



## QUICK FACTS

# NATIONAL PARK SERVICE PUBLIC RECORDS MADE ACCESSIBLE

The Technical Information Center (TIC) at the Denver Service Center (DSC) is the oldest and largest information system in the National Park Service (NPS). TIC is the central repository for proper retention, access, and disposition of NPS records that include drawings, specifications, scientific, and technical reports. eTIC makes public records easily accessible.

### WHY DO PEOPLE USE OUR DOCUMENTS?

Historical studies, disaster recovery, project planning, natural and cultural resources.

### WHAT KIND OF RECORDS?

NPS-generated planning, design, construction drawings, and technical reports, along with aerial surveys and photographs.

### HOW MANY RECORDS?

eTIC added more than 1,200 records in 2017. As of this spring, we've added more than 26,000 drawings; 14,500 documents, 2,200 photographs, and 327 wayside exhibits.

### WHO ARE SOME OF OUR USERS?

Academic researchers, students, history enthusiasts, educators, architect and engineering firms, other government agencies.

### HOW MANY NPS PARKS, UNITS, AND PROGRAMS DO THE RECORDS COVER?

The collection provides documentation for more than 679 NPS units and programs.

### ARCHIVING PARTNERSHIP:

TIC works in partnership with the National Archives and Records Administration to deposit required NPS records for preservation.

