



## Museum, continued

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opportunities for individuals and groups to volunteer to help in the Museum with activities such as arranging exhibits and scanning documents. There will be ongoing opportunities for individuals and groups to donate. So join with us in the excitement of the Museum of Culver and Lake Maxinkuckee History.

### Culver and Lake Maxinkuckee Visitors Center

Through a series of meetings with many of the Culver town organizations and leaders, strong support was confirmed for establishing the Culver Visitors Center. The Culver Visitors Center was established under the tax exempt umbrella of the Antiquarian and Historical Society. The Visitors Center will occupy the South lobby of the First Farmers Bank and Trust building adjacent to the Museum of Culver and Lake Maxinkuckee History.

### Mission

To serve as an engaging resource for the public in one of Indiana's most beautiful, natural lake destinations; to stimulate economic growth, and to promote recreational and cultural experiences.

It is anticipated that in the very near future, the Culver Visitors Center through mutual agreement with the Antiquarian and Historical Society will become a standalone organization. The Antiquarian and Historical Society and the Museum of Culver and Lake Maxinkuckee History look forward to a mutually rewarding relationship with the Culver Visitors Center as it takes this giant step.

## Tour, continued

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Garner's deep knowledge of architectural history and styles, and the result is a guide for residents and visitors alike that both highlights Culver's uniqueness and connects it to broader national and world trends. Moreover, it's a wonderful way to enjoy a walk around town!

The guide and its maps will be designed by local graphic artist Jack Johnston of J Stroke Creative. Look for the release of these booklets this summer, in conjunction with several kick-off events, hosted by the Culver and Lake Maxinkuckee History Museum (formerly the Center for Culver History) and new Culver Visitor Center.

Meanwhile, if you're interested in testing out one or more of the routes before they head to publication, contact Julie Hollowell at 812-320-1887 or [jjh@indiana.edu](mailto:jjh@indiana.edu).

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