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IN REPLY REFER TO:

10D CARI

Closure Order #21-002: Reduced Occupancy for Park Buildings April 6, 2021

Effective April 6, 2021, the closures set forth in previous CARI Closure Order #21-001 dated February 3, 2021, will be modified as follows:

36 CFR §1.5 - VISITING HOURS, PUBLIC USE LIMITS, CLOSURES, AND AREA DESIGNATIONS FOR SPECIFIC USE OR ACTIVITIES

Restrictions and Public Use Limits: Under the authority provided to the Superintendent in 36 CFR 1.5, the following activities are restricted in Cane River Creole National Historical Park effective immediately, until further notice:

(a)(2) Designate areas for a specific use or activity, or impose conditions or restrictions on a use or activity.

In order to control the spread of COVID-19, CARI has calculated reduced occupancy based on the number of offices and physical distance standard. Based on this, park operations should continue with the following in mind:

- Maximum capacity of the Dr. Cottage, 6 people (2 in private offices with doors closed, 2 in shared office space but socially distanced, 1 in shared library space, 1 in conference room). Preferred occupancy limit is 4 people; can go up to 6 for short durations of time with masks and social distancing.
- Maximum capacity of Oakland Store, 2 people (2 people in private offices with doors closed - bookstore and current interpretive office)
- Maximum capacity of Curation Facility, 6 people (2 people in private offices with doors closed, 2 in shared office space but socially distanced, 2 in warehouse/collections area but socially distanced). Preferred occupancy limit is 4 people; can go up to 6 for short durations of time with masks and social distancing
- No change to Oakland Main House (1 person in private office with doors closed; visitor capacity is based on family groups, 1 group at a time)

Staff with shared offices or using shared spaces should strive to have staggered lunch schedules and staggered use of community spaces, maintaining 6 feet physical distance. Also staff in the Dr. Cottage

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