

# Union Calendar No. 173

111<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 1471

[Report No. 111-307]

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.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 12, 2009

Mr. BISHOP of Georgia (for himself, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. MARSHALL, and Mr. BARROW) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on March 12, 2009]

# **A BILL**

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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. BOUNDARY EXPANSION.**

4 *Section 1 of Public Law 100–206 is amended—*

5 *(1) in subsection (a), by striking paragraph (3)*  
6 *and inserting:*

7 *“(3) preserve and interpret a southern agricul-*  
8 *tural-based rural community during the early to mid-*  
9 *dle years of the 20th century.”;*

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

17 *(3) in subsection (b)(2)—*

18 *(A) by striking “and described more par-*  
19 *ticularly as follows—” and inserting “or is need-*  
20 *ed to enhance the visitor experience, and in-*  
21 *cludes—”;*

22 *(B) in subparagraph (C), by striking “15”*  
23 *and inserting “18”;*

24 *(C) in subparagraph (E), by striking “and”*  
25 *at the end;*

1           (D) in subparagraph (F), by striking  
2           “Carter.” and inserting “Carter, and properties  
3           in the vicinity of the residence along West  
4           Church Street that are needed for administrative  
5           and visitor uses and to protect scenic values, not  
6           to exceed 10 acres;”; and

7           (E) by adding at the end the following new  
8           subparagraphs:

9           “(G) the Billy Carter Service Station at  
10          104 West Church Street, consisting of less than  
11          one acre;

12          “(H) the property at 147 Old Plains High-  
13          way, known locally as the ‘Haunted House’,  
14          where Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter resided from  
15          1956 to 1961, consisting of approximately one  
16          acre;

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

20          “(J) two corridors of land no wider than 50  
21          feet each between the Georgia Welcome Center  
22          and the President Carter boyhood home for the  
23          purpose of establishing walking and biking trails  
24          while using, to the greatest extent practicable, the

1           *right-of-way for the Shoreline Excursion*  
2           *Train.”;*

3           (4) *in subsection (c)(1)—*

4                 (A) *in subparagraph (A), by striking “and”*  
5                 *at the end;*

6                 (B) *in subparagraph (B), by striking the*  
7                 *period at the end and inserting “; and”; and*

8                 (C) *after subparagraph (B), insert the fol-*  
9                 *lowing:*

10                     “(C) *by donation only, other lands and in-*  
11                     *terests in lands in the environs of Plains that the*  
12                     *Secretary deems appropriate to add to the na-*  
13                     *tional historical park which, upon acquisition,*  
14                     *shall be included in and administered as part of*  
15                     *the national historical park.”; and*

16           (5) *in subsection (c)(2), by inserting “, the Geor-*  
17           *gia Welcome Center (referred to in subsection*  
18           *(b)(2)(I)),” after “subsection (b)(2)(A)”.*

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

20           (a) *REDESIGNATION.—Public Law 100–206 is amend-*  
21           *ed—*

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

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

3           (3) *in the section heading of section 1, by strik-*  
4           *ing “NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE” and inserting*  
5           *“NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK”;*

6           (4) *in the subsection heading of section 1(b), by*  
7           *striking “NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE” and inserting*  
8           *“NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK”; and*

9           (5) *in the section heading of section 3, by strik-*  
10          *ing “HISTORIC SITE” and inserting “NATIONAL*  
11          *HISTORICAL PARK”.*

12          (b) *REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, map, regu-*  
13          *lation, document, paper, or other record of the United*  
14          *States to the “Jimmy Carter National Historic Site” shall*  
15          *be deemed a reference to the “Jimmy Carter National His-*  
16          *torical Park”.*

17          **SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

18          *Public Law 100–206 is further amended by striking*  
19          *section 7.*



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