Sandy Hook

National Park Service
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Gateway National Recreation Area Sandy Hook Unit



Public Comment Form Fort Hancock Dock Replacement

Comment Period: February 19 - March 20, 2009

The National Park Service (NPS) has initiated the planning process to enhance water access and ferry boat service at the Sandy Hook Unit of Gateway National Recreation Area. This would include a new pier with wave attenuation devices, a floating ferry dock, improved parking, and a waiting area for ferry passengers. In addition, boat slips and a boat ramp would be provided for the various public and educational institutions that occupy the adaptive use historic buildings at the Sandy Hook Unit. The new pier would be placed in the same location as the existing pier and barge, behind the Fort Hancock chapel.

As part of this planning process, all interested individuals, organizations, and agencies are invited to provide written ideas, concerns, information, or suggestions during the public comment period, which extends throughout the planning process. The NPS invites the public to provide written comments about the project via email (gate_public_affairs@nps.gov), in writing (Superintendent, Gateway N.R.A., Sandy Hook Unit, 58 Magruder Road, Fort Hancock, NJ 07732), or on the park's Planning, Environment, and Public Comment website: http://parkplanning.nps.gov/gate.

Our practice is to make comments, including names, home addresses, home phone numbers, and email addresses of respondents, available for public review. You should be aware that your entire comment – including your personal identifying information – may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

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