



Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership



2013 CVNHP Local Implementation Grant

The Wonders of Fly Fishing

Project Summary

A 2013 CVNHP Implementation Grant funded the installation of The Wonders of Fly Fishing exhibition, which outlines the history of American fly fishing through the interpretation of the finest artifacts in the American Museum of Fly Fishing’s extensive collection. Additionally, it reinforces a strong sense of local community traditions by highlighting cultural and leisure practices throughout history to develop better awareness of the sport of fly fishing, from its early European days to its current and growing prominence in the United States.

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The new exhibit interprets the history of fly fishing.

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Non-federal Match:	\$5,000.00
Total Amount:	\$10,000.00

The project supports the following action(s) and task(s) of the Cultural Heritage and Recreation chapter of *Opportunities for Action*:

Action 9.8: Support a public information program that emphasizes recreational ethics, public safety, sustainable use, and stewardship of cultural and natural resources.

Task 9.8.1: Supports efforts to educate residents and visitors on hunting, fishing and trapping heritage of the region.

Action 9.10: Support the use of interpretive themes to link resources with the Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership.

Task 9.10.4: Support initiatives that highlight the relationships among stakeholder sites and programs through interpretation, while maintaining the individual character of those sites.

Action 9.12: Produce coordinated education programs for students.

Task 9.12.6: Provide opportunities for teachers and students to participate in CVNHP-related field trips and restoration projects.