

**AMENDMENT TO THE
MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
AMONG ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY,
THE VIRGINIA STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER, AND
THE AIR FORCE DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON REGARDING
THE SOUTHERN EXPANSION PROJECT
ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY
ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA**

WHEREAS, the Memorandum of Agreement (hereinafter the “MOA”) was executed on December 2nd, 2019 (DHR File No. 2014-1094); and

WHEREAS, the Army broke ground on the Southern Expansion Project at Arlington National Cemetery (hereinafter “ANC”) on September 13th, 2021, and construction is ongoing; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation I(A-D) of the MOA, ANC submitted boundary wall documentation and petrographic identification, Service Complex documentation, and Air Force Memorial documentation to the SHPO and AFDW drafts of all documentation materials for review and comment; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation II(A) of the MOA, ANC included specifications for the storage and reuse of the deconstructed Boundary Wall in the operations and contracts for the Southern Expansion Project; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation IV of the MOA, ANC consulted with the AFDW, the SHPO, and the other Consulting Parties on elements important to the symbolism and design of the Air Force Memorial; and the parties considered the preservation of and/or best treatments for the elements specified in the Agreement; and the design considerations were incorporated into the Project design and contract documents; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation V of the MOA, ANC included the Post Review Discoveries Stipulation in all Project operations and contracts involving ground disturbance; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation VI of the MOA, ANC included the stipulations regarding Unidentified Human Remains Dating Prior to the Establishment of ANC in all Project operations and contracts involving ground disturbance; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation VII of the MOA, ANC included the Professional Qualifications stipulation in all Project operations and contracts; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation XV of the MOA, within the six (6)-month period prior to the expiration of the five (5) year agreement on December 2nd, 2024, ANC initiated consultation with the Virginia State Historic Preservation Officer (hereinafter the “SHPO”) and the Air Force District Washington (hereinafter the “AFDW”), which are Signatories to the Agreement, and requested the Signatories consider an extension of this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the MOA is to be extended for ten (10) years after the date of the last signature of a Signatory to address the extended construction timeline of the Southern Expansion Project; and

WHEREAS, ANC installed prefabricated buildings to serve as a Modular Office Complex during the Administration Building's rehabilitation (DHR File # 2018-3190 consultation on the Administration Building Rehabilitation with Temporary Buildings); and when that project completed, the agency consulted with the SHPO on retention of the trailers (DHR file #2020-3682: Modular Office Complex); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Stipulation XIII of the MOA and in compliance with conditions the SHPO included in its No Adverse Effect finding for DHR file #2020-3682: Modular Office Complex, ANC proposed in writing that the Agreement be amended and initiated consultation with the Signatories to consider such an amendment; and ANC proposed the Agreement be amended to include retention of the modular office complex for the duration of the Southern Expansion project, with the complex's removal to coincide with the completion of the project and the expiration of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the MOA is to be amended to address the retention of the modular office complex trailers for the duration of the Southern Expansion Project, with the complex's removal to coincide with the completion of the project and the expiration of the Southern Expansion Project MOA.

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Stipulation XIII (Amendments and Termination) of the MOA, ANC, the SHPO, and the AFDW, as signatories to this MOA, agree to amend the PA as set forth below.

1. Amend and replace Stipulation XII(A) (Timeframe for Completion of Mitigation and Review Process) in its entirety to read as follows:
 - A. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, ANC shall complete the required mitigation measures within ten (10) years of execution of this Agreement.
2. Amend and replace Stipulation XV (Duration) in its entirety to read as follows:
 - A. This Agreement shall be extended on the date of the final signature and continue in full force and effect until ten (10) years after the date of the last signature of a Signatory. At any time in the six (6)-month period prior to such date, ANC may request that the Signatories consider an extension of this Agreement, e.g., until implementation is satisfactory per Stipulation XII. No extension or modification shall be effective unless all Signatories have agreed with it in writing.
 - B. This Agreement shall be reviewed and validated by all Signatories, not less than five (5) years from the execution, at the mid-point from the Agreement effective date. ANC shall consult with the Signatories to determine whether the Agreement needs to be extended, amended, or terminated and take such actions as appropriate.

3. Amend the Stipulations in the MOA and add Stipulation XVII (Modular Office Complex), to read as follows:
 - A. ANC shall remove the modular office complex at the completion of the Southern Expansion project. All temporary structures shall be removed, the queuing lane and landscape shall be restored.
 - B. ANC shall notify the SHPO, AFDW, and the other Consulting Parties when the modular office complex is removed, and the site restored.
4. All other terms of the MOA remain unchanged.

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The undersigned Signatory Parties verify that they have full authority to represent and bind their respective agencies for the purpose of amending this Agreement.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

By: DURHAM-AGUILERA.KAREN.L.1230610262 Digitally signed by DURHAM-AGUILERA.KAREN.L.1230610262 Date: 2024.12.02 14:18:18 -05'00' _____ Date: _____
Karen Durham-Aguilera
Executive Director, Army National Military Cemeteries

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VIRGINIA STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER



By: _____ Date: 11/25/2024

Julie V. Langan
State Historic Preservation Officer
Director, Virginia Department of Historic Resources

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AIR FORCE DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

By: 1049423647  Digitally signed by
DEVOE.DANIEL.A.1049423647
Date: 2024.11.26 13:09:37 -05'00' Date: 26 November 2025
Major General Daniel A. DeVoe
Commander, Air Force District of Washington

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CONCURRING PARTIES:

ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

By: _____ Date: _____
Mark Schwartz, County Manager

CATAWBA INDIAN NATION

By: _____ Date: _____
Wenonah Haire, Cultural Services Director

PAMUNKEY INDIAN TRIBE

By: _____ Date: _____
Robert Gray, Chief

ARLINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

By: _____ Date: _____
David Pearson, President