

## CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE COST ESTIMATE

August 9, 2002

## H.R. 1925

## An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Waco Mammoth Site Area in Waco, Texas, as a unit of the National Park System

As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on July 31, 2002

H.R. 1925 would require the National Park Service (NPS) to conduct a study on the suitability and feasibility of making the Waco Mammoth Site Area in Texas a unit of the National Park System. The legislation would require the agency to report to the Congress on its findings within three years of receiving funds for the study.

Based on information provided by the NPS, CBO estimates that completing the required study and report would cost the federal government \$300,000 over the next three years, assuming availability of appropriated funds. H.R. 1925 would not affect direct spending or receipts; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply. The act contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would impose no costs on state, local, or tribal governments.

On November 28, 2001, CBO transmitted a cost estimate for H.R. 1925 as ordered reported by the House Committee on Resources on November 28, 2001. The two versions of the legislation are identical, as are the cost estimates.

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