

State Historic Preservation Office Staff

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State Historic Preservation Officer

Appointed by the governor to carry out functions assigned to the state under the National Historic Preservation Act.

Megan Wood, Executive Director & CEO, Ohio History Connection

Administration

Responsible for operations of the State Historic Preservation Office.

Amanda Schraner Terrell, Division Director & Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

Inventory & Registration

Administers the National Register of Historic Places program in Ohio, and manages the Ohio Historic Inventory, and Ohio Archaeological Inventory.

Barbara A. Powers, Department Head
Diamond Crowder, Underrepresented Communities, Survey & National Register Manager
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Abby Marshall, Survey and National Register Manager

Technical Preservation Services

Works with owners of eligible historic properties in Ohio, helping them qualify for federal and state rehabilitation tax credits. Advises on the physical conservation of historic properties and conducts Building Doctor clinics for the general public. Administers the Certified Local Governments program. Serves as liaison to national and state-wide historic preservation organizations. Oversees preparation of the state historic preservation plan.

Mariangela Pfister, Department Head
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Resource Protection and Review

Reviews federally-funded or -licensed projects in Ohio for effects on historic properties included in, or eligible for, the National Register of Historic Places, as required under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. Reviews state-funded projects in accordance with Section 149.53 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Diana Welling, Department Head
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Education and Support Services

Responsible for fiscal management of annual Historic Preservation Fund grant, Certified Local Governments subgrants and other grants awarded to the office. Oversees database management, GIS program and online applications for the office. Coordinates public education programs and annual State Historic Preservation Office Awards program.

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