

Maryland Heritage Areas Program Grants Awarded FY2024

**Anacostia Trails Heritage Area
(ATHA/Maryland Milestones Prince George's)**
<https://anacostiatrails.org/>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$50,000.00
Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
City of Bowie, Maryland	Bowie Railroad Museum Placemaking Project	\$90,000.00
Friends of Fort McHenry, Inc.	Anacostia River Trail Stewards	\$47,500.00
Joe's Movement Emporium	Story of Water & Art: performances and educational programs	\$24,000.00
Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission	Interpreting the Enslaved: A permanent exhibit honoring their lives and labor	\$47,500.00
This Could Go Boom	This Could Go Boom! Music Festival	\$24,000.00
Town of Cottage City	Cottage City Community Outreach Center	\$90,000.00
Total Anacostia Trails (9 projects)		\$498,000.00

Baltimore National Heritage Area (Baltimore City)
<https://www.explorebaltimore.org/>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Baltimore Heritage Area Association, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Baltimore Heritage Area Association, Inc.	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Baltimore Heritage Area Association, Inc.	Walking on the Wild Side! New Walking Tour Mobile Apps for Baltimore's Historic Neighborhoods	\$35,000.00
Baltimore Heritage, Incorporated	Bmore Bus Tours: Showcasing Baltimore's Heritage by Bus	\$10,000.00

Friends of Herring Run Parks, Inc.	A Place with A Past: Herring Run Heritage Trail	\$40,000.00
Greater Baltimore Cultural Alliance, Inc	UAL Repository: Stories and Research to Better the Heritage Record	\$30,000.00
The Peale Center For Baltimore History And Architecture, Inc.	Peale Apprenticeships: Diversifying the Preservation Trades and Cultural Workforce	\$25,000.00
University of Maryland	National Museum of Dentistry - Baltimore: The Birthplace of the Dental Profession Exhibit & Interactive	\$24,885.26
Total Baltimore National (8 projects)		\$289,885.26

Beach to Bay Heritage Area (Worcester, Wicomico, Somerset)

<https://www.beachesbayswaterways.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Beach to Bay Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$84,600.00
Beach to Bay Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$25,000.00
Beach to Bay Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Block Mini-Grant	\$25,000.00
Pocomoke Indian Nation, Inc.	Spheres of Influence – The Pocomoke Indian Nation	\$13,000.00
Somerset County Historical Trust, Incorporated	Eastern Shore Voices: Papers of Elizabeth Upshur Teackle, Phase I	\$47,500.00
Town of Snow Hill, Maryland	Bank Street Promenade	\$78,279.00
Tyree African Methodist Episcopal Church Incorporated	Tyree AME Church Rehabilitation Part Two	\$56,222.00
Total Beach to Bay (7 projects)		\$329,601.00

Chesapeake Crossroads Heritage Area (Four Rivers/ALTSCHA/Anne Arundel) <https://chesapeakecrossroads.org/>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Annapolis Maritime Museum, Inc.	Master Planning and Inclusive Interpretation – Annapolis Maritime Museum	\$47,500.00
Annapolis, London Town and South County Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00

Annapolis, London Town and South County Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Annapolis, London Town and South County Heritage Area, Inc.	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$50,000.00
Blacks of the Chesapeake Foundation, Inc.	Elktonia Heritage Park Phase II Site Acquisition	\$90,000.00
Chesapeake Conservancy, Inc.	Elevating Black Voices in the New Elktonia Heritage Park's Master Plan	\$47,500.00
Severn Cross Roads Foundation	Restoration of Historic Baldwin Hall - Exterior Painting	\$20,000.00
St. Mary's Annapolis Roman Catholic Congregation, Inc.	Renewal of Instructional Panels in the Charles Carroll House, Annapolis	\$25,000.00
Visit Annapolis & Anne Arundel County	Sharing Civil Rights Stories with Visitors	\$47,500.00
Total Chesapeake Crossroads (9 projects)		\$452,500.00

Heart of Chesapeake Country (Dorchester)

<http://visitdorchester.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Alpha Genesis Community Development Corporation	Harriet Tubman Pavilion	\$81,900.00
Cambridge Main Street, Inc.	Cambridge Main Street Wayfinding Project	\$12,500.00
County Council of Dorchester County	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
County Council of Dorchester County	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Harriet Tubman Organization	Find the Harriet in You	\$21,750.00
Mid-Shore Community Radio Inc.	Mid-Shore Community Radio Dorchester History Project	\$14,000.00
The Nanticoke Historic Preservation Alliance, Inc.	Three Cultures Center at Handsell	\$47,500.00
Total Heart of Chesapeake Country (7 projects)		\$302,650.00

Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area (Washington, Frederick, Carroll)

<http://heartofthecivilwar.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Catoctin Furnace Historical Society, Inc.	Stabilization for Future Interpretation of the Ironmaster's Mansion	\$80,000.00
Civil War Preservation Inc.	Acquisition of the Jacob Avey Tract at Antietam National Battlefield	\$90,000.00
Friends of Cunningham Falls State Park and Gambrill State Park, Inc.	Civilian Conservation Corps Exhibit at Gambrill State Park	\$5,675.37
Friends of Halfway African American Cemetery	Public Access and Fencing at Halfway African American Cemetery	\$13,000.00
Hagerstown-Washington County Convention and Visitors Bureau	Legal Rights & Production Materials - The House on Jonathan Street Documentary	\$25,000.00
Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$50,000.00
Main Street Middletown, MD, Inc.	Implementing Recommendations from the Visitor Experience Plan for our Welcome Center at 19 West Main Street	\$25,800.00
The African American Resources-Cultural and Heritage Society Incorporated	Fabrication and Installation of the Amaze Project	\$47,500.00
The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Westminster	Historic Durbin House - Phase II, Interior Environment Stabilization	\$90,000.00
The Washington County Free Library	Preservation Microfilm of Rare Historic Newspapers	\$17,424.00
Tourism Council of Frederick County, Inc	Frederick Visitor Center Exhibit Redesign	\$47,500.00
Westminster Cemetery Company	Digital Enablement of the Historic Westminster Cemetery Records	\$20,000.00
Total Heart of the Civil War (14 projects)		\$636,899.37

Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenway (Harford, Cecil)

<http://www.upperbaytrails.com>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenway, Incorporated	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
City of Havre de Grace	Havre de Grace Visitor Center Renovation	\$90,000.00
Havre De Grace Decoy Museum, Inc.	African American Influence in the Folk Art of Decoy Making	\$25,000.00
Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenway, Incorporated	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Steppingstone Museum Association, Inc.	Forging Forward: Foard Blacksmith Shop Repairs	\$26,400.00
Susquehannock Wildlife Society, Inc.	Parking Area and Standby Generator for Opening of Wildlife Center	\$38,268.37
The Havre de Grace Maritime Museum, Inc	Havre de Grace Maritime Museum Capital Improvements	\$15,000.00
Total Lower Susquehanna (7 projects)		\$319,668.37

Heritage Montgomery (Montgomery)

<https://www.heritagemontgomery.org/>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Heritage Tourism Alliance of Montgomery County	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
City of Rockville	The Avery Road Colored Cemetery and Smith Homestead GPR Survey	\$16,941.00
Heritage Tourism Alliance of Montgomery County	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Montgomery County, Maryland	Boyds Transit Improvement	\$90,000.00
Peerless Rockville Historic Preservation, Ltd.	Montrose School: Land Acquisition/Restoration	\$90,000.00
Sandy Spring Museum	Folklife Hub at Sandy Spring Museum	\$90,000.00
The Menare Foundation, Inc.	Slave Quarter Construction Project	\$30,000.00
Warren Historic Site Committee, Inc.	Repairs and Purchase and Installation of Septic Holding Tanks	\$79,500.00
Total Montgomery County (8 projects)		\$521,441.00

Mountain Maryland Gateway to the West Heritage Area (Garrett)

<http://www.visitdeepcreek.com>

www.garrettheritage.com

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Garrett County Chamber of Commerce, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Garrett County Chamber of Commerce, Inc.	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Mayor & Town Council of Mountain Lake Park	Victorian Chautauqua Festival Tents Acquisition	\$20,000.00
The Garrett County Historical Society, Incorporated	Capital Improvement for Sustainability of the Historical Museum	\$60,472.00
Total Mountain Maryland (4 projects)		\$205,472.00

Passages of the Western Potomac Heritage Area (CPHA/Allegany)

<http://PassagesofthePotomac.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Canal Place Preservation and Development Authority	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, Maryland	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$24,543.00
Board of County Commissioners of Allegany County, Maryland	Frostburg Depot Bathroom Facilities	\$90,000.00
Canal Place Preservation and Development Authority	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
Canal Place Preservation and Development Authority	River Park at Canal Place Engineer/Design/ Sediment Testing	\$90,000.00
Total Passages of the Western Potomac (5 projects)		\$329,543.00

Patapsco Valley Heritage Area (Howard, Baltimore County)

<http://www.patapsco.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Catonsville Rails To Trails, Inc.	Creating the Catonsville Short Line Art & History Trail	\$31,000.00
Patapsco Heritage Greenway, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Patapsco Heritage Greenway, Inc.	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00

Patapsco Heritage Greenway, Inc.	FY24 Marketing Grant	\$12,000.00
The Community College of Baltimore County Foundation, Inc.	Preserving historical artifacts and illuminating the rich heritage of Catonsville	\$58,037.00
The Howard County Conservancy, Inc.	Outdoor performances to attract new visitors	\$6,820.00
Total Patapsco Valley (6 projects)		\$232,857.00

Destination Southern Maryland (St. Mary's, Charles, Calvert)

<http://www.tccsmd.org>

www.destinationsouthernmaryland.com

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
HISTORIC SOTTERLEY, INC.	Historic Sotterley Manor House Restoration	\$90,000.00
Jefferson Patterson Park and Museum	Patterson Gardens and Grounds Restoration	\$83,000.00
Middleham and St. Peter's Parish	Accessing the Diverse History of Southern Maryland	\$47,500.00
ST. MARY'S COLLEGE OF MARYLAND FOUNDATION, INC.	Uncovering the Enslaved at the Chiles Homesite, Charles County Maryland	\$47,500.00
The Friends of Point Lookout Inc.	The Interpretation of Civil War Point Lookout	\$8,500.00
Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland	FY24 Management Grant	\$100,000.00
Working Out Wonders Foundation, Inc.	Carroll Farmhouse and Cemetery Preservation Project	\$90,000.00
Total Southern Maryland National (7 projects)		\$466,500.00

Stories of the Chesapeake Heritage Area (Talbot, Queen Anne's, Kent, Caroline) <http://www.storiesofthechesapeake.org>

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount
Eastern Shore Heritage, Inc.	FY24 Management Grant	\$55,783.00
Eastern Shore Heritage, Inc.	FY24 Block Grant	\$25,000.00
ADKINS ARBORETUM, LTD.	Adkins Arboretum Nestled in Nature II - Pergola	\$90,000.00
Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum, Inc.	Stories from the Shoreline	\$25,000.00

Easton Economic Development Corp	Easton Visitor Center	\$47,500.00
Historic Kent Island, LLC	Paths From the Past - Walking the Kent Island Railroad	\$10,000.00
KENT CULTURAL ALLIANCE, INC.	Visiting Artist Residency program	\$24,200.00
Midshore Community Foundation (Fiscal agent)	Bellevue Passage Museum Gallery Annex	\$90,000.00
Talbot County Economic Development and Tourism	Frederick Douglass in Talbot County Audio Driving Tour	\$47,500.00
Total Stories of the Chesapeake (9 projects)		\$414,983.00
Total Amount Awarded		\$5,000,000.00