IMPACT OF NHPRC IN VIRGINIA

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 Virginia:

- $26,810,970 - Total
- $14,066,388 - Direct Federal Grants
- $12,744,582 - State and Local Contributions

Projects of Special Value to the Commonwealth of Virginia:

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

- Establish Network of Archives in Virginia – support to establish or enhance archives at such institutions as the Library of Virginia, the Virginia Foundation for the Humanities, Virginia Military Academy, Arlington County Public Library, County of Shenandoah, People-to-People Health Foundation, American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, City of Richmond, and Fairfax County Government.
- State Archives – funding to help modernize the state archives, improve access to its holdings, and prepare for emergencies.
- Local records in Virginia – support to help organize, preserve, manage, and make accessible local records throughout the state, including the City of Petersburg, the Virginia Home for Boys in Richmond, Chesapeake and Ohio Historical Society, the Valentine Museum, Virginia Commonwealth University, George Mason University, Newport News Public Library, Hollins College, and the University of Virginia.
- Papers of the Founding Fathers – funding for the papers of James Madison and George Washington at the University of Virginia. Other early colonial papers projects include St. George Tucker, the Papers of the War Department, 1784-1800, James Monroe, Charles Carroll family papers, Diary of George Mersman, Dolley Madison, and John Marshall.
- Presidential Recordings Project – funding for a print and electronic edition of the annotated transcripts of tape recordings during the Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson, and Nixon administrations.
- The Papers of George Catlett Marshall – funding to publish the writing, addresses, and correspondence of the American statesman best known as the architect of the Marshall Plan.
- Association for Documentary Editing – funding to create a new Institute for Documentary Editing.

Virginia institutions that have received assistance from the NHPRC:

- American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance
- Arlington County Public Library
- Association for Documentary Editing
- Augusta County Chancery Records
- Chesapeake and Ohio Historical Society
- City of Norfolk
- City of Petersburg
- City of Richmond
- College of William & Mary
- Colonial Williamsburg Foundation
- County of Shenandoah
- Fairfax County Government
- George C. Marshall Research Foundation
- George Mason University
- Hollins College
- Library of Virginia
- National Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors
- National Center for State Courts
- National Recreation and Park Association
- MacArthur Memorial Foundation
- Newport News Public Library System
- Omohundro Institute for Early American History and Culture
- People-to-People Health Foundation
- University of Mary Washington
- University of Virginia
- Valentine Museum
- Virginia Commonwealth University
- Virginia Foundation for the Humanities
- Virginia Historical Society
- Virginia Military Institute
- Virginia State Historical Records Advisory Board