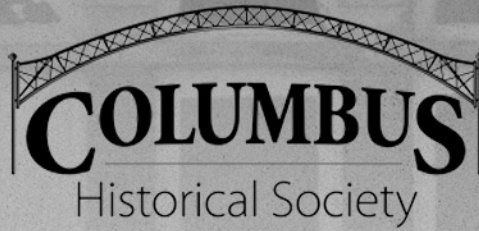


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ENGINE HOUSE #6 PRESERVATION PROJECT

COLUMBUS HISTORICAL SOCIETY



A Community Appeal for History

The Columbus Historical Society respectfully requests community financial support for the acquisition of the historic Engine House #6, at 540 West Broad Street as a permanent home. The building is currently for sale by the Columbus Metropolitan Housing Authority and at risk of being developed for a purpose outside of its historical context.



A Historically Perfect Fit

Engine House #6 was built in 1880 and in service from 1882 until 1966.

It was the home of the Columbus Fire Department's first emergency squad in 1934. The Columbus Historical Society (CHS) preserves the important multi-cultural heritage of Central Ohio by archiving the stories and artifacts of its citizens and sharing that heritage with the community through programming and exhibits. CHS needs a permanent home in order to continue to accomplish its mission.

Our Vision

The Columbus Historical Society



First Floor

Exhibits and Event Space



First Floor Cont.

Coffee and Gift Shop



Second Floor

Library/Additional Exhibits



Second Floor Cont.

Administrative Offices





Lower Level
Archives & Collections



Community Support

The project has received broad support from state, county and city government officials, community leaders, businesses, and other not-for-profit organizations, including: Columbus City Council, the Columbus Mayor's office, Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission, Columbus Foundation, Columbus Landmarks Foundation, Franklinton Board of Trade, Franklinton Historical Society, and State Legislators. Our State capital funding request was supported by the Columbus Partnership.



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