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INVITATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT SECTION 106 PROGRAM COMMENT CONSULTATION

INVITATION: This is an invitation to potentially interested parties from the Department of the Army Federal Preservation Officer (FPO) to participate in a series of nationwide Section 106 consultation conferences on the Army's proposed *Program Comment for Preservation of Pre-1919 Historic Army Housing, Associated Buildings and Structures, And Landscape Features* (Program Comment). The virtual consultation conferences will occur weekly on the Microsoft TEAMS platform. The Army Program Comment Plan dated October 20, 2023, along with other information is on the Program Comment website https://denix.osd.mil/army-pre1919-pchh/.

RESPOND BY NOVEMBER 2, 2023, TO PARTICIPATE AS AN INTERESTED PARTY IN THE PROGRAM COMMENT CONSULTATION CONFERENCES: To participate as an interested party in the Army's program comment consultation conferences, please notify the Army FPO via email by Nov 2, 2023, at david.b.guldenzopf.civ@army.mil. An interested parties list will be developed based on the email responses received to this invitation. Going forward, all program comment communications from the Army FPO after 2 November 2023 including invitations to the weekly virtual consultation conferences will be addressed to those on the interested parties list. Individuals may be added to the interested parties list anytime during the consultation period by email request to the Army FPO.

CONSULTATION CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AND TOPICS: The weekly virtual consultation conferences will occur from **2:30-3:30 EST on Wednesday** of each week as follows. The Army will brief the specific program comment topic, followed by open forum consultation:

Consultation Conference #1: **08 Nov 23** - Introduction, Goal, Objective, and Development Consultation Conference #2: **15 Nov 23** - Scope, Pre-1919 Housing Inventory, NHL Status Consultation Conference #3: **29 Nov 23** - Category of Undertaking and Potential Effects Consultation Conference #4: **06 Dec 23** - Design Guidelines and Building Materials Catalog

Consultation Conference #5: 13 Dec 23 - Applicability, Effect, and Duration

Consultation Conference #6: 20 Dec 23 - Summary and Conclusion

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Participants can access relevant documents and information regarding pre-1919 Army housing and this proposed program comment on the Army pre-1919 housing program comment website at https://denix.osd.mil/army-pre1919-pchh/.

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