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Laws and Regulations governing Cultural Resources on State-Owned Lands in Massachusetts

DCR Agency Regulations (301 CMR 12) [**302 CMR 12.00: Parks and recreation | Mass.gov**](#)

State Register Review (M.G.L. Ch. 9 § 26-27C, as amended by Ch. 254 of the Acts of 1988)
[Review and Compliance](#); [General Law - Part I, Title II, Chapter 9, Section 26](#)

Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act (MEPA; 301 CMR 11)
([Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act Office | Mass.gov](#))

Massachusetts Unmarked Burial Law (Chapter 38, section 6; Chapter 9, sections 26A & 27C; Chapter 7, section 38A; Chapter 114, section 17; as amended by Chapter 659 of the Acts of 1983 and Chapter 386 of the Acts of 1989.) [What to Do When Human Remains are Accidentally Uncovered](#)

Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (16 USC 470 et seq; 36 CFR 800) [Protecting Historic Properties | Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; 36CFRPart800_as_amended2004_web.doc](#)