

preservation of cultural landscape quality, improvement of accessibility, and preservation of the Monument structure and the Monument Lodge.

The existing concrete jersey barriers and the interim visitor security facility obstruct important vistas to and from the Monument and Grounds, intrude on the setting of this important national icon, and disrupt pedestrian circulation patterns. In addition, the current system requires heavy personnel staffing by the U.S. Park Police.

This EA addresses the environmental consequences of two build alternatives, as well as the impacts associated with maintaining the status quo. Alternative A (Below-Grade Alternative); Alternative B (Above Grade Alternative), and Alternative C (No Action Alternative). The two build alternatives are intended to fulfill the security goals and objectives for the Monument through three types of physical improvements: (1) Visitor screening facility, (2) vehicle barrier system, and (3) Grounds improvements.

Alternative A includes an underground screening facility and passageway to the Monument and a landscaped vehicle barrier system of walled terraces, a screening berm and pathways. The Monument Lodge would be rehabilitated as the portal to the new underground facility. A graded system of walled terraces would replace the concrete jersey vehicle barriers. Alternative B includes a visitor screening facility located above-ground near the Sylvan Theater, away from the primary views and vistas. Visitors would travel from the Theater in an above-ground, double-fenced security pathway to the Monument. Security bollards would be placed at the 1-1/4-mile perimeter of the Grounds to provide a barrier system that would stop moving vehicles, replacing the existing concrete jersey vehicle barriers. The parking lot at 16th Street would be removed in both Alternatives A and B, which would allow the German-American Friendship Garden to be completed. Alternative C would retain the existing structures and elements of the Washington Monument Grounds in their existing use and condition. There would be no new development or reconfiguration of facilities, and the parking lot on the northern portion of the Grounds at 16th Street would remain.

This EA seeks to determine the potential impacts and recommended mitigation measures related to the proposed action or to no action. The EA addresses short-term construction-related impacts and long-term operational effects, as well as the

cumulative impacts that would result from this and other projects within the study area. The National Park Service has prepared this EA in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act, the Council on Environmental Quality regulations implementing that Act, the National Historic Preservation Act, and the National Park Service Director's Order-12. This EPA was prepared in cooperation with the National Capital Planning Commission.

Dated: April 24, 2002.

Terry R. Carlstrom,

Regional Director, National Capital Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

National Park System Advisory Board; Meeting

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. Appendix, that the National Park System Advisory Board will conduct a public meeting by teleconference on May 29, 2002, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, inclusive. Members of the public may attend the meeting in person at two locations: (1) In Washington, DC, at the Jury's Hotel, Burlington Ballroom, 1500 New Hampshire Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20036; and in Homestead, Florida, at Biscayne National Park, the Headquarters Building, 9700 SW 328th Street, Homestead, Florida 33090. The meeting is open to the public. During this teleconference, the National Park System Advisory Board will receive and discuss the final report of its Stiltsville Committee concerning the proposed disposition of seven structures known collectively as "Stiltsville" and located within the waters of Biscayne National Park. Information about Stiltsville can be found on Biscayne National Park's website at www.nps.gov/bisc. For copies of the committee report, please contact Shirley Sears Smith, Office of Policy, National Park Service, at 202-208-7456.

Opportunities for oral comment will be limited to no more than 3 minutes per speaker and no more than 15 minutes total. The Board's chairman will determine how time for oral comments will be allocated. Anyone who wishes further information concerning the meeting, or who wishes to submit a written statement, may

contact Mr. Loran Fraser (202-208-7456), Office of Policy, National Park Service, 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC 20240.

Draft minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection about 12 weeks after the meeting, in room 2414, Main Interior Building, 1849 C Street, NW., Washington, DC.

Dated: May 10, 2002.

P. Daniel Smith,

Special Assistant to the Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before April 27, 2002. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded by United States Postal Service, to the National Register Historic Places, National Park Service, 1849 C St. NW., NC400, Washington, DC 20240; by all other carriers, National Register of Historic Places, National Park Service, 800 N. Capitol St., NW, Suite 400, Washington, DC 20002; or by fax, 202-343-1836. Written or faxed comments should be submitted by May 31, 2002.

Beth M. Boland,

Acting Keeper of the National Register.

Arkansas

Conway County

Menifee High School Gymnasium (Public Schools in the Ozarks MPS), Jct. of N. Park St. and E. Mustang St., Menifee, 02000601

Wood, W.L., House, 709 N. Morrill St., Morrilton, 02000604

Scott County

Parks School, AR 28, Parks, 02000602

St. Francis County

Bond, Scott, Family Plot (Ethnic and Racial Minority Settlement of the Arkansas Delta MPS), 0.3 W of 5th St. on AR 70W, Madison, 02000603

Florida

Indian River County

Hallstrom House,

1723 SW Old Dixie Highway,
Vero Beach, 02000605

Leon County

Bannerman Plantation
(Rural Resources of Leon County MPS),
13426 Meridian Rd. N,
Tallahassee, 02000606

Kansas

Dickinson County

Abilene City Park Historic District
(New Deal-Era Resources of Kansas MPS),
4th St. at Poplar St. and Pine St.,
Abilene, 02000608

Marion County

Marion County Park and Lake,
1.0 mi. W of US 256 and US 77, 2 mi. S on
Upland Rd.,
Marion, 02000607

Thomas County

Colby Municipal Swimming Pool and Bath
House
(New Deal-Era Resources of Kansas MPS),
200 E. 5th St.,
Colby, 02000609

Minnesota

Hennepin County

Minneapolis Pioneers and Soldiers Memorial
Cemetery,
2925 Cedar Ave. S,
Minneapolis, 02000612
Wirth, Theodore, House—Administration
Building,
3954 Bryant Ave. S,
Minneapolis, 02000611

Wright County

Waverly Village Hall
(Federal Relief Commission in Minnesota
MPS),
4th St. N bet. Atlantic and Elm Ave.,
Waverly, 02000613

Missouri

St. Louis Independent City

City Club Building,
1012–1024 Locust St.,
St. Louis (Independent City), 02000610

New Jersey

Sussex County

Black Creek Site—28SX297,
Maple Grange Rd.,
Vernon Township, 02000626

New York

Columbia County

Pine View Farm,
567 Collins St.,
Hillsdale, 020006014

Ontario County

Washington Street Cemetery,
Washington St.,
Geneva, 02000616

Suffolk County

AN/FPS–35 Radar Tower and Antenna,
Montauk Point State Parkway,
Montauk, 02000615

Oregon

Washington County

Clark Historic District,
Roughly bounded by 18th Ave., 16th Ave.,
“A” St., and Elm St.,
Forest Grove, 02000617

Virginia

Franklin County

Burwell—Holland House,
600 Jacks Mountain Rd.,
Glade Hill, 02000624

Lynchburg Independent City

Lower Basin Historic District (Boundary
Increase),
1307 Main St., 103–109 Sixth St.,
Lynchburg (Independent City), 02000620

Mecklenburg County

Clarksville Historic District,
Roughly along Virginia Ave, from Rose Hill
Ave., Ferry St., East St. and
Second St.,
Clarksville, 02000625

Newport News Independent City

Fields, James A., House,
617 27th St.,
Newport News (Independent City), 02000623

Smith's Pharmacy

3114 Chestnut Ave.,
Newport News, 02000618

Portsmouth Independent City

St. Paul's Catholic Church,
518 High St.,
Portsmouth (Independent City), 02000619

Roanoke Independent City

Roanoke City Market Historic District
(Boundary Increase),
302 Campbell Ave., SE; 9 Church Ave, SE,
Roanoke (Independent City), 02000622

Rockingham County

Taylor Springs,
3712 Taylor Spring Ln.,
Harrisonburg, 02000621

A Request for Removal has been made for
the following resources:

Minnesota

Hennepin County

Excelsior Fruit Growers Association
Building,
450 3rd St.,
Excelsior, 82002959

Lake of the Woods County

Spooner Public School,
1st St., N. and 8th St., E.,
Baudette, 83000913

Rice County

Dump Road Bridge
(Iron and Steel Bridges in Minnesota MPS),
Twp. Rd. 45 over Straight River,
Fairbault vicinity, 89001835
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

**National Register of Historic Places;
Notification of Pending Nominations**

Nominations for the following
properties being considered for listing
in the National Register were received
by the National Park Service before May
4, 2002. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36
CFR Part 60 written comments
concerning the significance of these
properties under the National Register
criteria for evaluation may be forwarded
by United States Postal Service, to the
National Register Historic Places,
National Park Service, 1849 C St., NW.,
NC400, Washington, DC 20240; by all
other carriers, National Register of
Historic Places, National Park Service,
800 N. Capitol St., NW., Suite 400,
Washington DC 20002; or by fax, 202–
343–1836. Written or faxed comments
should be submitted by May 31, 2002.

Carol D. Shull,

*Keeper of the National Register of Historic
Places.*

Alaska

Prince of Wales-Outer K.Borough-Census
Area, Chief Son-I-Hat's Whale House and
Totems Historic District, Totem Park Trail,
Kasaan, 02000627

Colorado

Pueblo County

Minnequa Steel Works Office Building and
Dispensary, Colorado Fuel and Iron
Company, 215 and 225 Canal St., Pueblo,
02000628

Georgia

Wilkes County

Gartrell Family House, 854 Boyd Rd., Tignall,
02000629

Iowa

Johnson County

Walker Park and Memorial Building, 6078
Otter Creek Rd. SE, River Junction,
02000630

Massachusetts

Bristol County

New Bedford Gas and Edison Light Complex,
180 MacAthur Dr., New Bedford,
02000633

Essex County

Flint Public Library, 2 N. Main St.,
Middleton, 02000631

Hampden County

Mechanic Street Cemetery, Mechanic St.,
Westfield, 02000632

Middlesex County

East Holliston Historic District, Washington,
Baker, Curve, Woodland St., Quail Run,
Holliston, 02000636