

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service****Ecological Restoration Plan,
Environmental Impact Statement,
Bandelier National Monument, NM**

AGENCY: National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement for the Ecological Restoration Plan, Bandelier National Monument.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4332 (C), the National Park Service is preparing an environmental impact statement for the ecological restoration plan for Bandelier National Monument. Human activities in the late 1800s and early 1900s, including historic overgrazing and fire suppression, have led to the large-scale loss or alteration of Bandelier's vegetation communities (grasslands, woodlands and forests), soils, and the erosion and potential loss of integrity of an estimated 2,500 archeological sites. This planning effort will help guide the Monument in restoring healthy, sustainable vegetative communities on the land it manages as well as protect archeological sites. The objectives of this planning effort are to: (1) Increase native perennial herbaceous cover in woodlands to reduce runoff, erosion, and further loss of cultural resources, (2) create conditions that support a fire regime within the natural range of variability, (3) reduce conifer encroachment on montane meadow and aspen stands, (4) manage vegetative communities using an active program of research and monitoring, and (5) sustain support for and actively share information about vegetative management actions and research efforts through interpretation, education, consultation, and collaboration with partners, neighbors, pueblos, and communities. The National Park Service will be looking at a variety of ways to achieve these objectives during the public scoping process.

Major issues include:

- The noise and presence of human activity and other activities and their temporary effects on designated wilderness in the monument (approximately 70% of monument area) or on other monument lands during treatment of vegetation.
- The displacement and disturbance of some species of wildlife by management activities and the attraction of other wildlife during treatment.
- In the long term, vegetative communities would return to a state

where ecosystem processes operate within the natural range of variability. This will likely mean changes in wildlife species, reduced erosion, reduced risk of devastating crown fires, stabilization of the monument's archeological resources, and a decrease in surface water runoff.

A scoping brochure has been prepared that details the issues identified to date. The brochure may be obtained from the monument's Web site or from the address and phone number included at the end of this notice.

DATES: The Park Service will accept comments from the public for 30 days from the date this notice is published in the **Federal Register**. In addition, the National Park Service intends to conduct public scoping open houses at two locations, in Los Alamos and Santa Fe, New Mexico. Please check local newspapers, the monument's Web site www.nps.gov/BAND or contact the name listed below to find out when and where these open houses will be held.

ADDRESSES: Information will be available for public review and comment in the office of the Superintendent, Steven D. Bone, Bandelier National Monument, Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544, (505) 672-3861 x 502.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ecological Restoration EIS, c/o John A. Mack, Bandelier National Monument, HCR 1, Box 1, Suite 15, Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544. Phone (505) 672-3861, extension 563.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: If you wish to comment on the scoping brochure or on any other issues associated with the plan, you may submit your comments by any one of several methods. You may mail comments to John A. Mack at the address above. You may also comment via the Internet to bandeis@nps.gov. Please submit Internet comments as an ASCII file and avoid the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Please also include "Attn: ECOLOGICAL RESTORATION PLAN EIS" and your name and return address in your Internet message. If you do not receive a confirmation that we have received your Internet message, contact us directly at (505) 672-3861, extension 563. Finally, you may hand-deliver comments to the Park Visitor Center, Bandelier National Monument, Los Alamos, New Mexico, 87544. Our practice is to make comments, including names and home addresses of respondents, available for public review during regular business hours. Individual respondents may request that we withhold their home address from

the record, which we will honor to the extent allowable by law. There also may be circumstances in which we would withhold from the record a respondent's identity, as allowable by law. If you wish us to withhold your address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. We will make all submissions from organizations or businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, available for public inspection in their entirety.

Dated: January 24, 2003.

Karen P. Wade,

Director, Intermountain Region, National Park Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**National Park Service****National Register of Historic Places;
Notification of Pending Nominations**

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before March 8, 2003. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded by United States Postal Service, to the National Register Historic Places, National Park Service, 1849 C St., NW., 2280, Washington, DC 20240; by all other carriers, National Register of Historic Places, National Park Service, 1201 Eye St., NW., 8th floor, Washington DC 20005; or by fax, 202-343-1836. Written or faxed comments should be submitted by April 17, 2003.

Carol D. Shull,

Keeper of the National Register of Historic Places.

ALABAMA**Jefferson County**

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta—
Birmingham Branch, 1801 Fifth Ave. N,
Birmingham, 03000230
Mountain Brook Estates Building, 2803
Cahaba Rd., Mountain Brook, 03000232

Lee County

Cullars Rotation, Woodfield Dr., E of US 29,
Auburn, 03100231

Wilcox County

Ackerville Baptist Church of Christ, AL 89,
Ackerville, 03000228

COLORADO**Douglas County**

Santa Fe Railway Water Tank (Railroads in Colorado, 1858–1948 MPS), US 85 W of jct. with CO 67, Sedalia, 03000237

Jefferson County

South Ranch, Address Restricted, Lakewood, 03000227

Larimer County

Kaplan—Hoover Site, Address Restricted, Windsor, 03000229

CONNECTICUT**Fairfield County**

Bradley—Hubbell House, 535 Black Rock Turnpike, Easton, 03000235

Hartford County

Thompson, William H., Farmstead, 215 and 219 Melrose Rd., East Windsor, 03000234

New Haven County

Woodbridge Green Historic District, 3,4,7,11 Meetinghouse Ln.; 4, 10 Newton Rd., Woodbridge, 03000233

Tolland County

Andover Center Historic District, Roughly along Herbron Rd., Boston Hill Rd., and US 6, Andover, 03000236

DELAWARE**New Castle County**

Delaware Academy of Medicine, 1925 Lovering Ave., Wilmington, 03000240
Delaware Trust Building, 900–912 N. Market St., Wilmington, 03000238

KENTUCKY**Bourbon County**

Champ, Thomas, House, Lexington and Maysville Rd., Paris, 03000256
Pocket Rural Historic District, Along See Rd., KY 57 and KY 1198, Sharpsburg vicinity, 03000257

Bracken County

Barkley, George W., Farm, KY 8, Augusta, 03000259
Bradford School House, KY 8 and 1109, Foster, 03000263

Clark County

Civil War fort at Boonesboro, 0.6 mi. N of Ford, W of Fort Hampton Rd., Ford, 03000262

Fayette County

Liggett and Myers Tobacco Re-handling Facility, 200 Bolivar St., Lexington, 03000261

Jefferson County

Axton—Fisher Tobacco Company Warehouse, 1405 W. Broadway, Louisville, 03000260
Finzer, J., and Brothers Company Building, 419 Finzer St., Louisville, 03000264
Louisville Grocery Company Building, 231 E. Main St., Louisville, 03000258

MISSOURI**Greene County**

Netter—Ullman Building, 317 Park Central East, Springfield, 03000255

NEW JERSEY**Bergen County**

Reformed Dutch Church of Wyckoff, 580 Wyckoff Ave., Wyckoff Township, 03000250

NEW YORK**Delaware County**

Ulster and Delaware Railroad Depot and Mill Complex, Depot St., Roxbury, 03000254

Dutchess County

National Biscuit Company Carton Making and Printing Plant, 3 Beekman St., Beacon, 03000253

Neher—Elseffer House, 6196 US 9, Rhinebeck, 03000246

Jefferson County

Dexter Universalist Church, Brown and Kirby Sts., Dexter, 03000249
Emerson Place, 20–30 Emerson Place, Watertown, 03000241

Onondaga County

Drover's Tavern, 4065 Pompey Hollow Rd., Oran, 03000265

Oswego County

Oak Street School, 205 Oak St., Fulton, 03000243

Rensselaer County

Haskell School, 150 Sixth Ave., Troy, 03000244

Suffolk County

Cedar Island Lighthouse, Cedar Point Rd., Sag Harbor, 03000248
Hallock—Bilunas Farmstead, 733 Herricks Ln., Jamesport, 03000251

Westchester County

Copland, Aaron, House, 1538 Washington St., Cortlandt Manor, 03000245
Rye Town Park—Bathing Complex and Oakland Beach, Forrest Ave., bet. Rye Beach and Dearborn Ave., Rye, 03000252
St. Thomas' Episcopal Church Complex, 158–168 W. Boston Post Rd., Mamaroneck, 03000242
White Plains Rural Cemetery, 167 N. Broadway, White Plains, 03000247

NORTH CAROLINA**Ashe County**

Greer, R.T., and Company Root and Herb Warehouse, 7181 Railroad Grade Rd., jct. of Todd Railroad Grad Rd. at Cranberry Springs Rd., Todd, 03000269

Bertie County

Ashland, NC 45, 0.25 N of jct. with NC 1360, Ashland, 03000268

Buncombe County

Bledsoe Building, 771–783 Haywood Rd., Asheville, 03000267

Carteret County

Morehead City Historic District, Roughly along Fisher St. and Bridges St., from N. 5th St. to N. 12th St., Morehead, 03000266

OHIO**Licking County**

Johnstown Jail, 66 W. Pratt St., Johnstown, 03000274

SOUTH CAROLINA**Newberry County**

Little Mountain Historic District, Along portions of Pomaria, Church, Main and Mountain Sts., Little Mountain, 03000275

Pickens County

Liberty Colored High School, Jct. of SC 93 and Rosewood St., Liberty, 03000270

Spartanburg County

American Legion Building, 94 W. Park Dr., Spartanburg, 03000271

Union County

McWhirter House, 415 Pacolet St., Jonesville, 03000272

York County

Hill Complex Historic District, York and Shannon Sts., Sharon, 03000273

TENNESSEE**Cumberland County**

Crossville Tennessee Highway Patrol Building, 39 Main St., Crossville, 03000281

Davidson County

Woodmont Terrace Apartments, 920 Woodmont, Nashville, 03000280

TEXAS**Dallas County**

Chevrolet Motor Company Building, 3221 Commerce, Dallas, 03000277

Ellis County

Highway Garage (Waxahachie MRA), 315 W. Main, Waxahachie, 03000278

Hidalgo County

Casa de Palmas, 101 N. Main St., McAllen, 03000276

Travis County

Connelly—Yerwood House, 1115 E 12th St., Austin, 03000279

Requests for removal have been made for the following resources:

ILLINOIS**Champaign County**

Chi Psi Fraternity House (Fraternity and Sorority Houses at the Urbana—Champaign Campus of the University of Illinois MPS), Champaign, 90000115

Clark County

Millhouse Blacksmith Shop, Main and Poplar Sts., Clarksville, 86003156

Kane County

Elgin Milk Condensing Co./Illinois Condensing Co., Brook and Waters Sts., Elgin, 85000267

Sangamon County

Wheeland Haven, E of Riverton on I-72,
Riverton, 85000557

KENTUCKY**Hart County**

Battle of Munfordville (Boundary Increase)
(Munfordville MRA), Mostly W of U.S.
31W near Munfordville, Munfordville
vicinity, 01001254

TENNESSEE**Hamilton County**

East Side Junior High School 2200 E. Main
St., Chattanooga, 87000392

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ARIZONA**Pima County**

Binghampton Rural Historic Landscape,
approx. jct. of N. Dodge Blvd. and E. River
Rd., Tucson, 03000316
Blenman—Elm Historic District, Bounded by
Grant, Country Club, Speedway and
Campbell, Tucson, 03000318
Catalina Vista Historic District, Bounded by
Grant, Tucson Blvd., Elm St., and
Campbell Ave., Tucson, 03000317

CALIFORNIA**Monterey County**

Monterey County Jail, 142 W. Alisal St.,
Salinas, 03000337

CONNECTICUT**Litchfield County**

March Route of Rochambeau's Army:
Ridgebury Road, (Rochambeau's Army in
Connecticut, 1780-1782 MPS), Ridgebury
Road, from intersection with Old
Stagecoach S, Ridgefield, 03000313

New Haven County

Ives—Baldwin House, 474 Baldwin Ave.,
Meriden, 03000308
New Haven Lawn Club, 193 Whitney Ave.,
New Haven, 03000309
Norcross Brothers Granite Quarry, Quarry
Rd., Branford, 03000315

Windham County

March Route of Rochambeau's Army: Old
Canterbury Road, (Rochambeau's Army in
Connecticut, 1780-1782 MPS) Old
Canterbury Rd. from Jct.
with Old Canterbury Rd., Plainfield,
03000310
March Route of Rochambeau's Army: Palmer
Road (Rochambeau's Army in Connecticut,
1780-1782 MPS), Palmer Rd. from
intersection with Miller Rd. to E of jct.
with Pudding Hill Rd., Scotland, 03000311
March Route of Rochambeau's Army:
Plainfield Pike (Rochambeau's Army in
Connecticut, 1780-1782 MPS), Plainfield
Pike from intersection with Industrial Dr.,
E to jct. with Ledge Hill Rd., Plainfield,
03000312
March Route of Rochambeau's Army:
Scotland Road (Rochambeau's Army in
Connecticut, 1780-1782 MPS), Scotland
Rd., from intersection with Back Rd. to 80
Scotland Rd., Windham, 03000314

MISSOURI**Greene County**

College Apartments (Springfield, Missouri
MPS AD II), 408 E. Walnut St., Springfield,
03000319I
St. Louis Independent City, North Riverfront
Industrial Historic District, Roughly
bounded by Dickson, Lewis, O'Fallon, 2nd,
Ashley, Biddle and Mississippi River, St.
Louis (Independent City), 03000320

MONTANA**Missoula County**

Evano School, 6688 Grooms Rd., Evano,
03000321

NORTH CAROLINA**Cleveland County**

Hull, James Heyward, House, 710 N.
Lafayette St., Shelby, 03000338

Dare County

Daniels, John T., House, 960 Burnside Rd.,
Manteo, 03000339

Durham County

Lakewood Park Historic District, 1601-1907
W. Lakewood Ave., 2001-2112 Chapel Hill
Rd., 1406-1601 James St. and 1809-1819
Bivins St., Durham, 03000340

Mecklenburg County

Sykes, Joseph, Brothers Company Building,
1445 S. Mint St., Charlotte, 03000343

New Hanover County

Wilmington Historic District (Boundary
Increase), Roughly bounded by Harnett,
7th, 3rd, Howard; Campbell, 9th, 12th,
Princess; Dock, Castle 8th, 14th; 9th,
Wright, Greenfield, Wilmington, 03000344

Rockingham County

McCollum, Reuben Wallace, House, 2203 S.
Scales St., Reidsville, 03000341

Rowan County

Salisbury Railroad Corridor Historic District
(Boundary Increase), 300 and 400 blks of
N. Lee St., Salisbury, 03000342

OHIO**Athens County**

Athens County Infirmary, 13183 OH 13,
Millfield, 03000323

Cuyahoga County

Rich, N.J., and Co. Building, 1974 E. 61st St.,
Cleveland, 03000322

Erie County

Independent Order of Odd Fellows Temple,
231 W. Washington Row, Sandusky,
03000327

Lorain County

Downtown Oberlin Historic District, Roughly
include W and E College St., within 1 blk
of S. Main and S. Main from College to
approx. Vine St., Oberlin, 03000324

Richland County

Springfield Township School, 3560 Park
Ave. W, Ontario, 03000325

OREGON**Linn County**

Wigle, Abraham and Mary, House, 34050
Belts Dr., Harrisburg, 03000345

TEXAS**Carson County**

Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway
Depot, Panhandle, One Main St.,
Panhandle, 03000326

Harris County

Pomeroy Homestead, 202 and 204 S. Main
St., Pasadena, 03000329

Jones County

Jones County Courthouse, 1100 12th St.,
Anson, 03000330

Rains County

Rains County Courthouse, 100 E Quitman St.,
Emory, 03000333

San Patricio County

San Jacinto County Courthouse, #1 TX 150 at
Byrd Ave., Coldspring, 03000332

San Saba County

San Saba County Courthouse, 500 E. Wallace,
San Saba, 03000328

Tarrant County

South Center Street Historic District, 500-600
blks of S. Center St., Arlington, 03000334