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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Garrison Policy 12 - Access to Miller and Sadie's Cave Areas

1. References:

a. Army Regulation (AR) 200-1, (Environmental Protection and Enhancement), Section, Section 6-4 c. (1) and (2).

b. Executive Order 13007, (Indian Sacred Sites), 24 May 1996.

c. DoDI 4715.16, (Cultural Resources Management), 18 DEC 2008 Change 2, 31 Aug 2018.

d. 16 U.S. Code Section 470ee, Prohibited Acts and Criminal Penalties, Archeological Resources Protection Act of 1979 (ARPA).

2. Purpose: To establish a policy governing access to Miller Cave, Sadie's Cave, and the associated petroglyphs to protect them from vandalism.

3. Policy/Procedures:

a. Non-mission and/or recreational access to the Miller and Sadie's Cave Area (which includes the associated petroglyphs) is hereby prohibited. The continued and seemingly increasing occurrence of vandalism of this area has made this restriction necessary to protect these resources.

b. Consistent with health, safety, and mission constraints, access to the area will continue to be provided to Federally Recognized Tribes to allow the practice of traditional religions, rights, and ceremonies in accordance with References 1a through 1c.

c. Mission-related and Tribal access to the area will be coordinated through the U.S. Army Garrison, Fort Leonard Wood, Directorate of Public Works Environmental Division. In accordance with federal, state, and Army regulations (References 1a through 1c), any activity that may affect cultural resources requires formal consultation with state and Tribal agencies. Coordination should be initiated 90-days prior to the need to utilize the area.

4. Failure to comply with this policy may result in punitive measures including the loss of installation access privileges. In accordance with Reference 1d, the unauthorized evacuation, removal, damage, alteration, or defacement of archeological resources can result in significant fines and/or jail time.

5. This policy supersedes any previous policies and is in effect until superseded or rescinded.

6. The point of contact for this policy is the Directorate of Public Works, Environmental Division at 573-596-0882.

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