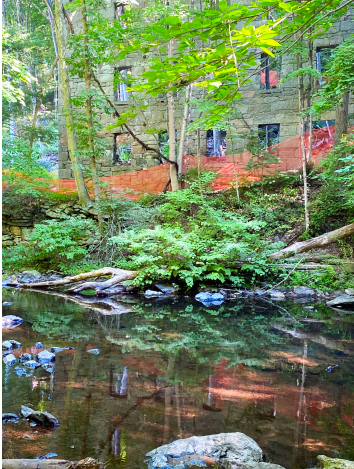


Preserving the Cotton Hollow Mill Wall

“. . . an iconic link to Glastonbury's History”

Dr. Brian Chiffer, past President Historical Society of Glastonbury



Not only an area of natural beauty and open space, Cotton Hollow has a rich history of manufacturing with significance for Glastonbury and beyond. Towering above the waters are the remains of the five story Cotton Hollow Mill. The wall harkens back more than 200 years when the Hollow was a key manufacturing center in Connecticut - - flour and corn grinding; gunpowder; saw mills for ships, homes and barrels; forges for two-ton anchors; mills to process cotton and in the 1920's, paper.

A partnership of the Land Heritage Coalition, Cotton Hollow Mill Coalition, Historical Society of Glastonbury and the Town of Glastonbury is working to preserve and protect the mill wall so that it remains as a beautiful inspiration.

Why the Wall Preservation is Important?

The mill wall has captivated generations and as stewards of history we have a duty to act. Protecting the Mill (1) preserves Glastonbury's and indirectly the nation's manufacturing history (2) enhances the natural beauty for recreation and (3) preserves Glastonbury's special qualities.

What Is Our \$ Target and How To Make Donations?

Our target is **\$125,000**. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated! Donations in tiers of (1) \$25,000 (2) \$10,000 (3) \$5,000 (4) \$2,500 and (5) \$1,000 will receive special acknowledgments. For more information, contact us below.

Donations may be made online (go to savecottonhollowmill.org and then click on "Donate") or by check payable to "Land Heritage Coalition" (mail to: The Cotton Hollow Mill Preservation Fund, c/o The Land Heritage Coalition, 136 Tall Timbers Road, Glastonbury, CT 06033).

How Will Your Donation Be Used?

All donations will be used solely for mill wall preservation efforts and informational signs about the rich industrial history of the Roaring Brook and Cotton Hollow. Any excess funds will be invested in other enhancements to the Cotton Hollow preserve.

Is the donation tax deductible?

The Land Heritage Coalition is a registered 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Charitable gifts made to most nonprofit organizations that are officially recognized by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as having 501(c) (3) status are considered to be tax deductible contributions. Consult your tax professional about your personal tax situation.

How to Contact Us?

We welcome an opportunity to further discuss this project with you. To do so, please email Chuck Jefferis at chuck.jefferis@gmail.com.