



Fresh Paint Days Tarentum Borough Allegheny County

VOLUNTEERS

Pittsburgh History & Landmarks
Foundation

Event Date: October 2011

Township: Tarentum

Volunteers: 40

Volunteer Hours: 200

"Tarentum Borough appreciates the opportunity and look forward to working with Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful in the future."

William Rossey
Tarentum Borough Manager

Tarentum is a borough located in Allegheny County along Allegheny River. Tarentum was an industrial center where plate glass and bottles were manufactured: bricks, lumber, steel and iron novelties, steel billets and sheets, sack and wrapping paper were also produced. The Pennsylvania Railroad operated a station in Tarentum; its rail line still runs through the town and trains can be seen passing in front of the historic Chapman Building.

The Fresh Paint Days grant from Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful provided the Tarentum Borough & Pittsburgh History and Landmarks Foundation with 31 gallons of paint and painting supplies to restore this historic landmark. The Chapman building was built in 1897 and is one of the oldest buildings in Tarentum.

As the world and our communities become more homogenized, Tarentum Borough is working to preserve their one-of-a-kind business district and local charm.



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