

FIRE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE PRESERVATION SOICETY

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Fire Island Lighthouse Preservation Society receives a Grant from the Robert David Lion Gardiner Foundation for an Interactive Software program in the Keeper's Quarters Museum.

Fire Island– The Fire Island Preservation Society has been awarded a matching grant of \$7,450.00 from the Robert David Lion Gardiner Foundation to support the new interactive software display in the Keeper's Quarters Museum. "The Lighthouse In Time" display will detail the history of the Fire Island Lighthouse in an interactive program with a 27 inch monitor.

"This is a wonderful addition to the Fire Island Lighthouse Keeper's Quarters Museum" says Bob La Rosa, President of the Fire Island Lighthouse Preservation Society. "The grant will enable school children and visitors the opportunity to visually see the timeline detailing the history of the Fire Island Lighthouse."

Established in 1987, the Robert David Lion Gardiner Foundation primarily supports the education of New York History. The foundation is inspired by Robert David Lion Gardiners' personal passion for New York History. For more information, please visit <u>rdlgfoundation.org</u>.

The Fire Island Lighthouse Preservation Society is a cooperating association partnering with the Fire Island National Seashore, National Park Service dedicated to the preservation and restoration of the Fire Island Light Station. The society endeavors to create enhanced visitor experiences through creative and interactive exhibits and displays and through educational programming meant to convey understanding and appreciation of the Fire Island Lighthouse maritime history.

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