



P.O. Box 748

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY PRESERVATION ALLIANCE

Urbana, Ohio 43078

Residential Façade Matching Grant Program GUIDELINES FOR 2020

The Champaign County Preservation Alliance is a private not-for-profit organization created to encourage and promote historic preservation in Champaign County. We encourage the conservation, restoration, and protection of the county's unique historical places and structures. We offer public programs that promote historic preservation and creative reuse of existing places and structures.

ANNOUNCEMENT:

The Champaign County Preservation Alliance (CCPA) intends to make four matching grants up to \$1000.00 each for approved residential structure preservation work within the bounds of Champaign County, Ohio. The grants are to be awarded June 30, 2020.

RESIDENTIAL CRITERIA:

1. Grants are to be awarded to property owners for the exterior preservation of historic (erected prior to 1940) residential buildings in Champaign Co., Ohio.
2. All improvements must be clearly visible from a street elevation of the property.
3. Projects must include restoration to original or period condition using existing or approved replications. Exterior improvements should preserve the original building design and be sympathetic to the architectural character of the neighborhood.
 - Eligible improvements may include: removing false siding; restoring architectural details; replacing deteriorated or inefficient windows with wooden copies; cleaning and re-pointing brick; painting; removing or repairing awnings; replacing or upgrading porches; repair or replacing gutter and downspout; replacing lighting.
 - "Façade" does NOT include landscaping, roofing, interior repairs, or improvement not visible from the street elevation of the property.
4. Awards will be based on the impact of the improvements to the neighborhood and local area.
5. Photos of the existing façade and estimates reflecting expected costs for the restoration are to be submitted with the application.
6. Paid receipts for labor performed and supplies purchased must be presented to the CCPA and approved prior to release and payment of the matching grant moneys.
Example: To receive the release and payment of a CCPA matching grant of \$1000.00, the grantee must provide paid receipts amounting at least \$2000.00.
7. Grant eligible work must be completed by December 31, 2021.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING all grant applications is May 31, 2020. Applications are to be submitted in "hard copy" to: **CCPA, P.O. Box 748, Urbana, Ohio 43078.**

Additional questions? Contact - Dusty Hurst, 937-869-0970

CCPA Board Members and their immediate families are not eligible to participate in this program.

The Decision of the Façade Grant Committee is final