Please note: This text is from the fourth edition of *Federal Historic Preservation Laws*, published in 2006 by the National Center for Cultural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior. This edition contains 24 Federal laws and portions of laws that pertain to the preservation of the Nation’s cultural heritage.

The citations in this book are no longer current. We have retained this online edition for its historic value, and for the plain-language context that it provides about these laws.

For up-to-date citations and links to the current text of Federal historic preservation laws, please consult our webpage about Federal Historic Preservation Laws, Regulations, and Orders: https://www.nps.gov/subjects/historicpreservation/laws.htm.

For information about Title 54 of the United States Code, please visit: https://www.nps.gov/subjects/historicpreservation/laws-intro.htm.
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SELECTED REGULATIONS FROM THE CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS (CFR), SELECTED EXECUTIVE ORDERS (EO), AND SELECTED STANDARDS RELATED TO HISTORIC PRESERVATION

All regulations, executive orders, and standards are officially published in the Code of Federal Regulations, the United States Code, or the Federal Register. All three sources can be accessed via the home page for the Government Printing Office, Access GPO http://www.access.gpo.gov. The site and the accompanying search engines can be challenging to use. Most of the government websites listed below are more direct and they contain the pertinent information regarding the preservation laws in question. The official government sites guarantee the official language and the most current information. Those interested in finding the most recent iterations of the documents should use Access GPO. The National Park Service posts many documents, laws, regulations, and standards at its “Links to the Past” site: www.cr.nps.gov.

23 CFR Part 771, Environmental Impact and Related Procedures (Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration)

26 CFR Parts 1 and 602, Income Tax: Investment Tax Credit for Qualified Rehabilitation Expenditures (Internal Revenue Service)
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/tps/tax/IRS.htm

26 CFR Parts 1, 20, 25 and 602, Income Tax: Qualified Conservation Contributions (Internal Revenue Service)
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/tps/tax/IRS.htm

30 CFR Part 700 to the End, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (Department of the Interior)
http://www.osmre.gov/regindex.htm

36 CFR Part 60, National Register of Historic Places
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#regs [scroll down and select 36 CFR 60]

36 CFR Part 61, Procedures for State, Tribal, and Local Government Historic Preservation Programs
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/laws/36CFR61.htm [can also be reached through same address as 36 CFR 60]

36 CFR Part 63, Determinations of Eligibility for Inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#regs [scroll down and select 36 CFR 63]

36 CFR Part 65, National Historic Landmarks Program
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/laws/Landmarks.htm [can also be reached through the same address as 36 CFR 60]

36 CFR Part 67, Historic Preservation Tax Incentive Certifications
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/tps/tax/taxregs.htm [can also be reached through same address as 36 CFR 60]
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36 CFR Part 68, The Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties
http://www2.cr.nps.gov/tps/secstan1.htm

36 CFR Part 73, World Heritage Convention
http://www.access.gpo.gov

36 CFR Part 78, Waiver of Federal Agency Responsibilities under Section 110 of the National Historic Preservation Act
http://www.access.gpo.gov

36 CFR Part 79, Curation of Federally Owned and Administered Archaeological Collections
http://www.cr.nps.gov/aad/tools/36cfr79.htm [can also be reached through the same address as 36 CFR 60]

http://www.achp.gov/regs.html

40 CFR Parts 1500–1517, Regulations of the Council on Environmental Quality
http://www.epa.gov/epacfr40/chapt-V.info/chv-toc.htm

41 CFR Part 101–17, Assignment and Utilization of Space (General Services Administration, Public Buildings Survey)


43 CFR Part 3, Preservation of American Antiquities
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#regs [scroll down and select 43 CFR 3]

43 CFR Part 7, Protection of Archaeological Resources
http://www.cr.nps.gov/local-law/43cfr7.htm [can also be reached through the same address as 36 CFR 60]

43 CFR Part 10, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#regs [scroll down and select 43 CFR 10]

Executive Order 11593, Protection and Enhancement of the Cultural Environment (1971)
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#execords [scroll down and select E.O. 11593]
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http://www.cr.nps.gov/local-law/eo13006.htm [can also be reached through the same address as E.O. 11593]

Executive Order 13007, Indian Sacred Sites (1996)
http://www.cr.nps.gov/local-law/eo13007.htm [can also be reached through the same address as E.O. 11593]

Executive Order 13287, Preserve America (2003)
http://www.achp.gov/news-preserveamericaEO.html

The Secretary of the Interior’s Standards and Guidelines for Federal Agency Historic Preservation Programs Pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#standards [scroll down to select these standards and guidelines]

Abandoned Shipwreck Act Guidelines
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#standards [scroll down to select these guidelines]

The Secretary of the Interior’s Standards and Guidelines for Archeology and Historic Preservation. This includes Standards and Guidelines for Preservation Planning, Identification, Evaluation, Registration, Historical Documentation, Architectural and Engineering Documentation, Archeological Documentation, Historic Preservation Projects (Treatment Standards), and Professional Qualifications.
http://www.cr.nps.gov/linklaws.htm#standards [scroll down to select these standards and guidelines]