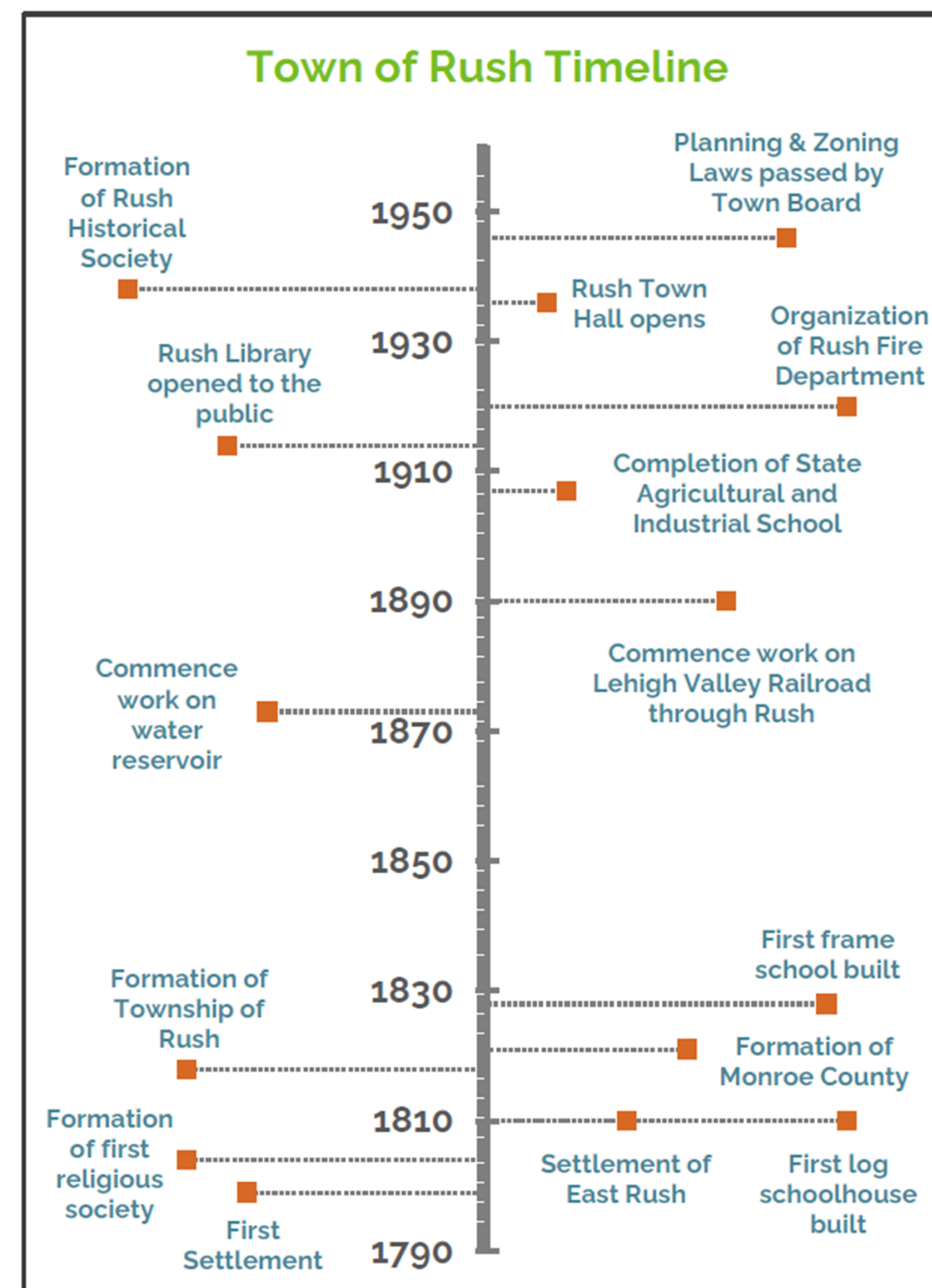


HISTORY & HISTORIC RESOURCES

Current Conditions



Comprehensive Plan Goals and Strategies

Goal: Celebrate and encourage preservation of the Town's historic and cultural resources.



W.S. Wilson General Store in 1908.

Strategies:

1. Recognize and celebrate Rush's history.
2. Recognize historic structures and support property owners interested in historic rehabilitation of properties..
3. Protect historic and archeological resources
4. Integrate historic interpretation with parks and recreational facilities.

Resources

Rush in Retrospect

- Written by former Town historian, Bessie A. Hallock. Outlines the Town of Rush history of the 19th century

Rush Historical Society

- Provides educational programming and works to preserve and encourage historical research

Preservation League of New York State

- Provides grant funding for studies and reports

Cultural Resource Information System (CRIS) Online Mapper

- Search for historic buildings, sites, and districts; view documentation

Rochester & Genesee Valley Railroad Museum

- Large collection of historic trains; largest operating railroad museum in NYS

New York Museum of Transportation

- Unique collection of historic vehicles, displays about the history of transportation; Scenic 2-mile trolley ride.