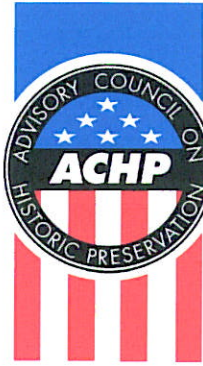


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Mr. Addison D. Davis, IV
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Dear Mr. ~~Davis~~ ^{Tael}:

In response to a notification by the National Guard Bureau, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) will participate in the consultation to develop a memorandum of agreement for the proposed transfer of 6.07 acres, referred to as Admiral's Row at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, New York, from the U.S. Army to the City of New York. Our decision to participate in this consultation is based on the *Criteria for Council Involvement in Reviewing Individual Section 106 Cases*, contained within our regulations, "Protection of Historic Properties" (36 CFR Part 800) implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. The criteria are met for this proposed undertaking because of its potential to present substantial impacts on important historic properties.

By copy of this letter, we are also notifying Colonel Jeffrey G. Phillips, U.S. Army, Chief, Environmental Programs Division, of this decision.

Our participation in this consultation will be handled by Kelly Fanizzo, who can be reached at 202-606-8583 or kfanizzo@achp.gov. We look forward to working with the National Guard Bureau and other consulting parties to develop this agreement.

Sincerely,

John M. Fowler
Executive Director