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Legacy News

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Funding Season

The Legacy Program thanks all of the pre-proposal authors for their hard work culminating in a pre-proposal submittal. The final count of submitted pre-proposals stood at:

57 Cultural Resource

196 Natural Resource

Pre-proposals were reviewed in committee last week. Authors with pre-proposals continuing on to the next phase should receive notice on September 1st.

Notification will come through the Legacy Tracker system to the email registered at www.dodlegacy.org.



This year's attrition rate, for pre-proposals continuing on to full proposal, stands at:

27 Cultural Resource

101 Natural Resource

Full proposals will be **due** to the Legacy office no later than midnight on **September 24th**.

NEWS

[Go Ahead and SMRC: After-Action on the Sustaining Military Readiness Conference](#)

Submitted by: Serena G. Bellew, Deputy Federal Preservation Officer, OSD

When this office announced that the 2009 Sustaining Military Readiness Conference (SMRC) was scheduled for Phoenix Arizona in August, there was a collective groan across the DoD cultural resources community. However while many of us were distracted by the idea of subjecting ourselves to triple digit temperatures, conference planners were busy developing a multi-disciplinary agenda that would eventually attract over seven hundred participants.

For those of us who braved the heat, we had the choice of a range of sessions and topics, including some new or emerging issues such as: climate change and its potential effect on cultural resources; ongoing programs like tribal consultation; and actions currently being addressed, such as joint basing. Other sessions included examples and discussions of creative mitigation, the role of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation in Section 106 cases, and the many levels of data calls.

One-day and half-day workshops, which allowed for more in-depth analysis of issues, included archaeological predictive modeling, tribal consultation and range training and cultural resources. There was also the opportunity to learn from other cultural resource organizations outside of DoD, in the "Cultural Property Protection During Armed Conflict" special session, that include presenters from the Netherlands, Great Britain and Austria.

Along with the one-day cultural resources focus tract and workshops, natural resource and range management issues also had their forum. CRM professionals, and others, could attend any workshop on varying subjects. Some of the favorites included *Communicating with the Media and Risk Communication* and *Stakeholder Outrage Management in Military Readiness Controversies*.

The plenaries aimed to cross-cut professional boundaries included the Senior Civilian Leaders Panel, the Warfighters Panel, Energy, Climate Change, and Unconventional Partnering.

With the conference now behind us, it is time to evaluate and plan for future education opportunities. Even after overwhelmingly positive feedback, we must not rest on our laurels, and must ask ourselves how do we improve this conference for the future? How do we continue to provide up to date information, while still covering the basics? How do we engage a wider audience and make our duties relevant to the greater installation or command?

All these questions and many more, form the basis of conference planning, along with the evaluation forms and other participant input. If you are like me, and forgot to fill out your evaluation form before leaving the conference, please spend a few minutes (form attached electronically with this newsletter) providing us with ideas, comments and suggestions on how to expand and improve for the 2011 conference. Detailed feedback is both constructive and crucial to ensuring that this and any other training opportunities provide the most relevant and up-to-date information. All presentation topics are volunteered; however we are also interested in topics areas to pursue. If you have seen presentations elsewhere you believe would be a good fit for our audience, please let us know, we are open to all suggestions. Thank you again to all who presented, attended and planned the 2009 SMR, please call or email with your suggestions and feedback. Serena.bellew.fn.uk@osd.mil or (703) 604-1885. SGB

Calling all Volunteers:

The heritage activities in Air Force Materiel Command (AFMC) are looking for volunteers to help support museum operations.

In addition to the National Museum of the United States Air Force at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, AFMC has 14 heritage activities spread over 11 bases.

Activities include field museums, heritage centers, airparks, and historical holdings - each of which offers the opportunity for volunteers.

Volunteers do everything from greeting and guiding visitors to restoring aircraft.

To find out more about these and other heritage activities AFMC has to offer, contact Ms. Laura Romesburg at 937-257-3279 or DSN 787-3279.

To volunteer, contact your local Air Force base.



FORT LEWIS FEATURED AT HISTORYLINK.ORG, AUGUST

Many of the articles are authored by our own Duane Colt Denfeld, PhD, architectural historian in the Fort Lewis Cultural Resources Program. Dr. Denfeld's featured articles include historical overviews of Camp Lewis, Fort Lewis, and Gray Army Airfield; biographical sketches of important personages associated with Fort Lewis (Generals David L. Stone, Mark Clark, and Dwight D. Eisenhower); and social histories of Fort Lewis properties including the Mount Rainier Ordnance Depot, the Fort Lewis Golf Course, and USO Clubs throughout the Northwest. We very much appreciate his hard work and scholarship, and are pleased to be able to share this with a wider audience.

- Camp Lewis: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=8455
- Fort Lewis: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=8493
- Gray Army Airfield: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=8623
- General David L. Stone: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=9100
- General Mark Wayne Clark: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=9004
- Dwight D. Eisenhower: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=8930
- Mount Rainier Ordnance Depot: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=9028
- Fort Lewis Golf Course: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=8922
- Olympia's USO Club: http://www.historylink.org/index.cfm?displaypage=output.cfm&file_id=9102

INSTALLATION HIGHLIGHT OF THE MONTH: DUGWAY PROVING GROUND:

RACHEL QUIST, CULTURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT OFFICER& NATIVE AMERICAN COORDINATOR, DIRECTORATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS, U.S. ARMY DUGWAY PROVING GROUND

Dugway Proving Ground is pleased to announce that an historical interpretive website about German Village is now available to the public. German Village is an accurate reproduction of a German building and was built on Dugway in 1943 during the height of World War II. The building was designed and built in secret by famed German Jewish architect Erich Mendelsohn. At great cost, simulated and actual German materials were used in the construction and furnishings of German Village were used to create the most accurate replication both inside and outside the building. Along with the similar and adjacent Japanese Village, the complex was used as a test target for incendiary weapons and other peculiar weapons such as the "bat bomb."

At present, German Village is condemned and is in a deteriorated state but remains eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places. As such, Dugway has produced and released this website to fulfill responsibilities with the National Historic Preservation Act.

The website can be found using the following web address:

<https://www.dugway.army.mil/germanvillage/>



CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER:

[HISTORIC STRUCTURES REPORTS: A MANAGEMENT TOOL FOR HISTORIC](#)

[PROPERTIES](#)

TOPEKA, KS

14 SEPTEMBER 2009

NAGPRA:

[DETERMINING](#)

[CULTURAL](#)

[AFFILIATION](#)

CHICAGO, IL

14 SEPTEMBER 2009

NAGPRA: WRITING

[AND MANAGING A](#)

[SUCCESSFUL GRANT](#)

CHICAGO, IL

15-16 SEPTEMBER 2009

PRESERVATION

[MAINTENANCE:](#)

[UNDERSTANDING AND](#)

[PRESERVING](#)

[HISTORIC BUILDINGS](#)

TOPEKA, KS

15-16 SEPTEMBER 2009

NAGPRA AND

[ARPA: APPLICATIONS](#)

[AND REQUIREMENTS](#)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA

24-25 SEPTEMBER 2009

OCTOBER:

[SOUTHEASTERN](#)

[MUSEUM](#)

[CONFERENCE ANNUAL](#)

[MEETING](#)

CHARLESTON, WV

13-16 OCTOBER 2009

MID-ATLANTIC

[ASSOCIATION OF](#)

[MUSEUMS ANNUAL](#)

[MEETING:](#)

[INVIGORATING](#)

[MUSEUMS](#)

SARATOGA SPRINGS,

NY

18-21 OCTOBER 2009

NOVEMBER:

[CERCLA AND NHPA](#)

[COORDINATION FOR](#)

[SUPERFUND SITES](#)

ALEXANDRIA, VA

3 NOVEMBER 2009

TO BE REPEATED:

HONOLULU, HI

25 MARCH 2010

[NTHP RELEASES WEATHERIZATION GUIDANCE](#)

The National Trust for Historic Preservation has launched an online guide offering home-owners a one-stop resource with the latest information about how to make your home more energy efficient and comfortable—without spending a lot of money or compromising the historic character of the home. Called the “Weatherization Guide for Older and Historic Buildings,” the interactive guide can be found at: <http://www.PreservationNation.org/Weatherization>.

[NPS APPROVES NEW THPO—GRAND PORTAGE BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR CHIPPEWA](#)

The Director of the National Park Service has formally approved the proposal of the Grand Portage Band of Lake Superior Chippewa to assume certain State Historic Preservation Officer duties within the exterior boundaries of the tribe’s reservation in Minnesota. The Tribe has assumed formal responsibility for review of Federal undertakings pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. In addition, the Tribe has assumed all of the other SHPO functions set out in the Act with the exceptions of assisting in the certification of local governments and assisting in the evaluation of Investment Tax Credit rehabilitation projects. The Tribe’s historic preservation officer is Ms. Victoria L. Raske, gpmuseum@boreal.org.

[NPS Approves New THPO—Bay Mills Indians Community](#)

The Director of the National Park Service has formally approved the proposal of the Bay Mills Indians Community to assume certain State Historic Preservation Officer duties within the exterior boundaries of the tribe’s reservation in Michigan. The Tribe has assumed formal responsibility for review of Federal undertakings pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. In addition, the Tribe has assumed all of the other SHPO functions set out in the Act with the exceptions of assisting in the certification of local governments and assisting in the evaluation of Investment Tax Credit rehabilitation projects. The Tribe’s historic preservation officer is Ms. Paula Carrick, paulacarrick@bmic.net.

[GSA PROGRAM COMMENT PASSED](#)

At the August meeting, the Advisory Council on Historic preservation (ACHP) membership unanimously approved the General Services Administration (GSA) Program Comment, marking the successful conclusion of an unassembled vote on the matter.

This new Program Comment sets forth the way in which the GSA will comply with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) for select repairs and upgrades to windows, lighting, roofing and heating, ventilating and air conditioning (HVAC) systems within their historic public buildings.

The final Program Comment, attached and available at www.achp.gov, is the product of the diligent efforts of GSA and ACHP staff. Earlier this year, the GSA requested that the ACHP consider issuing a program comment; under Section 800.14(e) of the regulations, "Protection of Historic Properties" agencies can request that the ACHP provide a Program Comment on a particular category of undertakings in lieu of conducting an individual review of each undertaking (36 CFR 800.4 through 800.7). After a draft Program Comment was developed, public input was obtained, the ACHP integrated comments into the Program Comment, and the unassembled vote was held among the ACHP membership.

As a model federal agency program alternative, the Program Comment will streamline select review protocols for GSA, facilitating their execution of repair and upgrade projects funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) and other sources. Executed by GSA’s qualified staff and contractors, these projects will demonstrate historic preservation’s substantial role in the national economic stimulus program.

[Cool Website:](#)

As seen in *Archaeology*: some really interesting technology and vision with respect to an archive of digital information on World heritage resources: <http://archive.cyark.org/>



THE LAST ETHNIC MARKER TO FADE FROM A CULTURE IS THE WAY WE PREPARE FOOD. TO CELEBRATE DIVERSITY AND OUR HERITAGE A RECIPE WILL BE PUBLISHED EACH MONTH.

NEXT MONTH PLEASE SEND YOUR FAVORITE **BBQ-LAST HURRAH!**

NOTE: This is a recipe provides entertainment and an activity for the kids. Contributed by Erwin Roemer, AFMC.



FOR BBQ-Last Hurrah! Homemade Ice Cream

RECIPE

2 Tbsp	unflavored gelatin (powder)	1 qt.	half and half
$\frac{3}{4}$ c.	sugar	$\frac{1}{2}$ pt.	whipping cream
2 Tbsp	vanilla	$\frac{1}{2}$ gal.	whole (or 2%) milk
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.	cold water	1 c.	crumbled candy or cookies (optional)

DIRECTIONS

Combine gelatin and water in a sauce pan, stir and let stand for 5 minutes. Add the milk and sugar, and slowly heat, stirring gently for 5-10 minutes. Do not boil. Let cool. To the mixture, add half and half and whipping cream. Pour all into a hand-crank canister, chill in refrigerator overnight.

Crank ice cream, using plenty of salt on ice. About 10 minutes into cranking, add vanilla. About 15 minutes in, add optional crumbles. Finish cranking. Total crank time should be approximately 20 minutes.

[Previous editions of the *UPDATE* can be found on the web](#)

LEGACY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

The Legacy program was established by Congress in 1990 to provide financial assistance to DoD to preserve our natural and cultural heritage. The program assists the DoD in protecting and enhancing resources while supporting military readiness. A Legacy project may involve regional ecosystem management initiatives, habitat preservation efforts, historic preservation projects, archaeological investigations, invasive species control, Native American consultations, and/or monitoring and predicting migratory patterns of birds and animals.

See www.dodlegacy.org for more information.

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Conference Evaluation

Please indicate your level of satisfaction with:

	Check One				
	(Excellent)				(Poor)
	5	4	3	2	1
Content of Sunday and Monday workshops:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Content of the Future Plenary Session:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Content of the Senior Civilian Leaders Panel discussion:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Content of the Warfighter Panel discussion:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Content of the Energy Plenary Session:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Content of the Climate Change Plenary Session:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Value added by the Senior Stakeholder Wrap Up:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Value added to the conference by the exhibit booths:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Value added to the conference by the poster exhibits:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Information provided before the conference:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Overall Conference content:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please consider the track sessions you attended on Wednesday and indicate your level of satisfaction with the information presented:

	Check One				
	(Excellent)				(Poor)
	5	4	3	2	1
Natural Resource Management in a Changing World	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heritage Stewardship and Advancing the Mission	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Balancing Competing Demands –Environment, Community, and Military	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Meeting Multiple Missions –Coordinated Planning, Collaborative Partnerships	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Were there other topics that should have been discussed? Yes No

If Yes, what topics not covered this year would you recommend for the next conference?

Thank you for taking the time to complete this evaluation form!
 You may email the form to conference@dandp.com or fax it to 703-920-7177.

Please check the most important reason you attended this conference:

Training Subject Area Presentations Networking Other:

Should we sponsor a similar conference in two more years? Yes No

If Yes, what time of year would you prefer?

What region/city would you prefer?

What other conferences have you attended in the past two years?

Any other Comments or Suggestion?

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