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Greene County Hosting Historic Preservation Symposium

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. – The Greene County Commission and the Missouri State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) invite historic property owners, investors, developers, preservation-minded members of the public, and any other interested parties to a symposium on Thursday, June 6, 2024 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm in room 212 of the Greene County Historic Courthouse.

The symposium will focus on economic revitalization through historic preservation. Topics of discussion will include: historic preservation in Missouri, rehabilitating historic buildings, financing your project and leveraging tax credits, getting historic districts and buildings on the National Register of Historic Places, the role of Certified Local Governments (CLGs) in historic preservation, historic preservation fund grants and other available grants, how preservation consultants can help you, and much more.

Those interested in attending the symposium, a RSVP is encouraged, but not required. RSVP with your name and contact information (email and phone number) to Megan Applegate at pio@greenecountymo.gov.

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Greene County is the State of Missouri's fourth most populous county, serving approximately 295,000 people. Its mission is to provide all citizens of Greene County, including those in its cities, a safe and thriving community through excellent customer service, unparalleled dedication, and the efficient use of taxpayer dollars. The Greene County Commission is the executive body of Greene County operating under guidelines established in the Revised Statutes

of the State of Missouri. Within that authority the Commission enacts ordinances, resolutions and policies, supervises the activities of county departments, fixes salaries, adopts the annual budget, provides for construction and other services, and conducts hearings on planning and zoning matters.

For additional information contact the Greene County Public Information Office at 417-844-4311 or pio@greenecountymo.gov.