2013 by the numbers

PHMC

receives less than 1/10 of 1% of the state budget to support services, programs and 209 employees

People



110,000
visitors welcomed to the Pennsylvania Civil War 150 Roadshow

3,346 on-site patrons utilize the Pennsylvania State Archives

1,750
Visitors attended Pennsylvania Anthracite Heritage Museum's annual Arts on Fire event

1,400
visitors enjoyed the Daniel Boone Homestead's activities and craft demonstrations on Charter Day 2013



52
Schools and events visited by MEET-U (Mobile Energy Education Training Unit), Drake Well's educational outreach program. 23,101 people were educated, including 6,878 children

200
Individuals attend a talk at The State Museum given by historian Harold "Hal" Holzer to mark the 150th anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation

Projects



$8.75 million
commonwealth capital project opens a new 10,000-square foot state-of-the-art petroleum exhibit at Drake Well Museum

$4.6 million
expanded visitor opened at Washington Crossing Historic Park, along with $900,000 renovation of waste water treatment plant and receives $7.2 million capital release for repairs

$300,000
generated in Great Lakes port income, attracts 30,000 visitors and enlists 88 trainees and 2,700 day-sail students at Flagship *Niagara*

$135,000
in Keystone Fund grants help support $2.8 million preservation of the Pearl S. Buck House

$250,000
in upgrades to the Planetarium at The State Museum. Enjoy a show with the new digital projector that is four times brighter and houses an integrated sound system and advanced system controls



9,000
objects documented in The State Museum's comprehensive inventory of the fine arts collection

Preservation



7,000,000
death certificates at the Pennsylvania State Archives are being digitized and made available to researchers through a project with Ancestry.com

45,000
original Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission original field drawings processed by the State Archives

more than 24,916
cubic feet of state records accessioned by the State Records Center, while responding to 16,909 requests from state agencies

12,000
year-old wooly mammoth skeleton - which is nearly 80% complete - returns to The State Musem of Pennsylvania after conservation by the University of Michigan



570
historic preservation projects supported by the Keystone Recreation, Park and Conservation Fund since its implementation in 1993