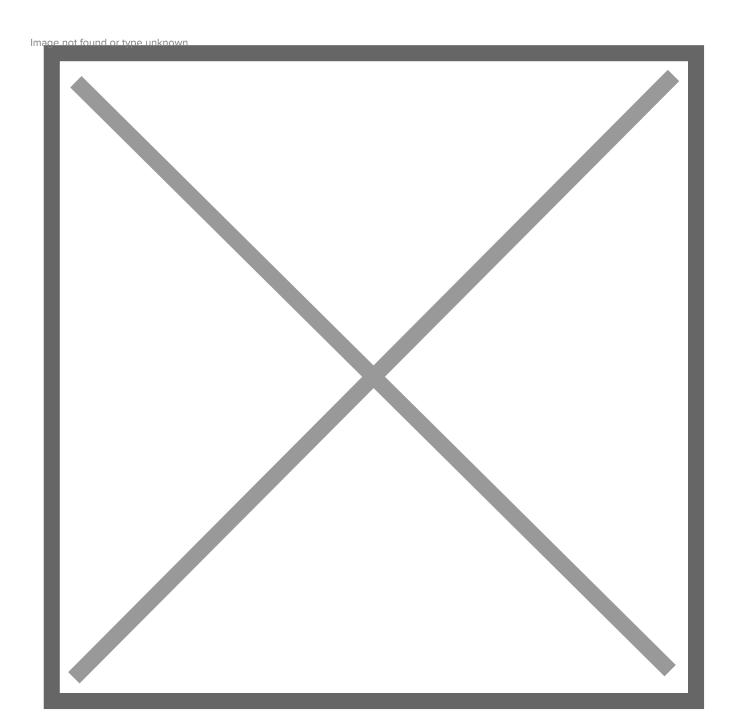


Sen. Farley Visits Historic Site Showcasing Modern Technology

HUGH T. FARLEY October 11, 2011



State Senator Hugh T. Farley (R, C, I - Schenectady) toured the new George E. Franchere Education Center at the Mabee Farm, Rotterdam Junction, on Oct. 7th. The 13,000 square-foot building is "green," meaning it is energy efficient with 100 solar panels and is environmentally friendly. The cost of the project was some \$2 million and Senator Farley was able to obtain two grants totaling \$100,000 for it. For more information on the George E.

Franchere Education Center and the historic Mabee Farm, visit website http://www.schist.org/mabee.htm