

## Department of Defense Legacy Resource Management Program

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## **WELCOME**

### The Conservation Conference—UPDATE

Sessions, presenters, and speakers are coming together to form a varied and exciting conference schedule. Conference leaders plan to have the 2007 Sustaining Military Readiness Conference schedule online in March.

The conference runs from Monday, 30 July to 3 August in Orlando, Florida. For more information visit the save-the-date website at <a href="http://www.sustainingmilitaryreadiness2007.com/">http://www.sustainingmilitaryreadiness2007.com/</a>.

## Legacy Resources Management Program

The first round of funding was released earlier this month. Congratulations! To the successful proposal authors. Round two should be released before the end of March. The authors of proposals that did not receive funding for FY 2007 will be notified as soon as possible following the release of round two funds, via email.

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## **NEWS**

## NPS Announces New Technical Brief on Archaeological Damage Assessment

The National Park Service is pleased to announce the availability of a new technical brief on archaeological damage assessment. "Archaeological Resource Damage Assessment: Legal Basis and Methods," by Martin E. McAllister, is now online as Technical Brief #20. This technical brief describes and explains the archeological resource damage assessment process, including the legal basis as well as procedures for field damage assessment, value and cost determinations, and report preparation. Archaeologists involved in ARPA investigations must fully understand the archaeological resource damage assessment process and how to carry it out correctly because the credibility of such damage assessments directly affects the outcome of these cases and the criminal or civil penalties imposed.

For a copy of the brief, visit: <a href="http://www.cr.nps.gov/archeology/pubs/techBr/tch20.htm">http://www.cr.nps.gov/archeology/pubs/techBr/tch20.htm</a>.

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# <u>Unearthed Tombstones Bring Spirits of the</u> Past Alive at Langley AFB

Submitted by Laura E. Baie Yates



Photo of headstones unearthed at a Langley, AFB construction site.

October 24th, 2006 began with business as usual at Langley AFB. Construction activities in Langley's Lighter-than-Air (LTA) housing area commenced to install a new sewer vacuum system near some vacant housing units. Suddenly, the backhoe hit something hard; the contractors, expecting to see a piece of concrete or stone, were surprised by a more disturbing find--two gravestones!

Langley's contractual procedures for such unanticipated discoveries ran like clockwork: the contractors got in touch with the project inspector, project manager, the Base Cultural Resources Manager, Laura Baie, intern Ryan Baie, and Command Cultural Resources Program Manager/archaeologist, Dr. Paul Green. The group was quickly summoned to the site. Their goal was to determine if the construction may have run across resources Eligible for Listing on the National Register of Historic Places, such as an unmarked cemetery.

Upon observing the site, which eventually yielded four partial gravestones, one marked "W.H. Gould" with a number 41, one marked "A. Adkins" with a number 111, one marked "D.E. Bowling" marked 196, and one marked "Unknown" with a number 51, evidence demonstrated that a past disturbance had likely removed the stones from their original context. The stones' disoriented relationship, scattered around a trash-pit filled with glass, metal and brick, and a lack of remains or grave pits implied their secondary context. Dr. Green identified additional evidence of construction debris in the area that could have come from a  $20^{\rm th}$  century construction site.

Determining that there were no additional resources within

the vacuum system's trenching path, the contractor was able to avoid the area where additional resources could be located, and work continued away from the area of discovery.

The next step was to notify the Virginia State Historic Preservation Office (VA SHPO) of the discovery, in accordance with Langley's Integrated Cultural Resources Management Plan and Federal regulations, and to undertake some research into the stones and the names marked on them. Though there was no evidence of graves at the site, the Cultural Resources Management team first reviewed old installation maps for cemeteries that might have been located on the property when the government acquired it in 1916. The maps showed no evidence of a cemetery in the discovery area. Additionally, the numbers on the gravestones implied military graves, and there were no known military cemeteries on Langley.

The first clue to the mystery was quickly found when history buffs and 1st CES staff, Dawn Young and Dan Porter, did a genealogy search that identified the names on the stones as Civil War veterans buried at Hampton National Cemetery. All of the names appeared on the rolls at the cemetery, with the numbers corresponding to a grave site. Sure enough, a visit to the cemetery confirmed that D.E. Bowling, A. Adkins, and W.H. Gould, as well as the Unknown soldier, were all safely interred at the Hampton National Cemetery. All were Confederate soldiers, Bowling from Alabama, and Adkins and Gould from Virginia.

Now that the team had identified at least some of the individuals whose gravestones had surfaced at Langley, and identified where their graves were actually located, the question remained as to how their gravestones had arrived at Langley. An inquiry with the ACC Historian's office indicated that the stones were likely damaged and replaced at the Hampton National Cemetery and that several of the damaged stones ended up at Langley and were used as stepping stones outside houses in the LTA area. Similar stones had been found in the late 1980s and early 1990s in the LTA area. A talk with Hampton Department of Veterans Affairs Director H.D. Hardamon confirmed that stones from the cemetery had been found all around Hampton, often being reused as sidewalks and stepping stones.

So, at least in part, the mystery of the forgotten headstones at Langley AFB has been solved. Construction at the site can continue without fear of disturbing the soul of some forgotten soldier.



## **Call for Funding Proposals**

### Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Grants

The National Park Service invites proposals for FY 2007 Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) grants. NAGPRA is the federal law that provides a process for museums and federal agencies to return certain Native American cultural items to lineal descendants, culturally affiliated Indian tribes, and Native Hawaiian organizations. Two types of grants are available. Consultation/Documentation Grants are awarded annually and range from \$5,000 to \$75,000. Deadline is **1 March**. Repatriation Grants of up to \$15,000 are awarded on an ongoing basis, October through June.

Application information is online. <a href="http://www.cr.nps.gov/nagpra/grants">http://www.cr.nps.gov/nagpra/grants</a>

### **SERDP FY 2008 Core Solicitation for Federal Proposals**

The Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program (SERDP) is seeking proposals in response to its FY 2008 Core Solicitation. The Core solicitation provides funding in various amounts for multi-year projects. Detailed instructions and the Statements of Need for federal submissions are available on the SERDP web site under Funding Opportunities: <a href="http://www.serdp.org/funding">http://www.serdp.org/funding</a>. Federal proposals are due **8 March** 2007. (The due date for non-federal pre-proposals has already passed.)

### **SERDP FY 2008 SEED Solicitation**

SERDP is seeking proposals in response to its FY 2008 SERDP Exploratory Development (SEED) Solicitation. The SEED program is designed to provide initial funding for high-risk, high payoff projects. Funding is limited to a maximum of \$100,000 for one year. Projects will be selected through a competitive selection process. Detailed instructions and the Statements of Need for both federal and non-federal submissions are available on the SERDP web site under Funding Opportunities: <a href="http://www.serdp.org/funding">http://www.serdp.org/funding</a>. The deadline for federal and non-federal proposals is **8 March** 2007.

### **Environmental Security Technology Certification Program (ESTCP) Funding**

ESTCP is seeking innovative environmental technology demonstrations as candidates for funding beginning in FY 2008. This solicitation requests pre-proposals via Calls for Proposals to DoD organizations and Federal (Non-DoD) organizations, and via a Broad Agency Announcement for Private Sector organizations. Pre-proposals are due **15 March** 2007. Detailed instructions are available on the ESTCP website: <a href="http://www.estcp.org/opportunities">http://www.estcp.org/opportunities</a>.

### **Call for Nominations**

### **National Preservation Awards**

Each year the National Trust for Historic Preservation celebrates the best of preservation by presenting National Preservation Awards to individuals and organizations whose contributions demonstrate outstanding excellence in historic preservation. The Call for Nominations brochure is available on the National Trust web site at <a href="https://www.nationaltrust.org/preservation~awards">www.nationaltrust.org/preservation~awards</a>. Nominations for all awards must be postmarked by 1 March 2007.

### 2007 List of Most Endangered Places

The DC Preservation League, Washington's citywide organization promoting historic preservation of the built environment and landscape, is accepting nominations for its annual list of Most Endangered Places in Washington for 2007. Nomination forms, and more information, can be found at <a href="https://www.dcpreservation.org">www.dcpreservation.org</a> and must be postmarked no later then 5pm on **2 March** 2007. The announcement of this list will be made in May 2007.

### **Call for Presentations**

### **National Preservation Awards**

Restore Media, LLC., publishers of *Old-House Journal, Clem Labine's Traditional Building*, and *Old-House Journal's New Old House* and producers of the "Traditional Building Exhibition and Conference" announce a call for presentation for New Orleans, 17-20 October at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center. The deadline is **2 April** 2007. For more information, e-mail Judy Hayward at <a href="mailto:jhayward@restoremedia.com">jhayward@restoremedia.com</a> or phone, (802) 674-6752.

### Preservation Directory.com/

Recently, the new, greatly enhanced version of PreservationDirectory.com was officially launched! The website address is the same, but has been upgraded. Many new tools now provide an enhanced experience. Preservation Directory.com has been the online resource for historic preservation, building restoration, and cultural resource management in the United States & Canada for over seven years. They remain committed to preserving and celebrating historic structures and places. The new site increases the ability to continue to fulfill this preservation mission.

Below is an overview of the new features on PreservationDirectory.com—which encourages you to visit the site to experience the new site for yourself.

information over Full contact for 5.000 organizations, including historical societies, downtown and Main Street revitalization groups, SHPOs, CLGs; a directory of museums and historic structures including a variety of classifications; search tools for those looking to purchase historic homes; business directories for real estate agents; an expanded directory of preservation-businesses; and a directory of historic lodgings.

To add an organization, business, historic home for sale, or to make general comments, email info@preservationdirectory.com

Visit the site at: http://www.PreservationDirectorv.com

## **DENIX**

DENIX is a great website full of interesting and valuable information on cultural resource management. It also contains many of the reports funded by Legacy.

Be sure to check the DENIX CR pages: Archaeology, BRAC, Cold War, Curation, GIS, Guidance Documents, Historic Preservation, Military Museums, National Historic Landmarks, Workshops, Preserve America, and Program Alternatives.

## **DENIX** (cont.)

#### **COLD WAR**

<u>Cold War Historic Resource Workshop (Legacy Project 05-285)</u>

### **UNDERWATER ARCHAEOLOGY:**

<u>Underwater Cultural Resources Management and Protection (Legacy Project 01-121)</u>

### **HISTORIC CONTEXTS:**

Illustrated Manual for Repair and Maintenance of Historic Military Family Housing in Hawaii (Legacy Project 00-137) (These are posted on the secure portion of the site. Must have a DoD password to view.)

#### LINKS:

Fort Stewart/ Hunter Army Airfield - Cultural Resources

### **MILITARY MUSEUM HIGHLIGHT**

WARREN INTERCONTINENTAL BALLISTIC MISSILE & HERITAGE
MUSEUM



Picture from museum website.

The only military museum in Wyoming, the Warren ICBM & Heritage Museum is located in a historic building at F.E. Warren AFB, just west of Cheyenne, Wyoming.

The museum exhibits focus on the history of missiles, the 90<sup>th</sup> Space Wing, and post life. Also on the base, but not in the same building, is the Legacy sponsored Archaeology Interpretive Center of Crow Creek. The interpretive center discusses the Plains/Woodlands prehistoric sites on base.

The museum hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 to 4:00pm, but not holidays. Groups should call ahead for special tours. Non-military members should inquire at the Visitor Center at the Main Gate for base access.

For more information about exhibits or reservations, visit: http://www.warrenmuseum.com.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Course on Conservation of Built Heritage 2007

PLACE: ROME, ITALY

DATE: 1 FEBRUARY - 30 MARCH 2007

### **COMPREHENSIVE NEPA**

PLACE: SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH DATE: 7-9 MARCH 2007

# SECTION 106 COMPLIANCE: AN INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE UNDER SECTION 106 OF THE

**NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT** 

PLACE: SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH DATE: 16-18 MARCH 2007

# HISTORIC PRESERVATION LAW AND SECTION 106 COMPLIANCE

PLACE: TAMPA, FLORIDA AND TUCSON, ARIZONA

DATE: 17-19 APRIL 2007

(RESPECTIVELY)

This course takes the next step after the "Introduction to Cultural Resource Management Laws and Regulations" emphasizing legal compliance (the National Historic Preservation Act Section 106 Process).

# ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES PROTECTION TRAINING PROGRAM

PLACE: LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
DATE: 26 FEBRUARY-2 MARCH 2007

The Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC) presents it's Archeological Resources Protection Training Program (ARPTP). This thirty-seven hour class provides training in all aspects of an archeological investigation and subsequent prosecution of the crimes. This premier class is taught by accomplished instructors that are nationally recognized subject matter experts in the fields of law enforcement, archeology and law. The class cumulates in a twelve-hour archeological crime scene practical exercise where law enforcement officers and archeologist work as a team to investigate and document a crime scene. Attendees will gather physical evidence, write incident reports, executive summaries, damage assessments, and provide testimony in a courtroom scenario.

# Introduction to Cultural Resource Laws and Regulations

PLACE: KANEOHE BAY, HAWAII AND SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA DATE: 13-15 MARCH 2007 AND 17-19 JULY 2007

(RESPECTIVELY)

This three-day course provides an integrated overview of all pertinent laws and regulations needed to understand and fulfill cultural resource management responsibilities.

# VERNACULAR ARCHITECTURE FORUM'S ANNUAL MEETING: SAVANNAH AND THE LOW COUNTRY

PLACE: SAVANNAH, GEORGIA DATE: 28-31 MARCH 2007

### **SECTION 106: AN INTRODUCTION**

PLACE: NEW YORK, NEW YORK & MADISON, WISCONSIN

DATE: 10-12 APRIL & 24-26 APRIL 2007

### 10TH US/ICOMOS INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

PLACE: SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

DATE: 18-21 APRIL 2007

Registration is now open for the Symposium entitled "Balancing Culture, Conservation, and Economic Development: Heritage Tourism in and around the

Pacific Rim."

## NPI DECISION MAKING FOR CULTURAL AND NATURAL

RESOURCES IN THE LEGAL ENVIRONMENT

PLACE: WASHINGTON, DC DATE: 24-25 APRIL 2007

## SOCIETY FOR AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY (SAA)

CONFERENCE

PLACE: AUSTIN, TEXAS DATE: 25-29 APRIL 2007

### **DIGITAL AND TRADITIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY OF**

**CULTURAL RESOURCES** 

PLACE: ANCHORAGE, ALASKA DATE: 2-3 MAY 2007

### **CEMETERY PRESERVATION**

PLACE: GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE: 7-8 MAY 2007

### CEMETERY LANDSCAPES: A PRACTICAL GUIDE TO

**CARE AND MAINTENANCE** 

PLACE: GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE: 9 MAY 2007

## NPS Archaeological Prospect ion Workshop

PLACE: RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

DATE: 14-18 MAY 2007

### **GREEN STRATEGIES FOR HISTORIC BUILDINGS**

PLACE: DENVER, COLORADO DATE: 21 JUNE 2007

### **2007 SUSTAINING MILITARY READINESS CONFERENCE**

PLACE: ORLANDO, FLORIDA DATE: 30 JULY- 3 AUGUST

### **MARITIME HERITAGE CONFERENCE 2007**

PLACE: SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA DATE: 9-12 OCTOBER 2007

### **SERDP/ESTCP PARTNERS IN ENVIRONMENTAL**

### TECHNOLOGY TECHNICAL SYMPOSIUM & WORKSHOP

PLACE: WASHINGTON, DC DATE: 4-6 DECEMBER 2007

\*\*\* BE SURE TO CHECK <u>HTTP://www.npi.org/</u> FOR MORE OF THE NATIONAL PRESERVATION INSTITUTE'S PROFESSIONAL SEMINARS IN HISTORIC PRESERVATION & CRM. \*\*\*

# 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.

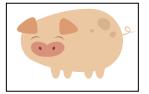
NEXT MONTH PLEASE SEND YOUR FAVORITE *COLLOQUIAL* RECIPE TO

(I.E. THINGS YOU GREW UP EATING BUT NO ONE OUTSIDE OF YOUR HOMETOWN HAS EVER HEARD OF.)

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NOTE: I had many requests for this recipe, and chose the "modern" version. Also found as Philadelphia Scrapple, Old-Fashioned Scrapple, and Amish Scrapple. Original recipes use the scraps leftover after bacon, chops, ribs, and other large cuts of meat are butchered from the pig.

## COLLOQUIAL RECIPE: EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA & SOUTHERN MARYLAND



## **SCRAPPLE**

2 lbs. ground lean pork 4 tbsp. salt
1 lb. beef liver 4 tsp. ground black pepper
1 cup buckwheat flour 2 tsp. sage
3 cups yellow corn meal 2 tsp. ground mace

2 tsp ground coriander 2 tsp ground thyme 2 tsp sweet marjoram 3 quarts water

### **DIRECTIONS**

Boil beef liver in water for 10 minutes. Cut into small pieces, return to pot. Add ground pork and simmer for 20 minutes. In large bowl, mix all other ingredients. Add to meat, and broth, stirring constantly. Simmer for 1 hour, using lowest possible heat. Pour into greased loaf pans, let cool in refrigerator over night. Cut into 3/8 inch slices. Dust with flour, and fry in bacon grease until golden brown. Don not use cooking spray, it will ruin the scrapple. Next month: Jersey Pan-Fried Muskrat.

## 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 <a href="http://www.dodlegacy.org/legacy/index.htm">http://www.dodlegacy.org/legacy/index.htm</a> for more information.

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