

# IMPACT OF NHPRC IN TENNESSEE

*The National Historical Publications and Records Commission (NHPRC) promotes the preservation and use of America's documentary heritage essential to understanding our democracy, history, and culture. Since 1964, the NHPRC has awarded \$207 million to 4,900 projects in all 50 states and special jurisdictions.*

## **Total Cost of Projects supported by NHPRC in Tennessee:**

- **\$14,993,917 - Total**
- **\$7,562,132 - Direct Federal Grants**
- **\$7,431,785 - State and Local Contributions**

## **Projects of Special Value to the Tennessee:**

*The NHPRC has played a unique role in supporting historical RECORDS and PUBLICATIONS projects of special value to Tennessee including...*

- **Establish Network of Archives in Tennessee** – support to establish or enhance archives at such institutions as Fisk University, East Tennessee State University, Abraham Lincoln Museum and Library, University of Tennessee, Knox County, Cumberland College, Memphis/Shelby County Public Library, Memphis State University, and Vanderbilt University.
- **State Archives** – funding to help modernize the state archives, improve access to its holdings, create a local records program, and the annual Tennessee Archives Institute.
- **Papers of the Presidents** – funding for the *Papers of Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, and Andrew Johnson* at the University of Tennessee.
- **National Programs** – support for the American Association for State and Local History, headquartered in Nashville.

## **Tennessee institutions that have received assistance from the NHPRC:**

- American Association for State & Local History
- City of Kingsport
- Cumberland College
- East Tennessee State University
- Fisk University
- Highlander Research Historic Rugby
- Jewish Federation of Nashville and Middle Tennessee
- Knox County Government
- Lincoln Memorial University
- Memphis/Shelby County Public Library
- Memphis State University
- National Association for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Storytelling
- Tennessee Historical Records Advisory Board
- Tennessee State Library & Archives
- Tusculum College
- University of Tennessee
- University of Tennessee at Chattanooga
- University of Tennessee at Martin
- University of Tennessee Press
- Vanderbilt University