTAINING MILITARY READINESS CONFERENCE](#)

PLACE: ORLANDO, FLORIDA
DATE: 30 JULY- 3 AUGUST

[MARITIME HERITAGE CONFERENCE 2007](#)

PLACE: SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
DATE: 9-12 OCTOBER 2007

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INFORMATION PLEASE SUBMIT TO
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SWCA OFFERS CRM CLASSES

SWCA Environmental Consultants will be offering two cultural resource management-related classes in **Tucson, AZ** early in 2007:

"Section 106 Compliance: An Introduction to Professional Practice Under Section 106 of NHPA", **16-18 January**, and

"Consulting Indian Tribes in Cultural Resources Review", **20-21 February**.

Both courses will be held at the Inn Suites in Tucson. The first has me as the instructor; the second is taught by Reba Fuller of the Tuolumne Mewuk Tribe and me. The first is a general introduction to Section 106 work, with an emphasis on problems in identification and evaluation of historic properties, involving consulting parties, resolving conflicts, and coordination with NEPA. The second deals with such issues as the trust relationship between the US Government and tribes, the historical bases for tribal distrust of federal agencies, methods of contacting and respectfully consulting with tribes, and addressing common problems that arise in the course of consultation, not only under Section 106 but under a wide range of other laws, regulations, treaties, and the constitution.

For information and to enroll, please visit the SWCA website at :

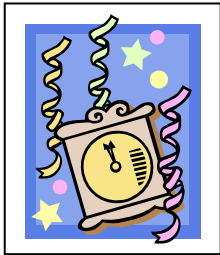
<http://www.swca.com/jsp/training/training.htm>.

[ACHP SECTION 106 TRAINING](#)

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Locations</u>
February 6-7	Tempe, AZ
March 14-15	Orlando, FL
April 11-12	Chicago, IL
May 30-31	Washington, DC
June 12-13	Boise, ID
July 10-11	New York, NY
August 28-29	Honolulu, HI
October 1-2	St Paul, MN In Conjunction with the National Trust for Historic Preservation Annual Meeting,

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.

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OLD WORLD WINTER HOLIDAY RECIPE

ROAST PORK & SAUERKRAUT

4 lbs. pork country spare ribs
1 teaspoon caraway seeds
salt and pepper to taste

1 sweet apple
1 package sauerkraut with liquid

DIRECTIONS

Place ribs on the rack inside a roasting pan. Season with caraway seeds, and salt and pepper to taste. Place sauerkraut around the ribs. Scatter slices of apple throughout the sauerkraut. Roast at 300 degrees for three to four hours. Add Heinz chili sauce to the ribs, scoop out sauerkraut, and continue to cook uncovered another thirty minutes before removing from oven.

[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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