

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service**

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**Notice of Inventory Completion:
Peabody Museum of Archaeology and
Ethnology, Harvard University,
Cambridge, MA**

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), the Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology, Harvard University (PMAE) has completed an inventory of human remains and has determined that there are known lineal descendants connected to the human remains in this notice.

DATES: Repatriation of the human remains in this notice may occur on or after May 31, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Jane Pickering, Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology, Harvard University, 11 Divinity Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02138, telephone (617) 496-2374, email jpickering@fas.harvard.edu.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA. The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the PMAE, and additional information on the determinations in this notice, including the results of consultation, can be found in the inventory or related records. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

Abstract of Information Available

Based on the information available, human remains representing one individual have been reasonably identified. The human remains were collected at the Carson Indian School, Ormsby County, NV, and are hair clippings collected from one individual, Evelina Anthony, who was recorded as being 15 years old and identified as "Washoe." Frederic Snyder took the hair clippings at the Carson Indian School between 1930 and 1933. Snyder sent the hair clippings to George Woodbury, who donated the hair clippings to the PMAE in 1935. No associated funerary objects are present.

Lineal Descendant

Based on the information available and the results of consultation, two lineal descendants are connected to the human remains described in this notice.

Determinations

The PMAE has determined that:

- The human remains described in this notice represent the physical remains of one individual of Native American ancestry.
- Cheyenne Stone and Ross Stone are connected to the human remains described in this notice.

Requests for Repatriation

Written requests for repatriation of the human remains in this notice must be sent to the authorized representative identified in this notice under

ADDRESSES. Requests for repatriation may be submitted by:

1. The known lineal descendants connected to the human remains.
2. Any other lineal descendant not identified who shows, by a preponderance of the evidence, that the requestor is a lineal descendant.

Repatriation of the human remains in this notice to a requestor may occur on or after May 31, 2024. If competing requests for repatriation are received, the PMAE must determine the most appropriate requestor prior to repatriation. The PMAE is responsible for sending a copy of this notice to the lineal descendant and any other consulting parties.

Authority: Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 25 U.S.C. 3003, and the implementing regulations, 43 CFR 10.10.

Dated: April 23, 2024.

Melanie O'Brien,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service**

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**Notice of Inventory Completion:
William S. Webb Museum of
Anthropology, University of Kentucky,
Lexington, KY**

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), the William S. Webb Museum of Anthropology, University of Kentucky (WSWM) has completed an inventory of human remains and associated funerary objects and has determined that there is a cultural affiliation between the human remains and associated funerary objects

and Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations in this notice.

DATES: Repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects in this notice may occur on or after May 31, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Celise Chilcote-Fricker, William S. Webb Museum of Anthropology, University of Kentucky, 1020 Export St., Lexington, KY 40504, telephone (859) 257-5124, email celise.fricker@uky.edu.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA. The determinations in this notice are the sole responsibility of the WSWM, and additional information on the determinations in this notice, including the results of consultation, can be found in the inventory or related records. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

Abstract of Information Available

Based on the information available, human remains representing, at least, six individuals have been reasonably identified. The 33 associated funerary objects are five lots of ceramic sherds, five lots of lithics, six lots of shell, six lots of faunal, three lots of flotation, four lots of soil samples, three lots of seeds, and one bone pin. Site 15McN18 (Crawford Lake) in McCracken, KY was excavated in 1990 by the University of Illinois' Western Kentucky Project. Calibrated radiocarbon dates place it in the Middle Archaic and Mississippian archaeological periods.

Based on the information available, human remains representing, at least, seven individuals have been reasonably identified. The 91 associated funerary objects are seven lots of lithics, six lots of faunal, six lots of floatation, six lots of soil samples, five lots of flora, seven lots of charcoal, 20 lithic projectile points, one lithic scraper, 13 faunal teeth, 13 pieces of ochre, two pieces of hematite, and five lots of burned clay. Site 15McN81 (Hedden) in McCracken, KY, was excavated in 1994 by Wilbur Smith Associates to mitigate road construction and in 2003 the Kentucky Office of Vital Statistics approved a request from the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet to curate at the University of Kentucky.

Cultural Affiliation

Based on the information available and the results of consultation, cultural affiliation is reasonably identified by the geographical location or acquisition history of the human remains and

associated funerary objects described in this notice.

Determinations

The WSWM has determined that:

- The human remains described in this notice represent the physical remains of 13 individuals of Native American ancestry.
- The 124 objects described in this notice are reasonably believed to have been placed intentionally with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony.
- There is a reasonable connection between the human remains and associated funerary objects described in this notice and The Chickasaw Nation.

Requests for Repatriation

Written requests for repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects in this notice must be sent to the authorized representative identified in this notice under **ADDRESSES**. Requests for repatriation may be submitted by:

1. Any one or more of the Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations 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.

Repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects in this notice to a requestor may occur on or after May 31, 2024. If competing requests for repatriation are received, the WSWM must determine the most appropriate requestor prior to repatriation. Requests for joint repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects are considered a single request and not competing requests. The WSWM is responsible for sending a copy of this notice to the Indian Tribes and Native Hawaiian organizations identified in this notice.

Authority: Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 25 U.S.C. 3003, and the implementing regulations, 43 CFR 10.10.

Dated: April 23, 2024.

Melanie O'Brien,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management

[Docket No. BOEM-2024-0022]

Pacific Wind Lease Sale 2 for Commercial Leasing for Wind Power Development on the Oregon Outer Continental Shelf—Proposed Sale Notice

AGENCY: Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Interior.

ACTION: Proposed sale notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) proposes to hold Pacific Lease Sale 2 and offer one or more lease areas (Lease Areas) for commercial wind power development on the U.S. Outer Continental Shelf (OCS). The Lease Areas are located in the Brookings and Coos Bay wind energy areas (WEAs) offshore the State of Oregon. This proposed sale notice (PSN) contains information pertaining to the areas available for leasing, certain lease provisions and conditions, auction details, criteria for evaluating competing bids, and procedures for lease award, appeals, and lease execution. BOEM proposes a multiple factor bidding format using a simultaneous clock auction and will use new auction software for the lease sale, resulting in changes to its previous auction rules. Any lease resulting from this sale does not constitute approval for any offshore wind energy facilities. Lessees must first submit project-specific plans to BOEM and obtain BOEM's approval before they may start any construction of an OCS wind energy facility. BOEM will make such plans available for environmental, technical, and public reviews before deciding whether the proposed development should be authorized.

DATES: BOEM must receive your comments no later than July 1, 2024.

For prospective bidders who want to participate in this lease sale, unless you have already received confirmation from BOEM that you are qualified to participate in the Oregon auction, BOEM must receive your qualification materials no later than July 1, 2024. Prior to the auction, BOEM must confirm your qualification to bid in the auction.

ADDRESSES: You may send comments in any of the following ways:

- *Electronically:* Visit <https://www.regulations.gov>. In the box titled "Search for dockets and documents on agency actions" enter "BOEM-2024-0022" and click "Search." Follow the instructions to submit comments.

- *Mail or delivery service:* Enclose comment in an envelope labeled "Comments on Oregon Wind Lease Sale PSN" and send to: Jean Thurston-Keller, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Office of Strategic Resources, 760 Paseo Camarillo, Suite 102 (CM102), Camarillo, California 93010.

For prospective bidders who want to participate in this lease sale: Enclose your qualification materials in an envelope labeled "Qualification Materials for Oregon Wind Energy Lease Sale" and send to Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Office of Strategic Resources, 760 Paseo Camarillo, Suite 102 (CM102), Camarillo, California 93010 or electronically to renewableenergypocs@boem.gov.

For more information about submitting comments, see sections XX, "Public Participation," and XXI, "Protection of Privileged and Confidential Information," in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jean Thurston-Keller, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, jean.thurston-keller@boem.gov or (805) 384-6303.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

(1) *Call for Information and Nominations:* On April 29, 2022, BOEM published the "Call for Information and Nominations-Commercial Leasing for Wind Power Development on the Outer Continental Shelf offshore Oregon" (Call). The Call consisted of two areas identified as the Brookings and Coos Bay Call Areas. BOEM received 278 comments from Tribal nations; the general public; Federal, State, and local agencies; the fishing industry; industry groups; developers; non-governmental organizations; universities; and other stakeholders. Comments can be viewed at <https://www.regulations.gov/document/BOEM-2022-0009-0001/comment>. Four developers nominated areas for a commercial wind energy lease within the Call Areas.

(2) *Area Identification:* After the close of the Call comment period on June 28, 2022, BOEM initiated the process for identifying possible leasing areas (Area ID) by reviewing the input received on the Call. BOEM used the modified Area ID process described in a note to stakeholders, available at: <https://www.boem.gov/newsroom/notes-stakeholders/boem-enhances-its-processes-identify-future-offshore-wind-energy-areas>. BOEM and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA) National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science