108TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 2059

To designate Fort Bayard Historic District in the State of New Mexico as a National Historic Landmark, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 9, 2003

Mr. Pearce (for himself, Mr. Udall of New Mexico, and Mrs. Wilson of New Mexico) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

- To designate Fort Bayard Historic District in the State of New Mexico as a National Historic Landmark, and for other purposes.
 - 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
 - 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
 - 3 SECTION 1. FORT BAYARD NATIONAL HISTORIC LAND-
 - 4 MARK ACT.
 - 5 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This section may be cited as the
 - 6 "Fort Bayard National Historic Landmark Act".
 - 7 (b) Designation.—The Fort Bayard Historic Dis-
 - 8 trict in Grant County, New Mexico, as listed on the Na-

- 1 tional Register of Historic Places, is hereby designated as
- 2 the Fort Bayard National Historic Landmark.
- 3 (c) Administration.—Nothing in this section shall
- 4 affect the administration of the Fort Bayard Historic Dis-
- 5 trict by the State of New Mexico.
- 6 (d) Cooperative Agreements.—The Secretary, in
- 7 consultation with the State of New Mexico, Grant County,
- 8 New Mexico, and affected subdivisions of Grant County,
- 9 may enter into cooperative agreements with appropriate
- 10 public or private entities, for the purposes of protecting
- 11 historic resources at Fort Bayard and providing edu-
- 12 cational and interpretive facilities and programs for the
- 13 public. The Secretary shall not enter into any agreement
- 14 or provide assistance to any activity affecting Fort Bayard
- 15 State Hospital without the concurrence of the State of
- 16 New Mexico.
- 17 (e) Technical and Financial Assistance.—The
- 18 Secretary may provide technical and financial assistance
- 19 with any entity with which the Secretary has entered into
- 20 a cooperative agreement under subsection (d).
- 21 (f) No Effect on Actions of Property Own-
- 22 ERS.—Designation of the Fort Bayard Historic District
- 23 as a National Historic Landmark shall not prohibit any
- 24 actions which may otherwise be taken by any property

- 1 owners, including the owners of the Fort Bayard National
- 2 Historic Landmark, with respect to their property.
- 3 (g) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
- 4 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be
- 5 necessary to carry out this section.

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