



Tuesday, April 14, 2020

Greetings:

Due to the uncertainty of the situation of the global COVID-19 pandemic, the Colorado Preserve America Youth Summit has been postponed to June 15-18, 2021.

This decision was made after communication with the Youth Summit partners. The programming was impacted as local and government restrictions remain in place with an indeterminate ending point at this time. Our priority is, and continues to be, concern for participant well-being.

All the Youth Summit partners remain united and committed to offer the Youth Summit in southeastern Colorado in June of 2021. Outreach and applications may begin again when schools resume in September.

The Youth Summit Team, the National Park Service, Bent's Fort National Historic Site, Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site, History Colorado and the State Historical Fund, City of La Junta will continue to work with other partners to create a meaningful and impactful program in 2021.

In the meantime, we encourage you to follow on social media and when possible to plan to visit and preview the many historic places in southeastern Colorado once they all reopen. Links to websites and social media below.

We hope you and your loved ones are staying healthy and look forward to your participation in future Summits. Should you have questions or concerns, please call me at 303 475-9403 or email to [youthsummits@conservationlegacy.org](mailto:youthsummits@conservationlegacy.org).

Best,

Ann Pritzlaff Walker and the Youth Summit Team

Preserve America Youth Summit: <https://preservationyouthsummit.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/youthsummits>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/youthsummits/> @youthsummits

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/youthsummits> @youthsummits

History Colorado: <https://www.historycolorado.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/HistoryColorado>

<https://www.instagram.com/historycolorado/>

<https://twitter.com/HistoryColorado>

Bent's Fort National Historic Site: <https://www.nps.gov/beol/index.htm>

Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site: <https://www.nps.gov/sand/index.htm>

Other sites: <https://www.canyonsandplains.com/heritage-sites>