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H. R. 2395

To provide for donor contribution acknowledgments to be displayed at projects authorized under the Commemorative Works Act, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 17, 2013

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. DONOR CONTRIBUTIONS.**

4 Section 8905(b) of title 40, United States Code is
5 amended by striking paragraph (7) and inserting the fol-
6 lowing:

7 “(7) DONOR CONTRIBUTIONS.—

8 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as otherwise
9 provided in this paragraph, the Secretary or
10 Administrator, as applicable, may permit a

1 sponsor described in subsection (a) to acknowl-
2 edge donor contributions at the commemorative
3 work.

4 “(B) REQUIREMENTS.—Acknowledgments
5 shall—

6 “(i) be displayed inside a visitor cen-
7 ter or other ancillary structure associated
8 with the commemorative work; and

9 “(ii) conform to applicable National
10 Park Service or General Services Adminis-
11 tration guidelines for donor recognition, as
12 applicable.

13 “(C) LIMITATIONS.—Acknowledgments
14 shall—

15 “(i) be limited to an appropriate
16 statement or credit recognizing the con-
17 tribution;

18 “(ii) be displayed in a form approved
19 by the Secretary or Administrator;

20 “(iii) be displayed for a period of time
21 determined by the Secretary or Adminis-
22 trator to be appropriate, commensurate
23 with the level of the contribution;

“(iv) be limited to short, discrete, and unobtrusive acknowledgments or credits; and

“(v) not include any advertising slogans or company logos.

“(D) SUBMITTAL OF PLAN.—

“(i) IN GENERAL.—Prior to the display of donor acknowledgments, the sponsor shall submit to the Secretary or Administrator, as applicable, for approval a plan for displaying the donor acknowledgments, including—

“(I) the sample text and types of acknowledgments to be displayed; and

“(II) the form and location of all displays.

“(ii) NOTIFICATION AND RESUBMITTAL.—If the Secretary or Administrator does not approve the plan submitted under clause (i), the Secretary or Administrator shall—

“(I) not later than 60 days after the date on which the plan is received, notify the sponsor of the reasons the plan is not approved; and

1 “(II) allow the sponsor to resub-
2 mit a revised donor acknowledgment
3 plan.

4 “(E) COST.—The sponsor shall bear all ex-
5 penses related to the display of donor acknowl-
6 edgments.

7 “(F) APPLICABILITY.—This paragraph
8 shall apply to any commemorative work dedi-
9 cated after January 1, 2010.”.

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