

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service**

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**Notice of Inventory Completion:
Western Washington University,
Department of Anthropology,
Bellingham, WA**

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology, has completed an inventory of human remains, in consultation with the appropriate Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations, and has determined that there is a cultural affiliation between the human remains and present-day Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations. Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written request to the Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology. If no additional requestors come forward, transfer of control of the human remains to the lineal descendants, Indian Tribes, or Native Hawaiian organizations stated in this notice may proceed.

DATES: Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written request with information in support of the request to the Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology at the address in this notice by May 23, 2022.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Sarah Campbell, Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology, Arntzen Hall 315, 516 High Street, Bellingham, WA 98225, telephone (360) 650–4793, email campbsk@wwu.edu.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is here 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 under the control of the Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology, Bellingham, WA. The human remains were removed from archeological site 45–SK–37, east of Dry Slough on Fir Island, Skagit County, WA.

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 museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of the Native American human remains. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

Consultation

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by the Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology professional staff in consultation with representatives of the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community [*previously* listed as the Swinomish Indians of the Swinomish Reservation of Washington].

History and Description of the Remains

On May 7, 1960, human remains representing, at minimum, three individuals were removed from site 45–SK–37 in Skagit County, WA, by faculty member Herbert C. Taylor. Taylor was supervising a field school excavation for Western Washington State College, now known as Western Washington University. No known individuals were identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

The human remains have been determined to be Native American based on ethnographic, geographic, and archeological evidence. Suttles and Lane's ethnography of the Southern Coast Salish is particularly relevant, as it contains a map featuring some of the larger villages in the region (Suttles and Lane, 1990: Figure 1). Comparison of the location of site 45–SK–37 with Suttles and Lane's map indicates that it is in an area associated with Nookachamps, Kikiallus, and Swinomish. Many descendants of these cultural entities are today associated with the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community [*previously* listed as the Swinomish Indians of the Swinomish Reservation of Washington].

**Determinations Made by Western
Washington University, Department of
Anthropology**

Officials of Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology have determined that:

- Pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001(9), the human remains described in this notice represent the physical remains of three individuals of Native American ancestry.
- Pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001(2), there is a relationship of shared group identity that can be reasonably traced between the Native American human

remains and the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community [*previously* listed as the Swinomish Indians of the Swinomish Reservation of Washington].

Additional Requestors and Disposition

Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written request with information in support of the request to Dr. Sarah Campbell, Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology, Arntzen Hall 315, 516 High Street, Bellingham, WA 98225, telephone (360) 650–4793, email campbsk@wwu.edu, by May 23, 2022. After that date, if no additional requestors have come forward, transfer of control of the human remains to the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community [*previously* listed as the Swinomish Indians of the Swinomish Reservation of Washington] may proceed.

The Western Washington University, Department of Anthropology is responsible for notifying the Swinomish Indian Tribal Community [*previously* listed as the Swinomish Indians of the Swinomish Reservation of Washington] that this notice has been published.

Dated: April 13, 2022.

Melanie O'Brien,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service**

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OMB Control Number 1024–0265]

**Agency Information Collection
Activities; NPS Institutional Animal
Care and Use Committee (IACUC)
General Submission, Exhibitor, Annual
Review, and Amendment Forms**

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 (NPS) are proposing to renew an information collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before June 21, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Please provide a copy of your comments to the NPS Information Collection Clearance Officer (ADIR–

ICCO), 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, (MS-242), Reston, VA 20191 (mail); or *phadrea_ponds@nps.gov* (email). Please include "1024-0265" in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this information collection request (ICR) by mail, contact Aaron Smith, NPS IACUC Administrator by mail at Biological Resource Division, 1201 Oakridge Drive, Suite 200, Fort Collins, CO, 80525; or by email at *aaron_d_smith@nps.gov*. You may also contact Dr. Laurie Baeten by email at *laurie_baeten@nps.gov* or telephone at (970) 966-0756. 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. You may also view the ICR at <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>.

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 the Office of Management and Budget (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: Pursuant to the Animal Welfare Act (AWA), its Regulations (AWAR), and the Interagency Research Animal Committee (IRAC), any entity or institution that uses vertebrate animals for research, testing, or training purposes must have an oversight committee to evaluate all aspects of that institution's animal care and use. To be in compliance, the NPS is responsible for managing and maintaining an Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) that has the experience and expertise necessary to assess and approve all research, testing, or training activities involving vertebrate animals on NPS managed lands and territories. All research,

testing, or training projects involving animals taking place on NPS territories must be approved by the NPS IACUC prior to their commencement.

Principal Investigators (PI) are required to submit one of the following forms for consideration by the committee:

- IACUC General Submission (GS) Form (NPS Form 10-1301)
- IACUC Amendment Form (NPS Form 10-1301A)
- IACUC Annual Review Form (NPS Form 10-1302)
- IACUC Concurrence Form (NPS Form 10-1303)
- IACUC Field Study Form (NPS Form 10-1304)

As directed by the AWA, NPS IACUC is a self-regulating entity that currently consists of a Chair, NPS Regional members, and two additional members (a veterinarian serving as the "Attending Veterinarian" and another individual serving as the "Unaffiliated Member at-Large").

Title of Collection: NPS Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) General Submission, Annual Review, Concurrence, Field Study, and Amendment Forms.

OMB Control Number: 1024-0265.

Form Numbers: NPS Forms 10-1301, 10-1301A, 10-1302, 10-1303 and 10-1304.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: State and local governments; nonprofit organizations and private businesses.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Total Estimated Annual Number of Responses: 230.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 15 minutes to 3 hours depending on respondent and/or activity.

Total Estimated Annual Burden Hours: 140 Hours.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: None.

Respondent and forms	Annual number of responses	Completion time per form	Total burden (hours)*
State and Local Agencies:			
General Submission Form (NPS Form 10-1301)	14	3 hours	42
Amendment Form (NPS Form 10-1301A)	10	15 minutes	3
Annual Review Form (NPS Form 10-1302)	55	15 minutes	14
Field Study Form (NPS Form 10-1304)	10	1 hour	10
Concurrence Form (NPS Form 10-1303)	41	15 minutes	10
Subtotal	130	79
Private (non-profit):			
General Submission Form (NPS Form 10-1301)	10	3 hours	30
Amendment Form (NPS Form 10-1301A)	10	15 minutes	3
Annual Review Form (NPS Form 10-1302)	40	15 minutes	10

Respondent and forms	Annual number of responses	Completion time per form	Total burden (hours)*
Field Study Form (NPS Form 10–1304)	10	1 hour	10
Concurrence Form (NPS Form 10–1303)	30	15 minutes	8
Subtotal	100	61
Total	230	140

An agency 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.

The authority for this action is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

Phadrea Ponds,

Information Collection Clearance Officer, National Park Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

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Notice of Inventory Completion: Maryland Center for History and Culture (Formerly Maryland Historical Society), Baltimore, MD

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Maryland Center for History and Culture has completed an inventory of human remains, in consultation with the appropriate Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations, and has determined that there is a cultural affiliation between the human remains and present-day Indian Tribes or Native Hawaiian organizations. Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written request to the Maryland Center for History and Culture. If no additional requestors come forward, transfer of control of the human remains to the lineal descendants, Indian Tribes, or Native Hawaiian organizations stated in this notice may proceed.

DATES: Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written

request with information in support of the request to the Maryland Center for History and Culture at the address in this notice by May 23, 2022.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vivien Barnett, Curatorial & Collections Assistant, Maryland Center for History and Culture, 610 Park Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21201, telephone (410) 685–3750 Ext. 332, email vbarnett@mdhistory.org.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is here 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 under the control of the Maryland Center for History and Culture, Baltimore, MD. The human remains were removed from an unknown site in Nebraska.

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 museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of the Native American human remains. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations in this notice.

Consultation

A detailed assessment of the human remains was made by the Maryland Center for History and Culture professional staff in consultation with a representative of the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma, Elizabeth Blackowl, and archeologists Ronald Thomas and Tyler Bastian.

History and Description of the Remains

At an unknown date, human remains representing, at minimum, three individuals were removed from an unknown site in Nebraska. Subsequently, they entered the archeological collection of the Maryland Academy of Sciences. In 1975, the Maryland Academy of Sciences donated these human remains to the predecessor of the Maryland Center for History and Culture (the Maryland Historical Society) as part of a much larger collection of archeological artifacts. The accession ledger corresponding to these

human remains reads, “Donated to Md. Hist. Soc. In box marked ‘Pawnee Bones from Nebraska.’” The fragmentary human remains are represented by crania, arm and leg bones, and belong to two adults and one juvenile. No known individuals were identified. No associated funerary objects are present.

Determinations Made by the Maryland Center for History and Culture

Officials of the Maryland Center for History and Culture have determined that:

- Pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001(9), the human remains described in this notice represent the physical remains of three individuals of Native American ancestry.
- Pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 3001(2), there is a relationship of shared group identity that can be reasonably traced between the Native American human remains and the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma.

Additional Requestors and Disposition

Lineal descendants or representatives of any Indian Tribe or Native Hawaiian organization not identified in this notice that wish to request transfer of control of these human remains should submit a written request with information in support of the request to Vivien Barnett, Curatorial & Collections Assistant, Maryland Center for History and Culture, 610 Park Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21201, telephone (410) 685–3750 Ext. 332, email vbarnett@mdhistory.org, by May 23, 2022. After that date, if no additional requestors have come forward, transfer of control of the human remains to the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma may proceed.

The Maryland Center for History and Culture is responsible for notifying the Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma that this notice has been published.

Dated: April 13, 2022.

Melanie O’Brien,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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