

the address above, marked Attention: RAC meeting comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Public Affairs Officer Joseph J. Fontana, telephone: 530-260-0189, email: [jfontana@blm.gov](mailto:jfontana@blm.gov). 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 contact Mr. Fontana in the United States.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The 15-member RAC advises the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of planning and management issues associated with BLM-managed public lands in northern California and far northwest Nevada. The January 31 field tour will focus on restoration and public access improvements on public lands in the Sacramento River Bend Outstanding Natural Area north of Red Bluff, California. For the February 1 business meeting, agenda topics include a status report on the Northwest California Integrated Resource Management Plan, a report on the fire and fuels program management program, an overview of the BLM law enforcement program in the district, and reports from the BLM state director and Northern California District field managers. The June 5 field tour to the Samoa Dunes area near Eureka, California, will focus on BLM efforts to restore coastal dune habitats and provide access for recreation. For the June 6 business meeting, agenda topics include a status report on the Northwest California Integrated Resource Management Plan, an overview of partnerships active in the Arcata Field Office, a status report on BLM land tenure actions, and reports from the BLM state director and Northern California District field office managers. The September 25 field tour will focus on BLM efforts to restore historically significant features at a historic ranch area that has come into public ownership. For the September 26 business meeting agenda topics include a potential review of the final Record of Decision for the Northwest California Integrated Resource Management Plan, if applicable; a report on wild horse and burro management in herd management areas within the Applegate Field Office jurisdiction; an update on sage grouse habitat management and improvement projects; and reports from the BLM state director and Northern California field office managers.

All meetings are open to the public. Each formal council meeting will have time allocated for public comments. Depending on the number of persons wishing to speak and the time available, the amount of time for oral comments may be limited. Written public comments may be sent to the BLM Northern California District Office at the address listed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice. All comments received will be provided to the RAC.

**Public Disclosure of Comments:** 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.

Members of the public are welcome on field tours but must provide their own transportation and meals. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation and other reasonable accommodations, should contact the BLM (see **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**).

Detailed meeting minutes for the RAC meetings will be maintained in the Northern California District Office. Minutes will also be posted to the California RAC web page.

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**Erica St. Michel,**

*Deputy State Director, Communications.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### National Park Service

**[NPS-NERO-CEBE-36799; PPNECEBE00, PPMSPD1Z.Y00000]**

#### **Request for Nominations for the Cedar Creek and Belle Grove National Historical Park Advisory Commission**

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

**ACTION:** Request for nominations.

**SUMMARY:** The National Park Service (NPS), U.S. Department of the Interior, is requesting nominations for qualified persons to serve as members on the Cedar Creek and Belle Grove National Historical Park Advisory Commission (Commission).

**DATES:** Written nominations must be received by January 29, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Nominations or requests for further information should be sent to Karen Beck-Herzog, Site Manager, Cedar Creek and Belle Grove National Historical Park, P.O. Box 700, Middletown, Virginia 22645, or via email [karen\\_beck-herzog@nps.gov](mailto:karen_beck-herzog@nps.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Karen Beck-Herzog, via telephone (540) 868-0938.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Commission was established in accordance with the Cedar Creek and Belle Grove National Historical Park Act of 2002 (16 U.S.C. 410iii-7). The Commission was designated by Congress to provide advice to the Secretary of the Interior on the preparation and implementation of the park's general management plan and in the identification of sites of significance outside the park boundary.

The Commission consists of 15 members appointed by the Secretary, as follows:

(a) 1 representative from the Commonwealth of Virginia; (b) 1 representative each from the local governments of Strasburg, Middletown, Frederick County, Shenandoah County, and Warren County; (c) 2 representatives of private landowners within the Park; (d) 1 representative from a citizen interest group; (e) 1 representative from the Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation; (f) 1 representative from the Belle Grove, Incorporated; (g) 1 representative from the National Trust for Historic Preservation; (h) 1 representative from the Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation; (i) 1 ex-officio representative from the National Park Service; and (j) 1 ex-officio representative from the United States Forest Service. Alternate members may be appointed to the Commission.

We are currently seeking primary and alternate members to represent the Commonwealth of Virginia, the Shenandoah Valley Battlefields Foundation, the American Battlefield Trust, the Town of Strasburg, the Town of Middletown, Warren County, and private landowners within the Park.

Each member shall be appointed for a term of three years and may be reappointed for not more than two successive terms. A member may serve after the expiration of that member's term until a successor has been appointed. The Chairperson of the Commission shall be elected by the members to serve a term of one-year renewable for one additional year.

Nominations should be typed and should include a resume providing an adequate description of the nominee's

qualifications, including information that would enable the Department of the Interior to make an informed decision regarding meeting the membership requirements of the Commission and permit the Department to contact a potential member.

Members of the Commission serve without compensation. However, while away from their homes or regular places of business in the performance of services for the Commission as approved by the NPS, members may be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, in the same manner as persons employed intermittently in Government service are allowed such expenses under 5 U.S.C. 5703.

(Authority: 5 U.S.C. Ch. 10)

**Alma Ripps,**

*Chief, Office of Policy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**National Park Service**

[NPS–NCR–MAMC–36915; PPNCACEN0, PPMPAS1Z.Y00000]

**Mary McLeod Bethune Council House National Historic Site Advisory Commission Notice of Public Meeting**

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

**ACTION:** Meeting notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the National Park Service (NPS) is hereby giving notice that the Mary McLeod Bethune Council House National Historic Site Advisory Commission (Commission) will meet as indicated below.

**DATES:** The in-person meeting will take place from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. or until business is completed on Wednesday, January 24, 2024, and from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, January 25, 2024 (eastern).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the National Capital Parks-East Headquarters, 1900 Anacostia Drive SE, Washington, DC 20020.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Anyone interested in attending should contact Tara Morrison, Superintendent and Designated Federal Officer, National Capital Parks-East, 1900 Anacostia Drive SE, Washington, DC 20020, by telephone (771) 208–1450, or by email [nace\\_superintendent@nps.gov](mailto:nace_superintendent@nps.gov). 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:** The Commission is established by section 4 of Public Law 102–211 (54 U.S.C. 320101 formerly 16 U.S.C. 461 note). The purpose of the Commission is to fully participate in an advisory capacity with the Secretary of the Interior in the development of a General Management Plan for the historic site. The Commission will also, as often as necessary, but at least semiannually, meet and consult with the Secretary on matters relating to the management and development of the historic site.

**Purpose of the Meeting:** The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the following:

- Welcome and Introductions
- History of the Mary McLeod Bethune National Historic Site Advisory Commission
- Review and the Federal Advisory Commission Act (5 U.S.C. Ch. 10)
- Site Update and Improvements—Past, Present & Future
- How an Advisory Commission Functions—Election of Chair and Vice Chair
- NPS Expectations/Priorities for Advisory Commission
- Advisory Commission Expectations

The proposed agenda may change to accommodate commission business. The final agenda for this meeting will be provided on the Park website at <https://www.nps.gov/mamc/index.htm>.

Interested persons may present, either orally or through written comments, information for the Commission to consider during the public meeting. Written comments will be accepted prior to, during, or after the meeting. Members of the public may submit written comments by mailing them to the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

Due to time constraints during the meeting, the Commission is not able to read written public comments submitted into the record. Individuals or groups requesting to make oral comments at the public Commission meeting will be limited to no more than three minutes per speaker. All comments will be made part of the public record and will be electronically distributed to all Commission members. Detailed minutes of the meeting will be available for public inspection within 90 days of the meeting.

**Meeting Accessibility/Special Accommodations:** The meeting is open to the public. Please make requests in advance for sign language interpreter services, assistive listening devices, or other reasonable accommodations. We ask that you contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice at least seven (7) business days prior to the meeting to give the Department of the Interior sufficient time to process your request. All reasonable accommodation requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

**Public Disclosure of Comments:** 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.

*Authority:* 5 U.S.C. Ch. 10.

**Alma Ripps,**

*Chief, Office of Policy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**National Park Service**

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**Notice of Public Meeting for the National Park System Advisory Board**

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

**ACTION:** Meeting notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the National Park Service (NPS) is hereby giving notice that the National Park System Advisory Board (Board) will meet as noted below.

**DATES:** The Board will hold public meetings on Thursday March 7, 2024, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time) and Friday March 8, 2024, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. (Pacific Standard Time). Individuals that wish to participate must contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section no later than February 29, 2024, to receive instructions for accessing the meeting. The meetings are open to the public.

**ADDRESSES:** The Board will meet at or near Joshua Tree National Park (exact meeting location to be determined) in California. Electronic submissions of