

in the Lucas Collection were acquired, it does state that human remains representing, at minimum, 25 individuals were removed from Smyth and Washington Counties, VA. The Lucas Collection (Penn State Lot 27) contains 25 skulls. Four crania have no mandibles (PSU27:137 belonging to a young adult female, PSU27:141 belonging to an adult female, PSU27:146 belonging to an aged adult, and PSU27:175 belonging to an adult male). Six crania have matching mandibles (PSU27:142 belonging to a young adult, PSU27:159 belonging to a young adult, PSU27:165 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:171 belonging to an adult female, PSU27:172 belonging to an adult male, and PSU27:173 belonging to an adult male). Three crania have uncertain matching mandibles (PSU27:140 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:166 belonging to an adult male, and PSU27:168 belonging to a young adult). Twelve crania have attached, unassociated mandibles (PSU27:135 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:138 belonging to a female with an attached mandible belonging to an adult male, PSU27:139 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:143 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:144 belonging to a young adult, PSU27:145 belonging to an adult, PSU27:147 belonging to an adult, PSU27:148 belonging to a young adult male with an attached mandible belonging to a female, PSU27:167 belonging to an adult male, PSU27:169 belonging to an adult female, PSU27:170 belonging to an adult male, and PSU27:174 belonging to an adult). One cranium with matching mandible came from Keywood in Washington County (PSU27:172); one cranium with matching mandible came from Broadford in Smyth County (PSU27:171); and the remaining 23 skulls came from Saltville in Smyth County. No known individuals were identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

#### Aboriginal Land

The human remains in this notice were removed from known geographic locations. These locations are the aboriginal lands of one or more Indian Tribes. The following information was used to identify the aboriginal land. Based on the 1884 Cherokee Land Cessions map compiled by C.C. Royce, there were two colonial era treaties between the Cherokee and the British that include Smyth and Washington Counties—the Treaty of October 14, 1770 at Lochabar, South Carolina, and the Treaty of March 17, 1775 with Richard Henderson.

#### Determinations

Pursuant to NAGPRA and its implementing regulations, and after consultation with the appropriate Indian Tribes, the Matson Museum of Anthropology, Penn State University has determined that:

- The human remains described in this notice represent the physical remains of, at minimum, 25 individuals of Native American ancestry.
- No relationship of shared group identity can be reasonably traced between the human remains and any Indian Tribe.
- The human remains described in this notice were removed from the aboriginal land of the Cherokee Nation; Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians; and the United Keetoowah Band of Cherokee Indians in Oklahoma.

#### Requests for Disposition

Written requests for disposition of the human remains in this notice must be sent to the Responsible Official identified in **ADDRESSES**. Requests for disposition may be submitted by:

1. Any one or more of the Indian Tribes identified in this notice.
2. Any lineal descendant, Indian Tribe, or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice who shows, by a preponderance of the evidence, that the requestor is a lineal descendant or a culturally affiliated Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization, or who shows that the requestor is an aboriginal land Indian Tribe.

Disposition of the human remains described in this notice to a requestor may occur on or after February 13, 2023. If competing requests for disposition are received, the Matson Museum of Anthropology, Penn State University must determine the most appropriate requestor prior to disposition. Requests for joint disposition of the human remains are considered a single request and not competing requests. The Matson Museum of Anthropology, Penn State University is responsible for sending a copy of this notice to the Indian Tribes identified in this notice.

*Authority:* Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 25 U.S.C. 3003, and the implementing regulations, 43 CFR 10.9 and 10.11.

Dated: January 4, 2023.

**Melanie O'Brien,**

*Manager, National NAGPRA Program.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

##### National Park Service

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#### Notice To Rescind a Notice of Inventory Completion: Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson, MS

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.  
**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Mississippi Department of Archives and History, is rescinding a Notice of Inventory Completion published in the **Federal Register** on June 20, 2005.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jessica Walzer, NAGPRA Coordinator, Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Museum Division, 222 North Street, P.O. Box 571, Jackson, MS 39205, telephone (601) 359-6851, email [jwalzer@mdah.ms.gov](mailto:jwalzer@mdah.ms.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice was previously given in accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3003, of the completion of an inventory of human remains and associated funerary objects under the control of the Mississippi Department of Archives and History, Jackson, MS. The human remains and associated funerary objects were removed from the Alston-Wilson site (MLe14) in Lee County, MS.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 25 U.S.C. 3003(d)(3). The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the institution that has control of the Native American human remains and associated funerary objects. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

The Mississippi Department of Archives and History is rescinding a Notice of Inventory Completion published in the **Federal Register** (70 FR 35451-35452, June 20, 2005). Transfer of control of the items in that notice has not occurred.

#### Correction

All paragraphs in the **Federal Register** notice of June 20, 2005 (70 FR 35451-35452) are deleted in their entirety.

The Mississippi Department of Archives and History is responsible for notifying the Alabama-Coushatta Tribe of Texas (*previously* listed as Alabama-Coushatta Tribes of Texas); Alabama-Quassarte Tribal Town; Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana; Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians; Jena Band of Choctaw Indians;

Miami Tribe of Oklahoma; Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians; Quapaw Nation (*previously* listed as The Quapaw Tribe of Indians); The Chickasaw Nation; The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma; The Muscogee (Creek) Nation; The Osage Nation (*previously* listed as Osage Tribe); and the Tunica-Biloxi Indian Tribe that this notice has been published.

Dated: January 4, 2023.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

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(222); OMB Control Number 1024-0021]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; National Capital Area Application for Public Gathering

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.  
**ACTION:** Notice of information collection;  
request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we, the National Park Service are proposing to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before March 13, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Send your comments on this information collection request (ICR) by mail to Phadrea Ponds, NPS Information Collection Clearance Officer (ADIR-ICCO), 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, (MS-242) Reston, VA 20191 (mail); or by email at [phadrea\\_ponds@nps.gov](mailto:phadrea_ponds@nps.gov) (email). Please reference Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number 1024-0021 in the subject line of your comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request additional information about this ICR, contact Marisa Richardson, Permit Specialist by email at [marisa\\_richardson@nps.gov](mailto:marisa_richardson@nps.gov); or by telephone at 202-245-4715. Please reference OMB Control Number 1024-0021 in the subject line of your comments. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point of contact in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, (PRA, 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), all information collections require approval under the PRA. As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we invite the public and other Federal agencies to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand our information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format.

We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

(1) Whether or not the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether or not the information will have practical utility.  
(2) The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.  
(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

(4) How might the agency minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of response.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this ICR. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Abstract:** The Division of Permits Management of the National Mall and Memorial Parks is authorized by regulations codified in 36 CFR 7.96(g) to issue permits for public gatherings, including special events and demonstrations, held on NPS property within the National Capital Area. The regulations reflect the special demands on many urban National Capital Area parks used as sites for demonstrations

and special events. A special event is defined as any presentation, program, or display that is recreational, entertaining, or celebratory in nature (*e.g.*, sports events, pageants, celebrations, historical reenactments, regattas, entertainments, exhibitions, parades, fairs, festivals, and similar events). The term "demonstration" includes demonstrations, picketing, speechmaking, marching, holding vigils or religious services, and all other similar forms of conduct that involve the communication or expression of views or grievances. We use information from NPS Form 10-941 to determine:

- Identity of the person(s) or organization(s) requesting authorization to conduct a demonstration or special event, and to determine whether the applicant(s) meets statutory requirements to conduct the activity.
  - Nature of the proposed activity and whether there is statutory authority to grant permission to engage in it.
  - Whether the proposed activity is in derogation from park values or purposes.
  - Relationship between the proposed activity and the primary purpose(s) for which the park area was established and relevant park planning documents.
  - Whether there is a legitimate NPS need or interest in the proposed activity.
  - Whether the proposed activity would require a commitment of public resources or facilities, whether such commitments are legitimate and appropriate, and whether they are available.
  - Long-term or short-term adverse effects caused by the proposed activity on park resources, facilities, or programs.
  - Need for attaching special conditions or mitigating measures to the permit, if issued.
  - Total cost to the park of monitoring proposed activity.
  - Whether a waiver of numerical limitations on the White House sidewalk and/or Lafayette Park should be granted.
  - Law enforcement resources needed to assure public safety and site security, especially at the White House, during the activity.
- Depending on the size and complexity of the proposed activity, we may require applicants to submit supporting documents such as:
- **Site Plan:** A complete site plan must be submitted if tents, stages, or any other type of structure are to be placed on parkland.
  - **Sign Plan:** The plan will provide the overall size, number, and design of any signs or banners.