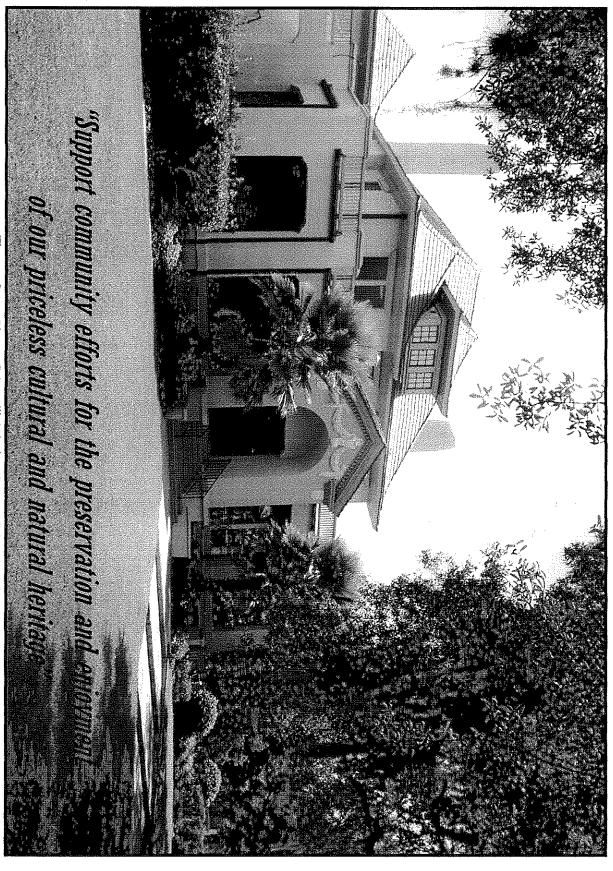
Preserve Gainesville

"Preserve America Community" Designation Application



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APPLICATION FORM

FY 2008 Preserve America Historic Preservation Fund Grants to Preserve and Promote America's Heritage and Cultural Assets

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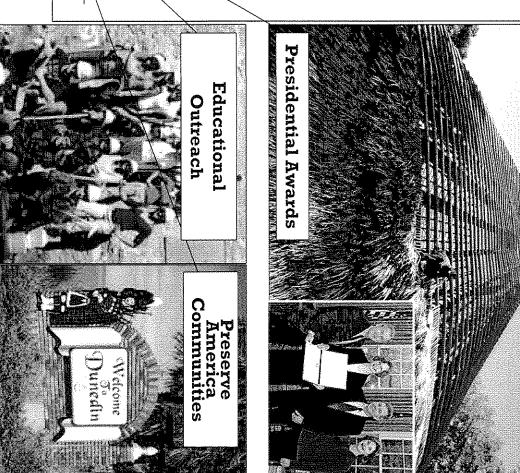
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Program Highlights Preserve America

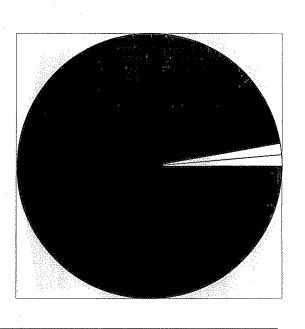


A Preserve America Community Will:

- Protect and celebrate their heritage
- development and community revitalization Use their historic assets for economic
- Encourage people to experience and education and heritage tourism programs appreciate local historic resources through

Preserve America Communities

Overall Economic Benefits of Historic Preservation in Florida

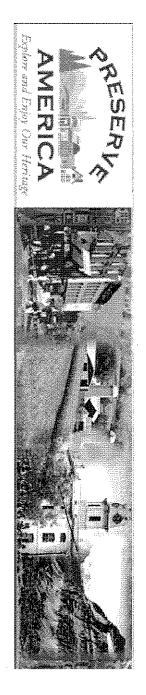


- Heritage Tourism \$3.721B
- Historic Rehabilitation \$350M
- □ Net HistoricalMuseum Operations\$58M□ Net Main StreetProgram Activity

Source: Economic Impacts of Historic Preservation in Florida, 2007.

Benefits of Designation

- White House recognition
- Certificate of recognition
- Enhanced community visibility and pride
- Eligibility to apply for matching grants
- A Preserve America road sign
- Huthority to use the Preserve America logo
- offices and visitor bureaus National and regional press releases and notification to state tourism
- Listing in a web-based Preserve Hmerica Community directory



Designation Criteria

- Community support of historic/cultural preservation project or heritage tourism program
- **Adoption of Resolution**

Sample Resolution to Accompany Application for Preserve America Community Designation WHEREAS, Preserve America is a White House initiative

developed in cooperation with the Advisory Council on Historic

Preservation, the U.S. Department of the Interior, and the U.S. Department of Commerce; and WHEREAS, the goals of this initiative include a greater shared knowledge about our Nation's past, strengthened regional

knowledge about our Nation's past, strengthened regional identities and local pride, increased local participation in preserving the country's irreplaceable cultural and natural heritage assets, and support for the economic vitality of communities; and WHEREAS, this initiative is compatible with our community's interests and goals related to historic preservation; and WHEREAS, designation as a *Preserve America* Community will improve our community's ability to protect and promote its historical resources; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the [City/County governing body] will apply for the designation of [City/County] as a *Preserve America*Community; and be it further

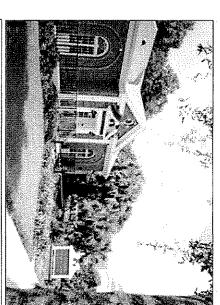
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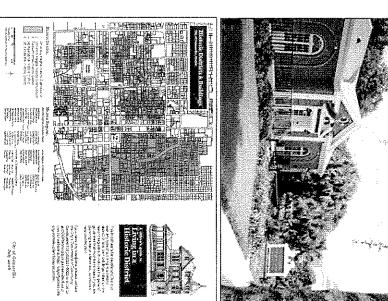
Designation Criteria

Five remaining criteria from Categories:

- Discovering Heritage through historic
- Historic resource inventory*
- Community supported museum* Designated volunteer program
- Heritage components of school curriculum*
- Protecting historic resources
- Preservation commission*
- Preservation plan
- Preservation ordinance
- Promoting historic assets Heritage tourism program*
- Heritage event
- Historic Preservation Awards program

*recommended criteria for Gainesville





Communities in Florida Preserve America

- St. Augustine
- Key West
- **Coral Gables**
- St. Petersburg
 Fort Myers
- Dunedin Sanford
- Y P P
- Kissimmee
- **Daytona Beach**







