

Mission Statement mission is to promote the

Our mission is to promote the preservation and use of historic places for a better Georgia.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HISTORIC PRESERVATION DIVISION



Historic Preservation Divison

- · HPD is Georgia's State Historic Preservation Office
- HPD Implements Federal/State/Local Partnerships
- \bullet HPD is funded primarily by the state while federal funds provide 40% of our budget
- Evolved from the Georgia Historical Commission
- · Incorporated into DNR in 1973
- · Became a division within DNR in 1994

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Historic Preservation Division

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Five Units:

- Planning & Local Assistance
- Technical Services
- Survey & National Register
- Archaeological Services
- Management & Information

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HPD Programs/Tools for Preservation Activities

- Historic Resources Survey
- Archaeological education and protection
- National Register of Historic Places
- Environmental Review & State Stewardship
- Certified Local Governments
- Regional Historic Preservation Planning Services
- Architectural Technical Assistance
- Federal and state tax incentives
- Federal and state grants
- African American resources and heritage
- Centennial Farms
- Special projects

HPD Grant Programs

- Historic Preservation Fund Grants (federal/annual)
- Georgia Heritage Program Grants (state/annual)
- Preserve America Grants (federal, special one-time programs)
 - Preserve America 1--Historic Cemeteries
 - Preserve America 2--Community Landmarks
- Historic Cemetery Heritage Tourism Grants (Round 1 and Round 2) (state, special one-time program)

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HPD Grant Programs

- Only local governments & non-profit organizations are eligible applicants
- Reimbursable/matching funds
 - ■60/40 or 50/50
- Secretary's of the Interior's Standards applied to review of all projects

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Historic Preservation Fund Grants

For Predevelopment, Survey and Planning Activities

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HPF Grant Program

- Total available funds from NPS range between \$64,000-\$80,000 each year
- Approximately 6-10 grants awarded per year, ranging from \$1,000 to \$20,000
- 60% federal/40% local match
- (Match may be cash and/or in-kind materials and labor)
- Reimbursable funds
- Applications available in November; deadline February 1st

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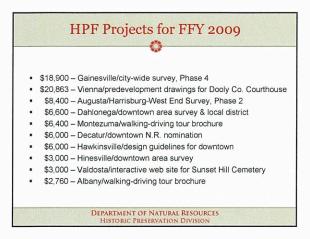
Eligible Applicants

- Must be a Certified Local Government (cities and/or counties)
- Program began in the 1980s
- 76 CLGs in Georgia
- Extends federal/state partnership to local level

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Eligible HPF Projects

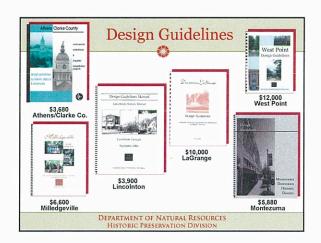
- Historic resource or archaeological surveys
- National Register District nominations
- Preservation plans, historic structure reports, feasibility studies
- Design Guidelines
- Educational activities or publications

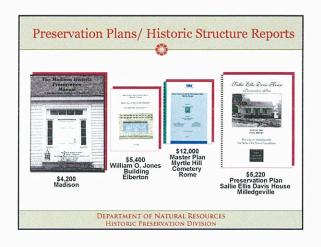


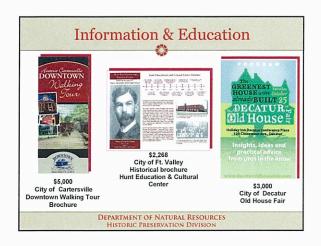


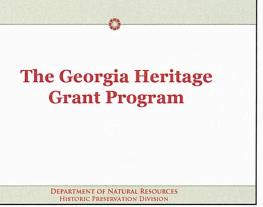












Georgia Heritage Grant Program

- Created in 1994
- Money is appropriated by Georgia Legislature
- Since 1994, over \$3 million has been awarded to 238 historic preservation projects around the state, with over \$4 million in matching funds invested at the local level

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Georgia Heritage Grant Program

- 60% state/40% local cash match
- Reimbursable funds
- Property must be eligible for listing in the Georgia Register of Historic Places

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Eligible applicants

- City and county governments
- Secular, non-profit organizations

(Organizations must have been in existence for three consecutive years prior to date of application)

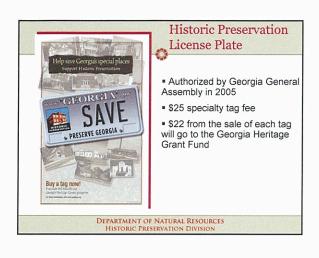
- Applicant must own, lease or financially support the property seeking assistance
- Federal and state agencies are ineligible

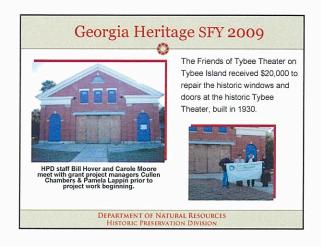
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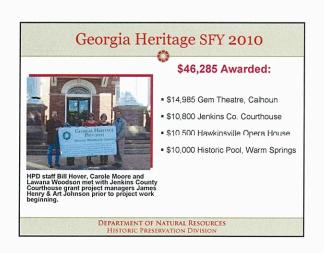
Georgia Heritage Grant Program

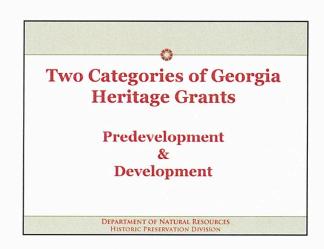


- Application postmark deadline July 13
- Awards announced by mid-September
- Projects begin
- mid-October

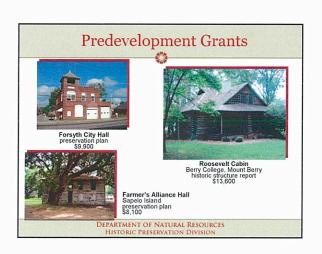












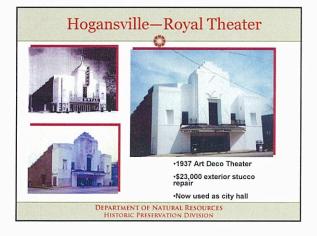
Development Grants

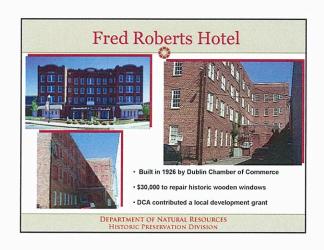
- · Roof repair & replacement
- · Window repair
- · Foundation stabilization & repair
- · Brick repair & repointing
- All work must be consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties

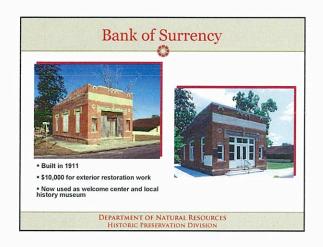
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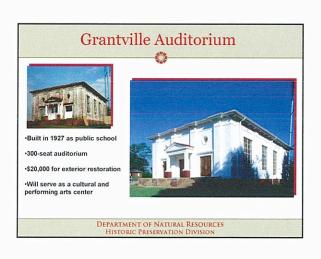
Ineligible activities

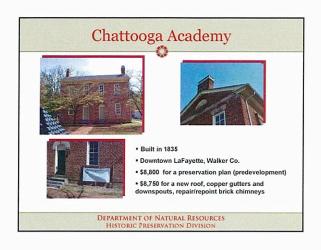
- Reconstruction of an entire building, landscape, or archaeological site
- · Acquisition of historic property
- · Routine maintenance (painting)
- Non-historic landscaping (such as sidewalks or parking lots)

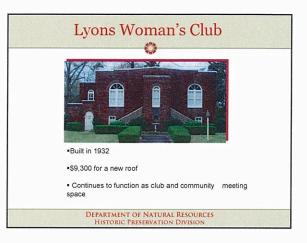


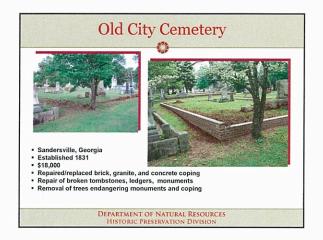


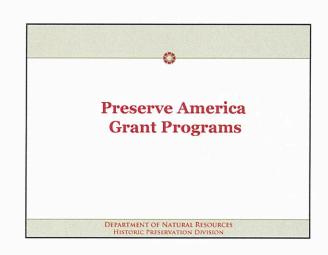
















Preserve America 1 Campaign to Preserve Georgia's **Historic Cemeteries** DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HISTORIC PRESERVATION DIVISION

Campaign to Preserve Georgia's Historic Cemeteries



HPD Division Director Ray Luce receives award from First Lady Laura Bush and Secretary of the Interior Gail Norton in 2006

- HPD awarded \$86,000 1) Sub-grant program
- \$60,000
- 2) Cemetery Publication
- 3) Statewide Conference Nov. 1-2, 2007 Augusta, Georgia

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P.A. 1 Sub-grants Completed



Linwood Cemetery, Macon

- Washington \$10,500 Linwood Cemetery,
 - Macon

\$19.625 School Street Cemetery.

- \$10,250 Kennesaw Cemetery
- \$10,000 Founders, Methodist, & Presbyterian cemeteries, Roswell
- \$3,000 Myrtle Hill Cemetery,

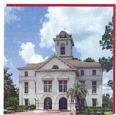
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Preserve America 2

History & Heritage Tourism: **Discovering Georgia's Community Landmarks**

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Georgia's Community Landmarks

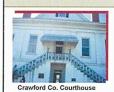


- HPD awarded \$100,000
- 1) Sub-grant program \$80,000
- 2) Two publications
 - Historic Preservation Primer
- Heritage Tourism Handbook
- 3) Statewide Conference March 25-26, 2010 Warm Springs, Georgia

Brooks County Courthouse

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P.A. 2 Sub-grants Awarded August 2009



Bonaventure

Cemetery, Savannah

- \$16,400 Crawford Co. Courthouse
- \$11,600 Savannah Eastside Neighborhoods
- \$10,000 Bonaventure Cemetery
- \$10,000 Augusta Downtown Walking Tours (web-based)
- \$10,000 Thomasville Community Landmarks Trail
- \$10,000 Coastal Bryan Heritage Trail
- \$6,000 Smith-Gilbert Gardens, Kennesaw \$4,500 Roswell house museums signage
- \$1,500 Alpharetta historic resources survey

