

#### TOWN OF LEVERETT

## **COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE**

(Short Form)

# Project Application for Community Preservation Funding (For \$25,000 and Under Only)

Project Name: Field Memorial Building Exterior Rehabilitation
Project Location/Address: 1 Shotesbury Road
Applicant/Project Sponsor or Organization: Lowerett Salocthoand
Address: a Mantague Road
City: Loverett State: MA Zip: 01054
CPA Category/Purpose: (Please check all that apply)  Open Space Community Housing Historic Preservation Recreation
Project Budget:  Amount of CPA Funds Requested: \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
Please check which of the following is included with this application:  One Paragraph Project Description*  Detailed Project Budget*  Timeline/Project Schedule*  Photographs  *Required Documentation
Contact Person/Authorized Representative for this Project:
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City: laure H State: MA Zip: 0054
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Phone: <u>508-733-3220</u> , <u>413-548-9699</u> Signature of Applicant: 17 Charles Date: 10 / 1/23

#### 2023 CPC Application Project Description Field Memorial Building Exterior Rehabilitation

#### **Project Description:**

This project is designed to rehabilitate the exterior (building envelope) of the Bradford M. Field Memorial Building. The included photographs depict the condition of the exterior walls with two side walls in greatest need of sealing. The resulting protected exterior surface, that would be achieved through painting and caulking, prevents water from penetrating the clapboard siding and compromising the building components. The funds requested would be used to retain an architectural historian to oversee the work that will involve extensive prep work, potential remediation work and application of a waterborne bonding primer and a finish coat. Some degree of chalking may also be necessary. Vapor-barrier paints provide an effective moisture barrier.

The Bradford M. Field Memorial Building, located at 1 Shutesbury Road, was given to the Town of Leverett for a Library by Elizabeth Judson Field in 1916, in memory of her father, Bradford M. Field, who was the Leverett Center postmaster from 1863 to 1913. This town library replaced libraries that had been kept in private homes since 1891. Historic artifacts from the Field family and other Leverett families have been housed in the building for many years, including paper memorabilia and books on the second floor, and tools and larger items are housed in the basement. This building served as the public library for the town until 2003 when the current Leverett Library was built on Montague Road. The historic significance of the Field Memorial Building was highlighted in 2008, when it was named as a "contributing building" in the Town's successful application to place the Leverett Center Historic District on the National Register of Historic Places.

Currently, a Committee has been formed to determine the future of the building. That Committee is utilizing the \$30,000 appropriated at the April 2022 Annual Town meeting to formally survey the building's land and to complete a septic and well feasibility study for the building and site. Additional research into the building and site are planned with the reminder of those funds.

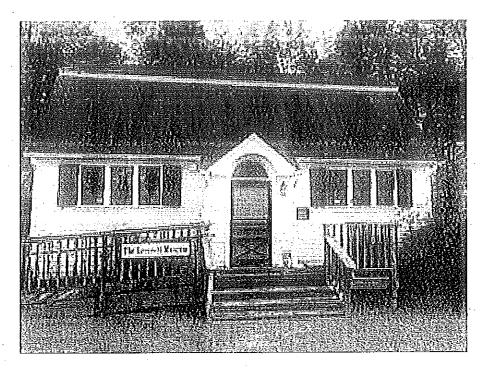
#### Budget:

The budget requested is \$25,000 or less depending on estimates received. Unfortunately, a more specific project budget was not available at the time of submittal. Project proponents have reached out to local craftsmen Dave Noonan, Steve Striebel, Charles Abbott, and Matt Abbott for proposals and will share estimates with the CPC when received. The project is planned to engage the services of an architectural historian or equivalent preservationist to oversee the rehabilitation work. As soon as the more specific estimates are available, they will be submitted to the CPC and the requested amount adjusted accordingly.

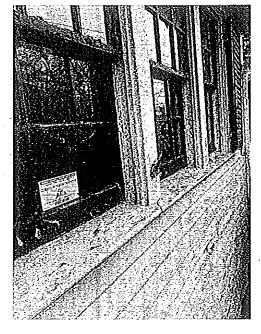
#### <u>Timeline:</u>

The preferred time of year to complete this work is as soon as possible in 2024 so that the building looks better for the 2024 250-Anniversary year of the Town of Leverett. With town meeting in April, work would begin in May 2024 and hopefully be complete in June 2024.

#### Photos:



Front - North Side

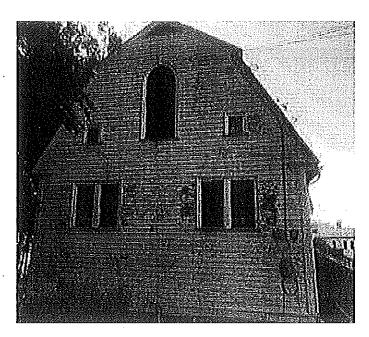


Front detail

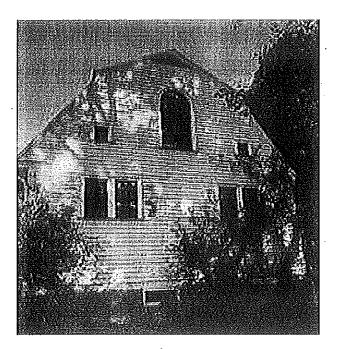


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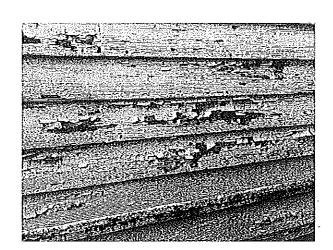
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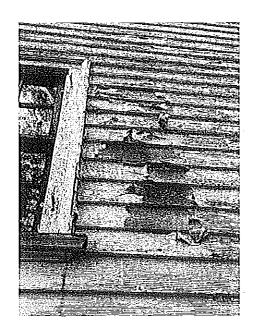
East Side



West Side

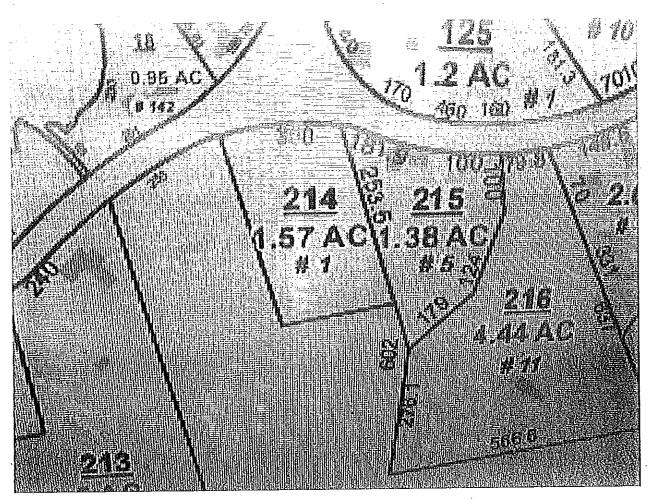


West side details





Back - South Side



Assessors Map - Field Building is on Parcel 214

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Dear Danielle and the CPC Committee,

As Chairperson of the 250th Anniversary Committee, I wish to express my strong support for the Leverett Selectboard's proposal to prep and paint the outside of the Bradford Field Memorial Building. I know my fellow committee members would support this as well since working on the Field Building was on our initial list of ideas. The painting would be completed in time for the 250th Anniversary. It would be great to have the Field Building looking good again since it is located in the center of town and will be open the day of the birthday party so residents can tour the museum.

Best Regards,

Maureen Ippolito, Chair

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250th Anniversary Committee

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### Work Estimate

November 16, 2023

The Leverett Family Museum - Leverett Historical Society Town of Leverett 1 Shutesbury Rd. Leverett, MA 01054

Thank you for the opportunity to provide a quote for the exterior painting work at the Leverett Family Museum. If you find this quote to be agreeable, we will work together to complete this job accordingly.

#### Quote includes:

- o All labor and materials recommendation is Benjamin Moore products
  - Labor to be in accordance with MA prevailing wage laws
- o All appropriate preparations included but not limited to:
  - Pressure washing where necessary
  - Scraping and sanding of all loose paint material
  - Securing of loose boards/siding
  - Caulking/filling wherever needed
- o Full priming of all surfaces
- o Two coat of finish paint on all areas.
- o All necessary cleanup including disposal of lead paint material
- o \*All change orders and carpentry \$130/hr + material, requires owner approval
- Labor \$19,000
- Paint/Materials \$2,500
- Quote Total \$21,500
- Option Preparing, glazing, painting of all black windows \$8,000

Cameron Painting, Inc. 22 Whippletree Lane Amherst, MA. 01002

Name/Address		- <del></del>	
Hankinson, Tom			 
Bradfield Library			
75 Montague rd.			
Leverett, MA. 0105	4		
Steve: 413 548-906	i4		

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item	Description	Quantity	Cöst	Total
i	Power wash exterior of Library and collect paint			0.00
	chips with burlap style netting		1	•
l	Scrape loose paint, sand to reduce edges			0.00
	Prime (white) body and trim (oil base primer)		. ]	0.00
•	Apply (2) coats of Ben Moore Ultra (white) to body			0.00
	and trim			
	-Also Included: caulk as needed and nall loose			0.00
	wood			
	Doors & Shutters: scrape, prime and paint both			0.00
	sides (2) finish coats			
	Total for above: \$26,400		26,400.00	26,400.00
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	<ul> <li>Windows: scrape, sand, spot-prime bare, re-glaze.</li> </ul>	<del></del>	10,320:00	10,820:00
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	Front Deck/Ralls: wash, sand, apply 2 coats stain	<del></del>	1,850,00	
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