

out the purposes of this subchapter, but not to exceed \$200,000 for planning.

(Pub. L. 100-348, § 7, June 27, 1988, 102 Stat. 658.)

REFERENCES IN TEXT

This subchapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this Act”, meaning Pub. L. 100-348, June 27, 1988, 102 Stat. 654, known as the San Francisco Maritime National Historical Park Act of 1988, which is classified principally to this subchapter. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 410nn of this title and Tables.

SUBCHAPTER LIX-M—NATCHEZ NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

**§ 4100o. Purposes**

The purposes of this subchapter are to—

- (1) preserve and interpret the history of Natchez, Mississippi, as a significant city in the history of the American South;
- (2) preserve and interpret the sites and structures associated with all the peoples of Natchez and its surrounding area from earliest inhabitants to the modern era, and including blacks both slave and free;
- (3) preserve and interpret the region’s social, political, and economic development, with particular emphasis on the pre- and post-Civil War eras; and
- (4) preserve and interpret the region’s commercial and agricultural history, especially in relation to the Mississippi River and cotton.

(Pub. L. 100-479, § 1, Oct. 7, 1988, 102 Stat. 2324.)

**§ 4100o-1. Establishment**

**(a) In general**

In order to provide for the benefit, inspiration, and education of the American people, there is hereby established the Natchez National Historical Park (hereinafter in this subchapter referred to as the “park”) in the State of Mississippi.

**(b) Area included**

The park shall consist of the historic districts established under this subchapter and the following properties:

- (1) The lands and structures known as Melrose, together with all personal property located on such lands.
- (2) The lands and improvements thereon known as, or associated with, Fort Rosalie.
- (3) The lands and structures known as the William Johnson House, together with all personal property located on such lands, and the building adjacent thereto which bears a common wall.

The property referred to in paragraph (2) shall be included within the park only if the Secretary of the Interior (hereinafter in this subchapter referred to as the “Secretary”) determines that the historic resources of Fort Rosalie are of sufficient national significance and integrity to warrant inclusion in the National Park System. The Secretary shall make such determination after receiving from the Governor of the State of Mississippi and the mayor of the city of Natchez, in consultation with the State Historic Preservation Officer, a recommenda-

tion based on scholarly research as to the national significance and integrity of such historic resources.

**(c) Boundaries; map**

The Secretary shall prepare a map of the lands included within the park. Such map shall be on file and available for public inspection in the offices of the National Park Service at the park and at the Department of the Interior in the District of Columbia. The Secretary may from time to time make minor revisions in the boundary of the park in accordance with section 100506(c) of title 54.

(Pub. L. 100-479, § 2, Oct. 7, 1988, 102 Stat. 2324; Pub. L. 101-399, § 1(a), Sept. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 860.)

CODIFICATION

In subsec. (c), “section 100506(c) of title 54” substituted for “section 7(c) of the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 (16 U.S.C. 4601-4 [sic] and following)” on authority of Pub. L. 113-287, § 6(e), Dec. 19, 2014, 128 Stat. 3272, which Act enacted Title 54, National Park Service and Related Programs.

AMENDMENTS

1990—Subsec. (b)(3). Pub. L. 101-399 added par. (3).

**§ 4100o-2. Acquisition of property**

**(a) In general**

Except as otherwise provided in this section, the Secretary may acquire, by donation, purchase with donated or appropriated funds, or exchange, land or interests in land, together with structures and other improvements thereon and personal property, which is included within the park. In addition the Secretary may acquire by any such means such personal property associated with the park as he deems appropriate for interpretation of the park and such additional lands and properties as may be necessary for purposes of an administrative headquarters and administrative site. Any land, interests in land, structures, improvements, or personal property owned by the State of Mississippi or any political subdivision thereof, may be acquired only by donation. The Secretary may not acquire fee title to any property other than the property he deems necessary for an administrative site and headquarters and the property referred to in paragraph (1), (2), or (3) of section 4100o-1 of this title, and the Secretary may not acquire the property referred to in paragraph (1) of section 4100o-1 of this title unless at least 25 per centum of the fair market value of such property (as determined by the Secretary) is donated to the United States in connection with such acquisition. The Secretary may not acquire the property referred to in paragraph (3) of section 4100o-1(b) of this title except by donation.

**(b) Building for joint use by the Secretary and the City of Natchez**

**(1) Contribution toward construction**

The Secretary may enter into an agreement with the City of Natchez under which the Secretary agrees to pay not to exceed \$3,000,000 toward the planning and construction by the City of Natchez of a structure to be partially used by the Secretary as an administrative