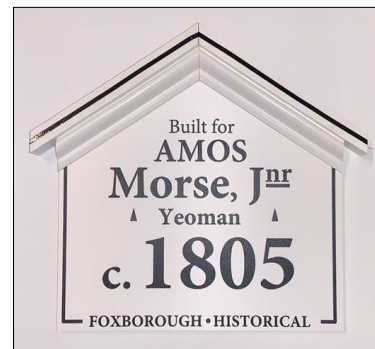


# Historic House Plaque Program

The **Foxborough Historical Commission** is offering the homeowners of Foxborough a way to acquire a history of their home. An HISTORIC HOUSE PLAQUE will be created to promote pride in our neighborhoods, and to renew interest in old, historic Foxborough properties. **This program imposes no restrictions on the homeowner.** (Research is provided gratis.)



## Specifications:

Dimensions: Approx. 12" wide x 12" high  
Materials: 1/2" AZEK material with picture molding frame representing roof peak  
Hardware: (2) Holes are pre-drilled and (2) 2-inch coated screws are provided  
Color: Waterproof white PVC background with black fade-resistant lettering  
Research: Documentation of age of home required and certified by the Foxborough Historical Commission

Please enclose check for **\$70.00** (cost of plaque) payable to ***Foxborough Historical Commission Gift Fund.***

Mail to: Historic House Plaque Program  
Foxborough Historical Commission  
40 South Street  
Foxborough, MA 02035

- - - - - **Complete this middle portion and return the remainder of the form (with your check)** - - - - -

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Owner if Different \_\_\_\_\_

Address \* \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date Purchased and from Whom \_\_\_\_\_

Helpful Information about the Structure (append copies if necessary) \_\_\_\_\_

## Our research will result in the following information being placed on the plaque \*\*

Line 1: Built for, Built by, or Home of \_\_\_\_\_

Line 2: Name of Original Owner(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Line 3: Occupation of Original Owner (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Line 4: Date of Construction \_\_\_\_\_

*To be indicated at bottom of each plaque as acknowledgement and proof of research:*

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\*\* Note: the above information to be displayed on the plaque is not restricted to the above format.  
Contact a Foxborough Historical Commission member for other suggestions.

*\*Personal delivery will be made directly to the homeowner unless otherwise requested. Installation is suggested at street side of home. Revised April 2022*

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7	Baker Street	Edward B. Williams	Straw Mfg. Supervisor	1889
8	Baker Street	Dr. Lemuel Dickerman	Physician	1860
12	Baker Street	Captain Ezra Pickens	Sea Captain	1856
13	Baker Street	Willard P. Turner	Tailor	1835
14	Baker Street	Irving W. Lane	Merchant	1892
15	Baker Street	Ebenezer W. Allen	Straw Worker	1854
17	Baker Street	Built for Joseph H. Alden	Printer & Publisher	1890
18	Baker Street	Henry T. Comey	Bonnet Bleacher	1852
22	Baker Street	Built for Amos R. Aldrich	Bonnet Packer	1851
23	Baker Street	Built by Harrie Quimby	Builder	1915
25	Baker Street	Joel Maddocks	Bonnet Presser	1865
26	Baker Street	Built for Moses A. Richardson	Bonnet Presser	1852
27	Baker Street	Capt. Henry C. Lindley	Civil War Soldier	1865
29	Baker Street	Built for George S. Wheeler	Bonnet Presser	1872
32	Baker Street	Donald H. Pike	Engineer	1920
33	Baker Street	Built for Salmon Turner, Jr.	Forty-Niner' & Cranberry Grower	1855
35	Baker Street	Built for Joseph Wilson	Bonnet Presser	1861
36	Baker Street	Built for Edmund Boyden	Box Maker	1862
38	Baker Street	Home of Hattie and Harrie Quimby	Built by Harrie "one-nail" Quimby	1910
45	Baker Street	Built by Edwin B. Truax	Carpenter	1914
47	Baker Street	Built by Edwin B. Truax	Carpenter	1913
62	Baker Street	Built for John G. Ashley	Farmer	1898
16	Baker Street	Built for Calvin Warren Lane	House Carpenter	1855
3	Bassett Street	John H. Pond	Florist	1895
5	Bassett Street	Built for D. Alfred Ouimet	Pharmacist	1913
9	Bassett Street	Home of William Clark	Straw Hatter	1866
144	Beach Street	Built for Warren Smith	Yeoman -- -- Part of the Isaac Royall Farm	c1815
5	Bentwood Street	Built for Herbert S. Mott	Hatter	1890
7	Bentwood Street	Home of the Drake - Howard Sisters	Straw Hatters	c1865
9	Bentwood Street	Home of Walter and Sarah Mott	Hatters	1888
11	Bentwood Street	Sumner F. Wilber	Merchant (Grocer)	1889
12	Bentwood Street	Built for George S. Turner	Schoolteacher	1894
16	Bird Street at Baker	Allen C. Doolittle	Straw Worker	1855
21	Carpenter Street	George Josselyn	Carpenter/Firefighter	1899
22	Carpenter Street	Built for Hosea B. Morse	Night Watchman	1888
24	Carpenter Street	Built for Harry L. Roundy	Railroad Clerk	1891
26	Carpenter Street	Built for Frank P. Ryan	Foundry Worker	1928
27	Carpenter Street	Joseph M. Ryan	Foundry Worker	1922
29	Carpenter Street	Built for L. Porter Faught	Manager, Union Straw Works	1872
68	Carpenter Street	Built as the Straw Braid Storehouse of H.D. Inman	remodeled as a dwelling 1894	1888
69	Carpenter Street	Built for Miss Mary Elizabeth Murphy	Hatter	1894
75	Carpenter Street	Built for Capt. William H. Torrey	Civil War Veteran / Selectman	1889
79	Carpenter Street	Built for Richard M. Kimball	Treasurer - Kimball Hat Co.	1925
16	Centennial Street	Home of Charles G. Hodges	Furniture Salesman & Selectman	1907
20	Centennial Street	Built for George M. Barron	Newspaper Editor	1911
44	Central Street	Built for Wilber Brothers	Grocers	1889
69	Central Street	Built for Jane Winslow	Single Woman - Designed by E.P. Carpenter	1846
80	Central Street	Home of Miss Lizzie Gray	Schoolteacher	1843
81	Central Street	Built for Benjamin F. Thompson	Bonnet Bleacher	1856
83	Central Street	Built for Rev. Dr. Isaac Smith	Clergyman & Physician	1856
84	Central Street	Built for Charles Fisher	Hat Maker	1845
86	Central Street	Rebuilt for Albert A. Wilmarth	Shoemaker / Fireman	1852
88	Central Street	Built for Charles Capen	Straw Presser	1844
96	Central Street	Built for James N. Hedges	Machinist	1895
99	Central Street	Built for David Edson Capen	Bonnet Presser	1846
101	Central Street	Built for Isaac P. Carpenter	Postmaster	c1865
101	Central Street	Kerr - Carpenter - Haigis House		1824
111	Central Street	Built for Margie E. Lovejoy	Homemaker	1925
115	Central Street	Built for Thomas H. Booth	Billiard Hall Proprietor	1897
286	Central Street	Built for O. Wetherell	Bonnet Presser & Farmer	1841
40	Chestnut Street	Built by George W. Scott	House Carpenter	1909
181	Chestnut Street	Built for Claude D. Young	Founder, The Foxborough Country Club	1940
184	Chestnut Street	Built for Addison Pettee	Farmer	1856
5	Clark Street	Built for Seth Herbert Maker	House Carpenter	1889
13	Clark Street	Built for Elizabeth and Mary Ann Clark	Straw Hatters	1912
36	Cocasset Street	Jacob Leonard	Blacksmith	c1770
41	Cocasset Street	Built for Seth Sherman	Wheelwright	1847
46	Cocasset Street	Built for Fred Alden Lovejoy	Watchmaker	1895
75	Cocasset Street	Calvin Sumner	Bonnet Presser / Grocer	1821
153	Cocasset Street	Built for Edwin & Abigail Sumner	Farmers	1856
247	Cocasset Street	Built for William H. Leonard	Fish & Game Warden	1898
256	Cocasset Street	Built for James D. McAvoy,	Mill Owner	c1870
298	Cocasset Street	Jeremiah Fairbanks	Trader / Farmer	1856
310	Cocasset Street	Built for A.R. Wentworth		1923
10	Cocasset Street Barn	Built for the Livery Business of	Charlie Calvin Sumner	c1860
5	Comey Avenue	Built for Mrs. Christian Somerville	Widow	1900
9	Comey Avenue	Built for E. A. Hall	Salesman & Farmer	1896
20	Community Way	Built for David Wyman	Trader / Baker	1842
17	County Street	Built for Charles A. Belcher	Chocolate Refiner	1922

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50	East Street	Built for Daniel Hodges, Jr.	Corn Miller & Farmer	1829
184	East Street	Built for Sarah Kingsbury	mother of Joseph Kingsbury, Esq. - Grist Mill Owner	c1840
223	East Street	Built for E. Franklin Hinks	Clergyman	1860
6	Fales Place	The Robinson House	moved to this site 1875	c1770
11	Fales Place	Built for George C. Forrest	Bonnet Presser	1860
12	Fales Place	Built for Fales & Alden	Straw Goods Manufacturers	1847
17	Fales Place	Built for Alvan Fales	Blacksmith	1835
12	Garfield Street	Built for Albert Fisher, Jr. - Mason &	Walter H. Fisher - Straw Worker	1877
16	Garfield Street	Built for George M. Barron	Editor - The Foxboro Reporter	1889
19	Garfield Street	Built by William A. Stephens	Housewright	1859
20	Garfield Street	Home of Dea. Alson B. Robinson	Box Maker	1874
8	Gilmore Street	Home of Martin Merrick Torrey	Straw Hat Maker	1854
13	Gilmore Street	Built for Daniels Carpenter	Manufacturer	1876
23	Gilmore Street	Home of Esther Vodisa Sumner Healey	Daughter of John E. Sumner, Merchant	1846
25	Gilmore Street	Built for John E. and Henry H. Sumner	Straw Merchants	1846
15	Granite Street	Built for Warren B. Alden	Boot Maker	1853
17	Granite Street	Built for Josiah B. Young	Millwright	1888
27	Granite Street	Built as housing for	V.S. Pond Co. Hat Box Factory	1898
29	Granite Street	Built for Lydia Comey, Wife of Lyman F. Comey	Stone Mason	1856
31	Granite Street	Built by Patrick Brennan	Farmer	1847
40	Granite Street	Built for Solomon D. Sprague	Stationmaster	1911
48	Granite Street	Built for Margaret R. Bristol Carleton	and Russell F. Carleton	1936
52	Granite Street	Built by Simon Pettee, Jr.	Stone Cutter	1822
59	Granite Street	Built as the Cotton Mill of Simon Pettee, Jr.	Stone Cutter & Forgemaster	1834
60	Granite Street	Built for Mildred Watts-Nowlan	Stenographer	1928
61	Granite Street	Built for Daniel Roe	Pressman and Cranberry Grower	1890
62	Granite Street	Built for Joseph Roe	Straw Hat Blocker	1891
100	Granite Street	Dea. Ebenezer Forrist	Patriot	c1793
106	Granite Street	Built for Walter Young	Straw Braid Dyer	1897
107	Granite Street	Home of Emily Guild Baker and John V. Baker	Stone Cutter	1856
111	Granite Street	Built by Freedom Guild	Farmer	1818
5	Howard Avenue	The Bristol - Fuller House	Co-Founder/VP The Foxboro Company	1898
7	Howard Avenue	Built for Frank A. Wilber	Merchant - Grocer	1898
9	Howard Avenue	Built for William B. King	Bonnet Presser	1860
11	Howard Avenue	Newland Fales Howard	Bonnet Blockmaker	1860
12	Howard Avenue	Granville L. Thayer	Straw Hatter	1856
22	Lakeview Road	Built for John Dixon	Straw Goods Dyer & Bleacher	1854
32	Lakeview Road	Built as a barn c1840	Remodeled by Leo W. Brunell - Inventor and Pressman	1923-1926
6	Leonard Street	Built for Azel H. Drake	House Carpenter	1871
8	Leonard Street	Built for Elijah G. Tuttle	Straw Goods Merchant	1854
11	Leonard Street	Built for Abby Maria & Eben Shaw	n/a (both were straw workers)	1878
22	Leonard Street	Built for Elijah Mears, Jr.	Hat Presser	1856
30	Leonard Street	Home of George S. Leavitt	Straw Worker/Foreman Steam Fire Engine Co.	1856
33	Leonard Street	Home of James B. Anthony	Machinist	1857
34	Leonard Street	Built as the Shop of F.B. Kingman	Wood worker/Wheelwright	1897
40	Leonard Street	Built for Deacon Charles N. Morse	Hat Blocker	1856
42	Leonard Street	Home of William Day	Civil War Soldier	1856
1	Leonard Terrace	Built as the Shop of Joseph Watrous	Book Cover Manufacturer	1892
1	Main Street	Built for John, Milton and 'General' Henry Sumner	Straw Manufacturers	1825
25	Main Street	Keith-Bemis-Comey-Buckley	The Keith Bemis Comey Buckley House	1889
32	Main Street	Built for Charles H. Alden--Trader - 1845	Remodeled for Alfred L. Jackson-Stockbroker-1887-1890	1845
33	Main Street	Built for John Corey	Merchant & Manufacturer	1830
33	Main Street	Built for Elijah M. Paine	Mechanic - Moved from Central Street 1971	1835
35	Main Street	Built for William Hart	Straw Dealer	1851
48	Main Street	Built for Albert F. Pettee	Chorister	1873
87	Main Street	Susan Payson	(Unknown)	1857
114	Main Street	Built for Benjamin A. Gifford	Railroad Engineer	1913
177	Main Street	Built for Patrick Brennan	Laborer & Farmer	1852
180	Main Street	Built for Arthur & Leceta Landry	by Arthur J. Landry-Butcher & Edwin E. Truax-Carpenter	1932
12	Maple Avenue	Built for Emma and Charles L. Bixby	Straw Goods Manufacturer	1890
20	Market Street	Built for William Spofford	Shoemaker	1856
22	Market Street	Home of Abbie Dean	Straw Braider	1855
24	Mechanic Street	Built for Mary A. Tolman	Civil War Widow	1869
33	Mechanic Street	Built by William Leonard	Housewright	1844
41	Mechanic Street	Built by Major Charles F. Howard	Housewright/Civil War Officer/Poultry Farmer	1846
44	Mechanic Street	Wood-Sumner House	The .... House	c1760
47	Mechanic Street	Built by George W. Lake	Housewright	1845
49	Mechanic Street	Built for James G. Shaw	Baker	1897
108	Mechanic Street	Built for Louisa and Frank O. Nichols	Fruit & Poultry Farmers	1914
143	Mechanic Street	Built for John Welch	Engineer	c1890
7	Mill Street	Built by Foxboro Foundry	(worker housing)	c1840
93	Mill Street	Built for Jason Comee	Farmer	c1830
97	Mill Street	Built for Tryphena Daniels Comey	Widow	1854

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52	Morse Street	Built for Bruno Anctil	Iron Moulder	1902
71	Morse Street	Built for George F. Briggs	Railroad Towerman	1896
101	Morse Street	Built for Albert F. Jones	Railroad Towerman	1903
14	North High Street	Built for Daniel F. Gill	Laborer - Remodeled in 2001	1897
92	North Street	Built by David Morse	Farmer	c1800
129	North Street	The Everett Inn then Wayne's Croft	moved here and restored by R.J. and S.M. Ivatts 1982-1984	1784
154	North Street	Built as the Plimpton School House	Converted to a dwelling by Ivor Reuter, 1935	1889
169	North Street	Built for Sybil and Dean Bacon	Farmers	c1830
175	North Street	Built for R. J. 'Pete' Barton	Athlete & Foreman	1948
200	North Street	Built by Silas Smith	Farmer and Toll Keeper	c1830
66	Oak Street	Etheridge Clark	Yeoman	c1790
6	Orchard Place	Built as the stable of Squire Alfred Fales, Merchant	Moved & Converted to a dwelling c1907	c1840
6	Park Avenue	Built for Charles A. Smith	House Painter & Paperhanger	1892
7	Park Avenue	Built for Albert L. Newcomb	Straw Hatter	1911
6	Pettee Place	Built for David Pettee Jr.	Farmer	c1860
3	Pratt Street	Built for John E. Smith	Carpenter	1857
13	Rockhill Street	Built for Allen H. Messinger	Storekeeper	1873
14	Rockhill Street	Built for Sarah B. Tarbell	Boarding House Proprietress	1869
27	Rockhill Street	Built for Edward D. Lane	Bonnet Presser	1855
30	Rockhill Street	Built for Samuel H. Clapp	Fruit Dealer - Moved to this site 1928	c1865
17	Sand Street	Built for Thomas Boyden	Farmer	c1870
25	Sand Street	Built for Jason and Sena Boyden	on footprint of Amos Boyden 1783	1879
3	Shaw Place	Home of David Shaw	Bonnet Shaper	c1846
8	Shaw Place	Linus Carpenter	Bonnet Presser / Farmer	1829
10	Sherman Street	Built for Joseph Tabor	Blacksmith	1861
24	Sherman Street	Home of George S. Martin, for William T. Cook, Mfr.	Patternmaker	1869
28	Sherman Street	Home of Miss Fannie T. Wilson, for William T. Cook, Mfr.	Straw Sewer	1869
51	Sherman Street	Built for James J. Fitzpatrick	Carpenter	1912
83	South Grove Street	Built for Solomon Sherman	Farmer	1853
93	South Grove Street	Built for Judith Sherman Hodges		1851
130	South High Street	Built for Willard Grover	Farmer	c1820
31	South Street	Built for Edson Carpenter	Storekeeper - Turned onto this site 1910	1835
37	South Street	Built as American House	Town Offices, Post Office, Bank, Hotel, Home	1855
41	South Street	Built for Robert M. Dixon	Cabinet Maker & Upholsterer	1886-1888
43	South Street	Built as The Parsonage	for Baptist Clergyman Rev. Silas Ripley	1844
48	South Street	Lewis Maddocks	Mechanic	1852
50	South Street	Built for Charlotte W. Pettee	Hoteliere	1889
85	South Street	Built for Elias Nason, Esq.	Manufacturer / Selectman	c1800
92	South Street	Built for Benjamin Comee	Cordwainer - moved from Liberty St. 1895	1810
95	South Street	Built for Charles Fisher	Bonnet Presser	1844
97	South Street	Built by Ethan C. Thayer	Housewright	1851
102	South Street	Built for Sarah Carpenter Ames		1852
107	South Street	Built for Oren Belcher	Iron Moulder	1846
119	South Street	First occupied by Rudolphus and Hannah Fisher	Farmers	1845
128	South Street	Built for Edward F. Jones	Carpenter / Inventor	1857
163	South Street	Built for Capt. S.B. Coombs	Master Mariner	1889
168	South Street	Ezra Carpenter, Jr.	Yeoman	1824
180	South Street	Built for Charlotte McCormick and Family	Irish-born Homemaker	1869
203	South Street	Built for Edson W. Ford	Iron Moulder	1853
204	South Street	The Jones - Curry House	Built for Benjamin Jones - Yeoman	1821
241	South Street	Built as the Boarding House	for Foxborough Furnace	c1800
305	South Street	Built for William C. Winslow	Civil War Soldier & Bookkeeper	1873
310	South Street	Built as the Blacksmith Shop of Simmons Winslow	1853 - converted to a dwelling 1898	1853
472	South Street	The Shepard - Brown - Childs Homestead		c1800
6	Spring Street	Built as the "new" Paine Schoolhouse	Abijah Fales - Builder	1886
12	Spring Street	Elias B. Paine	Merchant	1851
96	Spring Street	Built by George E. Wilbur	Iron Moulder	c1870
13	Summer Place	Built for Romana C. Mayhew	Railroad Signalman	1885
95	Summer Street	Built by Roland L. Chamberlain	Carpenter	1890
14	Union Street	The Gray-Pettee House	both were store owners/merchants	1897
16	Union Street	Built for William S. Washburn	Bonnet Presser and "Forty-Niner"	1853
24	Union Street	Built for Preston A. White	Stone Cutter - High Rock Quarry Owner	1872
31	Union Street	Built as the Soap House of E.O. Nichols	Home of Joseph Hearn - 1890	1883
37	Union Street	Built as the barn of Thomas Rafferty, iron moulder	converted to a house 1896	1878
40	Union Street	Edmund A. Forrest	Straw Hatter	1867
12	Wall Street	The Great Bonnet Shop	Verandah House	1844
18	Wall Street	Built as Hamlet House	Boarding House & Sewing Hall	1845
24	Wall Street	Built for Thomas Fox	Cobbler	1910
6	Walnut Street	Built for Seth L. Hartshorn	Farmer & Stone Mason	1849
21	Walnut Street	Rebuilt for Harvey Ford	Blacksmith - on the footprint of a c1810 dwelling	c1850
12	West Leonard Street	Home of John Lynch	Straw Hatter	1898
13	West Leonard Street	Built by Fred A. Barnes	Building Contractor & Straw Hat Salesman	1910
14	West Leonard Street	Built for John F. Lynch	Electrician	1930
31	West Street	Built by Oliver Capen & David Manley	Blacksmiths and Mill Founders	c1805
36	West Street	The White's Farmhouse	Built for the Foxborough Cotton Mfg. Co.	c1825
45	West Street	Home of Miss Elsa A.J. Reed	Nurse	c1836
63	West Street	Built by Francois Daniels of Normandy France	Settler / Farmer	1759
75	Willow Street	Home of Capt. Fred B. Lowry	Sea Captain	1882
16	Winter Street	Built for The Garceau Family	Poultry Farmers	1933