HISTORY



During the winter of 2009 a group of Washburn residents organized and incorporated the Washburn Heritage Association as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Our initial concern was to save the Washburn Civic Center from demolition. This project attracted a buyer with an appreciation for and experience in historic preservation, and successful rehabilitation of the building is underway.

Now we turn our energies to promoting thoughtful preservation and reuse of other critical areas of our legacy from Washburn's history.



ACCOMPLISHMENTS & GOALS

- HALTED DEMOLITION OF THE CIVIC CENTER/DUPONT CLUB
- PROVIDED MAJOR SUPPORT TO THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT
- HOSTED 2ND ANNUAL BROWNSTONE DAYS HISTORY **TOURS**
- CO-SPONSORED THE TONY WOIAK HISTORY FESTIVAL LECTURE SERIES
- CONSULTED WITH BUSINESS OWNERS ABOUT **IMPROVEMENTS TO MAIN STREET FACADES**
- FACADE IMPROVEMENT AWARDS TO LOCAL **BUSINESSES**
- PROVIDED HISTORIC PLACEMATS TO LOCAL RESTAURANTS TO PROMOTE WASHBURN



These goals will help to preserve the local heritage that we cherish:

- CONDUCT RESEARCH, HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLANNING AND EDUCATION
- PROMOTE COMMUNITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION AND SUSTAINABLE ADAPTIVE REUSE OF VITAL AND IRREPLACEABLE PARTS OF WASHBURN
- SEEK MONIES, GIFTS AND BEQUESTS TO

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Our Mission:

To protect, preserve, interpret, and increase awareness of the architectural and cultural history of the City of Washburn and its surrounding area.