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ABSTRACT

Over 340 books, articles, manuals, newsletters, and other publications concerning the development and operation of historic sites are listed. Most cited materials were published since 1972 and are arranged under four major categories: site development and planning, documentation and preservation of structures and objects, interpretation of historic sites to visitors, and visitor and support services. Other citations are listed under the headings of professional standards and practice, management and financial planning, and other bibliographies. Under each heading, materials are listed alphabetically by author or name of organization. A section on organizations is also included which contains information on addresses, purposes, and types of publications. A final section outlines legislation affecting historic sites and other museums. Legislation is listed alphabetically by short title and references to the document in which the law is found are included. (KC)

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INTRODUCTION

The accreditation program of the American Association of Museums recognizes the unique aspects of historic sites through new supplemental accreditation documents that permit a more comprehensive evaluation of this special type of museum. The Supplemental Accreditation Questionnaire for Historic Sites and related Accreditation Visiting Committee Evaluation Checklist reflect an expansion of basic concepts found in the main body of the AAM's museum accreditation questionnaire and checklist, or represent new categories that relate specifically to the development and operation of historic sites. Basically, the supplemental questionnaire is divided into four parts.

I. Site Development and Planning

- long-range site plans
- documentary landscape plans
- documentary historic structure restoration or preservation plans
- physical intrusions affecting site development and operation
- legal restrictions affecting site development and operation

II. Structures and Objects

- historic structure documentation
- preservation, stabilization, restoration, and reconstruction philosophy and methodology
- adaptive reuse programs
- living collections
- documentary landscape plans

III. Interpretation

- site objective and purpose
- research for interpretive programs
- written interpretive plans
- visitor orientation
- interpretive training programs
- reproduction period clothing/costumes
- use of artifacts
- use of reproductions
- historical agriculture and livestock

IV. Visitor and Support Services

- written visitor services plans
- visitor facilities
- written emergency procedures
- routine maintenance plans
- cyclical maintenance plans

As part of the Supplemental Accreditation Questionnaire for Historic Sites, a selected, annotated bibliography was developed and is keyed to the main categories of the questionnaire. The bibliography includes publications that either introduce or clarify the developmental and operational concepts unique to historic sites but still within the framework of the AAM's basic definition of a museum. The citations were selected according to three criteria: (1) relevance to the concepts of the supplemental questionnaire; (2) representation of accepted methodology and philosophy for the development and operation of historic sites; and (3) general availability. Some of the publications met only one of the criteria but were included because of their strength in that area; publications that met all three criteria or are considered landmark works have been marked with an asterisk (*) and can be considered essential to a basic reference library for trustees, administrators, curators, and interpreters.

Several sections not specifically related to the new categories of the supplemental questionnaire cite publications applicable to museums in general. These include Professional Standards and Practices and Management and Financial Planning. A section on other Bibliographies is useful for further reference.

Finally, many service and professional organizations publish periodicals, technical leaflet series, bibliographies and books that are available through membership programs or by direct purchase. A section on Organizations includes their addresses, purposes, and types of publications. A final section outlines Legislation affecting historic sites and other museums.

This bibliography has been a collaborative effort of the members of the Historic Sites Committee, who have been responsible for the research, selection, and annotation of the entries. As secretary to the Accreditation Commission, Randi Glickberg coordinated the committee's work and provided invaluable guidance in the development of topics complementary to the needs of museums engaged in the kind of institutional planning and evaluation epitomized by the accreditation process. Suzanne Schell came on near the conclusion of the project to compile the final bibliography and brought order and clarity to our large and somewhat eclectic manuscript. On behalf of the AAM, the Historic Sites Committee gratefully acknowledges support from the National Endowment for the Humanities, which has made this project possible. It is hoped that this bibliography will assist those striving for a more complete understanding of the development and operation of historic sites and the ultimate application of this understanding toward accreditation.

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American Association of Museums, 1055 Thomas Jefferson St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20007. Purpose: to promote professional standards among museums; to be a representative and advocate for museums and museum professionals; to cooperate with related groups; to provide professional development opportunities; to increase the financial stability and strengthen the organizational structure of museums; to represent U.S. museums within the International Council of Museums. Publishes Museum News (bimonthly magazine); Aviso (monthly newsletter); books and reprints; directories; bibliographies; newsletters for Trustee Committee and ICOM members.

American Association for State and Local History, 708 Berry Rd., Nashville, Tenn. 37204. Purpose: to encourage the preservation and use of local history; to help history organizations save and interpret such historical resources as records, documents, artifacts, structures, and sites. Publishes History News (monthly magazine); books and technical leaflets; audiovisual training kits; independent study courses including Historic Sites; bibliographies.

American Folklife Center, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20540. Purpose: to preserve and present American folklife through programs of research, documentation, archival preservation, live presentations, exhibitions, publications, dissemination, training, and other activities. Publishes Folklife Center News (quarterly newsletter); other publications.

American Institute for Conservation of Historic and Artistic Works, 1522 K St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20005. Purpose: to disseminate information on conservation and encourage and maintain high standards among conservators. Publishes quarterly newsletter; biannual journal; occasional papers; directory.

Association of Interpretive Naturalists, 6700 Needwood Rd., Derwood, Md. 20855. Purpose: to foster the advancement of education and development of skills in the art of interpreting the natural and cultural environment. Publishes Journal of Interpretation (biannually); monthly newsletter; bibliography; workshop program papers and proceedings.

Association for Living Historical Farms and Agricultural Museums, Room 5035, National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560. Purpose: to provide a forum for communication among people and institutions involved in living historical farms or agricultural and outdoor museums; to provide guidelines for proper managing and operation of living historical farms. Publishes Living Historical Farms Bulletin (six issues a year); bibliographies; proceedings of annual meetings.

Association for Preservation Technology, P.O. Box 2487, Station D, Ottawa, Ont., K1P 5W6, Canada. Purpose: to promote the science and technology of the preservation of historic resources. Publishes Communique (bimonthly); Association for Preservation Technology Bulletin (quarterly); occasional papers.

Canadian Inventory of Historic Buildings, 3d Floor, Les Terrasses de la Shaudiere, Ottawa, Ont. K1A 1G2, Canada. Purpose: to list all Canadian buildings built prior to 1914; to provide resources for the documentation of buildings and related building arts. Publishes inventory; books; slide kits and brochures.

Canadian Museums Association, 280 Metcalfe St., Suite 202, Ottawa, Ont. K2P 1R7, Canada. Purpose: to advance public museum services in Canada; to promote the welfare and better administration of museums; to foster a continuing improvement in the qualifications and practices of museum professionals. Publishes Gazette (quarterly journal); Museogramme (quarterly newsletter); books; directories.

Forest Products Laboratory, Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 5130, Madison, Wis. 53705. Purpose: to conduct research on wood and wood-base products; to publish information relating to the identification, preservation and proper use of wood in or at historic sites. Publishes books and handbooks.

Museum Education Roundtable, National Portrait Gallery, Education Office, Room 195, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560. Purpose: to promote the use of museums and cultural institutions as educational resources. Publishes Roundtable Reports (quarterly journal).

National Access Center, 1419 27th St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20007. Purpose: to aid museums and cultural programs with options for compliance to Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, thus opening access to museum programs for disabled people; to provide information on the whole area of access for special audiences through consultants and publications. Publishes Access (bimonthly newsletter); series.

National Historic Communal Society Association, Center for Communal Studies, Indiana State University--Evansville, Evansville, Ind. 47712. Purpose: to encourage the restoration, preservation, and public interpretation of America's historic communal sites and the study of communal societies, past and present; to facilitate communication and cooperation among scholars, preservationists, and communitarians. Publishes Communal Societies (annual journal); quarterly newsletter.

National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, Washington, D.C. 20240. Purpose: to operate natural and cultural park areas nationwide. Maintains the National Register of Historic Places. Consultation with nonprofit organizations concerned with the preservation of the natural and cultural heritage is provided free of charge if no costs are involved or on a reimbursable basis. Publishes books; series; studies and reports; Conserve O Gram.

- National Parks and Conservation Association, 1701 18th St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20009. Purpose: to protect, promote, and improve national parks. Publishes National Parks Special (bimonthly magazine); monthly alerts on critical Legislative issues.
- National Recreation and Park Association, 3101 Park Center Dr., Alexandria, Va. 22302. Purpose: to improve the quality of American life through the creative use of natural and human resources. Publishes Parks and Recreation (monthly magazine); Dateline (monthly newsletter); Journal of Leisure Research (quarterly journal).
- National Trust for Historic Preservation, 1785 Massachusetts Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20036. Purpose: to encourage the public participation in the preservation of sites, buildings, and objects significant in American history and culture. Publishes Historic Preservation (bimonthly magazine); Preservation News (monthly newsletter); books.
- North American Indian Museum Association, Museum of the Cherokee Indian, P.O. Box 770-A, Cherokee, N.C. 28719. Purpose: to improve the effectiveness of Indian museums throughout North America by sharing their resources. Publishes quarterly newsletter.
- Office of Museum Programs, Arts and Industries Building, Room 2235, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560. Purpose: to provide activities and services for the professional enhancement of museum personnel and for the improvement of museum operations. Publishes studies and reports; audiovisual presentations on conservation. Maintains a museum reference center.
- Old-House Journal Corporation, 69A Seventh Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217. Publishes Old-House Journal (monthly newspaper devoted to practical techniques for restoring, maintaining, and decorating houses built before 1920); Old-House Journal Catalog (annual).
- Parks Canada, Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada, Department of Environment, Ottawa, Ont. K18 1G2, Canada. Purpose: to advise the Minister of the Interior of persons (nonliving) places, and events of national significance. Publishes brochures; lists; guidelines; books.
- Pioneer America Society, Department of Geography, University of Akron, Akron, Ohio 44325. Purpose: to discover, record, document, and promote preservation of the remaining vestiges of pioneer America. Publishes Pioneer America (biannually); newsletter (five or six issues a year); PAST (annual transactions).
- Society for Industrial Archaeology, Room 5020, National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560. Purpose: to study, preserve, and commemorate historically significant factories, machinery, bridges, canals, vehicles, and power sources that survive. Publishes Industrial Archaeology (annual journal); quarterly newsletter.

Western Interpreters Association, P.O. Box 28366, Sacramento, Calif. 95828.

Purpose: to promote historical, recreational, archeological, anthropological, and natural history interpretation; to advance the education of interpreters and the development of skills in the art of interpreting the natural and cultural environment. Publishes Interpreter (quarterly journal); monthly newsletter.

Victorian Society in America, Athenaeum, East Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa. 19106. Purpose: to preserve, understand, and enjoy our 19th-century heritage. Publishes Nineteenth Century (quarterly magazine); Victorian (newsletter, eight issues a year).

LEGISLATION

Antiquities Act of 1906 (Public Law 59-209; 34 Stat. 225; 16 USC 431-433), provided for the protection of historic or prehistoric remains, "or any antiquity," on federal lands; established criminal sanctions for unauthorized destruction or appropriation of antiquities; authorized the President to declare, by proclamation, national monuments; and authorized the scientific investigation of antiquities on federal lands, subject to permit and regulations.

Historic Sites Act of 1935 (Public Law 74-292; 49 Stat. 666; 16 USC 461-467), authorized the programs that are known as the Historic American Buildings Survey, the Historic American Engineering Record, and the National Survey of Historic Sites and Buildings; authorized the establishment of national historic sites and otherwise authorized the preservation of properties "of national historic or archeological significance"; authorized the designation of national historic landmarks; established criminal sanctions for violation of regulations pursuant to the act; authorized interagency, intergovernmental, and interdisciplinary efforts for the preservation of cultural resources; and other provisions. The first efforts to salvage archeological data that would otherwise be lost were done under the authorities of this act beginning with the River Basin Survey in 1946.

National Trust Act of 1949 (Public Law 81-408; 63 Stat. 927), facilitated public participation in the preservation of sites, buildings, and objects of national significance or interest; created the National Trust for Historic Preservation and empowered it to acquire and hold property for historic preservation purposes, enter into contracts and agreements to further the policies enunciated in the Historic Sites Act, sue and be sued, and perform other lawful acts to carry out the purposes of the National Trust.

Reservoir Salvage Act of 1960 (Public Law 86-523; 74 Stat. 220; 16 USC 469-469c), provided for the recovery and preservation of historical and archeological data (including relics and specimens) that might be lost or destroyed as a result of the construction of dams, reservoirs, and attendant facilities activities. This legislation indicated further concern with cultural resources recovery and reemphasized the need to recover data. See also the 1974 amendment to this act.

Department of Transportation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-670; 80 Stat. 931). Section 4(f) states that the Secretary of Transportation "shall not approve any program or project which requires . . . the use of . . . any land from a historic site . . . unless (1) there is no feasible and prudent alternative to the use of such land, and (2) such program includes all possible planning to minimize harm to such . . . historic sites resulting from such use."

National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665; 80 Stat. 915; 16 USC 470), declared a national policy of historic preservation levels; provided authority for the expansion of the National Register of Historic Places to include cultural resources of state and local significance; authorized matching federal grants to the states and the National Trust for Historic Preservation for the acquisition and rehabilitation of National Register properties; established the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; provided certain procedures to be followed by federal agencies in the event of a proposal that might have an effect on National Register properties; defined historic preservation as the protection, rehabilitation, restoration, and reconstruction of districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects significant in American history, architecture, archeology, or culture.

National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (Public Law 91-190; 31 Stat. 852; 42 USC 4321-4347), declared in Section 101-B (4) that it is the policy of the federal government to "preserve important historic, cultural and natural aspects of our national heritage." In order to carry out this policy, the act required an interdisciplinary study of the impacts associated with federal programs.

Public Law 91-243, May 9, 1970, amended the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 by extending the funding for the program through 1973, increasing the membership of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and authorizing the participation of the United States as a member in the International Centre for the Study of Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Property and funds for the purpose.

Executive Order 11593, "Protection and Enhancement of the Cultural Environment," May 13, 1971 (36F.R. 8921), in reference to some of the legislation discussed above, instructed all federal agencies to provide national leadership in historic preservation, to assure the preservation of cultural properties in federal ownership, and to "institute procedures to assure that federal plans and programs contribute to the preservation and enhancement of nonhistorical, architectural, or archeological significance." The order specifically directed all federal agencies to

"locate, inventory, and nominate to the Secretary of the Interior all sites, buildings, districts for listing on the National Register of Historic Places." The order further established procedures to be followed by all federal agencies pending completion of the cultural resources inventories.

Archeological and Historical Preservation Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-291; 88 Stat. 74), amended the 1960 Salvage Act; provided for the preservation of significant scientific, prehistoric, historic, or archeological data (including relics and specimens) that might be lost or destroyed as a result of: (1) the construction of dams, reservoirs, and attendant facilities and activities; or (2) any alteration of the terrain caused as a result of any federal construction project or federally licensed project activity or program; provided that the Secretary of the Interior will be notified of impending loss of such resources, and the agency of the secretary may survey and recover the data and publish the results. It provided for agreement on time limits for initiation and completion of survey and recovery efforts. It required the secretary to coordinate, report on, consult with experts about, and distribute funds appropriated for those survey and recovery efforts. It provided that up to one percent of the total amount authorized to be appropriated for federal activities may be transferred to the secretary for implementation of the act, and provided funds for certain other costs. Compliance with the act presumes prior compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 with regard to properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

Public Law 94-422, Sept. 28, 1976, amended Section 106 of the the National Historic Preservation Act to apply to properties eligible for inclusion in the National Register. Additional funding was appropriated to carry out the provisions of the act; the organization of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation was clarified, and its membership expanded. The council was established as a fully independent agency within the Executive Branch and authorized to promulgate such rules and regulations as it deems necessary to implement Section 106 of the act.

American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Aug. 11, 1978 (Public Law 95-341), set forth the policy of the United States to protect and preserve the inherent and constitutional right of the American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut, and Native Hawaiian people to believe, express, and exercise their traditional religions. The act called for a 12-month evaluation of procedures, programmatic objectives, and policies by all federal agencies as they affect the religious rights and the cultural integrity of Native Americans, consultations with Indian leaders is required.

Archeological Resources Protection Act of 1979 (Public Law 96-95; 93 Stat. 712; 16 USC 470), provided for the protection of archeological resources located on public lands and Indian lands; defined archeological resources to be any material remains of past human life or activities that are of archeological interest and at least 100 years old; encouraged cooperation among groups and individuals in possession of archeological information; established permit requirements for the excavation or removal of

archeological resources from public or Indian lands with special permit and disposition rules for the protection of archeological resources on Indian lands in light of the American Indian Religious Freedom Act; provided that information regarding the nature and location of archeological resources may remain confidential; and established civil and criminal penalties, including forfeiture of vehicles and equipment used, fines of up to \$100,000, and imprisonment of up to five years for second violations, and for the unauthorized appropriation, alteration, exchange, or other handling of archeological resources, and authorized rewards for furnishing information about such unauthorized acts.

National Historic Preservation Act Amendments of 1980. (Public Law 96-515), continued the National Register of Historic Places but required public participation in the nomination process and prohibited listing of properties if the owner objects; established statutory authority for the State Historic Preservation Program; authorized the National Historic Landmark Program; required states to develop procedures for certifying qualified local governments to nominate sites directly to the National Register and to receive preservation funds directly; authorized federally guaranteed market-rate loans for preserving National Register properties; established statutory responsibility for managing federally owned historic properties; reduced the number of members on the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and required the council to report on the impact of federal tax laws on preservation and make legislative recommendations.