



2010 Annual Report

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF FOREST SERVICE HISTORY

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Connecting Partners & Illuminating Our Shared Conservation History

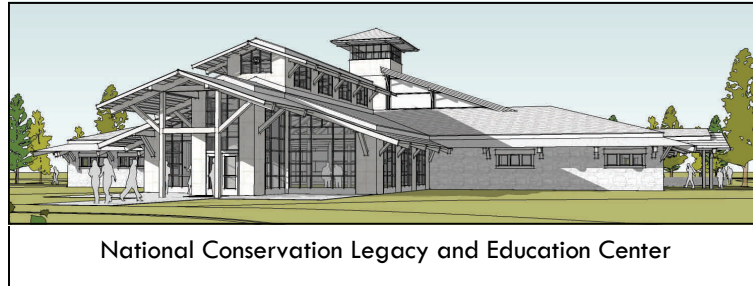
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Morton
Lauridsen**

**Northern Rocky
Mountain
Retiree Assoc.**



National Conservation Legacy and Education Center

A Quilt of Partners and Their Stories

For more than 100 years, the U.S.D.A. Forest Service, its cooperators and partners have stood at the forefront of conservation in the nation and shaped its very meeting.

This conservation legacy was created by forest rangers, engineers, biologists, firefighters, sportsmen, ranchers, foresters, miners, aviators, environmentalists, entrepreneurs, scientists, artists, writers, public servants and the public at large.

Today the National Museum of Forest Service History is working with the diverse cooperators and partners — universities, public agencies, natural resource-based businesses, nonprofit groups and individuals — who have been important participants in our shared conservation story.

In 2010 the Museum board and volunteers engaged many of these partners in helping realize our vision to build the National Conservation

Legacy and Education Center in Missoula, Montana.

As we welcomed new partners, we began weaving a colorful quilt that ties our stories together. By highlighting these connections, the Center will illuminate the multitude of perspectives on our conservation legacy and ensure that our history and lessons learned are preserved for study, interpretation and commemoration.

The Organization

The National Museum of Forest Service History (NMFSH) is an institution that serves to manage, protect, and interpret the more than 100 year history of the Forest Service for decades to come. We support education, research, and furthering understanding of conservation in the United States and indeed the world, which will have increasing value and importance in the years ahead.

To achieve our mission we will work in partnership with the Forest Service and other cooperators such as the state forestry and wildlife agencies, nonprofit conservation organizations, and natural-resource based businesses.

In 2010 the Board of Directors focused on building relationships and reaching our \$12.7 million capital campaign goal. Programs supported by these funds include: 1) Construction of the *National Conservation Legacy and Education Center* facility that will provide interactive and educational interpretive exhibits, a repository for historical objects, classrooms and offices; 2) A national conservation education program; 3) Traveling exhibits; and 4) Development of online archives and a virtual museum.

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**Piasecki
Aircraft
Corporation**

**Wildfire
Environmental
USA, Inc.**

N. P. I., Inc.

**Minuteman
Aviation**

Support From All Corners

In 2010 the Museum received 22 letters of support from leaders in state, local and federal government, nonprofit organizations, corporations and professional societies in support of our plans to manage, protect, and interpret forest and grassland conservation history.

Twenty-three members of the American Wildlife Conservation Partners (AWCP) also lent their names in support of federal funding to build the Center. The AWCP, a consortium of 47 organizations representing more than 6 million individual members, works to safeguard our nation's wildlife resources and the interests of America's sportsmen and women.

In our Inbox

"I encourage the efforts to establish a conservation and education center that preserves the history of the Forest Service and interprets its contributions to our nation's conservation legacy."

- **Tom Tidwell, Chief, USDA Forest Service**

"The Center's role as a meeting place for studying and interpreting the development of natural resource policies, practices, innovations, and exploration will complement Montana's can-do spirit and leadership in addressing today's important resource issues."

- **Governor Brian Schweitzer, Montana**

"The National Forest Foundation recognizes the importance of the National Museum of Forest Service History and supports its mission and vision to preserve and interpret the rich heritage of the Forest Service, its cooperators and partners."

- **William J. Possiel, Executive Director,
National Forest Foundation**

"Research on wood products has contributed greatly to the ability of the nation's forests to continue to provide for national and global needs while ensuring the sustained growth of healthy forests. The Center's role in conservation education will help to extend this message to visitors..."

- **Stefan A. Bergmann, Executive Vice President,
Forest Products Society**

Letters of Support Received

Senator Max Baucus, Montana
Governor Brian Schweitzer, Montana
Mayor John Engen, Missoula
Dave Wanzenried, Montana State
Senator
Boone and Crockett Club
Forest History Society
Forest Products Society
Historical Museum at Fort Missoula
Missoula Convention & Visitors Bureau
Missoula County Commissioners
Missoula County Public Schools
Missoula Downtown Association
Missoula International Airport
Montana Society of American Foresters
National Forest Foundation
National Smokejumper Association
PFS Corporation

Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
Smithsonian Center for Folklife and
Cultural Heritage
Society of Wood Science & Technology
The Wildlife Society
University of Montana
Urban Land Institute

AWCP Letter of Support Signers

Association of Fish and Wildlife
Agencies
Boone and Crockett Club
Campfire Club of America
Conservation Force
Congressional Sportsmen's Foundation
Dallas Safari Club
Isaak Walton League of America
Mule Deer Foundation

National Association of Forest Service
Retirees
National Shooting Sports Foundation
National Trappers Association
National Wild Turkey Federation
Orion
Pheasants Forever
Pope and Young Club
Quail Forever
Quality Deer Management Association
Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
Shikar Safari Club
The Wildlife Society
Tread Lightly
U.S. Sportsmen's Alliance
Whitetails Unlimited
Wildlife Management Institute

**Ferraro
Cellars**

**Forestry
Suppliers**

Air Tractor

**Snowbird
Renaissance
Center**

NMFSH Board and Friends Celebrate in the Nation's Capitol

On May 20th the Museum's Board of Directors welcomed more than 60 guests to an announcement of the National Conservation Legacy and Education Center in Washington, DC.

The reception brought together the conservation and natural resource partners who have been integral to creating, managing and sustaining our national forests and grasslands. This connecting role is central to the Museum's mission.

Attendees represented more than two dozen national nonprofit organizations and professional associations, U.S. Forest Service leadership, the U.S. Department of Labor, universities and congressional offices.

Board Member Tom Thompson welcomed everyone. Hank Kashdan, Associate Chief, US Forest Service made brief remarks, followed by representatives of co-hosting organizations. Speakers included Greg Schildwachter, Boone and Crockett Club, Sara Gregg, Forest History Society, Derrick Crandall, American Recreation Coalition, and Erica Rhoad, Society of American Foresters.

Special thanks to the National Association of State Foresters and our other co-hosts, co-sponsors Anheuser-Busch and Ferraro Cellars, and Pat Lynch and Western Heritage Company for their support of the event.



Jay Farrell, National Association of State Foresters, Nadine Block, Sustainable Forestry Initiative, and David Anderson, Boone and Crockett Club (left to right).



Sara Gregg, Forest History Society and Lincoln Bramwell, Forest Service Historian.

Annual Membership Meeting

On May 20th the NMFSH Board was joined by Museum members and friends for the Annual Meeting in Vienna, Virginia.

Members of the NMFSH Board and Regional Representatives gathered with Museum members and USFS Retirees for a presentation by Joe Meade, Forest Service Director of the National Partnership Office. The Board presented its plans for the National Conservation Legacy and Education Center, and led a discussion about the development of the Center, its educational programs and the Museum's collections.



Al Sample, Pinchot Institute, Board Member Lynn Sprague and NMFSH President Gray Reynolds (left to right).

**Aspen Ski
Company
Family Fund**

Phos-Check

**Society of Wood
Science &
Technology**

**Western
Heritage
Company**

Capital Campaign

The National Museum of Forest Service History is conducting a \$12.7 million capital campaign to build the *National Conservation Legacy and Education Center*, support the Museum's traveling exhibit program and provide access via the internet to its collection of more than 40,000 artifacts, documents and photographs. This year, the Museum's leadership launched a major gifts drive to meet the benchmark goal of \$9.6 million in 2011.

Campaign Goal	\$12.7 million
Committed & In-Kind	\$ 3.8
Pending Decisions & Invited Requests	\$ 1.8
Pending Federal Appropriation	\$ 4.5
Total Campaign Activity	\$10.1 million

What has been donated?

To date the Museum's capital campaign has attracted the support of more than 730 individuals, corporations, foundations, nonprofit organizations and associations and the U.S. Forest Service. Thus far the Museum has attracted more than \$3.8 million or 30 percent of the campaign goal.

Recent leadership contributions and multi-year pledges from Sierra Pacific Air Lines, the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, National Ski Areas Association, Forest Stewardship Concepts, Special Operations, Safe Fire, Waterous and a gift from the

estate of Morton J. Lauridsen illustrate the broad array of interest in the development of the Center. See page 9 for a list of contributors.

What donations are pending?

Senator Max Baucus included the Museum's \$4.5 million federal appropriations request as an FY11 priority.

In addition to the federal funding request, the Museum's leadership has pending grant applications with foundations, corporations, nonprofits and individuals totaling more than \$1.5 million. The

Museum's outreach has also garnered invitations to submit grant applications to family foundations and corporations that total more than \$300,000.

The Museum's leadership now has \$6.2 million in pending and invited funding requests that will be acted upon in 2011. These new partnerships have the potential to bring the capital campaign total to more than \$10 million or nearly 80 percent of our campaign goal. The majority of these requests require matching funds, providing an opportunity to demonstrate support for the Center among individuals.

Estate Gift Received

The NMFSH was the recipient of a bequest of \$50,000 from the estate of Morton J. Lauridsen. Morton was a Museum member and a resident of Portland, Oregon.

Morton worked for the Forest Service as a cruiser for the Olympic National Forest in Washington in the thirties and joined the Navy at the onset of World War II. After military service he accepted a job offer from the IRS.

Morton met Dave Scott, a NMFSH Board member, at the Old Smokeys Club, a Forest Service

Retiree group. They discovered that they had worked in the same little town at the same time, when Morton was auditing the tax returns of the McCloud River Lumber Co. for the IRS and Dave was an assistant ranger for the Forest Service in McCloud, CA.

We are grateful to his generosity in leaving a gift that will preserve our nation's conservation legacy for future generations.



**Ben Meadows
Company**



**Safe Fire
Programs, Inc.**



**Stillwater Mining
Company**



**Special
Operations**

Historians and Social Scientists Join Advisory Panel

In 2010 the NMFSH Board of Directors approved the formation of a panel of historians and social scientists to advise the board.

The Directors believe it is important to strengthen our ability to meet our mission with unquestionable integrity, passion, and professionalism. Our objective is to tell the entire history of conservation and the U.S. Forest Service, not just one side of the story.

The advisory panel includes award-winning authors and lecturers whose specialties range from U.S. environmental history, natural resource and public land policy, the history of the American West, tourism in

the upper Midwest, the creation of eastern National Forests, Native American history and the history of the National Park Service and the U.S. Forest Service.

The group of fourteen nationally recognized researchers and academics will advise in the development and programming of the National Conservation Legacy and Education Center.

The panel will review themes presented in the Center's exhibits, identify studies to undertake and provide counsel in fulfilling the Center's interpretive mission.

ADVISORY PANEL MEMBERS:

Patricia Limerick, Ph.D., *Panel Chair*,
Center of the American West,
University of Colorado
Thomas Glen Alexander, Ph.D., Professor
Emeritus, Brigham Young University
Richmond Clow, Ph.D., University of Montana
Mark Fiege, Ph.D., Colorado State University
John Freemuth, Ph.D., Boise State University
Anthony Godfrey, Ph.D., U.S. West Research
Sara Gregg, Ph.D., University of Kansas
Joseph Jones, Ph.D., Independent Research
Historian, Texas
Nancy Langston, Ph.D., University of
Wisconsin
Char Miller, Ph.D., Pomona University
Susan Schrepfer, Ph.D., Rutgers University
Aaron Shapiro, Ph.D., Auburn University
Paul Sutter, Ph.D., University of Colorado
Lincoln Bramwell, Ph.D., *Ex-Officio Panel
Member*, U.S. Forest Service

University of Montana Signs Cooperative Agreement

On March 17, 2010 President George Dennison of the University of Montana and Gray Reynolds, NMFSH President signed a cooperative agreement.

Under the agreement, a University steering committee, comprised of members from the Colleges of Education and Human

Sciences, Arts and Sciences (History), Forestry and Conservation, and the Mansfield Library will work with the Museum to develop conservation education programs and identify opportunities for University students to work on Museum projects.

The University of Montana and the U.S. Forest Service have worked

together on forestry and land management issues since the Forest Service was created in 1905. The Forest Service has supported resource management education and research with grants. The University has brought professional and technical expertise to study issues and identify solutions on public lands.

Visit us at www.NMFS-History.net

Our website is an important link with members and the public. The staff and volunteers update the site monthly to keep it interesting and fresh.

There is detailed information

about the NMFSH, news and events, programs, construction plans and the photographs of historical artifacts in the NMFSH Collection.

The site also offers a wide variety of information and services.

Visitors can renew their Museum membership, make a donation or subscribe to our monthly e-Update. The Gift Shop offers a selection of apparel, books and many unique gift ideas.

**Forest
Stewardship
Concepts**

Aero Tech

Firewise 2000

Ski Apache



Modeling Two Green Building Systems Green Globes and LEED



The NMFSH is taking every opportunity in building the *National Conservation Legacy and Education Center* to demonstrate the impact of forest products in our daily lives, including their integral role in green building design. The Center is anticipated to meet green building standards set by two third-party certification systems: *Green Globes* and *LEED*.

Why Model Two Systems?

Both systems employ widely accepted standards for green design, but vary in their treatment of wood products. The LEED system only recognizes timber certified by the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC). Green Globes recognizes timber certified through FSC, the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI), Tree Farms, and the Canadian Standards Association.

Dual green building certification will further the education goals of the Museum by demonstrating how these systems work, illustrating how forest products are incorporated into green design and educating the public and decision-makers on the process, costs and results.



The Center's timber will come from sustainably managed forests.

Energy Efficiency Features Planned:

- Insulated Concrete Forms
- Structural Insulated Panels
- Ground source heat pumps
- Recycled materials; (e.g. Blackfoot River sinker logs)
- Local building materials
- HVAC System will recover heat from exhaust air
- Roof reflects heat
- Lighting that is energy efficient
- Construction waste recycling
- Low volatile adhesives & paints
- Water efficient landscaping



Structural insulated panels will demonstrate innovation and energy efficiency.

Museum Catalogs Growing Collection

The Museum's collections have over 40,000 items ranging from tiny label buttons to a horse drawn Western Wheeled Grader. Ranger Diaries in the repository provide a rich historical insight into the challenges facing employees as they carried out the Forest Service programs. The Executive Director, with assistance from volunteers, has carefully cataloged historic papers, books, photographs and objects given to the Museum.

Once built, the Center will have dedicated repository space with environmental conditions suitable for preserving historical items. See page 8 for recent donations to the Collection.



Field Telephone, ca. 1931

Volunteers

Volunteers are critical to accomplishing our organizational goals and programs. NMFSS Directors and Regional Representatives donated over 3,100 hours, 10,000 miles and \$3,400 in expenses in just the first half of 2010.

Pat Jackson, webmaster, keeps our website updated with current information. NMFSS Member Dale Petersen is heading up a group working with the Mt Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest to develop an interpretive poster on the history of Mt Baker National Forest.

Wood Carvers Ranger Statue

Imagine an 8-foot tall Ranger dressed in 1920s field clothes scanning the horizon for fires. This larger-than-life Ranger is wearing a Smokey Bear hat and carrying binoculars and a map case. The Ranger will stand in the lobby by the theater entrance of the new *National Conservation and Education Center*.

A group of volunteer carvers are hard at work to bring the

statue to life. Carver Jerry Covault worked for the Forest Service in Colorado and Montana before retiring in Missoula.

Other carvers include Chuck Kaparich, Alex McDonald, Steve Weiler and Phil Bain. Basswood is the wood of choice for this work. This group has impressive credentials – they also carved the famous carousel horses at Caras Park in Missoula.



Phil Bain (top left) and Jerry Covault (top right and below)

Donations to the Collection

During 2010, forty-five collections of artifacts, photographs, archives and published materials were donated to the NMFSS. Historical materials donated include:

Richard D. McArdle — Papers, International and American awards, photographs of his father, USFS Chief Richard E. McArdle, 1952-1962.

Intermountain Region, Forest Service — Memoirs of William Daly Hurst, Regional Forester, Albuquerque, NM.

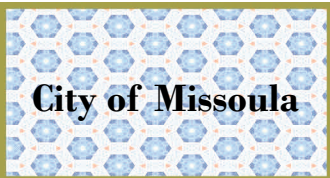
Northern Region, Forest Service — National Forest entrance sign for the Kaniksu and Colville National Forests, WA.

Richard Pomponio — Five DVD's on the history of Potlatch and forestry in north Idaho; the Beaver Creek Flume report and the Potlatch Foreman's meetings minutes, 1948 -1951

Walt Bladh — A Pacific Marine Fire Pump



West German Medal Awarded to Chief Richard E. McArdle, 1962



Capital Campaign Contributors

Capital Campaign leadership is provided by members of the Board of Directors, the Campaign Committee and our Campaign Co-Chairs Bob Model and Max Peterson. National Campaign Director Larry Gadt and Regional Directors and Representatives Lynn Biddison, Bjorn Dahl, Jerry Gause, Tom Hamilton, Dave Jolly, Steve Mealey, Dick Smith and Dave Wright provide key support.

We thank all leadership contributors listed below who have generously supported the Capital Campaign. We are also grateful to the 195 grassroots contributors who have made gifts to the Capital Campaign.

\$500,000 +

USDA Forest Service

\$50,000 - \$74,999

Morton J. Lauridsen Jr. Trust
Ted Schlapfer
Boone and Crockett Club
Ohrstrom Family
OZ Architects

\$25,000 - \$49,999

Anonymous
Lynn R. Biddison
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Forest Service Reunion 2009
National Wild Turkey
Federation

\$10,000 - \$24,999

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John Sandor
David W. Scott
Vern Sylvester
Ben Meadows Company
Big Sky Mobile Catering
DJ&A, P.C. Consulting
Engineers
Northern Rocky Mountain
Retirees Association
Stillwater Mining Company

\$1,500 - \$4,999

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Chris C. Brown
Denny Bungarz
Bill Cooperrider
Gerald J. Coutant
John Emerson
James W. Fears
Jerry Gause
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Fred Haeussler
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Drema A. Harden
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Aero Tech, Inc
Beaudette Consulting
Engineers, Inc.
Firewise 2000, Inc
Forestry Suppliers, Inc.
Forest Stewardship
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National Smokejumper
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Pacific Southwest FSX Club
Ski Apache
Snowbird Renaissance
Center
Max & Betty Swanson
Foundation
Western Heritage Company
Wildfire

\$1,000 - \$1,500

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William J. Barton, Jr.
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Herman E. Ball
Richard Baldwin
Jack Blackwell
Dale Bosworth
Gary G. Brown
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Dick & Carole Carson
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Glenn A. Cooper
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Mike Milodragovich
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Eldon W. Ross	Rainier Seeds, Inc.	John R. Hook	Trucking Inc.
Jack Saubert		Mary C. Jennings	

Membership

Membership is open to all individuals and organizations. There are 711 members, including 165 Life members. Membership dues and donations have provided the operational funding to develop plans and put the Capital Campaign on the move. Dues may now be paid with a credit card through the Museum's website at www.nmfs-history.net Members live in 41 states, the District of Columbia and Canada. The numbers of members by Forest Service Regions are:

R-1	R-2	R-3	R-4	R-5	R-6	R-8	R-9	R-10
181	48	46	62	89	121	70	75	11

Life Members

Keith A. Argow	Edsel L. Corpe	Ina Hearst	Floyd J. Marita
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Jack Blackwell	Kenneth Evans	Inez Johnston	Jim & Gale Payne
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Gary G. Brown	Jerry Gause	Vernon "Jim" LaBau	Dave & Marlene Radloff
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 Southern Forest Service Retirees Association
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2009 Financial Information

The NMFSh's 2009 financial records were audited by Junkermier, Clark, Campanella, Stevens, P.C., certified public accountants. Total revenues in 2009 were \$322,556 and net assets on 12/31/2009 were \$1,297,990. Copies of the auditor's report are available upon request. The **2009 Income Statement is shown below:**

Income		Expenses		Expenses	
Interest & Investments	\$ 14,984	Investment Expense	1,198	Curator Salary	\$24,131
Unrestricted Donations	22,235	Dues to other Groups	760	Collection Support	872
Membership Dues	28,420	Employee Benefits	3,637	Audit	7,000
Store Sales	561	Insurance	1,917	Depreciation	1,528
Misc.	533	Membership & Tradeshow	1,145	Utilities	3,976
		Newsletter, Printing, Postage	5,091	Website Redesign	2,290
		Bldg. & Site Mtce	2,402	Misc	470
Total Income	66,733	Admin Salary & Office Support	7,332	Total Expenses	\$ 63,749
Cost of Goods Sold	(1,039)				
Gross Profit	\$ 65,694			Net Income	\$ 1,945

2011 United Nations International Year of the Forest



Forests are an integral part of global sustainable development. The World Bank estimates over 1.6 billion people depend on forests for their livelihood. In 2011 the UN is celebrating forests to raise awareness to strengthen sustainable forest management, conservation and sustainable development for the benefit of current and future generations. The NMFSH is celebrating the Year of the Forest by building partnerships to support the National Conservation Legacy and Education Center.

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In Memoriam

The volunteer leadership and members of the NMFSH mourned the loss of Gary G. Brown in 2010. Brown was a past president and a driving force for the creation of a museum to honor Forest Service history. May his memory continue to inspire us all.

The Board of Directors thanks departing Directors Dr. Perry Brown, Steve Bryant, and Dave Scott for their collective 14 years of service as members of the board. The Board also thanks the NMFSH's 14 Regional Directors and Representatives for their volunteer leadership in building partnerships and supporting the development of the National Conservation Legacy and Education Center.