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-- Media Advisory --

**Special Ceremony at Humpback Whale Sanctuary to Mark Designation of
Maui County as a Preserve America Community**

WHAT: John L. Nau, III, chairman of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), will officially welcome Maui County as a Preserve America Community at a special ceremony June 26 at the Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary's Maui site. This free public event will be followed by a demonstration of the Ko'ie'ie Fishpond.

WHEN: June 26, 2008
9 a.m.

WHERE: Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary Maui Office
726 South Kihei Road
Kihei, HI

Limited public parking is available. For more information, contact Allen Tom, (800) 831-4888 Allen.Tom@noaa.gov

WHO: John L. Nau, III, chairman, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
Charmaine Tavares, mayor, Maui County
Allen Tom, Pacific region director, NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries

The ACHP, an independent federal agency, promotes the preservation, enhancement, and productive use of the nation's historic resources, and advises the President and Congress on national historic preservation policy. It also provides a forum for influencing federal activities, programs, and policies that impact historic properties. In addition, the ACHP has a key role in carrying out the administration's *Preserve America* program.

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