

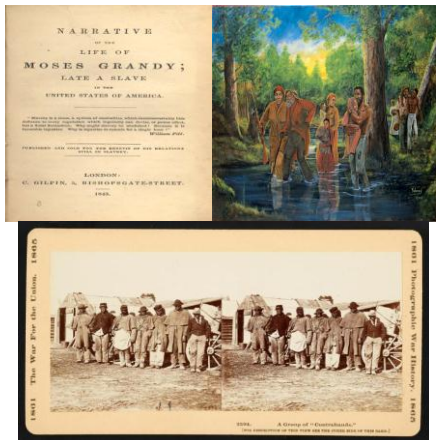
Diversity Restoration Solutions, Inc. PRESENTS...

## The Underground Railroad Experience:

*Moses Grandy Slave Narrative, Great Dismal Swamp & Hampton Roads Historic Sites*

### Who Should Book Group Tours?

- Family reunion groups
- Church and community groups
- Educators and students
- Genealogy and historical society groups
- Travel enthusiasts and tour groups
- Senior activity groups
- Civic, social, fraternity and sorority groups



### Standard Tour Itinerary\*

(\*Itinerary subject to change on each tour)

- Suffolk/James River (Old T.C.C. Campus)
- Fort Monroe (Old Comfort Point)
- Norfolk Waterfront UGRR Site/Moses Myers House (select tours)
- Moses Grandy Trail (Chesapeake)
- Dismal Swamp Canal Trail (Chesapeake)
- Dismal Swamp State Park (NC)

Diversity Restoration Solutions, Inc. (DRS) invites you to book your next **GROUP TOUR** for our day trip called "**The Underground Railroad Experience: Moses Grandy Slave Narrative, Great Dismal Swamp & Hampton Roads Historic Sites.**" Travel with us throughout Hampton Roads and Northeastern North Carolina for a history learning experience to key points along the Underground Railroad (UGRR). Points of interest will be places named in the famed Moses Grandy 1843 slave narrative and the Federal Writers' Project slave narrative of Charles Grandy.

Start the day at the [Dismal Swamp State Park](#) in South Mills, NC for an exhibit tour and presentation, including Moses Grandy's slave narrative and the history of the 208-year-old Dismal Swamp Canal. The canal was predominantly hand dug by enslaved labor and was officially designated as UGRR site in 2004 by the National Park Service. Next journey down the [Moses Grandy Trail](#) through the Deep Creek area to the [Dismal Swamp Canal Trail](#) to [Fort Monroe](#), formerly known as Old Point Comfort, for a tour presentation about Civil War escaped slaves known as the "Contraband" and, Charles Grandy. Grandy was a Fortress Monroe former slave turned cook and Union Army guard. An optional mid-day lunch is available for your group.

After lunch, you will visit the Underground Railroad site at the [Norfolk Waterfront](#) to learn about the complex system of moving slaves to freedom via the Elizabeth River and the [Moses Myers House](#).

For more information on the day trip or to receive a **Group Tour Interest Form**, please contact Lisa Sheppard, Tour Director at (757) 967-0062 or email [info@diversityrestoration.com](mailto:info@diversityrestoration.com). **Group Tour Interest Forms** may also be downloaded from our website at [www.diversityrestoration.com](http://www.diversityrestoration.com).

### **GROUP TOUR REQUIREMENTS:**

- Minimum of 30 people required to book group tours.
- If group registers less than 45 people, DRS will open up seats for individual sale. Group has option to pay a surcharge to keep tour private.
- Tours booked on a first-come, first-serve basis. A signed contract & deposit are required to reserve tour date.
- DRS will provide an air-conditioned motor coach service. Group may provide own motor coach transportation and receive a reduced rate, but coach must be equipped with P.A. system and DVD monitors.
- Hotel accommodations assistance is available, if necessary.