Volunteer Furniture Projects in Lexington
Featured Piece of the Month – March 2022
Steve McKenna and his Volunteer Woodworking Group in Lexington Woodworking Guild

The Lexington Woodworking Guild has a group (of which I am a founder) that takes on local civic furniture projects. We have a member who goes out and finds these projects. I do the design, and then a group of us build it, under my supervision. The following grouping of pictures show the work that we have done in the past few years.

Three-person Bench

Our first project, in 2017, was a three-person bench for the Lexington Community Center. It sits in the lobby and gets continuous use.
Two-person Lectern

In 2018, the Cary Memorial Library in Lexington wanted a lectern that two people could stand at to speak - they've used it continuously since.

Pear Wood Bench

We finished a bench prior to the Covid pandemic for the Lexington Arts and Crafts Society updated gallery. The bench is built from a pear tree that was cut down at the corner of the parking lot, milled, and dried 3 years under cover behind the building.
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With the Covid pandemic influencing our schedule, we have had to reduce our work time together. Here is a preliminary plan and pictures of the unfinished table for the Cary Library in Lexington that we started in 2021, suspended until recently, and hope to finish in 2022.