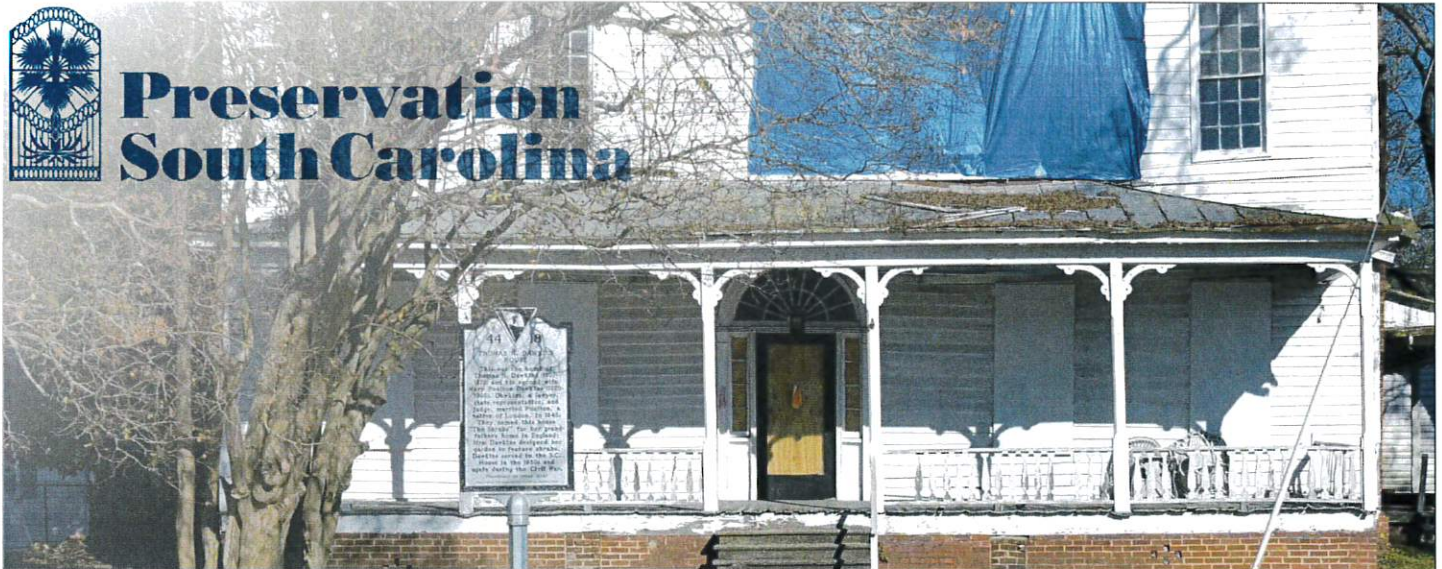




Preservation South Carolina



Dawkins House, Union

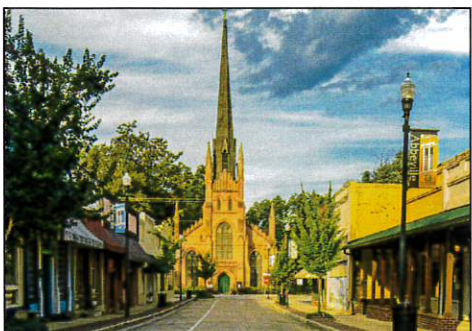
We are working with town leadership to re-purpose this historic building that is within the downtown community.



Statewide Preservation Awards



40+ Statewide Preservation Easements



Sacred Spaces Program

ABOUT US

We are South Carolina's only statewide, nonprofit organization dedicated to historic preservation. For over 30 years we have helped preserve a wide variety of our state's historic landmarks. Most states, including all of the original thirteen colonies, have an organization, like ours, that provides services and leadership.

SELF FUNDED SINCE INCEPTION

Unlike our peers in Georgia, North Carolina, and Virginia, each of which formed before our country's bicentennial, we have never received direct state funding. Since 1990, we have self-funded, mostly through the profitable acquisition and disposition of historic homes. With a history is second to none, it is time to properly capitalize the state's only nonprofit preservation organization.

OUR STATEWIDE SERVICES

An impressive number of our state's smaller cities are experiencing or hopeful of economic rebounds. Today, we are working with city leaders in Union, Edgefield, and Winnsboro on how to repurpose their historic assets to assist with **economic development**.

Too many of our state's historic churches are at risk of demolition. Our **Sacred Spaces program** helped preserve Trinity Abbeville, Mt. Carmel Presbyterian, and Good Hope Baptist (Eastover). Today, we are working on the creation of a South Carolina Sacred Corridor with three churches in rural Berkeley County.

From Penn Center (St. Helena / Beaufort) to Dacusville (Pickens County), we maintain **preservation easements** on over 40 historic properties.

Our organization organizes and leads the **Statewide Preservation Awards**, hosted by Governor / Mrs. McMaster.

Our projects support our South Carolina's major tourism initiatives, including **African American** heritage sites in Edgefield and Berkeley Counties, and Liberty Trail / Revolutionary War landmarks.