

Witness Disclosure Form

Clause 2(g) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires non-governmental witnesses to disclose to the Committee the following information. A non-governmental witness is any witness appearing on behalf of himself/herself or on behalf of an organization other than a federal agency, or a state, local or tribal government.

Your Name, Business Address, and Telephone Number:

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1. Are you appearing on behalf of yourself or a non-governmental organization? Please list organization(s) you are representing.

SEE ATTACHED LIST OF NGOs REPRESENTED

2. Have you or any organization you are representing received any Federal grants or contracts (including any subgrants or subcontracts) since October 1, 2012 related to the agencies or programs funded by the Subcommittee?

Yes No

3. Have you or any organization you are representing received any contracts or payments originating with a foreign government since October 1, 2012 related to the agencies or programs funded by the Subcommittee?

Yes No

4. If your response to question #2 and/or #3 is "Yes", please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof), and/or the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract originating with a foreign government. Please also indicate whether the recipient was you or the organization(s) you are representing.

SEE ATTACHED LISTS

Signature:

[Redacted Signature]

Date: MARCH 13, 2015



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Sustaining Our Trail Resources

2014 Partner Organizations

National Scenic Trail Organizations

American Hiking Society
Appalachian Trail Conservancy
Appalachian Mountain Club
Arizona Trail Association
Connecticut Forest & Park Association
Continental Divide Trail Coalition
Continental Divide Trail Society
Florida Trail Association
Ice Age Trail Alliance
Natchez Trace Parkway Association
North Country Trail Association
Pacific Crest Trail Association
Pacific Northwest Trail Association
Potomac Heritage Trail Association

Affiliate Members

American Discovery Trail Association
Carson Valley Trails Association
National Frontier Trails Museum
Back Country Horsemen Association
Kansas City Area Historic Trails Association
Tahoe Rim Trail Association
Smoky Hill Trail Association

National Historic Trail Organizations

Ala Kahakai Trail Association
E Mau Na Ala Hele
Anza Trail Coalition of Arizona
Anza Trail Foundation
Camino Real Trail Association
El Camino Real De Los Tejas
Chesapeake Conservancy
Iditarod National Historic Trail, Inc.
Lewis & Clark Trail Heritage Foundation
Lewis & Clark Trust
Mormon Trails Association
Nez Perce Trail Foundation
National Pony Express Association
Old Spanish Trail Association
Oregon California Trails Association
Overmountain Victory Trail Association
Santa Fe Trail Association
Trail of Tears Association
W3R® -US (*Washington-Rochambeau
Revolutionary Route NST Organization*)

The following information is provided to comply with Rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 2(g)(4):

**FEDERAL FUNDING PROVIDED TO ORGANIZATIONS
IN THE PARTNERSHIP FOR THE NATIONAL TRAILS SYSTEM
IN FISCAL YEAR 2013**

By the authority of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C. 1241 et. seq.) the National Park Service (NPS), Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and the USDA Forest Service (FS) have provided funding assistance and staff involvement through cooperative and challenge cost share agreements to promote and develop components of the National Trails System. Partners for these agreements include the following organizations:

Organization	NPS Funding	BLM Funding	FS Funding	F&WS Funding
Partnership for the National Trails System*	\$41,500	\$35,000	\$15,200	\$20,000
Ala Kahakai Trail Association	186,895			
Anza Trail Foundation	8,520			
Appalachian Trail Conservancy	\$1,407,000		\$274,000	
Arizona Trail Association	1,800		54,758	
Chesapeake Conservancy	205,600			84,620
El Camino Real de Los Tejas NHT Association	86,705			
El Camino Real de Tierra Adentro Trail Association	\$74,514	10,000		
Florida Trail Association			342,835	
Ice Age Trail Alliance	271,700			
Iditarod Historic Trail Alliance		30,000		
CT Forest & Park Assn. & Appalachian Mtn. Club	\$182,912			
Nez Perce Trail Foundation			90,784	
North Country Trail Association	434,982		10,556	
Oregon-California Trails Association	200,401			
Old Spanish Trail Association	109,450			
Overmountain Victory Trail Association	20,000			
Santa Fe Trail Association	\$182,556			
Pacific Crest Trail Association	\$6,991	93,757	873,850	
Pacific Northwest Trail Association			303,700	
Pony Express Trail Association	40,620			
Trail of Tears Association	190,450			
Washington-Rochambeau Rev. Route NHT Assoc.	\$76,810			
Total, by Agency	\$ 3,729,406	\$ 168,757	\$ 1,965,683	\$ 104,620

* = Funding to produce and distribute *Pathways Across America*, quarterly newsletter about issues of the National Trails System, coordinate planning for the 14th Conference on National Scenic and Historic Trails, manage a website providing information about activities along the trails, guide citizen-based efforts to preserve critical resources along national scenic and historic trails, and engage youth in trail and outdoor activities. To support these activities the Partnership also received \$40,360 from the Federal Highway Administration.

In FY2013, I received \$28,500 of the money the Partnership received from Federal agencies to guide and coordinate the various activities and projects listed above.

This report is derived from information provided to me by National Park Service staff and our organizational partners.

Gary Werner
Executive Director, Partnership for the National Trails System

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Trail Organization	National Park Service Funding	USDA Forest Service Funding	Bureau of Land Management Funding
Partnership for the National Trails System*	20,000	12,700	10,000
Ala Kahakai Trail Association	53,600	0	0
Appalachian Trail Conservancy	1,414,000	37,000	0
Arizona Trail Association	0	58,000	32,436
Camino Real Trail Association	65,570	0	55,410
Camino Real de los Tejas NHT Association	87,205	0	0
Florida Trail Association	0	350,000	0
Ice Age Trail Alliance	263,000	0	0
Iditarod Historic Trail Alliance	0	0	80,550
Anza Trail Foundation	13,566	0	0
National Pony Express Association	48,385	0	0
Connecticut Forest and Park Association & Appalachian Mountain Club	85,837	0	0
North Country Trail Association	416,175	0	0
Old Spanish Trail Association	90,281	0	0
Oregon-California Trails Association	171,858	0	0
Overmountain Victory Trail Association	28,000	0	0
Pacific Crest Trail Association	0	812,131	90,316
Pacific Northwest Trail Association	0	268,882	0
National Trail of Tears Association	177,136	0	0
Washington-Rochambeau Revolutionary Route NHT Association (W3R-US)	50,000	0	0
Total, by Agency	2,984,613	1,538,713	268,712

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