

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION NEWS AND NOTES** from the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO)  
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**State Board of Review to Meet July 24, 2015**

The State Board of Review for the National Register of Historic Places will meet on Friday, July 24, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. at the SC Archives and History Center in Columbia. The Board will consider the following nominations:

- St. James the Greater Catholic Mission, Walterboro vicinity, Colleton County
- DeBruhl-Marshall House (Additional Documentation), Columbia, Richland County
- Converse Mill, Converse community, Spartanburg County
- Alta Vista-Camp Fornance-Newman Park Historic District (Earlewood), Columbia, Richland County
- Apalache Mill, Greer vicinity, Spartanburg County
- Sinclair Service Station, Ridgeland, Jasper County
- Huger-Maybank House, Charleston, Charleston County
- Greenville Elks Lodge, Greenville, Greenville County
- James A. Fulmer House, Fountain Inn, Greenville County

The public is welcome to attend the meeting. For more information about the State Board of Review, see <http://shpo.sc.gov/programs/natreg/Pages/Board.aspx> or contact Andy Chandler at [chandler@scdah.state.sc.us](mailto:chandler@scdah.state.sc.us) or 803-896-6179.

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**Historic Wood Windows Workshop Coming to SC in September**

The National Preservation Institute will hold its “Historic Windows: Managing for Preservation, Maintenance, and Energy Conservation” seminar at the SC Archives & History Center in Columbia on **September 29-30, 2015**. For more information about the seminar and how to register, visit [www.npi.org](http://www.npi.org).

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### **Updated Cultural Resources GIS Now Online**

SC ArchSite 2.0, an updated version of the state’s online cultural resources information GIS application, was released in early July. Check it out at [www.scarchsite.org](http://www.scarchsite.org). There are two versions of the map available, Public View Map and Subscriber Map. The website includes short video tutorials to help orient users to the maps.

- **Public View Map** includes National Register of Historic Places listings and information from historic property surveys.
- **Subscriber Map** includes these layers, as well as several additional layers including archaeological sites and additional base maps.

Members of the University of South Carolina's Department of Geography developed the technical concepts and implemented the application on behalf of the SC Department of Archives and History and the SC Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology. The SC Department of Transportation Funding provided funding for the development of ArchSite 2.0.

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### **Congratulations to the City of Clinton**

Congratulations to the City of Clinton, South Carolina's newest Certified Local Government. The National Park Service approved the certification on June 25, 2015. The CLG program recognizes local governments that have a historic preservation ordinance, board of architectural review, survey of historic properties, and public participation in the local preservation program. For more information and a list of other CLGs go to <http://www.nps.gov/clg/>. For more information about the City of Clinton visit <http://www.cityofclintonsc.com/>.

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### **Grants Research and Proposal Writing Classes**

The South Carolina State Library will offer two classes this fall on grants research and proposal writing. Both classes will be held at the South Carolina State Library, 1500 Senate Street, Columbia and are free; however, registration is required. For more information, please contact Dawn Mullin, Information Services Librarian at 803-737-3762 or [dmullin@ statelibrary.sc.gov](mailto:dmullin@statelibrary.sc.gov).

**Grants Research: Finding a Funder for Your Nonprofit Organization** - This class helps individuals working with nonprofit organizations locate information on grants

available from private foundations and corporations using the South Carolina State Library's electronic and print resources. Sessions run from 9:30 a.m. to noon and are offered on two different dates:

September 17, 2015 (register at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991356](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991356)) and  
November 19, 2015 (register at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991357](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991357))

**Proposal Writing Basics** – This class will focus on what needs to be included in all your grant proposals. Sessions will be offered on two different dates:

October 14, 2015 (register at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991354](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991354)) and  
December 9, 2015 (register at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991355](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com/event/991355))

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### Teaching with Historic Places: New Rosenwald Schools Lesson Plan

The National Park Service has published its 159th Teaching with Historic Places lesson plan, ***The Rosenwald Schools: Progressive Era Philanthropy in the Segregated South***. In this lesson, students learn about how Booker T. Washington, president of the Tuskegee Institute, partnered with Julius Rosenwald, president of Sears, Roebucks, and Co., to improve education for African American students in the South during segregation. This lesson provides information about the Progressive Era of the early 20th Century, and it asks students to investigate how small communities in 15 southern states brought thousands of Rosenwald schools to their towns and how many of the preserved school buildings continue to serve these communities in the 21st Century. The lesson's author, Rebekah Dobrasko, a former member of the SC SHPO staff, is now a historian with the Texas Department of Transportation. The lesson is located at <http://www.nps.gov/nr/twhp/wwwlps/lessons/159rosenwald/159rosenwald.htm>. The plan features photographs of two South Carolina Rosenwald Schools, the Pee Dee Rosenwald School in Marion County, and the Pine Grove Rosenwald School in Columbia.

For links to many more lesson plans on South Carolina history please visit our "For Teachers" webpage at <http://shpo.sc.gov/res/Pages/Teachers.aspx>.

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### 11 Most Endangered Historic Properties

The National Trust for Historic Preservation recently released its annual list of the 11 most endangered historic places in the country. To learn more about the properties to <http://www.preservationnation.org/issues/11-most-endangered/>.

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### Conferences / Workshops / Events

**NEW Community Economic Development Conference**, August 26-28, 2015, Charleston. The theme of the conference is "Opportunity SC: Build, Grow, Own" and will

include keynote addresses, networking opportunities, workshops, and luncheons. See [http://www.communitydevelopmentsc.org/2015\\_CED\\_Conference.html](http://www.communitydevelopmentsc.org/2015_CED_Conference.html). For more information, please contact DeAnn Glover at 843-579-9855 or [deann@scaced.org](mailto:deann@scaced.org).

**Window Preservation Summit II "The Business of Window Preservation,"** September 14-17, 2015, Mt. Carroll, IL. More information is on The Window Preservation Standards Collaborative website <http://windowstandards.org/>.

**2015 Annual Preservation North Carolina Conference**, September 16-18, 2015, Salisbury, NC. Keynote speakers will be Don Rypkema and Tom Mayes. More information is available on the Preservation North Carolina website at <http://www.presnc.org/experience/annual-conference/>.

**Historic Tax Credit Conference**, September 17-18, 2015, San Antonio, TX. See [http://www.novoco.com/events/conferences/htc/2015/san\\_antonio/index.php](http://www.novoco.com/events/conferences/htc/2015/san_antonio/index.php).

**American Association for State and Local History Annual Meeting and Online Conference**, September 16-19, 2015, Louisville, KY. Information is available at <http://about.aaslh.org/conference/>.

**Southern Studies Showcase**, September 18-19, 2015, Edgefield. Old Edgefield District Genealogical Society (OEDGS) will sponsor the Southern Studies Showcase. Information including the itinerary and registration form is on the home page of the OEDGS, <http://www.oedgs.org/index.html>. If you have any questions contact Tonya Guy at 803-637-4010 or [OEDGS85@gmail.com](mailto:OEDGS85@gmail.com).

**Southeastern Conference on Historic Sites Archaeology**, September 18-20, 2015, Augusta, Georgia. More information will be available at <http://sechsa.weebly.com/>.

**Historic Windows: Managing for Preservation, Maintenance, and Energy Conservation**, September 29-30, 2015, Columbia. The National Preservation Institute will offer this seminar in cooperation with the South Carolina State Historic Preservation Office. More information about the seminar and registration is available at [www.npi.org](http://www.npi.org).

**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Slave Dwelling Project Conference**, October 8-10, 2015, North Charleston. The conference convenes attendees from to exchange ideas, resources, share perspectives, and solutions to preserving extant African American slave dwellings for future generations. **Early registration for the 2nd Annual Slave Dwelling Project is available through July 31** <http://slavedwellingproject.org/the-slave-dwelling-project-conference/>.

**Fall 2015 Conference of the SC Chapter of the American Planning Association**, October 14-16, 2015, USS Yorktown at Patriots Point, Mount Pleasant. More information will be available at <http://scapa.org/conferences/>. Have questions about SCAPA conferences? Contact Andrea Pietras, the Programs Chair, at [apietras@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:apietras@charlestoncounty.org).

**NEW Southeast Chapter, Society of Architectural Historians Annual Meeting**, October 14-17, 2015, San Antonio, TX. Information about the conference is available at <http://www.sesah.org/>.

**NEW Association for Preservation Technology (APT) Conference “Convergence of People and Places—Diverse Technologies and Practices”**, November 1-5, 2015, Kansas City, MO. Details about the conference and registration information can be found at <http://www.apti.org/index.php?src=gendocs&ref=Home+APT+2015>.

**National Preservation Conference**, November 3-6, 2015, Washington, DC. The National Trust for Historic Preservation will help kick off the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the National Historic Preservation Act with its November 2015 [National Preservation Conference](#), “PastForward 2015.”

**Southeastern Archaeological Conference**, November 18-21, 2015, Nashville, Tennessee. More information available at <http://www.southeasternarchaeology.org/annual-meeting/details/>.

**National Council on Public History Annual Conference**, March 16-19, 2016, Baltimore, MD. Visit <http://ncph.org/cms/conferences/2016-annual-meeting/> for more information.

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### **Grant Application Deadlines**

**August 12, 2015 Humanities Council<sup>SC</sup> Major Grants:** Major Grants (\$2000 - \$8000) 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 listed below. For more information see <http://schumanities.org/grants/howtoapply>. For more information about Major Grants or the review process, please contact the office at [tjwallace@schumanities.org](mailto:tjwallace@schumanities.org).

**NEW August 3, 2015 Maritime History Grants:** Together with the Maritime Administration, the National Park Service announces the availability of roughly \$1.7 million in grants available through the Maritime Heritage Program. The grants are available to state, tribal, and local governments, as well as private non-profit organizations for both education and preservation projects related to our nation's maritime history. Program details and application information are available online <http://www.nps.gov/maritime/grants/intro.htm>.

**Note:** The *USS Yorktown* Foundation has been awarded a 2014 National Maritime Heritage Grant to add audio-visual enhancements to their interpretive program for the

Yorktown's engine room. The Foundation was awarded \$26,228 and the SHPO will assist with administration of the grant.

**NEW September 21, 2015 Our Town Grants:** The National Endowment for the Arts currently is accepting applications for its Our Town grant program. The grants support creative placemaking projects with the arts at their core. Creative placemaking is when artists, arts organizations, and community development practitioners deliberately integrate arts and culture into community revitalization work. This funding supports local efforts to enhance quality of life and opportunity for existing residents, increase creative activity, and create a distinct sense of place. For more information <http://arts.gov/grants-organizations/our-town/introduction>.

### Online sources of grant information:

[National Trust for Historic Preservation](#) Finding Preservation Funding  
[Preservation Directory](#) Grants and Funding Resources  
[State Library](#) Grants Research Assistance  
[SC Grantmakers Network](#)  
[Federal grants](#) Grants.gov  
[Foundation Center](#) Foundation Directory Online

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Past issues are online at <http://shpo.sc.gov/pubs/Pages/newsnotes.aspx>.

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Office (SHPO), a program of the SCDAH, encourages and facilitates the responsible stewardship of South Carolina's irreplaceable historic and prehistoric places.

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