

FORD FAESCH HOUSE

ROCKAWAY, MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY



The Ford Faesch House, in Rockaway Township, NJ was constructed by Colonel Jacob Ford, Jr. around 1772 and is an excellent example of Georgian architecture in a rural setting. The house is significant for its association with ironmaster John Jacob Faesch who leased the residence in 1772 and had extensive iron ore holdings, charcoal-producing woodlands, and waterpower-driven furnaces and forges in the Morris County region.



- Services: Historic Structure Report Update, Contracts Documents, Pre-Qualifications, Bidding and Contract Administration for four phases of construction.
- Construction: Exterior restoration to reflect its original late-eighteenth century appearance including restoration of the west wing that had been removed.
- Total Grant Funding: \$1.2 Million (Morris County Grants and New Jersey Historic Trust)
- Total Project Costs: \$1.4 Million