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TRUST DOLLARS FLOW FOR MONROE SPRINGS

WASHINGTON, DC -- U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D - W.Va.) today announced the National Trust for Historic Preservation has awarded the Monroe County Historical Society \$1,000 to help the Society study and document the springs trail in Southern West Virginia. A driving tour will be identified and a brochure/map will be published.

"As Americans continue to recognize the value of Monroe County's springs, more will be attracted to our area. This grant will go a long way to pave the way for their arrival and enhance the enjoyment of our region and its riches. I applaud the Monroe County Historical Society's work on this effort."

The grant will be mailed on Monday, March 14, 1994. Rep. Rahall is a senior ranking member of the House Natural Resources Committee.

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National Trust for Historic Preservation

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The Honorable Nick J Rahall III United States House of Representatives 2200 RHOB Washington, DC 20515-4803

Dear Representative Rahall:

It is my pleasure to give you advance notice that Monroe County Historical Society in your congressional district has been awarded a \$1000 grant from the National Trust's Preservation Services Fund. This grant will help the Monroe County Historical Society study and document the springs trail in Southern West Virginia. A driving tour will be identified and a brochure/map published.

This grant was made possible by an appropriation for the National Trust's Preservation Services Fund from the federal FY 1994 Historic Preservation Fund. This funding helps the National Trust provide critical seed grants to nonprofit groups and local governments and is often the deciding factor on whether historic buildings or sites can be saved for future generations.

Please be advised that a letter notifying the Monroe County Historical Society of their grant will be mailed. Monday March 14th. Please contact Patrick Hauck at 215-568-8162 for additional information on this project.

Sincerely,

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