

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**National Park Service**

[NPS-WASO-CR-10268; 2200-3200-665]

**Agency Information Collection Activities: 30-Day Notice of Intention To Request Clearance of Collection of Information; Opportunity for Public Comment**

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

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We (National Park Service) will ask the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve the information collection request (ICR) described below. As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 and as part of our continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, we invite the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on this ICR which is an extension of a currently approved collection of information (OMB #1024-0018). We may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

**DATES:** To ensure that your comments on this ICR are considered, please submit them on or before June 21, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Please submit written comments on this information collection directly to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Desk Officer for the Department of the Interior via email to *OIRA\_DOCKET@omb.eop.gov* or fax at 202-395-5806; and identify your submission as 1024-0018, Nomination of Properties for Listing in the National Register of Historic Places, 36 CFR 60 and 63. Please send a copy your comments to Madonna L. Baucum, Acting Information Collection Clearance

Officer, National Park Service, 1849 C Street NW., Mailstop 2605 (Rm. 1242), Washington, DC 20240 (mail); or *madonna\_baucum@nps.gov* (email).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lisa Deline, NPS Historian, National Register of Historic Places, 1201 Eye St. NW., 20005. You may send an email to *Lisa\_Deline@nps.gov* or contact her by telephone at (202/354-2239) or via fax at (202/371-2229).

**I. Abstract**

The National Register of Historic Places (National Register) is the official Federal list of districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects significant in American history, architecture, archeology, engineering, and culture. National Register properties have significance to the history of communities, states, or the Nation. The National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 requires the Secretary of the Interior to maintain and expand the National Register, and to establish criteria and guidelines for including properties on the National Register. National Register properties must be considered in the planning for Federal or federally assisted projects, and listing on the National Register is required for eligibility for Federal rehabilitation tax incentives.

The National Park Service administers the National Register. Nominations for listing historic properties come from State Historic Preservation Officers, from Federal Preservation Officers for properties owned or controlled by the United States Government, and from Tribal Historic Preservation Officers for properties on tribal lands. Private individuals and organizations, local governments, and American Indian tribes often initiate this process and prepare the necessary documentation. Regulations at 36 CFR parts 60 and 63 establish the criteria and guidelines for listing properties.

We use three forms for nominating properties and providing documentation for the proposed listings:

- NPS Form 10-900 (National Register of Historic Places Registration Form).
- NPS Form 10-900-a (National Register of Historic Places Continuation Sheet).
- NPS Form 10-900-b (National Register of Historic Places Multiple Property Documentation Form).

These forms and documentation go to the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) of the state where the property is located. The SHPO can take one of several options: reject the property, ask for more information, list the property just with the state, or send the forms to us for listing on the National Register. Once we receive the forms, we conduct a similar review process.

Listing on the National Register provides formal recognition of a property's historical, architectural, or archeological significance based on national standards used by every state. The listing places no obligations on private property owners, and there are no restrictions on the use, treatment, transfer, or disposition of private property.

**II. Data**

*OMB Control Number:* 1024-0018.

*Title:* Nomination of Properties for Listing in the National Register of Historic Places, 36 CFR 60 and 63.

*Form(s):* 10-900, 10-900-a, and 10-900-b.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a previously approved collection of information.

*Description of Respondents:* State, tribal, and local governments; and individuals.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

*Frequency of Collection:* On occasion.

	Total annual responses	Avg. time per response (hours)	Total annual burden hours
<b>36 CFR 60 and 63, National Register of Historic Places Registration Form; Continuation Sheet; NR Multiple Property Documentation Form</b>			
Individuals or Households .....	15	250	3,750
<b>Individual and District Nominations (Forms 10-900 and 10-900-a)</b>			
State, Local, and Tribal Governments .....	417	100	41,700
<b>Existing Multiple Property Submission (Forms 10-900 and 10-900-a)</b>			
State, Local, and Tribal Governments .....	18	50	900

	Total annual responses	Avg. time per response (hours)	Total annual burden hours
<b>Newly Proposed MPS Cover Document (Forms 10-900-b and 10-900-a)</b>			
State, Local, and Tribal Governments .....	15	150	2,250
<b>New Nominations (Forms 10-900 and 10-900-a)</b>			
Individuals or Households .....	417	150	62,550
Totals: .....	882	.....	111,150

### III. Request for Comments

We invite comments concerning this ICR on:

- Whether or not the collection of information is necessary, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;
- The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information;
- Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents.

Please note that the comments submitted in response to this notice are a matter of public record. 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.

Dated: May 17, 2012.

**Robert M. Gordon,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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[NPS-SER-FOPU-07794; 5017-7187-409]

#### **Draft Environmental Impact Statement for General Management Plan, Fort Pulaski National Monument, GA**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Availability of the Draft General Management Plan, Wilderness Study, and Environmental Impact Statement.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4332(2)(C), the National Park Service (NPS) announces the availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the General Management Plan (GMP) and Wilderness Study for Fort Pulaski National Monument (monument).

Consistent with NPS laws, regulations, and policies and the purpose of the monument, the DEIS/GMP/Wilderness Study describes three alternatives including the NPS preferred alternative—Alternative B—to guide the management of the monument over the next 15 to 20 years. The preferred alternative incorporates various management prescriptions to ensure protection, access and enjoyment of the monument's resources.

An up-to-date GMP is needed to address how visitors access and use the monument and the facilities needed to support those uses, how resources are managed, and how the NPS manages its operations. Recent studies have enhanced the NPS's understanding of resources, resource threats, and visitor use in the monument.

**DATES:** The NPS will accept comments from the public on the DEIS/GMP for at least 60 days, starting from the date the Environmental Protection Agency publishes the Notice of Availability and ending 3 to 4 weeks after public meetings conclude. The date, time, and location of the public meetings will be announced through the NPS Planning, Environment, and Public Comment (PEPC) Web site: <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/FOPU> and media outlets.

**ADDRESSES:** Electronic copies of the draft DEIS/GMP/Wilderness Study will be available online at <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/FOPU>. To request a copy, contact Fort Pulaski National Monument, Superintendent Randy Wester, P.O. Box 30757, Highway 80 East, Savannah, GA 31410-0757. A limited number of compact disks and printed copies of the DEIS/GMP will be made available at Fort Pulaski National

Monument headquarters, P.O. Box 30757, Highway 80 East, Savannah, GA 31410-0757.

Comments may be submitted by several methods. The preferred method is commenting via the Internet on the PEPC Web site, <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/FOPU>. An electronic public comment form is provided on this Web site. You may also mail comments to Superintendent, P.O. Box 30757, Highway 80 East, Savannah, GA 31410-0757. Finally, you may hand-deliver comments to the monument. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, please 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. We will always make submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives of or officials of organizations or businesses, available for public inspection in their entirety.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Public meetings, newsletters, and Internet updates have kept the public informed and involved throughout the planning process. The DEIS/GMP/Wilderness study provides a framework for management, use, and development of the monument for the next 15 to 20 years. It presents and analyzes three alternatives: Alternative A (no action) provides a baseline for evaluating changes and impacts of the three action alternatives. Alternative B would focus management on the April 1862 period of significance in terms of the landscape and interpretive programs. This alternative includes landscape restoration and interpretation of the construction village. Alternative B is the NPS Preferred Alternative. The concept for management under alternative C is to manage the monument with a much