

2014-2015 Special Projects Grants Awarded

44 Special Projects Grants awarded, totalling \$257,154

20 Historic Preservation grants total \$143,488

Amount	Grantee	Grant project
\$5,000	Attleboro Chapter, NSDAR	1723 Peck House Chapter House: replace 16 windows with historically accurate reproductions
\$10,000	Belknap Mill Society	1823 Mill: repair and restore 85 single-glazed, double hung windows
\$10,000	Cassina Garden Club, Inc.	Hamilton Plantation tabby slave cabin: restore exterior
\$6,124	Cobblestone Society and Museum	1834 Cobblestone Church roof replacement
\$10,000	Deborah Wheelock Chapter, NSDAR	1768 house: replace 14 windows, frames and sills
\$1,100	Fraser Historical Society	1875 Baumgartner House and Museum: waterproof basement
\$10,000	Friends of Old St Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church	1766 church on Washington-Rochambeau Trails: restore roof
\$10,000	Friends of Sulgrave Manor	Conserve paintings & painted furniture of George Washington & his ancestors' home
\$10,000	Glessner House Museum	1887 house/museum: restore hand blocked wallpaper in guest room
\$5,186	Hugh Torance House and Store Inc.	1770's oldest standing store in NC: install new girders, piers and metal flashing
\$10,000	Katharine Pratt Horton Buffalo Chapter NSDAR	1893 Birge-Horton House: portico reconstruction
\$1,765	Morgan County Historical and Genealogical Soc. Inc.	Historic Bath, WV: replace 1970's historical property markers
\$2,000	Namaqua Chapter NSDAR	Preserve George Washington Elm Tree (2nd generation)
\$10,000	Nantucket Historical Association	1805 Nantucket Old Goal (jail) (one of oldest extant): exterior stairs, chimney, fireplaces
\$10,000	Rufus Porter Museum	1830 Webb House: new roof & windows, repair siding
\$5,875	Shelter Island Chapter, NSDAR	Conserve tabletop monuments at historic cemetery (from 1754)
\$9,838	Temple Beth Israel Preservation Society	Repair deck/flooring/waterproof: Nat'l Register of Historic Places interfaith building
\$4,650	Texarkana Museums System	1885 Draughon-Moore House: repair stucco and plaster
\$10,000	Transylvania County Historical Society Inc.	1917 Silvermont Mansion: repair 75 original solid oak windows
\$1,950	Willcox Historic Theater Preservation Inc.	1921 theater: install reproduction interior Art-Deco lighting fixtures

16 Education grants total \$67,165

\$2,000	Arizona Literacy & Learning Center	Reading intervention: children with dyslexia and language-based disabilities
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\$1,020 C.E.F.S. Economic Opportunity Corporation	Adult literacy program: assessments, family home libraries, English tutoring
\$10,000 Chattanooga History Center	Installation of permanent Cherokee exhibit 1783-1838 and interactive center
\$10,000 Friends of Bath Community Library	Move local library; provide additional shelving, 9 computers, printer, internet access
\$8,420 Friends of the Rouge	Environmental educational project - provide field science equipment, train teachers/volunteers
\$2,000 Hawaii Literacy Inc	Increase adult literacy & English language tutoring, volunteer training, student material
\$1,450 Howard County Historical Society	Education traveling trunks for 7-12 year old students: various eras in American History
\$1,500 Junior League of Denver	Provide books: to pre-school - high school children; reading aloud with volunteers
\$1,054 Ligonier Valley Library Pennsylvania Room	Update and install museum software to catalog, document, historical collections & exhibits
\$346 Little River Chapter, NSDAR	Literacy project providing American history books to every local K-8 school library
\$2,000 Martin Severance Chapter, NSDAR	Mini grants to 5th gr teachers: develop history lessons to implement common core curriculum
\$6,750 Northeast GA History Center at Brenau Univ	Create audio/vis presentation, permanent exhibit: NE Georgia 1789-1838
\$4,000 Schools Count Corp	Provide band instruments to inner city elementary school
\$4,625 Tacoma Community House	Provide books, training, participant recognition for Read2Me program - 4 schools
\$2,000 Tesoro Cultural Center Foundation	Develop education curriculum & film re: Kiowa Indian culture for K-12 students
\$10,000 Way Public Library Foundation	Local oral history & photos book: historical source & knowledge of founders of area

8 Patriotism grants total \$46,501

\$5,949 Atlanta History Center	Digitize 500 hrs of oral histories/interviews with combat veterans
\$5,466 Freedom Service Dogs of America	Train service dogs for wounded active-duty or retired combat veterans
\$1,000 Mayflower RSVP Inc	Senior Corps (55+) volunteers write letters to overseas troops
\$6,176 New Mexico Veterans Integration Centers	Lift-gate for van to transport wheelchair-bound VA patients
\$10,000 Oconee Veterans Memorial Foundation	At Veterans Memorial "Wall of Honor", place bronze eagle sculpture
\$10,000 Southern Arizona Veterans Memorial Cemetery Fdn	Veterans' Chapel for funeral services inside Southern Arizona Veterans' Memorial Cemetery
\$910 St. Clair County Historical Society	Messenger Cemetery monument to veterans of 200 years of conflicts

\$7,000 Trees from Home Inc

Send holiday packages to military actively serving overseas