

## America 250 | CT Commission Affiliate Meeting Wednesday, July 9, 2025 at 3:30 p.m. via Zoom Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions

5 minutes

2. Commission Updates

10 minutes

- a. Next Commission Meeting: 7/16/25, 10:00 a.m. at Manchester History Center
- b. Affiliate Spotlight Form
- c. Submit 250th Events
- d. Spread the Word
- e. National Updates
- 3. Breakouts by County

30 minutes

- a. What's the greatest need your organization is facing with regard to 250th planning?
- b. How can the state commission best serve organizations such as your own?
- c. What do you think your audience(s) is looking for in 250th programming?
- d. What is your current audience? Are you looking to use the 250th to expand your reach?
- e. Are the commission's themes aligned with the work your organization is doing, and how can we help draw the connections for you/your audience?
- f. Have you made use of the Commission's/AASLH's resources? If yes, what have you found most helpful? If no, why not? What resources are you still in need of?
- g. What plans are you currently working on? Are there any projects which you feel would benefit from collaboration with other organizations?
- 4. Report Out 10 minutes
  - a. Share the top 1-2 topics discussed by your group
- 5. Other Business 5 minutes

## Helpful Links

Affiliate Resource Page
Facebook Group for CT Organizers
250th Planning Workshop
AASLH 250th Planning Handbook