

# Support the Maryland Historical Trust Non-Capital Grant Program

*Historic properties—the tangible remains of our past—cannot be preserved, enhanced or interpreted until they have first been identified.*

The Non-Capital Historic Preservation Grant Program is the only significant source of funding for research, survey, planning and educational activities involving architectural, archeological or cultural resources projects in Maryland.

## Non-Capital Grant funds:

- support historic resource survey, documentation, and evaluation activities that serve as the foundation for the protection and development of historic resources;
- are vitally important to local and statewide comprehensive planning and community revitalization efforts; and
- ensure that developers and project planners can more easily comply with federal, State and local laws, leading to more streamlined project review and avoidance of costly delays.

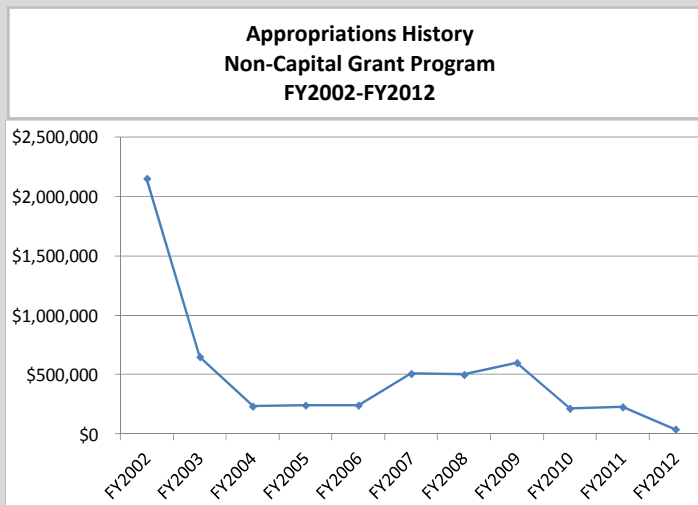
**There are no other funding sources that duplicate the role Non-Capital grants play in Maryland.** As a result, those projects that support local planning, preservation and revitalization efforts are not likely to be undertaken without the support of MHT.

**Between 2005 and 2011 the Program awarded funding to 92 projects totaling \$2.7 million. These projects leveraged \$2.8 million in investment by local governments and the private sector.**

## Past projects include:

- Comprehensive historic sites surveys in Charles, Dorchester, Howard, Queen Anne's, St. Mary's, and Wicomico counties
- National Register nominations in Boonsboro, Cambridge, Sharpsburg and Baltimore County
- Design guidelines for Historic Preservation Commissions in Salisbury and Snow Hill
- Archeological investigations in Anne Arundel County, the Eastern Shore, and Southern Maryland

## Restore critical funding for Maryland architectural, archeological and cultural resources.



Non-Capital Grant funds are State general funds appropriated annually through action by the Governor and the General Assembly. In FY 2012, the Governor's budget included an appropriation of \$40,000 for the Non-Capital Grant Program, but the FY 2013 budget included no funding for this program.

## Non-Capital Grant Program Demand v. Appropriation

FY2013 Appropriation:	\$0
FY2012 Appropriation:	\$40,000
FY2012 Program Demand:	\$395,000

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