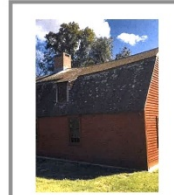


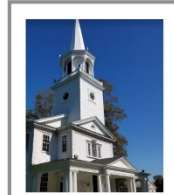
Historic Restoration Fund Grant Awards

Between July 7, 2021 and September 1, 2021 nine Historic Restoration Fund grants were awarded to the following organizations and projects, totaling \$407,646.32

1. **Samuel Smith House, East Lyme:** \$10,000 award for an in-kind red cedar shingle roof replacement.
2. **First Congregational Church, Washington:** \$28,272 award for repair and replacement of the meeting house’s belfry support structure for the bells and chimes.
3. **Hartford Food Systems, Hartford:** \$35,600 award for an in-kind asphalt shingle roof replacement.
4. **First Ecclesiastical Society of East Haddam, East Haddam:** \$47,512.50 award for an in-kind cedar shake roof replacement.
5. **North Congregational Church, Woodbury:** \$70,611.82 award for the replacement of a 140-year-old metal roof on the 1816 sanctuary building with a like-for-like material.
6. **Little Zion Church of Christ, Norwalk:** \$18,200 award for the replacement of two of the church’s steam boilers with new units, as well as the replacement of damaged piping, flues and controls.
7. **Pine Orchard Chapel, Branford:** \$100,000 award to restore six windows, make interior and exterior carpentry repairs, upgrade the electrical service, and to perform lead abatement before repainting the exterior of the chapel.
8. **First Church of Christ and Ecclesiastical Society, Simsbury:** \$81,200 award to restore 28 historic wood windows.
9. **North Branford Congregational Church, North Branford:** \$16,250 award for a boiler replacement.



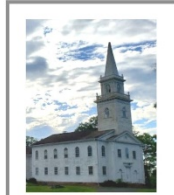
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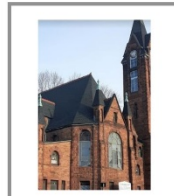
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First Church of Christ, Simsbury

Updates to the Historic Restoration Fund grant program

As of September 15, 2021, the following changes have been made to the Historic Restoration Fund program:

1. Applications will only be accepted through an online granting portal. The link will be provided after a virtual or in-person site visit with Erin Fink, HRF Grant Administrator, has been conducted. Please email Erin.Fink@ct.gov to schedule a site visit.
2. Applications will be accepted on a quarterly basis on the following schedule:
 - o **Deadline: Friday, November 5, 2022** to be considered at the January 5, 2022 Historic Preservation Council Meeting.
 - o **Deadline: Friday, March 4, 2022** to be considered at the May 4, 2022 Historic Preservation Council Meeting

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- **Deadline: Friday, June 3, 2022** to be considered at the August 3, 2022 Historic Preservation Council Meeting
 - **Deadline: Friday, September 2, 2022** to be considered at the November 2, 2022 Historic Preservation Council Meeting
 - **Deadline: Friday, December 2, 2022** to be considered at the February 1, 2023 Historic Preservation Council Meeting
3. The funding cap will be raised to \$200,000. Grant awards will range between \$5,000 to \$200,000, **BASED ON AVAILABLE FUNDS.**
 4. A Long-term Preservation Plan for the building will be required.