



Fresh Paint Days Catherine, Woodbury Township and Williamsburg Borough Blair County

VOLUNTEERS

Williamsburg Borough
Williamsburg Volunteer Fire
Department Station #90

DONORS & SPONSORS

Prough's Masonry
Williamsburg Volunteer Fire
Department Station #90

In the spring of 2012 members of the community called a meeting to find out what measures needed to be taken to save their community center. Different fundraisers had been held to start raising money to replace the roof and fix the interior and exterior of the building. The borough secretary applied for the Fresh Paint Days grant and the fire department, who is leading the revitalization efforts, was eager to get started. Knowing that 20 gallons wouldn't cover the whole building, efforts were made to have the rest of the paint donated. Thanks to a local contractor who donated the use of a commercial grade paint sprayer, the building was transformed in only three days.

These are just the beginning stages of what is an overall renovation plan to remodel a piece of the community. The building is now more welcoming from the outside. At a recent event, the improved appearance drew very positive remarks. The hopes are to draw more community volunteer efforts to complete the vision.

Event Date: September, 2012
Township: Catherine
Volunteers: 15
Volunteer Hours: 60

"In just 3 summer evenings, members of the community banded together to breathe new life into a dingy, dreary building. Merely by painting the exterior we accomplished an amazing transformation of our local community center. The compliments that I've heard from the public are outstanding. Thanks for all that helped."

Bill Deters
Assistant Fire Chief
Williamsburg VFD Station #90



This project
was funded by



Empowering Pennsylvanians to make our communities clean and *Beautiful*.