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DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM TO RE-OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ON JULY 10, 2020
Detroit Historical Society members will be able to visit July 9

DETROIT- In coordination with the other cultural institutions in our Midtown Detroit neighborhood, the Detroit Historical Museum will reopen to the public on Friday, July 10 at 10 a.m. The museum will then operate with abbreviated hours (Thursday – Saturday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Sunday 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.), with enhanced health and safety measures, including:

- One-way entry and exit procedures
- Guests ages 3+ must wear masks at all times inside the building
- New wayfinding and one-way routes through the museum
- Frequent cleaning and disinfection of public areas and hand sanitizing stations throughout the museum
- Posted guidelines for social distancing
- Cashless and touchless transactions wherever possible
- Advance ticket purchases recommended at: https://bit.ly/3dIKJgQ.

Find more information on the Detroit Historical Museum’s health and safety measures to combat the Coronavirus at: https://bit.ly/38c12I4

The Detroit Historical Society is a private, nonprofit organization located in Midtown, the heart of Detroit’s cultural center. Founded in 1921, its mission is to tell Detroit’s stories and why they matter. Today, the Society operates the Detroit Historical Museum and the Dossin Great Lakes Museum. In addition, the Society is responsible for the conservation and preservation of more than 250,000 artifacts that represent three centuries of our region’s rich history. Through its museum exhibits, school tour programs, community-based programs and history-themed outreach efforts, the Society serves more than 150,000 people annually. For more information on the Detroit Historical Society, visit detroithistorical.org.

The Detroit Historical Museum is located at 5401 Woodward Ave. (NW corner of Kirby) in Midtown Detroit. The Museum is currently closed due to COVID-19 but parking in the Museum’s lot is available via automated parking kiosk. Historical content and virtual tours and exhibits are available at detroithistorical.org. Permanent exhibits include the famous Streets of Old Detroit, the Allesee Gallery of Culture, Doorway to Freedom: Detroit and the Underground Railroad, Detroit: The “Arsenal of Democracy," the Gallery of Innovation, Frontiers to Factories, America’s Motor City and The Glancy Trains.

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