

(d) Acquisition of lands

(1) Subject to paragraph (2), the Secretary may acquire lands and interests in land within the areas added to the park by subsection (a) by donation, purchase with donated or appropriated funds, or exchange.

(2)(A) Lands and interests in land owned by the State of Ohio or a political subdivision thereof may be acquired only by donation or exchange.

(B) Lands and interests in land may be acquired by purchase at a price based on the fair market value thereof as determined by independent appraisal, consistent with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. 4601 et seq.).

(3) The Secretary may acquire lands added by subsection (a)(5) only from willing sellers.

(Pub. L. 102-294, §2, May 27, 1992, 106 Stat. 185; Pub. L. 111-11, title VII, §7104, Mar. 30, 2009, 123 Stat. 1191.)

Editorial Notes

REFERENCES IN TEXT

The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, referred to in subsec. (d)(2)(B), is Pub. L. 91-646, Jan. 2, 1971, 84 Stat. 1894, which is classified principally to chapter 61 (§4601 et seq.) of Title 42, The Public Health and Welfare. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 4601 of Title 42 and Tables.

AMENDMENTS

2009—Subsec. (a)(5). Pub. L. 111-11, §7104(1)–(3), added par. (5).

Subsec. (d)(3). Pub. L. 111-11, §7104(4), added par. (3).

§ 410uu-2. Cooperative agreements

The Secretary may enter into a cooperative agreement with the Ohio Historical Society, the Archeological¹ Conservancy, and other public and private entities for consultation and assistance in the interpretation and management of the park.

(Pub. L. 102-294, §3, May 27, 1992, 106 Stat. 186.)

§ 410uu-3. Studies**(a) Areas added by this subchapter**

The Secretary shall conduct archeological studies of the areas added to the park by section 410uu-1(a) of this title and adjacent areas to ensure that the boundaries of those areas encompass the lands that are needed to provide adequate protection of the significant archeological resources of those areas.

(b) Other areas

The Secretary shall conduct archeological studies of the areas described as the “Spruce Hill Works”, the “Harness Group”, and the “Cedar Bank Works”, and may conduct archeological studies of other areas significant to Hopewellian culture, to evaluate the desirability of adding them to the park, and shall report to Congress on any such areas that are recommended for addition to the park.

¹ So in original. Probably should be “Archaeological”.

(Pub. L. 102-294, §4, May 27, 1992, 106 Stat. 186.)

§ 410uu-4. Authorization of appropriations

There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary for the acquisition of lands and interests in land within the park, the conduct of archeological studies on lands within and adjacent to the park, and the development of facilities for interpretation of the park.

(Pub. L. 102-294, §5, May 27, 1992, 106 Stat. 186.)

SUBCHAPTER LIX—MARSH-BILLINGS-ROCKEFELLER NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

§ 410vv. Purposes

The purposes of this subchapter are—

(1) to interpret the history and evolution of conservation stewardship in America;

(2) to recognize and interpret the contributions and birthplace of George Perkins Marsh, pioneering environmentalist, author of *Man and Nature*, statesman, lawyer, and linguist;

(3) to recognize and interpret the contributions of Frederick Billings, conservationist, pioneer in reforestation and scientific farm management, lawyer, philanthropist, and railroad builder, who extended the principles of land management introduced by Marsh;

(4) to preserve the Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller Mansion and its surrounding lands; and

(5) to recognize the significant contributions of Julia Billings, Mary Billings French, Mary French Rockefeller, and Laurance Spelman Rockefeller in perpetuating the Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller heritage.

(Pub. L. 102-350, §2, Aug. 26, 1992, 106 Stat. 934; Pub. L. 105-277, div. A, §101(e) [title I, §143], Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681-231, 2681-267.)

Editorial Notes

AMENDMENTS

1998—Pars. (4), (5). Pub. L. 105-277 substituted “Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller” for “Marsh-Billings”.

Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries

SHORT TITLE

Pub. L. 102-350, §1, Aug. 26, 1992, 106 Stat. 934, as amended by Pub. L. 105-277, div. A, §101(e) [title I, §143], Oct. 21, 1998, 112 Stat. 2681-231, 2681-267, provided that: “This Act [enacting this subchapter] may be cited as the ‘Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park Establishment Act’.”

§ 410vv-1. Establishment**(a) In general**

There is established as a unit of the National Park System the Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park in Windsor County, Vermont (hereinafter in this subchapter referred to as the “park”).

(b) Boundaries and map

(1) The park shall consist of a historic zone, including the Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller Mansion, surrounding buildings and a portion of the area known as “Mt. Tom”, comprising approximately 555 acres, and a protection zone, includ-