

1772 FOUNDATION AWARDED PROJECTS 2014

For the fourth consecutive year, 1772 Foundation partnered with the New Jersey Historic Trust to offer Capital Preservation Grants up to \$15,000 to nonprofit organizations for exterior repair and restoration projects. The grants require a one-to-one match from the grant recipient, and are limited to certified 501(c)3 organizations, excluding schools and religious congregations.

Since 2011, the Historic Trust has recommended grand awards totaling \$965,000 to 88 projects, in partnership with the 1772 Foundation.

In 2014, the Historic Trust evaluated 51 applications requesting \$636,991 and ultimately recommended funding totaling \$295,578 to 28 applicants. The following grants were approved by the 1772 Foundation at its July 2014 meeting:

Atlantic County

Lucy the Elephant, Margate: The Save Lucy Committee will receive \$11,170 to help fund the exterior painting of this National Historic Landmark, a six story tall elephant-shaped building that dates to 1881.

Bergen County

Waldwick Train Station, Waldwick: Waldwick Community Alliance will receive \$15,000 to help fund exterior painting of the Victorian-era train station in period-appropriate colors.



Burlington County

Junior Order of American Mechanics Lodge, Lumberton: The Lumberton Historical Society will receive \$8,000 toward the cost of producing and installing custom wood storm windows to protect its Gothic-style windows. The former lodge building and municipal hall is now a community center.



Red Dragon Canoe Club, Edgewater Park: The Shipman Mansion Foundation will receive \$12,000 for roof restoration on this 1869 former mansion, which is occupied by one of the oldest boat clubs on the Delaware River.

Cape May County

Cape Island Presbyterian Church, Cape May: Cape May Stage will receive \$15,000 toward the cost of replacing original windows with new windows that will match the historic profiles. The building has been used as a church, a visitors center, and now a performing arts venue.



Cold Spring Village, Lower Township: Historic Cold Spring Village will receive \$15,000 to help fund roof and siding replacement on one building moved to this historic village, and exterior painting of the Grange building, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.



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Emlen Physick Estate, Cape May: The Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts and Humanities will receive \$15,000 toward the cost of painting recently installed cedar roofs to match the original color.

Hangar No. 1, Rio Grande: The Naval Air Station Wildwood will receive \$15,000 toward the cost of roof restoration on one portion of the Navy-built hangar, which is home to a museum on World War II aircraft.

Cumberland County

GAR Jacob Shinn Post No. 6, Port Norris: The Port Norris Historical Society will receive \$5,000 toward the cost of a new metal roof on its recently acquired 1890 Main Street storefront building that is the society's headquarters.

Essex County

Canfield-Morgan Farmhouse, Cedar Grove: The Cedar Grove Historical Society will receive \$3,920 to help fund exterior painting of this c. 1845 farmhouse.

Parsil House, Millburn: The Millburn-Short Hills Historical Society will receive \$15,000 for roof replacement and restoration on its 1820s-era house that was saved from development pressure in 2013.

Gloucester County

Hunter Lawrence Jessup House, Woodbury: The Gloucester County Historical Society will receive \$8,400 to help pay for the restoration of a rear porch on the 1871 Italianate-style house, home to its museum and collections since 1924.



Woodbury Train Station, Woodbury: The Woodbury Olde City Restoration Committee, which leases the 1883 Stick-Style train station to a restaurant, will receive \$8,720 to help fund exterior painting in period-appropriate colors.

Hunterdon County

Case-Dvoor Farmstead, Raritan Township: The Hunterdon Land Trust will receive \$15,000 to fund foundation repairs and a new slate roof on the 19th century wagon house that will be used for educational programs.

Monmouth County

Eden Wooley House, Ocean Township: The Township of Ocean Historical Museum will receive \$9,500 to help fund the exterior painting of the c.1750 house, which was saved from demolition in 2005 and now houses history exhibits and programming.

Grover House, Middletown: The Navesink Maritime Heritage Association will receive \$11,000 toward the cost of exterior repairs to the fascia, porch, shutters, gutters and downspouts in preparation for moving the association's office and programs into the building.

Marlpit Hall, Middletown: The Monmouth County Historical Association will receive \$12,000 to help fund the exterior painting of windows and doors as well as hardware and roof repairs to the house museum, built c. 1756.

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Morris County

Acorn Hall, Morristown: The Morris County Historical Society will receive \$3,399 toward the cost of upgrading the Italianate-style house museum's existing alarm system.

Mendham Borough Library, Mendham Borough: The Library will receive \$10,000 toward the cost of replacing gutters and downspouts and repairing the slate roof on this modest Classical-inspired building constructed in 1932.

Ralston Cider Mill, Mendham: The Ralston Cider Mill Museum will receive \$10,000 to recreate the original entry porch and stair to this 1848 grist mill. The building was converted to a cider mill and distillery in 1910.

Ocean County

Pierson-Schulthorp House, Toms River: The Ocean County Historical Society will receive \$15,000 toward the repair and restoration of the porch on its 19th century former residence that is now a house museum and research center.

Passaic County

J.W. Rea House, Hawthorne: The Friends of Passaic County Parks Foundation will receive \$13,000 toward restoration of the roof on the 19th century Dutch-style residence located in a county park.



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Whritenour House, West Milford: The Friends of Long Pond Ironworks will receive \$316 toward the cost of repainting this 19th century residence. (The modest award represents the remaining available balance of the 2014 grant round.)

Union County

Levi Cory House, Mountainside: The Mountainside Restoration Committee will receive \$8,000 toward the cost of roof replacement and chimney repair on this farmhouse that was recently saved from demolition.

Liberty Hall Carriage House, Union Township: The Liberty Hall Museum will receive \$15,000 toward the cost of repairing 13 windows on the 1882 carriage house, which is part of the historic Kean/Livingston family estate.

Oswald Nitschke House, Kenilworth: The Kenilworth Historical Society will receive \$5,575 to help pay for exterior painting, porch restoration and security upgrades for this building that showcases period rooms and exhibits.

William Edgar Reeve House, Westfield: The Westfield Historical Society will receive \$15,000 toward the replacement of 24 vinyl windows with historically accurate wood windows on this 1875 Italianate-style history and community center.