

shortly after the publication of this notice.

Dated: February 11, 1997.

Michael J. Tollefson,
Superintendent, Sequoia and Kings Canyon
National Parks.

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National Park Service

Notice of Intent To Issue a Prospectus for the Operation of Pack Station Services and Facilities Within Sequoia National Park

SUMMARY: The National Park Service is seeking a concessioner to operate, under a 4-year permit, a pack station providing pack and saddle animal services and facilities within the Mineral King area of Sequoia National Park. These facilities would be operated for the public under the provisions of a Concession Permit. This notice is the formal announcement of the availability of this business opportunity and the initiation of the contracting process.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The pack station is located at an elevation of 7,800 feet in the Southern Sierra Nevada. It is a summer seasonal operation serving visitors to Sequoia National Park. The existing operator does not have a preference in the renewal of this concession permit. The award will be fully competitive based upon the requirements of this Prospectus.

If you are interested in this business opportunity, please ask to be placed on the mailing list by writing or calling: National Park Service, Concession Management Office, Sequoia National Park, Three Rivers, CA 93271, or call: (209) 565-3103—Peggy Williams.

When the Prospectus is issued, submittals will be accepted for a Sixty (60) day period under terms that will be described in the Prospectus. The release of the Prospectus is expected to occur shortly after the publication of this notice.

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National Park Service

Cape Cod National Seashore South Wellfleet, Massachusetts Cape Cod National Seashore Advisory Commission; Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770, 5 U.S.C. App 1, section 10), that a meeting of the Cape Cod National Seashore Advisory Commission will be held on Friday, March 28, 1997.

The Commission was reestablished pursuant to Public Law 99-349, Amendment 24. The purpose of the Commission is to consult with the Secretary of the Interior, or his designee, with respect to matters relating to the development of the Cape Cod National Seashore, and with respect to carrying out the provisions of sections 4 and 5 of the Act establishing the Seashore.

The Commission members will convene at Headquarters, Marconi Station at 10:00 a.m. for a field trip to the former North Truro Air Force Station.

The Commission members will then meet at 1:00 p.m. at Headquarters, Marconi Station, for their regular business meeting which will be held for the following reasons:

1. Adoption of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting (01/31/97)
3. Reports of Officers
Use & Occupancy
GMP
Nickerson Fund
4. Superintendent's Report
Site Planning—(Fort Hill, Pamet
Cranberry Bog, former North Truro
AFS)
Dune Shacks
Hatches Harbor/Airport
News from Washington
5. Old Business—Advisory Commission Handbook
6. New Business—Follow-up discussions—Former North Truro AFS—New name?
7. Agenda for next meeting
8. Date for next meeting
9. Public comment
10. Adjournment

The meeting is open to the public. It is expected that 15 persons will be able to attend the meeting in addition to the Commission members.

Interested persons may make oral/written presentations to the Commission during the business meeting or file written statements. Such requests should be made to the park superintendent at least seven days prior to the meeting. Further information concerning the meeting may be obtained

from the Superintendent, Cape Cod National Seashore, 99 Marconi Site Road, Wellfleet, MA 02667.

Richard Obernesser,
Acting Superintendent.

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Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act Review Committee: Meeting—Revised Notice

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

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C. Appendix (1988), that a meeting of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Review Committee will be held on March 25-27, 1997 in Norman, OK.

The Review Committee will meet at the Oklahoma Center for Continuing Education (OCCE) on the campus of the University of Oklahoma in Norman. Meetings will begin each day at 8:30 a.m. and conclude not later than 5:00 p.m.

The Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act Review Committee was established by Public Law 101-601 to monitor, review, and assist in implementation of the inventory and identification process and repatriation activities required under the statute.

This notice amends the meeting agenda to include presentation of additional information regarding a dispute over the disposition of a carved wooden figure from Hawaii in the possession of the City of Providence and preparation of the committee's 1995-1996 report to Congress. The agenda will also include discussion of the compliance by Federal agencies, implementation of the statute in the States of Oklahoma and Texas, and the disposition of culturally unidentifiable human remains.

This meeting will be open to the public. However, facilities and space for accommodating the public are limited. Any member of the public may file a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed with Dr. Francis P. McManamon, Departmental Consulting Archeologist.

Persons wishing further information concerning this meeting, or who wish to submit written statements may contact Dr. Francis P. McManamon, Departmental Consulting Archeologist, Archeology and Ethnography Program (MS 2275), National Park Service, P.O.

Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127; telephone: (202) 343-4101. Draft summary minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection approximately eight weeks after the meeting at the office of the Departmental Consulting Archeologist, 800 North Capitol St. NW, Suite 210, Washington, DC.

Dated: February 26, 1997.

Francis P. McManamon,

*Departmental Consulting Archeologist,
Manager, Archeology and Ethnography
Program.*

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Notice of Inventory Completion for Native American Human Remains and Associated Funerary Objects From Chautauqua and Onondaga Counties, NY, in the Possession of the Springfield Science Museum, Springfield, MA

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

Notice is hereby given in accordance with provisions of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), 25 U.S.C. 3003 (d), of the completion of an inventory of human remains and associated funerary objects in the possession of the Springfield Science Museum, Springfield, MA.

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by Springfield Science Museum professional staff in consultation with representatives of the Onondaga Nation, the Seneca Nation of Indians, and the Tonawanda Band of Senecas.

In 1925, human remains representing two individuals were donated to the Springfield Science Museum by Mr. J.T. Bowne. No known individuals were identified. The approximately 165 associated funerary objects include mammal bone implements, stone implements; stone pendants; coral fossils; red ochre; a brass triangular point; a metal ax; glass beads; shells and shell beads; charred corn and beans; pottery; a red paint stick; and sheet brass.

In 1907, Mr. J.T. Bowne purchased these human remains and associated funerary objects from M.R. Harrington, who obtained these remains from the Silverheels Site and the Page Jimmerson Site, in Chautauqua County, NY.

These two sites, Silverheels Site and the Page Jimmerson Site were all used as cemetery areas between the late precontact period into the mid-nineteenth century. The associated funerary objects and manner of

internments indicate a continuity of occupation throughout this period consistent with known traditional Iroquoian practices. Consultation evidence presented by the Seneca Nation indicates these associated funerary objects and burial practices are identical to Iroquoian, specifically Seneca, traditional practices.

Based on the above mentioned information, officials of the Springfield Science Museum have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(1), the human remains listed above represent the physical remains of two individuals of Native American ancestry. Officials of the Springfield Science Museum have also determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (3)(A), the approximately 165 objects listed above are reasonably believed to have been placed with or near individual human remains at the time of death or later as part of the death rite or ceremony. Lastly, officials of the Springfield Science Museum have determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (2), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between these Native American human remains and associated funerary objects and the Seneca Nation of Indians.

In 1861, human remains representing one individual was donated to the Springfield Science Museum by Mr. H.O. Marcy. No known individual was identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

H.O. Marcy removed these human remains from the "Fort Lot Site", Onondaga County, NY. Consultation evidence presented by the Onondaga Nation and the Haudenosunee Standing Committee on Burial Rules and Regulations indicates that this site is likely one of several early Onondaga historic villages in Onondaga County, NY which dated from the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. These historic villages are often referred to as "forts" or "lots" in nineteenth century historical documents.

Based on the above mentioned information, officials of the Springfield Science Museum have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(1), the human remains listed above represent the physical remains of one individual of Native American ancestry. Officials of the Springfield Science Museum have also determined that, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001 (2), there is a relationship of shared group identity which can be reasonably traced between these Native American human remains and associated funerary objects and the Onondaga Nation.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Haudenosunee Standing

Committee on Burial Rules and Regulations, the Onondaga Nation, the Seneca-Cayuga Tribe of Oklahoma, the Seneca Nation of Indians, and the Tonawanda Band of Senecas. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these human remains and associated funerary objects should contact John Pretola, Curator of Anthropology, Springfield Science Museums, 236 State Street, Springfield, MA 01103; telephone: (413) 263-6800, before April 7, 1997. Repatriation of the human remains and associated funerary objects to the Seneca Nation of Indians and the Onondaga Nation may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: February 24, 1997.

Francis P. McManamon,

*Departmental Consulting Archeologist,
Manager, Archeology and Ethnography
Program.*

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OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Sunshine Act Meeting; March 11, 1997 Board of Directors Meeting

TIME AND DATE: Tuesday, March 11, 1997, 1:00 p.m. (OPEN Portion) 1:30 p.m. (CLOSED Portion).

PLACE: Offices of the Corporation, Twelfth Floor Board Room, 1100 New York Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

STATUS: Meeting OPEN to the Public from 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Closed portion will commence at 1:30 p.m. (approx.)

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. President's Report
2. New Appointment
3. Approval of December 10, 1996 Minutes (Open Portion)
4. Meeting schedule through December, 1997

FURTHER MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: (Closed to the Public 1:30 p.m.).

1. Finance Project in Russia
2. Insurance Project in Bangladesh
3. Pending Major Projects
Finance Project in Venezuela
4. Approval of December 10, 1996 Minutes (Closed Portion)

CONTACT PERSON FOR INFORMATION:

Information on the meeting may be obtained from Connie M. Downs at (202) 336-8438.