

FODC - A Dozen Possible Story Angles

1. 25th anniversary of the Friends as an official organization is coming up in mid-October
2. Founder - Interview with FODC founder, Betty Orlemann (please call the FODC office for contact info)
3. Flood damage repair - The part played by FODC in the restoration of the canal from the flood damage of the past 3 years
4. Canal restoration and preservation projects completed by the FODC since its inception
5. Future restoration and preservation projects planned
6. Tourism & Economy - The importance of the Delaware Canal to the local tourism economy
7. The historical and cultural significance of the Delaware Canal
8. Inter-agency cooperation - Other groups the FODC works with in pursuit of its mission
9. How the FODC is evolving with the changing needs of the Canal
10. How global warming is affecting the Canal
11. Canal preservation movement – How the Delaware Canal and FODC fit into the larger, growing movement to preserve and restore the remaining canals around the world
12. Profiles of FODC Board of Directors members – Why they joined the board and what they bring to the table