NATHANIEL DRAKE HOUSE

PLAINFIELD, UNION COUNTY, NEW JERSEY





The Nathanial Drake House was constructed in 1746 for Nathaniel Drake and his wife, and remained in the Drake family until 1864 when it was expanded by John S. Harberger. Since 1921 the house has served as the headquarters of the Plainfield Historical Society and provides space for permanent exhibits, interpreted rooms, general exhibitions, offices, and support space. The Nathaniel Drake House is reflective of the evolution of Plainfield from its early colonial settlement to a modern suburb.



Plainfield Historical Society

- Services: Historic Preservation Plan, Design Contract Document Preparation, Pre-Qualification, Bidding and Contract Administration.
- Construction: Multi-phase Restoration including Exterior Restoration construction of an accessible entrance ramp, structural upgrades, and HVAC upgrades.
- Total Project Grants: \$477,878 (New Jersey Historic Trust & Union County Historic Preservation Trust Fund)
- Total Project Costs: \$785,000

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