



Maryland
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING
JEFFERSON PATTERSON PARK & MUSEUM

Conservation Project Cost Proposal:
Deadwood Pistol

3 August 2023

Michael Runge
City Archivist
108 Sherman Street
Deadwood, SD 57732

Dear Mr. Runge,

Thank you for contacting the Maryland Archaeological Conservation Laboratory to preserve your archaeological finds. We estimate the cost of conservation of the pistol to total \$990 (nine hundred ninety dollars). This includes mechanical cleaning, desalination, the application of a corrosion inhibitor and protective coating, and all conservation documentation.

If you wish to proceed with the treatments, please countersign a copy of this proposal letter and the conservation release form and return to us with your preferred method of payment. You may pre-pay the full amount of \$990 or make a down-payment of 50% (\$495) the balance payable upon completion of the project. For payment by credit card, please contact me directly at the number below. Otherwise, all payments or Purchase Orders should be made out to: "Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum, Acct # 42339" and reference Conservation Project WO2023.024.

Please mail the payment to:
JPPM
10515 Mackall Road
St. Leonard, MD 20685

Sincerely,

Nichole Doub
Head Conservator
MAC Lab
Tel. 410-586-8577

Approved: _____ **Date:** _____