

Historic Preservation and the Division of Historical Resources



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National Historic Preservation Act of 1966

- Established preservation policy at the national level
- Created the National Register of Historic Places
- Established basic criteria for evaluation—elaborated by NPS regulations
 - Secretary of the Interior Standards
- Created Historic Preservation Fund (HPF)
- Detailed process for review of federally funded, permitted, or administered projects and their potential impact on listed or eligible historic resources
- **Created State Historic Preservation Offices (SHPO)**
 - **Florida SHPO: Division of Historical Resources**



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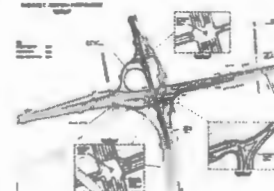


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The Certified Local Government Program (CLG)

The Goal of the CLG Program is Preservation Through Partnership

- Connects Local, State, and Federal Governments in a preservation partnership for the identification, evaluation and protection of historic properties

The CLG program is administered by the National Park Service (NPS) and the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO)

CLG communities are recognized by Federal and State agencies as having special expertise in historic preservation.



Grants

- Small Matching Grants (up to \$50,000)
- Special Category Grants (up to \$500,000)

Those eligible to apply for grant funding include state agencies, state universities, non-profit organizations, units of local government, cities, towns, and counties. Private property owners are not eligible for state grant funding from the Department of State's Division of Historical Resources.

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Small Matching Grants

Description:

- Survey
- Planning
- National Register Nominations
- Education and Publication
- Historical Markers (c.\$1k)
- Main Street Start-Ups (\$25k) or Re-Start-Ups (\$20k)

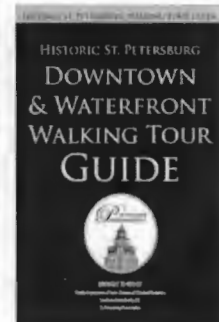
Award: Up to \$50,000

Application Window: April 1– June 1, 2019

Period: 1 year (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021)

Match: Equal to the grant request up to \$50,000. May include donated services and materials; 25% must be cash.

REDI communities, CLGs, and Main Streets require no match.



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Special Category Grants

Description:

- Major restoration and rehabilitation of historic structures (Development)
- Archaeological research, including excavation of sites
- Major/permanent museum exhibit projects on the history of Florida
- Acquisition of a single historic property or archaeological site

Award: Up to \$500,000

Application Window: April 1– June 1, 2019

Period: 2 years (July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2022)

Match: Equal to the grant request up to \$500,000. May include donated services and materials; 25% must be cash.

***REDI communities are required to match only 25% of the requested amount.**



Grantee: St. Marks Refuge Association, Inc.
Project: SC705, St. Marks Lighthouse Structure Preservation
Grant Amount: \$500,000
Grant Period: 2016-2018



Special Category Grants

Daytona Beach
Bandshell Rehabilitation
Grant Amount: \$500,000
Grant Period: 2016-2017



Grantee: Aucilla Research Institute, Inc.
Project: 18.h.sc.300.041, Wakulla Springs – Mysterious Waters
Grant Amount: \$366,596
Grant Period: 2017-2019



Special Category Grants

Fort Coombs Armory Renovations Phase II

Grant Amount: \$180,000

Grant Period: 2016-2018

Scope of Work: Grant funds were used for foundation and floor structural remediation and front door renovations



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Grantee: The John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art
 Project: 18.h.sc.100.012, Terra Cotta Restoration at Ca'd'Zan
 Grant Amount: \$500,000
 Grant Period: 2017-2019



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Webinar Opportunity:
How to Apply for a Special Category Grant
Wednesday, March 27th @ 10:30 am

FY 2021 Grant application deadline:
June 1, 2019

Upcoming Events

The screenshot shows a calendar for March 2019. A pop-up window displays the following event details:

- Event Title:** How to Apply for a Special Category Grant Webinar
- When:** Wed, March 27, 10:30am - 12:00pm
- Description:** This webinar will provide useful information to possible applicants on applying for a historic preservation Special Category grant for the FY2020-2021 Historic Preservation Grant Cycle from the Division of Historical Resources including how to access the grant application online, basic grant program information, content of the grant application, and the application review process.
- How to Participate:** Webinar
- Additional Info:** Advance registration for webinar participation is recommended. Register for the webinar below.
- Link:** [more details > gov.to.my.calendar](#)



Historical Marker Program



The purpose of the Florida Historical Marker program is to increase public awareness of the rich cultural heritage of the state and to enhance the enjoyment of historic sites in Florida by its citizens and tourists.



If you encounter a damaged historical marker or a marker in need of restoration, contact our office: 850.245.6333.



Historical Marker Program

Examples of Historical Markers:

- Institutions (churches, schools, etc)
- Neighborhoods, Historic Districts
- Archaeological Sites
- Battlefields
- Cemeteries
- Sites of significant social or cultural events
- Sites associated with significant people or groups
- Buildings or sites that have since been lost

Historical Marker Council typically meets 4x per year

Cost:

- Single-sided marker with same text on both sides: \$2,010
- Double-sided marker with different text on each side: \$2,330

Small-matching grants are available for up to \$950 for single-sided markers and up to \$1,100 for double sided markers



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Historical Markers Application

Welcome!

There are five steps to applying for a historical marker:

1. Review and understand the applicant responsibilities.
2. Make sure your resource meets the criteria for Florida Historical Markers.
3. Collect the required application information.
4. Complete and submit the Historic Marker application form (pdf) [View Form](#)
5. Assemble and mail the application package.

[Back to the Florida Historical Marker Program](#)

Start New Application

Historic Resource Name

Email Address
Used to send you an access code so that you can come back to the application at any time.

Continue Application

To continue an existing application, enter your email address and the application access code you were emailed.

Email Address **Access Code**

apps.flheritage.com/markers/apply/



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The Florida Master Site File



What it is:

- An active inventory of historical and cultural properties including:
 - Archaeological sites
 - Historical structures
 - Historical cemeteries
 - Historical bridges
 - Historic districts, landscapes and linear features
- A source of information about historical and cultural properties in Florida
- Typically resources in the FMSF are over 50 years old, without regard to historical significance. In some cases resources less than 50 years of age are included in the Site File inventory for planning purposes or for possessing other historical or significance attributes.
- Resources and information are added to the Site File when a FSMF form is submitted (*by a member of the public, local government, preservation consultant, etc*). Documents may include:
 - Survey data
 - Copies of National Register Nominations
 - Copies of Local Historic Designations
 - Site File forms completed by members of the general public



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The Florida Master Site File

What it isn't:

- A determination of historical significance
 - Site File staff do not evaluate the historical significance of sites when a FMSF form is submitted
 - Most properties recorded in the Site File are not listed in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) because many Site File properties do not meet criteria of the NRHP for historical significance
- A regulatory tool
 - Because resources are not evaluated for significance when added to the FMSF, and because the FMSF is intended to be a database of information only, it should not be invoked in local ordinances or building codes as a regulatory tool (i.e. delaying or preventing demolition of a structure because it is included in the FMSF).



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HISTORICAL STRUCTURE FORM
FLORIDA MASTER SITE FILE
Version 1.0 (2017)

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CLGs and the Florida Master Site File

- The Florida Master Site File is a valuable resource available to CLGs
 - Can request a list of documented resources in your county or municipality
 - Can request documentation on particular structures
 - Can request copies of National Register nominations for properties
- Submit your survey materials to FMSF
 - Recording forms are available on the Site File webpage
- Submit your local designation reports to FMSF
 - Information contained in these reports can be incorporated into National Register Nominations and Section 106 proceedings



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Florida Master Site File Contact Information:

Staff are available to assist in using the Site File Monday-Friday, 8:00am-5:00pm

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Webinar Opportunity:

Florida Master Site File 101

Tuesday, April 2nd @ 10:00 am

Upcoming Events

The screenshot shows a calendar interface for March 2019. A pop-up window displays the following event details:

- Title:** Florida Master Site File 101
- When:** Tue, April 2, 10am - 11am
- Description:** Briefing with the Division of Historical Resources at Vincent Brinson@dos.myflorida.com or 850.245.6440
- How to Participate:** Advance registration for webinar participation is recommended. Register for the webinar by flcmsa.com. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.
- Note:** At the time of the event, participants may contact the webinar for additional information.
- More Details:** dos.flgov.com/calendar



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Florida Folklife Program

The Florida Folklife Program documents, presents and preserves Florida's vibrant folklife and traditional culture. Folklife encompasses the living traditions, folk arts and cultural knowledge shared within communities by word of mouth and example. These expressions are rooted in and reflective of a community's shared standards of beauty, values and experiences. Florida Folklife serves as a statewide resource for folk and traditional arts, offering a wide range of projects that support the preservation of and engagement with Florida's dynamic folk culture.



Norteño accordion player Tomas Granada in his workshop in Webster.



Florida Folklife: Research and Fieldwork

- Florida Folklife conducts fieldwork to identify and document folklife throughout the state
 - Oral history interviews
 - Photos and video
- Documentation is preserved and made available to the public by the State Archives of Florida
 - floridamemory.com/collections/folklife/
- **Contact the Florida Folklife Program to suggest individuals and topics that should be documented in your community!**



State Folklorist Amanda Hardeman Griffis films master Greek outi player Leonidas Zafiris and apprentice Nicholas Athanasatos in Tarpon Springs.



Florida Folklife Program

- **Folklife Apprenticeship Program**
 - Supports the sharing of folklife, or Florida's living traditions, within communities.
 - These awards fund three-, six-, or eight-month periods of study between a master and apprentice artist, enabling them to work together to share traditional knowledge, skills and techniques.
 - Deadline to apply – May 15
- **Florida Folk Heritage Awards**
 - Recognize outstanding stewardship of Florida's living traditions. Based on public nominations, these awards are annually presented to folk artists and folklife advocates who have made long-standing contributions to the preservation of Florida traditional arts and culture.
 - Deadline to nominate – October 1



Mike Davis harvesting clams in 2008.



Musician John Ellis in 2007.



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Florida Folklife: Training and Support

- Provide oral history training tips and workshops
- Recommend culture keepers and folk and traditional artists in your community for events
- Advise on incorporating folklife in schools, exhibits, festivals, cultural heritage tourism, National Register designations, placemaking and oral history projects
- Provide folklife and education resources to educators



Dancers and drummers perform a flash *bombazo*, or impromptu bomba party, hosted by Taller Balancé in Orlando.



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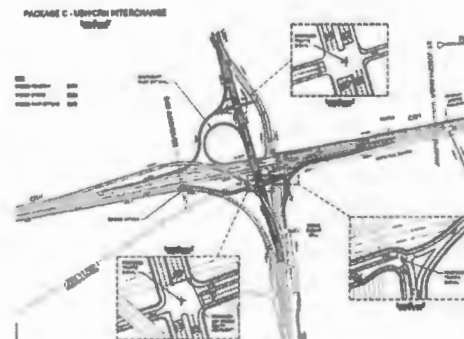
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Compliance and Review

- **Section 106 review**
- **Chapter 267**
- Reviews development projects of all types and provides technical assistance to ensure compliance with state and federal preservation laws mandating consideration of a project's impact on historic and archaeological properties.
- Assists in the preparation of historic preservation elements for state land management plans and reviews the historic preservation aspects of local government comprehensive plans.



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Florida Main Street Program

- **Florida Main Street** is a technical assistance program with the goal of revitalizing historic downtowns and encouraging economic development within the context of historic preservation
- Utilizes the National Main Street Center's Four-Point Approach
 - Economic Vitality
 - Design
 - Organization
 - Promotion
- Each Main Street Community is required to have a manager
 - Full-time: population over 5,000
 - Half-time: population less than 5,000



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Main Street Communities with CLG Status

• Accredited Main Streets:

- DeLand
- Fernandina Beach
- Fort Pierce
- Homestead
- Kissimmee
- Leesburg
- Monticello
- Ocala
- Plant City
- Quincy
- Vero Beach



• Affiliate Main Streets:

- Arcadia
- Melbourne
- Newberry
- Tallahassee

Main Streets in the process of applying to the CLG Program:

- St. Cloud
- Venice
- New Port Richey



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Relationship between CLGs and Main Streets

“Working closely with the Main Street program allows both organizations to benefit and achieve our shared goals.”

Historic Preservation Planner of CLG/Main Street Community

- Main Street attendance/participation in Historic Preservation Board meetings strengthens understanding of historic preservation
- CLGs and Main Streets often work together to apply for grant funding for local historic preservation projects
- CLG staff are often involved with Main Street design committees
- CLGs and Main Streets often work together to identify and nominate properties to the National Register of Historic Places
- Main Streets consult with CLG staff regarding upcoming projects
- Collaboration on events



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