

# Historic Preservation Advocacy Day Tuesday, March 3, 2020

Christman University, Ground Floor, The Christman Building 208 N. Capitol Ave., Lansing, MI 48933

#### **Schedule of Events**

8:00 - 8:30 AM	Registration	
8:30 - 9:00 AM	Welcome reception with light breakfast and Legislative update and briefing, Melissa McKinley, Kelley Cawthorne	
9:00 - 9:45 AM	Historic Preservation Tax Credit 101, Mark Rodman, MHPN	
9:45 - 10:30 AM	Advocacy 101, Melissa McKinley, Kelley Cawthorne	
10:30 - Noon	Meetings with State Representatives	
10:45 - 11:45PM	Get to Know Your State Historic Preservation Office	
Noon - 1:30 PM	Panel Discussion and Luncheon Reception with Legislators	
1:30 - 2:00PM	Welcome & Discussion, Bill Sponsor Sen. Wayne Schmidt	
1:30 - 4:00 PM	Meetings with State Senators	
2:45 - 3:15 PM	Working with the Michigan Economic Development Corporation	
3:15 - 3:45 PM	Introducing the Cultural Advocacy Network of Michigan	
4:00 - 4:15 PM	Speaker - Wrap Up	

Please arrive promptly at 8:00 AM. We will begin immediately with a legislative update. Educational opportunities are provided throughout the day; however, the legislative appointments need to take priority in your schedules as this is the purpose of this Annual event!

To determine your legislator, visit: <a href="www.legislature.mi.gov">www.legislature.mi.gov</a>. MHPN's lobbyist, Kelley Cawthorne, will arrange all appointments with legislators for each attendee. Legislative visits are sometimes difficult to secure and will be coordinated to the best of the staff's ability.

<u>Please Register ASAP.</u> Confirming appointments with legislators becomes less likely as the date for Advocacy draws closer.

## Why Attend Legislative Day?

Represent historic preservation by advocating in the Michigan Legislature. With the advocacy efforts of people around the state, preservationists have passed or opposed critical legislation:

1970	Public Act 169, Local Historic District Act	
1999	Amendment to PA 169 to Include a 25% Tax Credit	
2001	Michigan's Historic Tax Credits Made "Permanent"	
2007	SB 973 – Enhancements to Historic Tax Credits	
2011	SB 566-568 and 644 – Michigan Community Revitalization Program	
2016	Local Historic District Act Saved from Major Change	

#### Advocacy Day in 2020 will focus on:

# Senate Bill 54 & House Bill 4100 Reinstating Michigan's State Rehab Tax Credit

Our best advocate is YOU, a citizen in your legislators' district!

MHPN & Kelley Cawthorne will prepare you for your visit:

- Schedule your legislative visits
- Provide times & location
- Distribute a packet of information on SB54/HB4100
  - A Copy of the Bill
  - o Background Information on the Credit
  - o Talking Points
- Give tips on how to engage your legislator(s)
- Offer educational programs on the credit & lobbying
- Furnish Lunch



## **ADVOCACY DAY REGISTRATION FORM**

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