



What is Paint Oswego?

Paint Oswego provides City of Oswego residents with a selection of historic color schemes to use for painting their homes. In addition, in 2020 there are 20 grant awards for homeowners that use these historic colors. Homeowners can fill out a simple application, and if the project is completed by Oct 30, 2020 will receive up to a **\$1000** reimbursement check (if the property is in a [Target Zone](#)) in matching funds*, or up to \$500 in matching funds*, if the property is not in a Target Zone. Awardees will have a photo of their home featured on the Oswego Renaissance website and facebook page.

Who is eligible?

1. Property owners living anywhere within the City Limits of the City of Oswego
2. One property per applicant. Applications are 1st come, 1st serve.

How do I apply?

3. Fill out and turn in this application when you have decided to apply.
4. *If your application is approved, paint your house using one of the 50 historic color schemes provided in the Paint Oswego historic color booklet. The entire house must be painted using the selected scheme.*
5. Up to 250 possible combinations of colors are possible when using the 50 schemes (see how with the [Paint Oswego](#) booklet). Property owners are also free to rearrange the recommended placements (body, trim, accent) in any manner they choose. Unless the applicant consults with [HHC LLC](#) for [additional color services](#), only the colors within a single scheme can be used.
6. Property owners do not have to use all the colors in a scheme, but must use at least three (3) out of the 4 available (body, trim, accent, bonus colors).
7. Send in a digital photograph of the house before and after the finished work, and photocopies of all receipts for paint, supplies or contractor labor. Consultations with [HHC](#) can also be reimbursed. Keep the original receipts.
- *8. Upon approval, a reimbursement check, for up to \$1000 in matching funds for expenses (minus sales tax), will be issued within 8 weeks. This is a 1:1 dollar-for-dollar match. If \$1000 in reimbursement funds is sought, the documented costs (labor and/or materials) must meet or exceed \$2000 (\$1,000 from ORA, \$1000 from applicant). If the entire project costs less than \$2000, the ORA will still match the lowers amount (a \$1600 project would receive \$800 in matching funds (\$800 from ORA, \$800 from applicant).

Questions?

Contact Paul Stewart at the Oswego Renaissance Association
453 Mahar Hall, SUNY Oswego 13126
Phone: 315-216-4338 E-mail: oswegorenaissance@gmail.com

Please complete the following information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Using the Paint Oswego color booklet, please indicate the number that identifies which of the 50 Color Schemes you intend to use:

Color Scheme # _____

OSWEGO NEW YORK – HISTORIC COLOR SCHEMES
Prepared by Historic House Colors, Ann Arbor, Michigan

Color Scheme Number 13
Late Victorian Period

Color Scheme Number

Body – Cabbage Door 7594
Trim – Burlap 6137
Accents – Edamame 7729
Bonus color – Pavestone 7642

Body Color Swatch



When do you intend to start the project? _____

Will you provide ALL receipts for reimbursement (Y/N): _____

The amount you expect to be reimbursed for this project is: _____

Mail this application to:

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- If your application awarded, you agree to allow the ORA to document your group's work— including your own project—and to use photos of your improvements on its Web site and Facebook page to publicize the Paint Oswego Program.