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SUBJECT: Notification of National Historic Preservation Act Section 106 Consultation and Amendment of the Bridge Programmatic Agreement for the Operation, Maintenance and Repair Activities at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia

Army National Military Cemeteries (ANMC), which maintains and operates Arlington National Cemetery (ANC), announces the extension and amendment of the Bridge Programmatic Agreement for the Operation, Maintenance and Repair Activities at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia (ACHP Case No. 024214 / DHR File No. 2025-5273) in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), 16 U.S.C. § 470f, and its implementing regulations, 36 C.F.R. Part 800.

Prior to the expiration of the one (1) year agreement on February 6, 2026, ANMC initiated consultation with the Virginia State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), which are signatories to the Programmatic Agreement (PA), and requested the signatories consider an extension of this Agreement. Consultations with the signatories resulted in the execution of an amendment extending the MOA for one (1) year, to allow for continued consultation on drafting a new PA. The new PA shall include updates to ANC property boundaries, archaeological research, operations and maintenance policies and practices, and Attachments A-F. The new PA, upon execution, shall supersede the terms of the amended PA.

With this notice, ANMC releases the executed amendment, which can be viewed on the agency's public website at: <https://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/About/Public-Notices>.

Please direct any questions regarding the Agreement and its amendment to the Cultural Resources Program Manager at usarmy.pentagon.hqda-anc-osa.mbx.cultural-resources@army.mil.

Army National Military Cemeteries looks forward to continuing the Section 106 compliance process with our agency partners, consulting parties, and the public.

Thank you for your interest in Arlington National Cemetery.