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[Report No. 117-582]

To redesignate the Pullman National Monument in the State of Illinois
as the Pullman National Historical Park, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 16, 2021

Ms. KELLY of Illinois (for herself, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. CASTEN, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. RUSH, and Ms. NEWMAN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

NOVEMBER 17, 2022

Additional sponsor: Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois

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[For text of introduced bill, see copy of bill as introduced on April 16, 2021]

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 *This Act may be cited as the “Pullman National His-*
5 *torical Park Act”.*

6 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

7 *In this Act:*

8 (1) *HISTORICAL PARK.*—The term “historical
9 park” means the Pullman National Historical Park
10 established in section 3(a).

11 (2) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means
12 the Secretary of the Interior.

13 *SEC. 3. REDESIGNATION OF PULLMAN NATIONAL MONU-*
14 *MENT.*

15 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*There is established the Pullman*
16 *National Historical Park for the purposes set forth in this*
17 *Act.*

(b) *ABOLISHMENT OF MONUMENT, INCORPORATION OF LANDS, AND AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.*—*The Pullman National Monument, established by Proclamation Number 9233, dated February 19, 2015, is abolished as such, and all lands or interests in land that constitute the Monument (as in existence on the day before the date of enactment of this Act) are incorporated in, and shall be considered to be part of, the historical park. Any funds available for pur-*

1 *poses of the Pullman National Monument shall be available*
 2 *for purposes of the historical park.*

3 (c) *REFERENCES.*—*Any references in a law, regula-*
 4 *tion, document, record, map, or other paper of the United*
 5 *States to the Pullman National Monument shall be consid-*
 6 *ered to be a reference to the historical park.*

7 **SEC. 4. PURPOSES.**

8 *The purposes of the historical park are to preserve,*
 9 *protect, and interpret Pullman’s nationally significant cul-*
 10 *tural and historical resources associated with—*

11 (1) *the Nation’s labor history and creation of a*
 12 *national Labor Day holiday;*

13 (2) *the first planned model industrial commu-*
 14 *nity in the United States;*

15 (3) *the architecture and landscape design of the*
 16 *planned community;*

17 (4) *the pivotal role of the Pullman porter in the*
 18 *rise of the African-American middle class; and*

19 (5) *the entirety of the history, and historic fig-*
 20 *ures discussed in Presidential Proclamation Number*
 21 *9233.*

22 **SEC. 5. BOUNDARIES.**

23 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*The boundaries of the historical*
 24 *park are as generally depicted on the map entitled “Pull-*

1 *man National Historical Park”, numbered 590-125,485,*
 2 *and dated November 2021.*

3 (b) *ACQUISITION OF LAND.—The Secretary may ac-*
 4 *quire land, including interests in land, within the bound-*
 5 *aries of the historical park by donation, transfer, exchange,*
 6 *or purchase from a willing seller using donated or appro-*
 7 *priated funds.*

8 (c) *AVAILABILITY OF MAP.—The map shall be on file*
 9 *and available for public inspection in the appropriate of-*
 10 *fices of the National Park Service and the Department of*
 11 *the Interior.*

12 **SEC. 6. ADMINISTRATION.**

13 *The Secretary shall administer the land within the*
 14 *boundary of the historical park in accordance with—*

15 (1) *this Act; and*

16 (2) *the laws generally applicable to units of the*
 17 *National Park System, including—*

18 (A) *section 100101(a), chapter 1003, and*
 19 *sections 100751(a), 100752, 100753 and 102101*
 20 *of title 54, United States Code; and*

21 (B) *chapter 3201 of title 54, United States*
 22 *Code.*

23 **SEC. 7. COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.**

24 (a) *IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may enter into coop-*
 25 *erative agreements with the State, other public and non-*

1 *profit entities, and other interested parties to identify, in-*
2 *terpret, and provide technical assistance, including collabo-*
3 *rative interpretive and educational programs, at—*

4 *(1) non-Federal historic properties within the*
5 *boundaries of the historical park; and*

6 *(2) sites in close proximity to the historical park,*
7 *but located outside the boundaries of the historical*
8 *park, including providing for placement of directional*
9 *and interpretive signage, exhibits, and technology-*
10 *based interpretive devices.*

11 *(b) PRESERVATION.—The Secretary may enter into co-*
12 *operative agreements with the State, other public and non-*
13 *profit entities, and other interested parties to provide finan-*
14 *cial assistance to mark, interpret, and restore non-Federal*
15 *nationally significant historic or cultural properties and re-*
16 *sources within the historical park as the Secretary deter-*
17 *mines appropriate to carry out the purposes of this Act.*
18 *These cooperative agreements will be subject to such terms*
19 *and conditions that the Secretary determines necessary, and*
20 *shall provide that—*

21 *(1) reasonable public access to the property cov-*
22 *ered by such agreement for the purpose of interpreting*
23 *them to the public;*

1 (2) *no changes or alterations shall be made to the*
2 *exterior of the properties except by mutual agreement*
3 *of the other parties to the agreements;*

4 (3) *the Federal share of the total cost of any ac-*
5 *tivity carried out under the agreement shall be not*
6 *more than 50 percent, with in-kind contributions or*
7 *goods or services fairly valued authorized, as appro-*
8 *priate, for the non-Federal share; and*

9 (4) *any conversion, use, or disposal of the re-*
10 *stored property for purposes that are inconsistent*
11 *with the purposes of this subsection, as determined by*
12 *the Secretary, shall result in a right of the United*
13 *States to reimbursement of the greater of—*

14 (A) *the amount provided by the Secretary*
15 *to the project; or*

16 (B) *an amount equal to the increase in the*
17 *value of the project that is attributable to the*
18 *funds, as determined by the Secretary at the*
19 *time of the conversion, use, or disposal.*

20 **SEC. 8. MANAGEMENT PLAN.**

21 *Not later than 3 years after the date on which funds*
22 *are first made available to carry out this Act, the Secretary*
23 *shall complete a general management plan for the historical*
24 *park in accordance with section 100502 of title 54.*

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