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AN ACT

To expand the boundary of the Jimmy Carter National Historic Site in the State of Georgia, to redesignate the unit as a National Historical Park, 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. BOUNDARY EXPANSION.**

2 Section 1 of Public Law 100–206 is amended—

3 (1) in subsection (a), by striking paragraph (3)
4 and inserting:

5 “(3) preserve and interpret a southern agricul-
6 tural-based rural community during the early to
7 middle years of the 20th century.”;

8 (2) in subsection (b)(1), by striking “map enti-
9 tled ‘Jimmy Carter National Historic Site and Pres-
10 ervation District Boundary Map’, numbered NHS–
11 JC–80000, and dated April 1987” and inserting
12 “map titled ‘Jimmy Carter National Historical Park
13 and Preservation District, Proposed Boundary Map’,
14 numbered 330/80,019, and dated September 2009”;

15 (3) in subsection (b)(2)—

16 (A) by striking “and described more par-
17 ticularly as follows—” and inserting “or is
18 needed to enhance the visitor experience, and
19 includes—”;

20 (B) in subparagraph (C), by striking “15”
21 and inserting “18”;

22 (C) in subparagraph (E), by striking
23 “and” at the end;

24 (D) in subparagraph (F), by striking
25 “Carter.” and inserting “Carter, and properties
26 in the vicinity of the residence along West

1 Church Street that are needed for administra-
2 tive and visitor uses and to protect scenic val-
3 ues, not to exceed 10 acres;” and

4 (E) by adding at the end the following new
5 subparagraphs:

6 “(G) the Billy Carter Service Station at
7 104 West Church Street, consisting of less than
8 one acre;

9 “(H) the property at 147 Old Plains High-
10 way, known locally as the ‘Haunted House’,
11 where Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter resided from
12 1956 to 1961, consisting of approximately one
13 acre;

14 “(I) the Georgia Welcome Center on State
15 Route 280/27, consisting of approximately 18
16 acres; and

17 “(J) two corridors of land no wider than
18 50 feet each between the Georgia Welcome Cen-
19 ter and the President Carter boyhood home for
20 the purpose of establishing walking and biking
21 trails while using, to the greatest extent prac-
22 ticable, the right-of-way for the Shoreline Ex-
23 cursion Train.”;

24 (4) in subsection (c)(1)—

1 (A) in subparagraph (A), by striking
2 “and” at the end;

3 (B) in subparagraph (B), by striking the
4 period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

5 (C) after subparagraph (B), insert the fol-
6 lowing:

7 “(C) by donation only, other lands and in-
8 terests in lands in the environs of Plains con-
9 taining natural, cultural, or historic resources
10 consistent with the purposes of the national his-
11 torical park which, upon acquisition, shall be in-
12 cluded in and administered as part of the na-
13 tional historical park.”; and

14 (5) in subsection (c)(2), by inserting “, the
15 Georgia Welcome Center (referred to in subsection
16 (b)(2)(I)),” after “subsection (b)(2)(A))”.

17 **SEC. 2. REDESIGNATION AS NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK.**

18 (a) REDESIGNATION.—Public Law 100–206 is
19 amended—

20 (1) by striking “National Historic Site” each
21 place it appears and inserting “National Historical
22 Park”;

23 (2) by striking “historic site” each place it ap-
24 pears and inserting “national historical park”;

