

## SHAKER HERITAGE SOCIETY

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Johanna Batman Executive Director January 5, 2023

Honorable Andrew Joyce, Chairman Albany County Legislature 112 State Street, Room 710 Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce,

Shaker Heritage Society requests legislative authorization to apply for a National Endowment for the Humanities Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections Grant in the amount of \$100,000, due January 12, 2023.

Funds from this grant will be applied towards the cost of adding an energy recovery ventilator unit to the HVAC system in the 1848 Meeting House, and adding blown-in cellulose insulation between the Meeting Hall and the second floor attic space. Grant opportunity details, construction documents, and equipment specifications are enclosed for your review.

Many thanks for your consideration and support, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any question.

Sincerely,

Johanna Batman Executive Director Shaker Heritage Society

Cc: Hon. Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader Hon. Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel