Historic Augusta’s Downtown Loft Tour, May 3 and 4, 2013

Now in its ninth year, Historic Augusta's Downtown Loft Tour is a fun way for people to experience what makes living and working in downtown Augusta, Georgia so special. Held during National Preservation Month on First Friday, May 3 and Saturday, May 4, the tour features the architecture and interiors of renovated spaces as well as those which are in progress. Tickets are valid for both tour days, from 6-9 pm on Friday and from noon-5 pm on Saturday.

The purpose of the tour is to encourage interest in the preservation and use of historic buildings in the Augusta Downtown Historic District by providing the public with an intimate look at their interiors. The tour includes eleven buildings of various sizes and styles, each with distinctive architectural features and design. Featured on this year’s tour will be:

A. 720 St. Sebastian Way
   Sutherland Mill
   (Saturday Only)

B. 1225 Greene Street
   Patrick H. Rice House

C. 1204 Broad Street
   Carr Building (Farmhaus Burger)

D. 1130 Jones Street
   Standard Oil Warehouse

E. 936 Broad Street
   The White’s Building

F. 301-303 Ninth Street
   Lowrey’s Wagon Works and Confederate Shoe Factory

G. 920 Greene Street
   Henry-Cohen House

H. 812 Broad Street, Apt. D
   Sylvester Building

I. 714 Broad Street, Apt. 1
   Montgomery Building
J. 708 Broad Street
Miller Theater
(Friday Only)

K. 529 Greene Street
Jacob Phinizy House

Tickets for the loft tour can be purchased for $15 in advance or for $20 during the tour. Advance tickets can be purchased at: Historic Augusta, Inc., 415 Seventh Street, Augusta; Eros Bistro, 1002 Broad Street, Augusta; First Bank of Georgia, Augusta, Martinez, and Thomson branches; The Indian Queen, 2505 Wrightsboro Road, Augusta; Mellow Mushroom, 1167 Broad Street, Augusta, and 4348 Washington Road, Evans; and New Moon Cafe, 936 Broad Street, Augusta. Credit cards are accepted as payment only at Historic Augusta, cash and checks are accepted at all ticket locations. During the tour, pick up a tour map and purchase tickets at tour headquarters in front of Eros Bistro, 1002 Broad Street.

Proceeds benefit the programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc., a nonprofit membership based organization. The mission of Historic Augusta, Inc. is to preserve historically or architecturally significant structures and sites in Augusta and Richmond County. To purchase tickets or for more information about this or our other programs, please contact Historic Augusta, Inc. by telephone at 706-724-0436 or visit www.historicaugusta.org.

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