Harry O. Erikson Pavilion Hall 17 East Shore Road, Washington



Pavilion Hall is a late nineteenth century,
Queen Anne style community building
located in the heart of the village of New
Preston. Originally serving the community
as a local recreation space, the building
was later used to house the village's fire
truck and also served as the post office.
Most recently, the building was
rehabilitated for retail by the current
owners using the CT Historic
Rehabilitation Tax Credit.

The building is significant on a local level for its role as the social center of the village and as a representative example of the Queen Anne style.



Hartford Special Machinery Company Complex 287 and 296 Homestead Avenue, Hartford



The Hartford Special Machinery Company
Complex is an early twentieth century industrial
complex that specialized in production of custom
machinery and machine components for other
industries. The complex includes three buildings:
a guardhouse, a factory at 287 Homestead
Avenue, and the Stanley P Rockwell Company
Factory Building located across the street at 296
Homestead Avenue. The buildings are constructed
on red brick with concrete trim. Later Colonial
Revival style features were added to the building

at 287 Homestead Avenue. The HSM company left the complex in 1960. Since then, the complex has been home to the Smith-Worthington Saddle Company, which still occupies a portion of the complex. Current plans for the property include rehabilitating the buildings at 287 Homestead Avenue into housing. The rehab will be funded, in part, by the state and federal historic rehab tax credits.