



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE  
COST ESTIMATE**

September 21, 2001

**H.R. 1456  
Booker T. Washington National Monument Boundary  
Adjustment Act of 2001**

*As ordered reported by the House Committee on Resources on September 12, 2001*

H.R. 1456 would revise the boundary of the Booker T. Washington National Monument. Assuming appropriation of the necessary amounts, CBO estimates that implementing the legislation would cost the federal government less than \$500,000. The bill would not affect direct spending or receipts; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply.

The legislation contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would have no significant impact on the budgets of state, local, or tribal governments.

H.R. 1456 would expand the boundary of the Booker T. Washington National Monument to include about 15 acres of adjacent land, which the National Park Service (NPS) could then acquire by purchase, donation, or exchange. The acquired acreage would be administered by the NPS.

Based on information provided by the NPS and assuming appropriation of the necessary amounts, CBO estimates that the cost of acquiring the property added to the monument would be less than \$500,000 in fiscal year 2002 or 2003. We estimate that there would be no significant additional cost to develop or manage the new acreage.

The staff contact for this estimate is Deborah Reis. The estimate was approved by Peter H. Fontaine, Deputy Assistant Director for Budget Analysis.