

Mullen House Education Center, Inc.

Becket Land Trust and Quarry

12 Brooker Hill Road and Main Street

42° 19'52.89"N 73° 05'04.32"W elevation 1223 feet

The Greek Revival style **Mullen House** was built about 1845. It is believed to have been designed and built by Lansford White. He built numerous buildings in the [North Becket Historic District](#) from 1841 to 1847. White would purchase land, design a classic home, construct the building and sell it in the “boom” days of the Village brought about by the arrival of the Western Railroad. Until recently there was a red barn, set back and facing Brooker Hill Road, removed once the town owned the building.

This is believed to have been the parsonage for the [North Congregational Church](#) located across the street, now the [Becket Athenaeum](#). Jerry Mullen, long time railroad station agent for Becket, and a member of the World War II rationing board, lived here for over 40 years. His daughter Eleanor, a long time Becket teacher, was the last resident. Her brother donated the house to the Town of Becket in 1994. In 2002, led by the Becket Land Trust, the **Mullen House Education Center** was formed. The Becket Quarry Museum has exhibit space along with offices upstairs for non-profits. Baskets, on loan from the [Becket Historical Commission](#), and quarry artifacts are on display in the original kitchen ell on the back side. A video, Turner diary and vintage railroad and quarry pictures are also displayed on the first floor.





For further information email the Becket Historical Commission:

historical@townofbecket.org