Resources Available to You

Tourism, preservation and historic resources are available at all levels to assist you in your work in many ways. These include local state, regional, national, international and more.

This 18 page list is not intended to be comprehensive – but to provide you with ideas and insights as to where you can locate information and assistance.

Resources-Local and State contacts:
1. Archeology Division:
2. Architecture Division or society of Architects:
3. Community Heritage Division:
   a. Certified Local Government:
   b. Heritage tourism:
   c. Main Street Program:
4. History programs:
5. Museum Programs:
6. Cemetery Preservation Program:
7. American Planning Association, state chapter:
8. Any college or university department of museum studies:
9. Any state or college history museum:
10. Any college or university natural resource department:
11. State council of archeologists:
12. Any state or local economic development or tourism department or agency:
13. Any state department of Agriculture or Family land heritage program:
14. Any college or university department of economics or economic development department:
15. Any state organization dedicated to “Keep the State Beautiful”:
16. National Trust for Historic Preservation- regional offices:
17. The Nature Conservancy of the State;
18. Non-Profit Resources for the State:
19. Community foundations, local and state councils:
20. Office of the State Attorney General re municipal affairs section:
21. State office of Rural Community Affairs:
22. Preservation Office for the State:
23. Any State organization dedicated to Professional Tour Guides:
24. Any State or local organization or agency dedicated to saving or preserving cemeteries:
25. Any college or university department of hospitality:
26. Any State university department of Extension:
27. Any African-American History Department of a college or university:
28. Any Hispanic History or Cultural Heritage department of a college or university:
29. Any Native American History department of a college or university:
30. Any ethnic history or Cultural Affairs department of a college or university:
31. Any State Archeological Society:
32. Any State Genealogical Society:
33. Any State Association of Business and Chamber of Commerce:
34. Any State Association of Camp Ground Owners:
35. Any Association of Convention & Visitors Bureau:
36. Any Association of Fairs, Events or Festivals:
37. Any State Association of Museums;
38. Any State Association of Natural Resources and Conservation;
39. Any State Association of rural Entrepreneurship:
40. Any State Commission on the Arts:
41. Any State Association for the Humanities:
42. Any State Cultural and Heritage Tourism:
43. State Department of Workforce Development:
44. Department of Housing and Community Affairs:
45. Department of Transportation:
46. Any Downtown Association:
47. Any Economic Development Council:
48. Any State Film Commission:
49. State Forest Service:
50. Any State Land office:
51. Any State historical Foundation:
52. Any Hotel, Motel and Lodging Association:
53. Any State Music office:
54. Any Parks, Wildlife and Recreation Department:
55. Any State Recreational Vehicle Association:
56. Any State Restaurant Association:
57. Any State Rural Communities Association;
58. Any State Library and Archives:
59. Any State Preservation Society:
60. Any Travel Industry Association:

Regional, National and International Tourism and Preservation:
1. Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
   110 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Suite 809
   Old Post Office Building
   Washington, D.C. 20004
   202-606-8503
   www.achp.gov
2. African American Heritage Perseveration Foundation
   420 Seventh St. NW, Suite 501
   Washington, D.C. 20004
   www.aahpf.org
3. Air transport Association of America
4. The Alliance for Historic Landscape Preservation
   84 Wall Street, Suite 1105
   New York, New York 10005
   www.ahlp.org

5. Alternative Enterprises and Agritourism
   (National Resources Conservancy Services)
   www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/RESS/alterenterprise

6. American Association of Museums
   1575 Eye Street NW, Suite 400
   Washington, D.C. 20005
   202-289-1818
   www.aam-us.org

7. Association of Midwest Museums
   P.O. Box 11940
   St. Louis, Missouri 63112
   314-746-4557
   www.midwestmuseums.org

8. American Association of State and Local History
   1717 Church Street
   Nashville, Tennessee 37203
   615-320-3203
   www.aaslh.org

9. American Automobile Association
   1000 AAA Drive
   Heathrow, Florida 32746
   407-444-7000
   www.aaa.com

10. American Birding Association
    P.O. Box 6599
    Colorado Springs, Colorado 80934
    800-850-2473
    www.americanbirding.org

11. American Bus Association
    1100 New York Ave. NW, Suite 1050
    Washington, DC 20005
    www.buses.org

12. American Farmland Trust
    1200 18th St, NW, Suite 800
    Washington, DC 20036
    202-331-7300
    www.farmland.org
13. American Heritage Rivers Institute
   www.epa.gov/rivrs
14. American Historical Association
   400 A Street SE
   Washington, DC 20003
   202-544-2422
   www.theaha.org
15. American Hotel and Motel Association
   1201 New York Ave. NW, Suite 600
   Washington, DC 20005
   www.ahma.com
16. American Recreation Coalition
   1225 New York Ave NW, Suite 450
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-682-9530
   www.funoutdoors.com/ScenicByways
17. American Society of Travel Agents
   1101 King Street, Suite 200
   Alexandria, VA 22314
   703-739-2782
   www.astenet.com
18. American Zoo and Aquarium Association
   Executive Office
   8403 Colesville, Suite 710
   Silver Springs, MD 20910
   301-562-0777
   www.aza.org
19. American for the Arts
   1000 Vermont Ave. NW 12th floor
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-371-2830
   www.artsusa.org
20. Association for Gravestone Studies
   278 Main Street, Suite 207
   Greenfield, MA 01301
   414-772-0836
   www.gravestonesstudies.org
21. Association for Living History Farms & Agricultural Museums
   c/o Brownwood Farm
   8774 Road 45 NW
   North Bloomfield, Ohio 44450
   216-685-4410
   www.alhfam.org
22. Association of Travel Marketing Executives
   305 Madison Avenue
23. Boy Scouts of America
   P. O. Box 152079
   Irving, Texas 75015
   972-580-2000
   www.scouting.org

24. Boys and Girls Clubs of America
   1230 West Peachtree St. NW
   Atlanta, Georgia 30309
   404-487-5787
   www.bgca.org

25. Camp Fire Boys and Girls
   4601 Madison Avenue
   Kansas City, Missouri 64112
   816-756-1950
   www.campfire.org

26. Center for Rural Entrepreneurship
   317 South 12th Street, Suite 200
   Lincoln, Nebraska 68508
   402-323-7339
   www.ruralship.org

27. Center for Agriculture in its Environment
   148 North 3rd Street
   DeKalb, Illinois 60115
   815-753-9347
   www.aftresearch.org

28. Commerce/Tourism Industries (research)
   www.tinet.ITA.doc.gov

29. Community Block Grants
   www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/communitydevelopment/index.cfm

30. The Conservation Fund
   1800 North Kent St., Suite 1120
   Arlington, Virginia 22209
   703-525-6300
   www.conservationfund.org

31. Council on Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Education
   1200 17th Street NW
   Washington, DC 20036
   202-331-5990
   www.chrie.org

32. Cornell University School of Hotel Administration
   180 Statler Hall
   Ithaca, New York 14853
33. Cruise Lines International Association
   500 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1407
   New York, New York 10110
   212-921-0066
   www.cruising.org

34. The Cultural Landscape Foundation
   1909 Que St. NW, Second floor
   Washington, DC 20009
   202-483-0553
   www.tclf.org

35. Defenders of Wildlife
   1101 14th St. NW, Suite 1400
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-682-9400
   www.defenders.org

36. Dude Ranchers’ Association
   P.O. Box 471
   La Porte, Colorado 80535
   970-223-8440
   www.duderanch.org

37. Economic Development Administration
   United States Department of Commerce
   14th and Constitution Avenue NW, Room 7804
   Washington, DC 20230
   202-482-5081
   www.doc.gov/eda/html/abouteda.htm

38. Eco Tourism Society
   P.O. Box 755
   North Bennington, Vermont
   802-477-2121
   www.ecoturism.org

39. Educational Institute of the American Hotel and Motel Association
   800 North Magnolia Ave., Suite 1800
   407-999-8100
   www.ei-ahma.org

40. European Travel Commission
   One Rockefeller Plaza, Suite 214
   New York, New York 10020
   212-218-1200
   www.visiteurope.com

41. Family Campers and RVers
   4804 Transit Rd., Building 2
   Depew, New York 14043
716-688-6242
www.fcrv.org
42. Federation of State Humanities Councils
   1600 Wilson Blvd., Suite 902
   Arlington, Virginia 22209
   703-908-9700
   http://www.acls.org/fshc.htm
43. Forest Service/Economic Action Program
   Cooperative Forestry
   P.O. Box 96090
   Washington, DC 200090
   202-205-1389
   www.fs.fed.us/spf/coop/eap/htm
44. The Foundation Center
   79 Fifth Ave. /16th Street
   New York, New York 10003
   212-620-4230
   www.fdncenter.org
45. Girls Scouts of the USA
   420 Fifth Avenue
   New York, New York 10018
   212-852-8000
   www.girlscouts.org
46. Great Outdoors Recreation pages
   234 Berkeley Place, Suite 200
   Brooklyn, New York 11217
   718-638-9310
   www.gorp.com
47. The Heritage Education Network
   www.histopres.mtsu.edu/then/
48. Hospitality Financial and Technology Professionals
   11709 Boulder Lane, Suite 110
   Austin, Texas 78726
   515-249-5333
   www.hftp.org
49. Hospitality Sales and Marketing Association International
   1300 L Street NW, Suite 1020
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-789-0089
   www.hsmai.org
50. Institute of Certified Travel Agents
   P.O. Box 812059
   148 Linden Street
   Wellesley, Massachusetts 02482
   781-237-0280
51. Illinois Institute for Rural Affairs- Midwest Community Development Institute
   Western Illinois University
   518 Stires Hall,
   1 University Circle
   Macomb, Illinois 61455
   309-298-2237
   www.iira.org

52. Institute for Cultural Landscape Studies
   Landscape Institute
   Arnold Arboretum
   125 Arborway
   Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts 02130
   617-495-8632
   www.icls.harvard.edu

53. Institute of Museum and Library Services
   1100 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Room 510
   Washington, DC 20506
   202-606-8536
   www.imls.gov

54. International Association of Amusement Parks and Attractions
   1448 Duke Street
   Alexandria, Virginia 22314
   703-836-4800
   www.iaaaoa.org

55. International Association of Convention and Visitors Bureaus
   2000 L Street NW, Suite 702
   Washington, DC 20036
   202-296-7888
   www.iacvb.org

56. International Council on Monuments and Sites
   www.icomos.org

57. International Economic Development Council
   734 15th St. NW, Suite 900
   Washington, DC 20005
   www.iedconline.org

58. International Festivals and Events Association
   P. O. Box 2950
   115 East Railroad Ave., Suite 302
   Port Angeles, Washington 98362
   360-457-3141
   www.ifea.com

59. International Trade Administration
   United States Department of Commerce
   Office of Tourism Industries, Room 1860
60. Leisure Information Network  
   1185 Eglington Ave., East, Suite 502  
   Toronto, Ontario M3C 3C6 Canada  
   416-426-7176  
   www.lin.ca

61. Market Developer Cooperator Program  
   (International Trade Administration)  
   www.ita.doc.gov/td/mdcp/

62. Meeting Professionals International  
   4455 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1200  
   Dallas, Texas 75244  
   972-702-3000  
   www.mpiweb.org

63. Michigan State University  
   Tourism Area of Expertise Team  
   172 Natural Resources Building  
   East Lansing, Michigan 48824  
   517-353-0793  
   www.tourism.ttr.msu.edu

64. Michigan State University School of Hospitality Business  
   645 North Shaw Lane, Room 232  
   East Lansing, Michigan 48824  
   517-353-9211  
   http://hospitalitybusiness.broad.msu.edu

65. Michigan State University Extension/Economic Development  
   Center for Rural Life and Culture  
   517-432-3358  
   www.museum.msu.edu

66. Minority Business Development Agency  
   14th Street and Constitution Ave. NW, Room 5055  
   Washington, DC 20230  
   www.mbd.gov

67. Museum Assessment Program  
   American Association of Museums  
   1575 Eye Street NW, Suite 400  
   Washington, DC 20005  
   202-289-1818  
   www.aam-us.org/museumresources/map/index.cfm

68. National Alliance of Preservation Commissions  
   P.O. Box 1605  
   Athens, Georgia 30603  
   706-542-4731
69. National Association of Interpretation
   P.O. Box 2246
   Fort Collins, Colorado 80522
   888-900-8283
   www.intrepner.com

70. National Association of RV Parks and Campgrounds
   113 Park Ave.
   Falls Church, Virginia 22046
   703-241-8801
   arvc@erols.com
   www.gocampingamerica.com

71. National Association of State Arts Agencies
   1029 Vermont Ave. NW, 2nd floor
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-347-6352
   www.nasaa-arts.org

72. National Audubon Society- State chapter
   www.audubon.org

73. National Center for Preservation Technology and Training
   645 College Ave.
   Natchitoches, Louisiana 71457
   www.ncptt.nps.gov

74. National Center for Small Communities
   444 North Capitol Street, NW, Suite 397
   Washington, DC 20001
   202-624-3550
   www.natat.org/ncsc

75. National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers
   444 North Capitol Street NW, Suite 342
   Washington, DC 20001
   202-624-5465
   www.sso.org/ncshpo

76. National Council on Public History
   327 Cavanaugh Hall-IUPUI
   425 University Blvd.
   Indianapolis, Indiana 46202
   317-274-2716
   www.ncph.org

77. National Endowment for the Arts
   1100 Pennsylvania Ave NW
   Washington, DC 20506
   202-682-5400
   www.arts.gov

Challenge America Fast-Track Review Grants:
78. National Endowment for the Humanities
   1100 Pennsylvania Ave., NW
   Washington, DC 20506
   202-606-8400
   www.neh.gov
   America's Historic Places Grants: www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/historicplaces.html

79. National Fish and Wildlife Foundation
   1133 15th Street NW, Suite #11
   Washington, DC 20005
   202-857-0161
   www.nfwf.org

80. National Heritage Areas Programs
   (National Park Service)
   www.cr.nps.gov/heritageareas

81. National Institution for the Conservation of Cultural Property
   3299 K Street NW
   Washington, DC 20007
   202-625-1495
   http://cool.conservation-us.org

82. National New Deal Preservation Association
   P.O. Box 602
   Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504
   505-473-2039
   www.newdeallegacy.org

83. National Park Service
   Heritage Preservation Services
   1849 C Street NW
   Washington, DC 20240
   202-343-9594
   www.cr.nps.gov/

84. National RV Park Institute
   P.O. Box 5578
   Auburn, California 95604
   530-823-2316
   www.nrvpi.com

85. National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak)
   60 Massachusetts Ave. NE
   Washington, DC 20002
   www.amtrak.com

86. National Recreation and Parks Association
   22377 Belmont Ridge Road
   Ashburn, Virginia 20148
   703-858-0784
   www.nrpa.org
87. National Register of Historic Places
   National Park Service
   1201 Eye Street NW
   Washington, DC 20005
   www.cr.nps.gov/nr

88. National Scenic Byways Program
   Federal Highway Administration
   800-429-9297
   www.byways.org

89. National Speakers Association
   1500 South Priest Drive
   Tempe, Arizona 85281
   480-968-2552
   www.nsaspeaker.org

90. National Tour Association
   546 East Main Street
   Lexington, Kentucky 40508
   606-226-4444
   www.ntaonline.com

91. National Trails System
   www.nps.gov/ncrc/programs/nts

92. National Trust for Historic Preservation
   1785 Massachusetts Avenue NW
   Washington, DC 20036
   202-588-6000
   www.nationaltrust.org

93. North Carolina Arts Council
   Department of Cultural Resources
   Raleigh, North Carolina 27601
   919-733-2111
   www.nearts.org

94. Organization of American States
   Unit of Tourism
   1889 F Street NW, Suite 300
   Washington, DC 20006
   202-458-3000
   www.oas.org/tourism/hom.htm

95. Partners for Sacred Places
   1700 Sansom Street, 10th floor
   Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103
   www.sacredplaces.org

96. Partners in Tourism
   C/o AAM
   1575 Eye Street NW, Suite 400
   Washington, DC 20005
97. PreserveNet  
    www.preserenet.cornell.edu
98. Preservation Action  
    1054 31st Street NW, Suite 526  
    Washington, DC 20007  
    202-298-6180  
    www.preservationaction.org
99. Preservation Directory.com  
    www.preservationdirectory.com
Project for Public Spaces  
    419 Lafayette Street, 7th floor  
    New York, New York 10003  
    212-620-5660  
    www.pps.org
100. Professional Association of Innkeepers International  
    P. O. Box 90710  
    Santa Barbara, California 93190  
    805-569-1853  
    www.paii.org
101. Purdue University School of Hospitality & Tourism Management  
    900 West State Street  
    West Lafayette, Indiana  
    765-494-4643  
    www.cfs.purdue.edu
102. Public Works, Economic Adjustment, Planning and Research and Technical Assistance Programs  
    www.eda.gov
103. Rails to Trails Conservancy  
    1100 17th Street NW  
    Washington, DC 20036  
    www.railtrails.org
104. Recreation Vehicle Industry Association  
    P.O. Box 2999  
    Reston, Virginia 20191  
    703-620-6003  
    www.rvia.org
105. Recreational Trails Program Grants  
    (Federal Highway Administration)  
    www.fhwa.dot.gov/environment/rectrails/index
106. Resource Conservation and Development Program  
    www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/rcd
107. Rivers, Trails and Conservation Assistance Program
108. Rural Development Grant Programs (Rural Development) www.rurdev.usda.gov


110. Scenic America
800 Pennsylvania Ave SE, Suite 300
Washington, DC 20003
202-543-6200 www.scenic.org

111. Small Business Administration www.sba.gov

112. Society for American Archaeology
900 Second Street NW, Suite 12
Washington, DC 20002
202-789-8200 www.saa.org

113. Society of American Travel Writers
1500 Sunday Drive, Suite 102
Raleigh, North Carolina 27607
919-861-5586 www.satw.org

114. Society for Architectural Historians
1365 North Astor Street
Chicago, Illinois 60610
312-573-1365 www.sah.org

115. Travel Industry Association of America
1100 New York Ave. NW, Suite 450
Washington, DC 20005
202-408-8422 www.tia.org

116. Travel and Tourism Research Association
P.O. Box 133
Boise, Idaho 83701
208-853-2320 www.ttra.com

117. Transportation and Transit Enhancement Programs www.fhwa.dot.gov

118. USDA Forest Service
P. O. Box 96090
Washington, DC 20090
202-205-8333
119. USDA Rural Business Services
Rural Housing Service National office
United States Department of Agriculture
Room 5037, South Building
14th St. and Independence Ave. SW
Washington, DC 20250
202-720-4323
www.rufe.usda.gov/rhs/index.htm

120. USDA Rural Development/Community Facilities Loan Program
www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/index.htm

121. USDA Rural Information Center
National Agriculture Library, Room 304
Beltsville, Maryland 20705

122. United States Air Tour Association
4041 Powder Mill Road, Suite 201-A
Calverton, Maryland 20705
301-931-8770
www.usata.com

123. United States Corps of Engineers
Midwest Division

124. United State Department of Commerce
Economic Development Administration
14th and Constitution Ave. NW, Room 7804
Washington, DC 20230
202-482-5081

125. United States Department of Commerce
Bureau of Economic Analysis
1441 L Street, NW
Washington, DC 20230
202-482-5081
www.bea.doc.gov

126. United States Department of Commerce
Office of travel and Tourism Industries
14th and Constitution Ave. NW, Room 18760
Washington, DC 20230
202-482-0140
www.tinet.ita.doc.gov

127. United States Department of Interior
1849 C Street, NW
Washington, DC 20240
202-208-3100
www.doi.gov

128. United States Fish and Wildlife Service
1849 C St. NW
129. United States Promotional Campaign
   (International Trade Administration)
   www.Tinet.ita.doc.gov/about/us_promo_campaign

130. United States Tour Operators Association
   342 Madison Ave., Suite 1522
   New York, New York 10173
   212-599-6599
   www.ustoa.com

131. University of Illinois at Champaign Urbana
   Office of Recreational and Tourism Development
   1206 South Fourth St
   Campaign, Illinois 61820
   http://rst.illinois.edu

132. University of Missouri Extension
   Columbia, Missouri
   www.missouri.edu

133. University of Nebraska-Lincoln
   Center for Rural Innovation-Ag Economics
   103 Miller Hall
   Lincoln, Nebraska 68583
   800-328-2851
   www.unl.edu

134. Utah Department of Community and Economic Development
   Cultural Heritage Tourism
   Salt lake City, Utah 84120
   801-236-7555
   www.culturalheritage.utah.gov

135. Utah State University
   Western Rural Development Center
   8335 Old Main Hill
   Logan, Utah 84322
   435-797-9732
   www.Extension.us.edu/WRDC

136. Virginia Tourism Corporation
   901 East Byrd Street
   Richmond, Virginia 23219
   804-786-2051
   www.vtc.org

137. The Wallace Centers of Iowa
   756-16th Street
   Des Moines, Iowa 50314
   515-243-7063
138. World Tourism Organization
    Capital Haya, 42
    28020 Madrid, Spain
    34/91-567-8200
    www.world-tourism.org