



The Connecticut Freedom Trail

documents and designates sites that celebrate the struggle for justice and equality that continues in the 21st century. Sites depict the efforts, in all their forms, of the state's African American community and all the communities that championed the goals of universal freedom and human dignity.

Application for Listing the Connecticut Freedom Trail

The following is a list of **CRITERIA** that the Selection Committee has developed. Keep these points in mind as you answer the questions in the application.

1. How the site represents one of more of the eligible categories: Amistad; Civil Rights; Concepts of Freedom; Underground Railroad;
2. If the site is the location of a "First," or how it provided opportunities for others that followed;
3. How the site is centered around Connecticut African-American history/events; and
4. If sufficient time has passed to be able to evaluate the site within the context of history (ideally at least 50 years, but there may be some sites of importance that are less than 50 years old).

Contact information of the individual or organization presenting application (please note this entity will be considered the Site Ambassador if listed):

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Site Information:

Type of site (check at least one):

- Amistad
- Civil Rights
- Concepts of Freedom
- Underground Railroad

Name of site (if applicable):

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Longitude and Latitude of building or site to be included on the Connecticut Freedom Trail for future GPS mapping: _____

Property Owner:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

General information:

Present use of property: _____

Age of property: _____

Open to Public: __Yes __No

Visible from the Public Road: __Yes __No

Historic Designations:

Is the project site recognized for its architectural/cultural/historical significance by any of the following designation programs? (Check all that apply.) Visit connctis.ct.gov to determine if the property has a designation.

	Yes	No
National Historic Landmark	[]	[]
National Register of Historic Places	[]	[]
Individually listed	[]	[]
Contributing to a District District Name: _____	[]	[]
State Register of Historic Places	[]	[]
Individually listed	[]	[]
Contributing to a District District Name: _____	[]	[]
Historic American Buildings Survey (HABS)	[]	[]
Historic American Engineering Record (HAER)	[]	[]
Other: (specify) _____	[]	[]

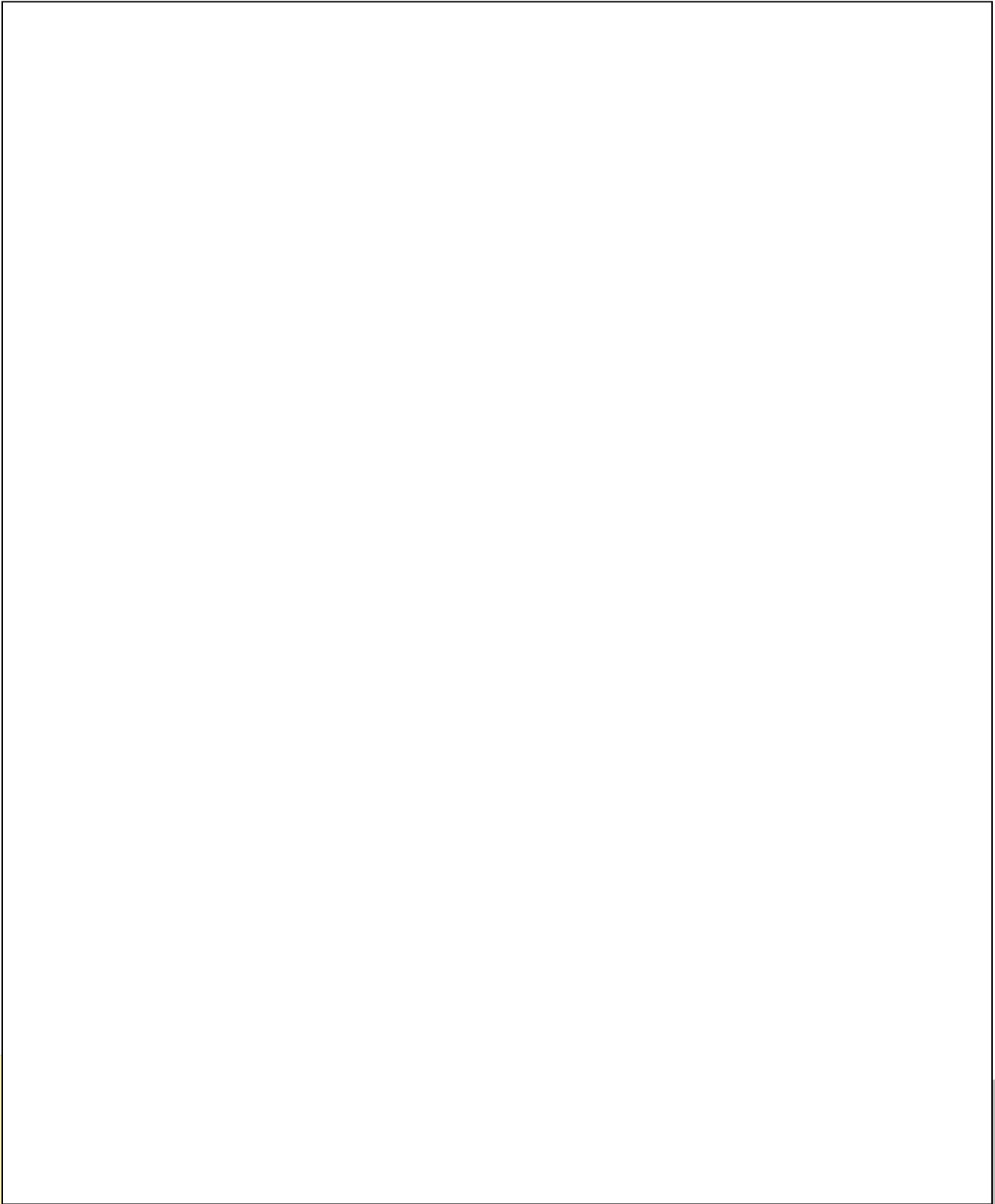
Is there any additional historic information that the Committee should be aware of that is not covered under “Historic Designations”? If so, please enter it in the box below.

Please describe the site and how it represents one or more of the categories for inclusion. Include any relevant sources and documentation in the bibliography. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date of Submission: _____

Bibliography and/or Other Reference Information:



Photographs:

Color photographs and a site map are a requirement and should be included below. The photographs should include: a CONTEXT image (depicting the location of the site, such as, an aerial view, streetscape, neighborhood or city map); front, back, and side views of the main structures, pertinent interior views, and any other views or details that are important to explaining the nature of the nomination.

