

Sewickley Valley Historical Society

Preservation Grant

Established in 2018, the Sewickley Valley Historical Society Preservation Grant annually awards funding for up to \$10,000 to eligible non-profit organizations and public entities within the 11 boroughs of the Quaker Valley School District and the 15143 zip code. Matching funds for requests \$5,000 - \$10,000 are required. Requests for funds less than \$5000 do not require a match. Grant funds are applicable for exterior construction work only. The purpose of this grant is to support projects that rehabilitate, restore and preserve local historic resources. Applications must be complete and submitted by the deadline to receive consideration.

CHECK LIST

- Applicant information
- Historical significance
- Historic & current photographs (at least four)
- Site plan and/or drawings of proposed work if applicable
- Contractor proposals
- Product & material specifications if applicable

SUBMISSION

Only complete applications will be considered. All applications must be submitted electronically OR postmarked and mailed by **December 31st, 2022** to:

architecture@sewickleyhistory.org

Sewickley Valley Historical Society
200 Broad Street
Sewickley, PA 15143

For questions, please contact the office 412-741-5315

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This application must be completed in its entirety to be considered. If you do not have the information, state I DO NOT KNOW; if a question does not apply, state N/A. The Committee will not review incomplete applications.

A. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name of Historic Building / Structure / Feature

Full Street Address with City / State / Zip (*include borough*)

Recorded Owner of Structure (*Grants are awarded to non-profit organizations and public entities*)

Applicant Telephone

Street Address

City/State/Zip Email

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B. HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

The building / structure / feature is (*check all that apply; registration is not a requirement for eligibility*)

- Listed on the National Register of Historic Places
- Not listed but eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places
- In an Historic District
- Other historical designation (state or local)

Date(s) of the construction of the building / structure / feature (if known) and all significant additions or renovations

Original architect(s) (if known) *Please attach any additional historical or architectural information to this application.*

In 500 words / one page or less, please describe the structure's historical/architectural significance. Attach to this application. Include supporting historic and current photographs in this section (B).

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C. PROPOSED WORK

In 500 words / one page or less, please describe the scope of the proposed exterior rehabilitation or restoration work. Include any drawings, plans of proposed work if applicable. Attach to this application for section C.

Please list the names and contact information for a minimum of **two** contractors.

Contractor 1

Name, Title and Company

Address

Telephone & Email

Contractor 2

Name, Title and Company

Address

Telephone & Email

Please attach copies of estimates & proposals for repair work that include the contractor's scope of work, fees and guarantees, such as a letter of credit, performance bond or other surety. Also include specifications of products and materials to be used for proposed work.

Total Grant Request: \$ _____

Proposed construction timeline.

(Work must be completed within one year of the grant acceptance. If the project work cannot meet that deadline, a request for one year's extension may be made in writing. No more than one additional year extension will be granted.)

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How will the applicant raise funding to match the grant award?

(Grants must be matched dollar for dollar by commitment from other sources. Applicants for grants less than \$5,000 may disregard this question.)

Amount requested from the SVHS Preservation Grant Fund: \$ _____ (*\$10,000 maximum. Half of the grant will be awarded upon project commencement and half upon project completion.*)

Do you have liability insurance?

- Yes
 No

Name of Insurer

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Office hours: Monday-Friday, 10:00-2:00

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE DECEMBER 31st, 2022.
NOTIFICATIONS OF AWARDS WILL BE SENT BY FEBRUARY 22nd, 2023.