



**Message from PNJ President David H. Knights
Information Regarding The 2011-2012 Annual Meeting of Preservation New Jersey**

Happy New Year to everyone with an interest in the tremendous historic resources that exist throughout New Jersey.

Preservation New Jersey Incorporated has typically held an annual meeting of the Board of Directors during the month of January. The annual meeting is an opportunity for the Board of Directors to gather with other interested citizens from around the State to discuss historic preservation issues that affect us all. This year there are going to be several changes to the order of events but nothing is going to be dropped from the calendar and, in fact, we hope for more rather than fewer opportunities to convene. The first event that is formally scheduled at this point is the Preservation Celebration on March 2, 2012. This will be held at the Mansion at Bretton Woods in Morris Plains and should be a fun-filled evening. Please save the date.

The annual meeting has been an occasion to thank those Board members who are leaving the Board and at the same time to welcome new Board members. I want to use this occasion to welcome Margaret M. Hickey, R.A., Michael J. Margulies, R.A., A.I.A., and Michael J. Hanrahan, A.I.A. to the Board. There will be an annual meeting and it will be held before June 30, 2012 – which is the end of Preservation New Jersey's fiscal year. It will be held at a very interesting venue and will feature a speaker who will discuss a topic that has state-wide interest. Please stay tuned for more information. Preservation New Jersey is actively engaged on a number of fronts and I have high expectations that I will be writing another letter even before this month is out. That letter will describe an event that will take place in February – so please pay close attention.

We look forward to another great year of working with you to save New Jersey's heritage.