

AMERICA 250

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America 250 | CT Commission

Affiliate Meeting

Wednesday, January 28 at 12:00 p.m. via Zoom

Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions	5 minutes
2. Commission Updates & Reminders	20 minutes
a. Annual Report - 2025	
b. Regional Gatherings for planners	
i. March 3-12	
ii. April 13	
c. Local History Project	
d. Other participation opportunities	
e. Newsroom	
f. National Updates	
i. Federal grants survey	
ii. Connecticut's relationship with national	
iii. Sublicensing Information and Agreement	
g. Affiliate Spotlight Form	
h. Submit 250th Events	
i. Spread the Word	
3. Breakouts by Interest	20 minutes
a. Youth Programming & Engagement	
b. Large-scale Event/Festival Planning	
c. Connecting "Regular" Programming to the Themes	
d. Marketing	
4. Report Out	10 minutes
a. Share the top 1-2 topics discussed by your group	
5. Other Business	5 minutes

Helpful Links

Event Calendar

- [Event Calendar](#)
- Event Bulk Submission (For affiliates & municipalities only): [Google Sheets](#) or [Excel](#)
- [Commission Events](#) (now includes national initiatives)

Commission's Network

- [Affiliate Resource Page](#)
- [Private Facebook group](#) for planners (municipal & affiliate)
- [Local Commission Listing](#)

Funding Resources

- [Federal Grants](#)
- [CT Humanities Grants](#)
- [Funding Resources](#)

Planning Resources

- AASLH [Field Guide](#) and [Programming Guide](#)
- [Recording from Planning Workshop](#)
- [2025 Conference Recordings](#)
- [Classifieds Board](#) - to share/find services for your programming
- [Media Checklist](#)

Education Resources

- Educator [Curriculum](#)
- [Local History Project](#)
- [Flyer](#) for education resources