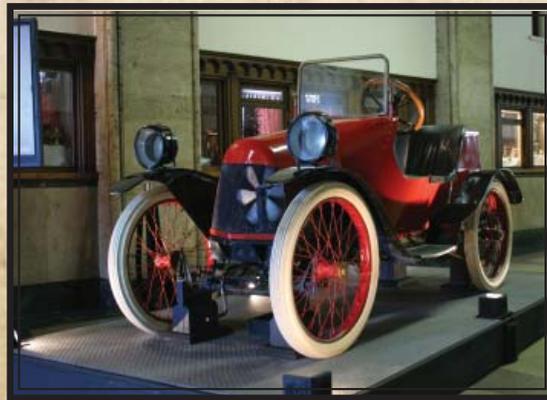


Make a Little History of Your Own.

Our Make a Little History endowment campaign offers Saginaw County residents opportunities to include the Castle Museum of Saginaw County History as part of their charitable designations in their will or estate plan. Further, the campaign will help generate long-term financial support to make certain that Saginaw County's history will continue to be preserved and shared with generations to come.



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The Castle Museum of Saginaw County History

The Castle is one of Saginaw's most familiar structures. Built in 1898 to serve the people as a post office, the Museum is now on the National Register of Historic Places and is home to thousands of artifacts that continue to tell the unfolding story of Saginaw County and the people who call it home.

Reaching Out to the Next Generation

Operated by the Historical Society of Saginaw County, the Castle Museum continues to seek new ways to serve county residents. We're doing it through two innovative programs: *History on the Move*, a mobile museum and classroom that is free for all Saginaw County schoolchildren and virtual field trips for children whose schools cannot make a visit to the Museum. We make it easy for students to learn about their heritage.



The Castle Has the Support of Saginaw County Residents

In August 2010 the voters of Saginaw County strongly supported the Castle Museum and its mission

by voting 'yes' on a 10-year millage renewal request. Their overwhelming support is a clear indication of how much they appreciate and value not only our shared history, but also the consistent, professional manner in which the Castle Museum preserves and presents it.

People Keep Saginaw County and the Castle Museum Strong

Through the years Saginaw County residents have faced tough obstacles that have threatened the survival of the city of Saginaw and its surrounding communities. By studying our past it is also evident that the people of Saginaw County are resilient, hard working and innovative. Time after time, it is the people who have worked together to keep our communities strong. The people of Saginaw County have kept the Castle Museum strong, too, through memberships, attendance and financial support in addition to millage renewals.



Preserving the Past Sustaining our Future

The Castle Museum's vision is to *become the leading arts and cultural organization in the Saginaw region*. Realizing our vision will take the concerted efforts of supportive members, friends and other County residents.

Our endowment fund, held at the Saginaw Community Foundation, was established in June 2001. As one of its primary goals over the next 10 years, the Board of Directors of the Castle Museum will focus on encouraging gifts and bequests in order to increase the fund's assets.

The increased income from a growing fund could enable the Castle Museum to cover expenses associated with specific programs, exhibits, traveling tours, community outreach and more...without taxing the operating budget.