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2021 Year in Review

From the Louisiana State Historic Preservation Office FY 2020-2021

The National Park Service, through the Historic Preservation Fund (HPF), provides our office with the opportunity to advance public interest in archaeology and historic preservation, as well as economic development and revitalization efforts by creating awareness of our state's historic resources, which encompass our rich heritage.

Historic Preservation in Louisiana

13 National Register Listings The National Register in Louisiana boasts over **50,000 contributing properties** listed statewide. This year we finalized **13 listings** (9 buildings and 4 districts) adding a total of 157 contributing resources to the Register. The National Register and Tax Credit Programs are tremendous tools that work together to revitalize historic buildings across our state.



National Register Work

In Tangipahoa Parish, the Husser School-Husser Community Center was listed for its significance in education for the community of Husser and the surrounding area.



Tax Credits at a Glance...

- In Federal FY 20-21, the Federal Historic Tax Incentives program leveraged over **\$383.5 million** in private investment in **74** of Louisiana's historic, income-producing buildings.
- The State Commercial program leveraged over **\$69.2 million** of unique investment in **32** commercial historic buildings.
- Combined, these programs leveraged over \$452.7 million in 106 of Louisiana's historic buildings and created or supported 4,763 construction jobs.
- Staff reviewed **403** federal and **627** state tax credit application forms.

Notable Tax Credit Project



Andress Ford Building, now the Andress Artist and Entrepreneur Center, located at 717 Crockett, Shreveport, invested **\$4 million** into the project.

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Image: Shreveport Downtown Development District



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> State Commercial Program \$**69,279,153**

Total Funds Leveraged: \$452,813,741

Federal Historic Tax Credit Program \$**383,534,588**





This year, **61 teachers** introduced **1,522 students** to the field of archaeology through classroom teaching kits and presentations.





Visitors to museums and parks displaying artifacts in the Division of Archaeology's Curation collection from across the state.



Federally-funded projects triggered **4.036** Section 106 Reviews.



Main Street Building Rehabilitations and new Construction totaled **\$6,675,343**.



Main Street communities received **<u>\$86,950</u>** in Redevelopment Incentive Grants from the SHPO to support façade improvements.

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