

within the scope of the work of the committee affecting such tribes or organizations; consulting with the Secretary of the Interior in the development of regulations to carry out NAGPRA; and making recommendations regarding future care of repatriated cultural items.

The Review Committee's work is completed during meetings that are open to the public. The next scheduled meetings are in St. Paul, MN, May 9-11, 2003, and Albuquerque, NM, November 21-23, 2003. Final dates for the Albuquerque meeting will be confirmed during the St. Paul meeting.

Transcripts of Review Committee meetings are available approximately 8 weeks after each meeting at the National NAGPRA program office, 1201 Eye Street NW, Washington, DC. To request electronic copies of meeting transcripts, send an e-mail message to nagpra_info@nps.gov.

Information about NAGPRA, the Review Committee, and Review Committee meetings is available at the National NAGPRA Website, <http://www.cr.nps.gov/nagpra>; for the Review Committee's meeting protocol, click "Review Committee," then click "Procedures."

Indian tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations that are considering visits to museums or Federal agencies in Review Committee meeting locations for the purpose of transfers of repatriated cultural items may wish to schedule transfers to coincide with Review Committee meetings. The National NAGPRA program awards repatriation grants to assist with the costs of repatriation transfers. Information about NAGPRA grants is posted on the National NAGPRA Website at <http://www.cr.nps.gov/nagpra>; click "NAGPRA Grants."

St. Paul, MN, meeting, May 9-11, 2003: At the invitation of the Minnesota Indian Affairs Council, the Review Committee will meet on May 9, 10, and 11, 2003, in the Town Square A Room in the Radisson City Center Hotel St. Paul, 411 Minnesota Street, St. Paul, MN 55101, telephone (651) 291-8800, Web http://www.radisson.com/stpaulmn_citycenter.

Meeting sessions will begin at approximately 8:30 a.m. each day, and will end at approximately 5 p.m. on May 9 and 10, and approximately 12 noon on May 11. The agenda for the meeting in St. Paul will include National NAGPRA program reports on implementation; consideration of a dispute between the Royal Hawaiian Academy of Traditional Arts and the Bishop Museum; discussion of regulations, dispute resolution

procedures, and the Review Committee's 2002 report to the Congress; and presentations and statements by Indian tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations, museums, Federal agencies, and the public.

To schedule a presentation to the Review Committee during the St. Paul meeting, submit a written request with an abstract of the presentation and contact information. Persons also may submit written statements for consideration by the Review Committee during the St. Paul meeting. Send requests and statements to the Designated Federal Officer, NAGPRA Review Committee (1) by U.S. Mail to the National Park Service, 1849 C Street NW (2253), Washington, DC 20240; or (2) by commercial delivery to the National Park Service, 1201 Eye Street NW, 8th floor, Washington, DC 20005. Because increased security in the Washington, DC, area may delay delivery of U.S. Mail to Government offices, copies of mailed requests and statements should also be faxed to (202) 372-5197.

No special lodging arrangements have been made for this meeting. A variety of accommodations are available in St. Paul and nearby communities.

Albuquerque, NM, meeting, November 2003: The Review Committee is scheduled to meet in Albuquerque, NM, November 21-23, 2003. Final dates for the Albuquerque meeting will be confirmed during the St. Paul meeting. A subsequent Federal Register notice will be published that includes final meeting dates, location, agenda, and other details for the Albuquerque meeting.

Dated: March 3, 2003.

John Robbins,

Designated Federal Officer, NAGPRA Review Committee.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Proposed National Natural Landmark Designation for Garden Canyon at Fort Huachuca, AZ

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of proposed National Natural Landmark designation.

SUMMARY: The National Park Service has evaluated and determined that Garden Canyon, located within Fort Huachuca, Cochise County, Arizona, meets the criteria for national significance and proposes to designate it a National

Natural Landmark. The public is invited to comment on this proposed action.

DATES: Written comments will be accepted until June 9, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be sent to Margi Brooks, National Natural Landmarks Program Coordinator, National Park Service, 1415 N. Sixth Ave., Tucson, Arizona, 85705, or to her Internet address: Margi_Brooks@nps.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Margi Brooks at 520-670-6501 extension 232.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Garden Canyon represents the best example of Madrean montane evergreen woodland, Madrean montane conifer forest, and semi-desert grassland in the Mohave-Sonoran desert region. This unique assemblage of biotic communities harbors many subtropical species at the northern edges of their range. The relative absence of livestock grazing, coupled with a relatively natural fire regime, has contributed to the retention of ecosystems in Garden Canyon that are representative of pre-settlement conditions. Information on the National Natural Landmarks Program can be found in 36 CFR Part 62 or on the Internet at <http://www1.nature.nps.gov/nnl/index.htm>.

Dated: February 27, 2003.

Margaret A. Brooks,

National Natural Landmarks Program Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Intent to Repatriate a Cultural Item: Museum of Western Colorado, Grand Junction, CO

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is here given in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3005, Sec. 7, of the intent to repatriate a cultural item in the possession of the Museum of Western Colorado, Grand Junction, CO, that meets the definition of "sacred object" under 25 U.S.C. 3001.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 25 U.S.C. 3003, Sec. 5 (d)(3). The determinations within this notice are the sole responsibility of the museum, institution, or Federal agency that has