Changes to Department of Defense Real Property Accountability for Historic Properties

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Discussion of Historic Properties

What are Historic Properties?

- Real Property Only
 - o Buildings
 - o Structures
 - o Infrastructure
 - o Can be listed on:
 - National Historic Landmarks List
 - o Can be listed on, or eligible for listing on:
 - National Register of Historic Places
- Does not include archaeological sites or other types of cultural resources
- Does not include Personal Property items
 - o museum collections
 - o artifact collections
 - o static display items



Why Collect Real Property Information?

- Facilitate the use, management, and maintenance of real property;
- Enable evaluation of real property assets for planning;
- Identify and justify requirements;
- Develop reimbursement rates and support Interservice Support Agreements;
- Monitor compliance with laws, rules, and regulations;
- Support information requirements of installation tenants;
- Support capacity analyses;
- Support space management and stationing;
- Conduct "what if" assessments at HQ levels; and
- Support reporting requirements.



Background of DoD Historic Property Accountability

Traditional DoD Method of Accountability

- DoD Component Database Systems
 - o Army IFS
 - o Navy iNFADS
 - o Air Force ACES
 - o Washington Headquarters Service
- Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD)
 - o Facility Analysis Database (FAD)

• Executive Order 13287 – Preserve America (March 3, 2003)

- Reporting of number; use; condition of historic properties
- Directs enhanced planning for, and management of historic properties
- Establishes Senior Policy Official (SPO) for Historic Preservation Issues



Background of DoD Historic Property Accountability

- Executive Order 13327 Real Property Asset Management (February 6, 2004)
 - Establishes Federal Real Property Council
 - Directs creation of standards/guidelines for real property accountability
 - Connection to EO 13287 Preserve America
 - Establishes Senior Real Property Officer (SRPO)

Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Installations & Environment (DUSD(I&E))

- Designated SPO and SRPO
- Designated DoD Representative to the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
- Business Transformation (BT) Directorate (est. May 2003)
 - o Part of DoD-wide Business Management Modernization Program
 - o Meets needs of EO13327 and FRPC
 - o Implements more detailed DoD standards for Real Property Management



Summary of DoD Changes

• Under DUSD(I&E) BT:

- Update DoD Real Property Management Program
 - o Real Property Inventory Work Group
 - o Assistance from DoD Historic Preservation Work Group:
 - Define "Facility Historical Action Codes"
 - Define "Historical Definitions"
 - Update Codes and Definitions of Historic Properties as RPI "Core Data Element"
- Changes included in Real Property Inventory
 Requirements Book (RPIR) (January 2005)
- Changes included in revised DoD Instruction
 4165.14 DoD Real Property Inventory Reporting
 and Forecasting (forthcoming)



Summary of DoD Changes

- New "Historic Status Codes" for Facilities, part 1
 - NHLI Individually Listed National Historic Landmark
 - NHLC Contributing Element to a NHL District
 - NRLI Individually Listed on the National Register of Historic Places
 - NRLC Contributing to a NRHP District
 - NREI Individually Eligible for the NRHP
 - NREC Contributing to a District Eligible for the NRHP
 - ELPA Eligible for the NRHP for the Purposes of a Program Alternative

Descriptions of all "Facility Historical Status Codes" are available as a handout; source: RPIR, Appendix D – RPI Core Data Elements, DRAFT, January 2005



Summary of DoD Changes

- New "Historic Status Codes" for Facilities, part 2
 - NCE Non-Contributing Element of NHL/NRL/NRE District
 - DNL NHL Property, Designation Rescinded
 - DNR NRHP Property, Designation Rescinded
 - RNR Removed Resource NHL, NRHP, NRHP Eligible
 - DIL Determined Ineligible for Listing
 - NEV Never Evaluated
 - REV Needs to be Reevaluated

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Benefits of DoD Changes

- Improved Accountability of Historic Properties, DoD-wide:
 - o Understanding of the number, type, condition, use, and historic status of historic properties
 - o Improved planning, programming, and budgeting for historic properties management
 - o Provides basis for further development and inclusion of historic properties in Facilities Sustainment and Facilities Recapitalization Models
- Improved accountability is a pillar of new DoD Cultural Resources Instruction (forthcoming, 2005)
- Improved Reporting for
 - o EO13287 Preserve America
 - o Portions of DoD *Financial Management Regulation (FMR)* Reporting Requirements for Heritage Assets
 - o Annual DoD Component Management Reviews



Future of DoD Asset Accountability

- Improved compliance for, and stewardship of, historic properties
- Connect FAD information to Defense Installation Spatial Data Infrastructure (DISDI)
 - o "One Installation, One Map"
 - o Can display other cultural resources
 - Archaeological Sites
 - Traditional Cultural Places
 - o Can fill reporting requirements not covered by FAD
 - Federal Archaeological Report to Congress
 - Other Heritage Assets as listed in DoD FMR



Future of DoD Asset Accountability

FAD+DISDI connection benefits

- o Real-time access to all information on all cultural resources, not just historic properties
 - Open access to other federal agencies
 - CR information available electronically to support Heritage Tourism

Potential FAD+DISDI concerns

- o Open Access to Protected information
 - Archaeological Site Locations
 - Tribal community concerns about providing locations of TCPs and Sacred Sites
- o Ongoing Maintenance of Data by Qualified Personnel



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