



Founded in 1999, the Philadelphia Archaeological Forum (PAF) is dedicated to the protection and preservation of archaeological resources in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania region.

PAF aims to further awareness of Philadelphia's rich archaeological heritage through educational programs and activities that reach beyond the archaeology community.

PAF advises agencies and the general public on matters relating to the archaeology of Philadelphia, encourages communication among professional archaeologists working in the area, and supports the publication of information relating to the archaeology of the city.

Open to all, PAF membership includes, among others, avocational archaeologists, architects, historians, journalists, school teachers, college students, community organizers, tour guides, university researchers, private sector archaeologists, retired persons, preservation specialists, and museum professionals.

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PAF Actions and Activities

- ◆ **Dedicated *Consulting Party* on multiple city, state, and federal development projects, regularly assisting allied concerns such as the Philadelphia Preservation Alliance and other local and special interest groups (e.g., Philadelphia Neighborhood Alliance, Delaware River Keeper).**

- ◆ **Co-sponsor of several scholarly publications.**

- ◆ **Co-sponsor of the new, full-length, documentary film**

*In The Shadow of Liberty:
The Search of for James Oronoko Dexter*

- ◆ **Co-sponsor of 'Discover Philadelphia's Hidden Past', Philadelphia's annual, day-long contribution to Pennsylvania Archaeology Month. Co-Sponsor of the 2005 Pennsylvania Archaeology Month poster.**

- ◆ **Monthly meetings to plan activities and share current research. An 81-member email listserve.**

- ◆ **Web Page central for Philadelphia archaeology-- Gray literature (1970-2010), events, online exhibits and publications, local news coverage and more.**

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