## **RESIDENT CURATOR PROGRAM - STEMPSON HOUSE**

## APRIL 27<sup>TH</sup> 2019, FIRST ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE

## **SUMMARY**

Mr. Steven McCullough, curator of the Stempson House, hosted his first annual open house event on April 27th from noon to 3pm, to provide visitors an opportunity to tour the house and its grounds.

The names of 12 attendees were captured on the sign-in sheet. Also in attendance were:

- Linwood Gorham, Park Authority Board Member, Mount Vernon District
- David Buchta, FCPA, Heritage Conservation Branch Manager
- Ed Ehlers, FCPA, Historic Conservation Operations Manager
- Stephanie Langton, FCPA, Resident Curator Program Manager

The Resident Curator Program's stakeholder list gained four new contacts. Six visitors to the open house were existing stakeholders who had previously expressed interest in the program.

During the event, Mr. McCullough shared his experience as a resident curator with the visitors and displayed a slideshow of photographs showing the condition of the house when he first moved in and the various projects he has undertaken in his first year.