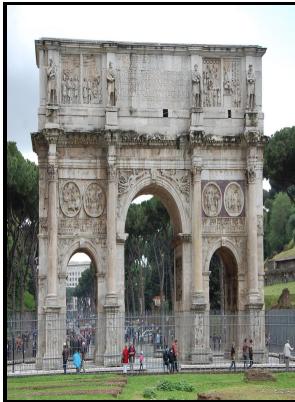


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## Fire safety and heritage buildings

Controlling Pests Pests can be numerous and include squirrels, raccoons, bats, mice, rats, snakes, termites, moths, beetles, ants, bees and wasps, pigeons, and other birds. Dry wood instead of green wood should be used to reduce the risk of chimney fires. Park, Senior Historical Architect, Heritage Preservation Services Division, National Park Service, would like to acknowledge the assistance of the following individuals in the preparation and review of this publication.

## FAQs

Gas lines are shut off by the utility company. We are not endorsing, authorizing, recommending, or implying any connection to any one company over another, including any company not listed here. Depending on whether or not heat will be maintained in the building, the security system should be designed accordingly.

## Heritage Fire and Safety

Often fire spreads so fast that it cannot be put out by fire extinguishers. Documenting and Recording the Building Documenting a building's history is important because evidence of its true age and architectural significance may not be readily evident.

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Some approaches can be relatively inexpensive and involve minimum intervention in the fabric of the building.

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For buildings where security is not a primary issue, where the interior is modest, and where there has been no heat for a long time, it may be

possible to use lightweight galvanized metal grills in the window openings. A total of five engines from Kuantan, Taman Tas, Indera Mahkota and Gebeng stations joined the operation to put out the fire.

## **FIRE SAFETY IN HERITAGE BUILDINGS**

Documentation and stabilization are critical components of the process and should not be skipped over.

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