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2022 Historic Preservation Awards

The statewide Historic Preservation Awards were presented at the State House on July 13, 2022 by The Honorable Henry D. McMaster, Governor of South Carolina, and First Lady Peggy McMaster. The awards are sponsored by the Office of the Governor, the South Carolina Department of Archives and History, and Preservation South Carolina. For more information about the projects/recipient and images from the awards presentation visit Preservation South Carolina’s 2022 awards page. And click here for a local ABC News story on the awards.

**Governor’s Award:** Dr. Wenonah Haire, Rock Hill: Catawba Nation Tribal Historic Preservation Officer and Executive Director of the Catawba Cultural Preservation Project

**Preservation Service Award (project/recipient):** Grace Chapel Baptist Cemetery Project, Charleston: The South Carolina History Room, Charleston County Public Library

**Stewardship Awards (property/recipient):**
- Strawberry Chapel, Moncks Corner: Strawberry Chapel Vestry, St. John’s Berkeley Parish
- South Carolina Governor’s Mansion, Columbia: The South Carolina Department of Administration
- The Brick House, McConnells: Historic Brattonsville – York Culture & Heritage Museums
- John Mark Verdier House, Beaufort: Historic Beaufort Foundation
- 164 King Street, Charleston: Charleston Library Society
Preservation Honor Awards (project/recipients):

- **106 E. Benson Street, Anderson**: Danny Walker; Daniel Builders; and Kyle Campbell, Preservation South, LLC
- **1639-1645 Main Street, Columbia**: Sara Middleton Styles & Greg Middleton, Smoked; Rogers Lewis Jackson Mann & Quinn, LLC; Scott Garvin, Garvin Design Group; and Lee Mashburn, Mashburn Construction Company
- **Savage Craft Ale Works, West Columbia**: Andrew Baumgartner, Baumer Holdings, LLC; Mark Hood, Amanda Harter, Dean Wilson, Hood Construction; and Wes Lyles, Studio2LR
- **Monarch Building/ Bank of Camden**: Laurel & Westley Parks, P&P Investment Partners; Scott Lambert, Lambert Architecture & Construction Services; Rich Spencer, Lambert Architecture & Construction Services
- **Woodside Cotton Mill, Greenville**: Randy Moore, CG Woodside Partners, LLC; Ken Betsch, Betsch Associates; and Chris Norris, Caldwell Constructors

Preserving Historic Cemeteries Workshop

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For additional information, contact Donna Foster at (803)896-0339 or dfoster@scdah.sc.gov. Register early, space is limited.

Job Opening at the South Carolina SHPO

The South Carolina State Historic Preservation Office is currently accepting applications for the Review Coordinator for Transportation Projects (Archivist IV). The position primarily works to review SC Department of Transportation projects for impacts to historic properties, and also provides important support for the state’s cultural resources GIS system, SC ArchSite. Click on this [job link](https://scarchivesandhistoryfoundation.org/2022/07/11/preserving-historic-cemeteries-workshop/) for more information about the position and how to apply.

State Board of Review Meeting: July 22, 2022

The State Board of Review for the National Register of Historic Places will meet on Friday, July 22, 2022 at 10:30 am at the SC Archives & History Center in Columbia. The Board will consider the following nominations:

- Read Building, Charleston, Charleston County
- Cheraw Historic District (Additional Documentation), Cheraw, Chesterfield County
- Coulter Memorial Academy Historic District, Cheraw, Chesterfield County
- Ellison Flour Mill, Fountain Inn, Greenville County
The public is welcome to attend the meeting. For more information about the State Board of Review and to view drafts of the nominations please visit this link. Questions? Contact Virginia Harness at vharness@scdah.sc.gov, 803-896-6179 or Edwin Breeden at ebreeden@scdah.sc.gov, 803-896-6182.

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Tax Credit Spotlight

This month’s spotlight is a two-story frame residence with stacked front porches built in 1915 for J. Rhett Clark. The house is located in Columbia’s first suburb, Old Shandon, a National Register of Historic Places district. In the 1920s, Clark developed extensive ornamental gardens on the property’s grounds. In the late 1970s, the Hubbard family purchased the property and rehabilitated the garden and house. In 2020, the current owners earned historic rehabilitation tax credits. Their extensive, exemplary rehabilitation included repairing the foundation; leveling the floors; repairing interior plasterwork; replacing deteriorated ductwork and upgrading the HVAC system; remediating mold; painting the exterior trim and windows; updating interior spaces with compatible designs and materials; and rehabilitating the interior of a historic accessory building. The rehabilitation of this early 20th century home was completed in 2020 with the use of the state homeowner historic rehabilitation tax credits. For more information about the homeowner tax credit program visit https://scdah.sc.gov/historic-preservation/programs/tax-incentives/homeowner.

Historic residence after rehabilitation.

New Listings in the National Register of Historic Places

The following properties were recently listed in the National Register. Click on the links to access the summary description, nomination form, and photographs.

Conferences / Workshops & Training / Events

State Constitutions Exhibit at the Department of Archives & History, ongoing. “All Political Power is Vested in and Derived from the People” The Constitutions of South Carolina is an exhibit of the recently conserved South Carolina Constitutions of 1776, 1778, 1790, 1861, 1865, 1868, and 1895. This is a rare opportunity to view the Constitutions of South Carolina, and is the first time these foundational documents have been displayed together for public viewing. The free exhibit is at the South Carolina Archives & History Center at 8301 Parklane Road, Columbia. It is open Monday – Saturday 8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. (On Saturdays the building closes from Noon – 1:00 P.M. for lunch).

State Board of Review Meeting for the National Register of Historic Places, July 22, 2022, SC Archives & History Center, Columbia. More information is available on the Review Board web page.

Building Codes on Main Street, August 2-4, 2022, online. This workshop will explore typical Main Street building features and connect these characteristics to compliance paths within the International Existing Building Code (IEBC). Presenters will break down issues related to fire safety, accessibility and energy conservation and explore financially viable alternatives to make buildings safer and meet codes. Click here for more information and to register.

The Slave Dwelling Project Conference: The Stono Rebellion and the Atlantic World, September 8-10, 2022, Charleston and online. Held in conjunction with a month-long commemoration of the 1739 Stono Rebellion, the 7th national conference will offer a hybrid format, with in-person activities in and around Charleston and a number of live-streamed virtual events. Click here for more information and to register.

American Association for State and Local History Conference, September 14-17, 2022, Buffalo, NY (in person) and November 1-4 (online). Started in 2021, AASLH offers a dual format conference: two meetings, one in-person and one online, joined by a single theme Right Here, Right Now: The Power of Place. The 2022 AASLH Annual Conference will be held September 14-17 in Buffalo with the 2022 Virtual Conference following on November 1-4. Click here for more information about the 2022 conference and to register.

Georgia Historic Preservation Conference, September 19-23, 2022, online. The conference will be presented by the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation, the Georgia Historic Preservation Division (HPD), and the Georgia Alliance of Preservation Commissions (GAPC). A call for session proposals is currently open, with submissions due July 28, 2022. More information is available on the conference webpage.

NEW Second Annual Sacred Places Summit, September 21-22, 2022, online. Sponsored by the National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers (NATHPO) the theme THPOs at 30 – Making Meaningful Mean Something celebrates the 30th anniversary of the 1992 amendments to the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) that created the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) program. Tribal, federal and state agency, legislative, and industry voices will engage in how to create lasting, transformational changes to Protect Native Places. Registration and sponsorship information is on the Summit website.

NEW American Cultural Resources Association Annual Conference, September 21-25, 2022, San Antonio, TX. The conference theme, CRM: Bridging Agencies, Industries, and the Community, highlights the role cultural
resource management firms fill in historic preservation, archaeology and public history. For more information, visit https://acra-crm.org/annual-conference/.

**Preserving the Historic Road International (PHRI) Conference.** September 22-24, 2022, Portland, OR. The conference will consist of panel discussions, a working field session to two historic roads in the Portland area, breakout working groups, and facilitated large group discussions. For more information go to http://historicroads.org/2021/06/29/2022conference/. Early-bird registration ends August 1, 2022, and full registration ends September 10, 2022. Questions? Contact Mr. Terry H. Klein at tklein@srfoundation.org.

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**2022 Research Symposium: Historic Cemeteries in Cultural Contexts, Local to Global.** October 24-25, 2022, Clemson University. The Woodland Cemetery and African American Burial Ground Historic Preservation Project and the Legacy Council at Clemson University are organizing the 2nd annual Research Symposium featuring sessions from the public, professionals, scholars, and graduate students who are working to research, publicize, and/or memorialize historic cemeteries and burial grounds. For more information about the symposium click here.


**PastForward National Preservation Conference,** November 1-4, 2022, online. For more information visit the conference webpage.

**Southeast Chapter of the Society of Architectural Historians Annual Meeting,** November 2-5, 2022, Memphis, TN. For more information visit https://sesah.org/2022/02/17/cfp-for-annual-sesah-conference-2022/.

**Association for Preservation Technology International Annual Conference.** November 7-12, 2022, Detroit, MI. Registration is now open for the APT annual conference which will feature educational and field sessions, exhibits and more. For more details visit the conference website.

**NEW 4th Annual American Revolution Symposium.** November 19, 2022, Columbia. Registration is now open for the symposium featuring talks on General Francis Marion, the Battle of Kings Mountain, examples of wartime heroism, and more. View exhibits of Revolutionary War themed books, the exhibit of “All Political Power is Vested in and Derived from the People”: The Constitutions of South Carolina, art work, and Francis Marion’s Pistol and Powder horn. Lunch is included. Please see the conference brochure for the complete schedule and fees at https://scarchivesandhistoryfoundation.org/2022/06/21/2022-american-revolution-symposium/.

**9th Preservation Policy Forum: A Critical Examination of New Design in Historic Contexts.** March 2023, Charleston. The Clemson University/College of Charleston Graduate Program in Historic Preservation will be hosting the forum. More information is available here.
**Grant Application Deadlines**

**August 10, 2022 Underrepresented Communities Grant.** The National Park Service’s Underrepresented Communities Grant Program (URC) is now accepting applications. Projects include surveys and inventories of historic properties associated with communities underrepresented in the National Register of Historic Places, as well as the development of nominations to the National Register for specific sites. All projects must result in the submission of a new nomination to the National Register or National Historic Landmark Program, or an amendment to an existing nomination to include underrepresented communities. Grants are awarded through a competitive process and do not require non-Federal match. Eligible applicants include: State Historic Preservation Offices (SHPOs); Indian Tribes that meet the definition in 54 USC 300309 and Native Hawaiian Organizations that meet the definition in 54 USC 300314; and Certified Local Governments (CLG). A current list of CLGs is found at [go.nps.gov/clglist](http://go.nps.gov/clglist). The URC grant opportunity number is [P22AS00294](http://go.nps.gov/clglist).

**August 10, 2022 SC Humanities Major Grants.** Major Grants ($2,000 - $10,000) support public programs designed to be accessible by a broad audience, to serve citizens in urban, rural, and small-town settings, and to make possible humanities programs that illuminate and enrich the lives of both audiences and scholars. Drafts are strongly encouraged and will be accepted any time prior to the deadline. For more information visit [http://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply](http://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply) or contact tjwallace@schumanities.org.

**September 14, 2022 History of Equal Rights Grant.** The National Park Service is now accepting applications for the History of Equal Rights (HER) Grant Program. $4.625 million was appropriated by Congress for this grant program. Grants fund physical preservation or pre-preservation of sites associated with efforts to achieve equal rights. The History of Equal Rights grants are not limited to any specific group and are intended to include the broadest possible interpretation of equal rights for any American. Properties must be listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places or designated a National Historic Landmark either individually or as part of a district with significance associated with equal rights. For more information about projects eligible for funding, and to access the notice of funding opportunity (P22AS00644) visit [https://www.nps.gov/articles/000/history-of-equal-rights-grant-opportunity.htm](https://www.nps.gov/articles/000/history-of-equal-rights-grant-opportunity.htm).

**October 1, 2022 National Trust Preservation Funds.** Grants from the National Trust Preservation Funds encourage preservation at the local level by providing seed money for preservation projects and are awarded to nonprofit organizations and public agencies. The majority of funds are awarded to planning and education programs. Grants are awarded annually in three competitive rounds. For more information and to learn how to apply, visit [https://savingplaces.org/grants#XcBeJVKjDA.4](https://savingplaces.org/grants#XcBeJVKjDA.4).

**NEW October 13, 2022 Reconnecting Communities Pilot Program.** Administered by the U.S. Department of Transportation, this is the first-ever program to help reconnect communities that were previously cut off from economic opportunities by transportation infrastructure. Funding supports planning grants and capital construction grants, as well as technical assistance, to restore community connectivity through the removal, retrofit, mitigation, or replacement of eligible transportation infrastructure facilities. For more information visit [https://www.transportation.gov/grants/reconnecting-communities](https://www.transportation.gov/grants/reconnecting-communities).

**Monthly, SC Humanities Council Mini Grants.** SC Humanities awards Mini Grants to support public humanities programs of modest cost, with awards of $2,000 or less. Mini Grants are reviewed monthly with deadlines on the first business day of the month. For more information visit [https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#minigrants](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#minigrants).
**Monthly, SC Humanities Council Planning Grants.** SC Humanities awards Planning Grants to support preliminary work in designing a project that warrants detailed planning because of its length, scope, or cost. Awards are $2,000 or less. Planning Grants are reviewed monthly with deadlines on the first business day of the month. For more information visit [https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants).

**Open for Applications, USDA - Rural Development Community Facilities Direct Loan & Grants.** This program provides affordable funding to develop essential community facilities in rural areas. An essential community facility is defined as a facility that provides an essential service to the local community for the orderly development of the community in a primarily rural area. [Learn more & apply here.](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants)

**Online sources of grant information:**
- [Historic funding database](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants)
- National Park Service State, Tribal, Local, Plans & Grants Division
- National Trust for Historic Preservation Special Grant Funds
- [Preservation Directory](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants) Grants & Funding Resources
- [State Library](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants) Grants Research Assistance
- [SC Grantmakers Network](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants)
- [Federal grants](https://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply/#planninggrants) Grants.gov

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