

# 2009 Current Fiscal Year Report: Selma to Montgomery National Historic Trail Advisory Council

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## 1. Department or Agency

Department of the Interior

## 2. Fiscal Year

2009

## 3. Committee or Subcommittee

Selma to Montgomery National Historic Trail Advisory Council

## 3b. GSA

## Committee No.

5302

## 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year? 5. Current Charter 6. Expected Renewal Date 7. Expected Term Date

No 12/14/2006 12/14/2008 12/14/2008

## 8a. Was Terminated During FiscalYear? 8b. Specific Termination Authority 8c. Actual Term Date

Yes PL 90-543, as amended by Sec 501 of PL 104-333 12/14/2008

## 9. Agency Recommendation for Next FiscalYear 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate? 10b. Legislation Pending?

Continue

## 11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

## 12. Specific Establishment Authority 13. Effective Date 14. Committee Type 14c. Presidential?

PL 90-543, as amended by Sec 501 of PL 104-333. 11/12/1996 Continuing No

## 15. Description of Committee Non Scientific Program Advisory Board

## 16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this FiscalYear

## 17a. Open 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 1

## Meetings and Dates

Purpose Start End

The Council will discuss: a) update on trail projects, b) updates on the Montgomery Interpretive Center proposed sites, and c) close out the committee. 10/23/2008 - 10/23/2008

**Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 1**

	<b>Current FY</b>	<b>Next FY</b>
<b>18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff</b>	\$5,000.00	\$0.00
<b>18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$1,100.00	\$0.00
<b>18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)</b>	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
<b>18d. Total</b>	\$7,600.00	\$0.00
<b>19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)</b>	0.05	0.00

**20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?**

Council meetings provide a public forum through which the identification and recommendation of goals and objectives are made for the work year, and issues and concerns about past or present plans are discussed. The Council held its last meeting October 23, 2008. A final report will be submitted following this meeting.

**20b. How does the Committee balance its**

### **membership?**

As prescribed by the enabling legislation, the Council is not to exceed 35 members appointed by the Secretary of the Interior and composed of (a) the head or a designee of each Federal department or independent agency administering lands through which the trail passes; (b) a member appointed to represent each State through which the trail passes (Alabama), and such appointments are made from recommendations of the Governor(s) of such State(s); and (c) one or more members appointed to represent private organizations, including corporate and individual landowners and land users, which in the opinion of the Secretary have an established and recognized interest in the trail, and such appointments are made from recommendations of the heads of such organizations.

### **20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?**

The Council generally meets twice a year. Council meetings provide a forum which encourages fairness and understanding, and the atmosphere for group consensus and partnership.

### **20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?**

The Selma to Montgomery National Historic Trail Advisory Council has been established pursuant to the National Trails System Act to consult with the Secretary of the Interior on the development of a comprehensive plan and other matters relating to the trail, including the selection of rights-of-way, standards for erection, and maintenance of markers. Also, the trail has been designated as an All American Road by the Federal Highway Administration.

## 20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

All meetings are open.

## 21. Remarks

The Selma to Montgomery National Historic Trail Advisory Council terminated December 14, 2008. The National Park Service wishes to establish the Council administratively.

## Designated Federal Officer

Catherine Farmer Light Superintendent, Selma to Montgomery NHT, Southeast Region, National Park Service

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Autrey, Dorothy	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Faculty Member of Alabama State University	Representative Member
Batey, Catherine	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Acting Division Administrator, Federal Highway Administration	Regular Government Employee (RGE) Member
Benn, Alvin	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Retired Reporter for Montgomery Advertiser	Representative Member
Bilbro, Melanie	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Town of Lowndesboro Montgomery	Representative Member
Brown, K.T.	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	County Friends of the Selma to Montgomery NHT Executive Vice President-Tourism, Selma & Dallas County Centre for Commerce	Representative Member
Cothran, Lauri	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Retired Educator, Selma, City Councilwoman	Representative Member
Crenshaw, Bennie	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Executive Director Holt Street Baptist Church Historical Society	Representative Member
Harris, Herman	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Pastor, Brown Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church	Representative Member
Jackson, James	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church	Representative Member

Johnson, Charles	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Selma-Dallas County Friends of the Selma to Montgomery NHT Head Ready	Representative Member
Jones Taylor, Frazine	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Reference Section of Department of Archives and History	Representative Member
Lindsey, Jesse	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Selma Newspapers, Inc.	Representative Member
Lowery, Evelyn	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Southern Christian Leadership Coalition Chairman,	Representative Member
Mants, Robert	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Lowndes County Friends of the Historic Trail	Representative Member
Martin, Jean	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Selma City Council	Representative Member
McInnes, Joe	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Director of the Alabama Department of Transportation Cultural Resources	Representative Member
Mertins, Ellen	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Administrator, Alabama Historical Commission Archivist,	Representative Member
Patton, Gwendolyn	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Trenholm Technical College	Representative Member
Perkins, James	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Mayor, City of Selma	Representative Member
Perry, Geraldine	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	City of St. Jude Church	Representative Member
Reese, Sr., Frederick	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Pastor, Ebenezer Baptist Church	Representative Member
Richardson, George	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Pastor Hutchinson Missionary Baptist Church	Representative Member
Sentell, Lee	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Director of the Alabama Bureau of Tourism and Travel	Representative Member
Thurman, Michael	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Pastor Dexter Avenue King Baptist Church	Representative Member
Williams, Sidney	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Appointed to serve on Alabama Board of Pardons and Paroles by Governor Riley	Representative Member
Wimberly, Louretta	03/30/2007	03/30/2009	Retired	Representative Member

**Number of Committee Members Listed: 26**

**Narrative Description**

The Council held its final meeting in FY 2009 on October 23, 2008. A final report will be submitted following this meeting. The National Park Services wishes to establish the Council administratively.

**What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?**

	Checked if Applies
Improvements to health or safety	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Outcome Comments**

NA

**What are the cost savings associated with this committee?**

	Checked if Applies
None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### **Cost Savings Comments**

NA

**What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?**

0

### **Number of Recommendations Comments**

NA

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?**

0%

### **% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

NA

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?**

0%

### **% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

**Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?**

Yes  No  Not Applicable

### **Agency Feedback Comments**

The Agency has reviewed possible locations for the Interpretive Center and has worked with the Council regarding the advantages and disadvantages of various proposed locations. The Agency has provided examples of current NPS designated parkways and answered various questions related to parkways. The Agency has also outlined the various steps necessary for the trail to obtain parkway status.

**What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?**

Checked if Applies

- Reorganized Priorities
- Reallocated resources
- Issued new regulation
- Proposed legislation
- Approved grants or other payments
- Other

**Action Comments**

NA

**Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?**

No

**Grant Review Comments**

N/A

**How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?**

Checked if Applies

- Contact DFO
- Online Agency Web Site
- Online Committee Web Site
- Online GSA FACA Web Site
- Publications
- Other

**Access Comments**

N/A