IMPACT OF NHPRC IN UTAH

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 $200 million to 4,800 projects in all 50 states and special jurisdictions.

Total Cost of Projects supported by NHPRC in Utah:

- $1,646,208 - Total Project Funds
- $692,271 - Direct Federal Grants
- $953,937 - State and Local Contributions

Projects of Special Value to the State of Utah:

The NHPRC has played a unique role in supporting historical RECORDS and PUBLICATIONS projects of special value to Utah including:

- Establishing A Network of Archives in Utah – support to enhance archives programs at the University of Utah, Utah Historical Society and Utah State University.

- Public Records Support – funding to preserve and make available essential public records, especially the District Courts and other local government records, through both preservation and training activities.

- Documenting the history of the people of the Great Basin and Utah - projects to ensure tapes, photographs, and manuscript records about the Anasazi and the Mormon settlers could continue to inform us about lives in the past into the future.

- State Archives Support – funding that has enhanced the state archives programs to preserve and catalog historical records and has assisted in providing online information about its archival holdings in a comprehensive way.

Utah institutions that have received assistance from the NHPRC –

- University of Utah
- Utah Historical Records Advisory Board
- Utah Historical Society
- Utah Museum of Natural History
- Utah State Archives and Records Services
- Utah State University