

CPA PROJECTS FUNDED BY THE TOWN OF SHELBURNE

Below is a list of projects funded using CPA money. For more information on the CPA, go to the informative website of the Community Preservation Coalition:

<https://www.communitypreservation.org/>

2025

Recreation/Open Space

- **\$100,000 to the Buckland-Shelburne Elementary School for Phase One of restoration of the school's playground** A community group, in collaboration with the school, sought funding to replace degraded and unsafe playground equipment.
- **\$1000 to the Recreation Committee for the installation of a community bulletin board at Conwell Gym** The town's Recreation Committee sought funding to install a bulletin board with a calendar of events and activities and information about what is happening at the town's recreation facilities.

Historical preservation

- **\$45,000 to the Arms Library for elevator installation** The historic Arms Library building needed an elevator to make all the spaces in the library accessible to people with mobility difficulties.
- **\$8,000 to the Hill Cemetery Commission for restoration work at the Hill Cemetery** The town sought money to make structural improvements at this historic town cemetery.

2026

Recreation/Open Space

- **\$85,000 for the required 5% matching funds for the Wheelview Farm Agricultural Preservation Restriction application** The Wheeler family, owners of Wheelview Farm, sought funds to fulfill the 5% match from towns required by the State to establish APR land. This would put over 200 acres into permanent protected farmland for the preservation of the town's rural character and for residents to use for recreation.
- **\$45,000 to the Buckland-Shelburne Elementary School for Phase two of the playground restoration**

Historical Preservation

- **\$30,000 to the town to fund an engineering study of the historic stone fire tower on Patten Hill** The town maintains an historic stone fire tower that is in need of maintenance and repair. The fire chief requested funding for an engineer to evaluate the scope and type of necessary renovations.
- **\$15,000 to the Arms Library for additional work on the elevator installation**

