

Gary Werner



PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

Executive Director, Partnership for the National Trails System	1999 - present
Member, Board of Directors of Americans for our Heritage & Recreation	1997 - 2003
Chairman, Partnership for the National Trails System	1991 - 1999
Government Relations Consultant, Ice Age Park and Trail Foundation, Pewaukee, WI	1994 - 1995
State Trail Planner, Ice Age Park and Trail Foundation, Pewaukee, WI	1992 - 1994
Dane County Project Coordinator, Ice Age Park and Trail Foundation, Sheboygan, WI	1990 - 1992
State Trail Coordinator, Ice Age Park and Trail Foundation, Sheboygan, WI	1983 - 1989
Self-employed contractor, Residential Restoration and Repair, Madison, WI	1974 - 1983
Seasonal Fire Guard, U.S. Forest Service, Burns, OR	1973
Legislative Representative, John Muir Chapter, Sierra Club, Madison, WI	1971 - 1972

EDUCATION:

University of Wisconsin - Madison; major areas of study: natural sciences, history, anthropology, and philosophy.

Clause 2(g) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires non-governmental witnesses to disclose to the Committee the following information. A non-governmental witness is any witness appearing on behalf of himself/herself or on behalf of an organization other than a federal agency, or a state, local or tribal government.

Your Name, Business Address, and Telephone Number:

Gary Werner
Partnership for the National Trails System
222 South Hamilton Street, Suite 13
Madison, WI 53703
608-249-7870

1. Are you appearing on behalf of yourself or a non-governmental organization? Please list organization(s) you are representing.

Non-governmental organizations – see attached list

2. Have you or any organization you are representing received any Federal grants or contracts (including any subgrants or subcontracts) since October 1, 2008?

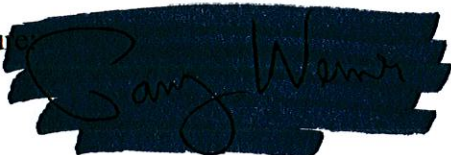
☒ Yes

☐ No

3. If your response to question #2 is "Yes", please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each grant or contract, and indicate whether the recipient of such grant or contract was you or the organization(s) you are representing.

See attachment

Signature



Date: MARCH 12, 2012



Partnership for the National Trails System

222 S. Hamilton #13 Madison, WI 53703 Phone: (608) 249-7870

www.pnts.org

Fax: (608) 257-3513

Sustaining Our Trail Resources

2011 Partner Organizations

National Scenic Trail Organizations

American Hiking Society
Appalachian Trail Conservancy
Appalachian Mountain Club
Arizona Trail Association
Connecticut Forest & Park Association
Continental Divide Trail Alliance
Continental Divide Trail Society
Florida Trail Association
Ice Age Trail Alliance
Natchez Trace Parkway Association
North Country Trail Association
Pacific Crest Trail Association
Pacific Northwest Trail Association
Potomac Heritage Trail Association

Affiliate Members

American Discovery Trail Association
Carson Valley Trails Association
National Frontier Trails Museum
Back Country Horsemen Association
Kansas City Area Historic Trails Association
Tahoe Rim Trail Association
Smoky Hill Trail Association

National Historic Trail Organizations

Ala Kahakai Trail Association
E Mau Na Ala Hele
Anza Trail Coalition of Arizona
Anza Trail Foundation
Heritage Trails
Camino Real Trail Association
El Camino Real De Los Tejas
Chesapeake Conservancy
Iditarod National Historic Trail, Inc.
Lewis & Clark Trail Heritage Foundation
Mormon Trails Association
Nez Perce Trail Foundation
National Pony Express Association
Old Spanish Trail Association
Oregon California Trails Association
Overmountain Victory Trail Association
Santa Fe Trail Association
Trail of Tears Association

The following information is provided to comply with Rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 2(g)(4):

**FEDERAL FUNDING PROVIDED TO ORGANIZATIONS
IN THE
PARTNERSHIP FOR THE NATIONAL TRAILS SYSTEM
IN FISCAL YEAR 2011**

By the authority of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C. 1241 et. seq.) the National Park Service (NPS), Bureau of Land Management (BLM), and the USDA Forest Service (FS) Have provided funding assistance and staff involvement through cooperative and challenge cost share agreements to promote and develop components of the National Trails System. Partners for these agreements include the following organizations:

ORGANIZATION	NPS FUNDING	BLM FUNDING	FS FUNDING
Partnership for the National Trails*	\$45,000	\$140,000	\$15,000
Ala Kahakai Trail Association	\$98,000		
Anza Trail Foundation	\$50,000		
Appalachian Trail Conservancy	\$1,719,583		
Arizona Trail Association			\$92,527
Continental Divide Trail Alliance			\$450,000
El Camino Real de Los Tejas NHT Association	\$75,630		
Florida Trail Association			\$636,554
Ice Age Trail Alliance	\$494,000		
Iditarod Historic Trail Alliance		\$150,000**	
Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation	\$97,000		
CT Forest & Park Assn. & Appalachian Mtn. Club	\$199,890		
Nez Perce Trail Foundation			\$79,360
North Country Trail Association	\$469,642		
Oregon-California Trails Association	\$208,820	\$31,971	
Old Spanish Trail Association	\$91,500	\$25,129	
Overmountain Victory Trail Association	\$15,000		
Santa Fe Trail Association	\$176,700		
Pacific Crest Trail Association			\$1,254,588
Pacific Northwest Trail Association			\$215,988***
Pony Express Trail Association	\$56,600		
Trail of Tears Association	\$176,205		
TOTAL	\$3,973,570	\$347,100	\$2,744,017

* = Funding to produce and distribute *Pathways Across America*, quarterly newsletter about issues of the National Trails System, coordinate planning for the 13th Conference on National Scenic and Historic Trails, manage a website providing information about activities along the trails, guide citizen-based efforts to preserve critical resources along national historic trails, and engage youth in trail and outdoor activities. To support these activities the Partnership also received \$10,000 from the Federal Highway Administration.

**The Iditarod Historic Trail Alliance also received \$6,500 from the US Fish and Wildlife Service in 2011.

***This amount was entirely provided through supplementary agreements.

In FY2011, I received \$27,500 of the money the Partnership received from Federal agencies to guide and coordinate the various activities and projects listed above.

This report is derived from information provided to me by National Park Service staff and our organizational partners.

Gary Werner