DETROIT – The Lorenzo Cultural Center opens its exhibit, *The 1950s: Affluence and Anxiety in the Atomic Age*, on Saturday, July 16 at the Detroit Historical Museum. This exhibit in the Museum’s Community Gallery explores America’s growing affluence at home and on the world stage – coupled with anxiety of the new reality of life in an Atomic Age.

The exhibit, which proved to be popular during its run earlier this year at the Cultural Center, runs through November 6.

Visitors can discover the many, often contradictory, facets of post-World War II American society. The exhibit delves into the impact of key political figures, the roots of feminism, civil rights activism, rebellion against conformity, and Americans growing leisure time and pop culture.

The Lorenzo Cultural Center (www.LorenzoCulturalCenter.com) explores the influences and experiences that shape our community's heritage, examining topics from a variety of perspectives and creating interactive opportunities for learning, celebration and entertainment. Located on Macomb Community College's Center Campus, Hall and Garfield Roads in Clinton Township, the cultural center is adjacent to the Macomb Center for Performing Arts.

The Detroit Historical Museum, located at 5401 Woodward Ave. (NW corner of Kirby) in Detroit’s Cultural Center area, is open to the public Wednesday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday from Noon to 5 p.m. On Mondays and Tuesdays, the Museum is not open to the public but available for group tours by calling (313) 833-7979. Adult admission is $6. Seniors (60+), college students with valid college ID, and youth ages 5-18 pay $4. Admission for children ages four and the famous *Streets of Old Detroit; Frontiers to Factories; The Motor City;* and *The Glancy Trains*. New exhibits include *Fabulous 5: Detroit’s Award Winners; New to the Collection;* and the *Detroit Artists Showcase* featuring Janet Anderson. For more information, visit www.detroithistorical.org or call (313) 833-1805.