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Dr. Tom Mack *Hidden History of Augusta* Book Signing to be held December 5, 2015

USC Aiken Professor Emeritus, Dr. Tom Mack will sign copies of his latest book, *Hidden History of Augusta*, on Saturday, December 5, 2015 from 10 a.m. until Noon at the Visitors Center of the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson. *Hidden History of Augusta* was released by Arcadia Publishing and The History Press earlier this fall. The book retails for \$21.99 and can be purchased at the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson along with other Arcadia Publishing titles.

Tom Mack joined the faculty of the University of South Carolina Aiken in 1976. He earned a B.A. in English from West Chester State University, an M.A.T. in English from John Carroll University, an M.A. in English from Villanova University, and a Ph.D. in English from Lehigh University. Mack is a specialist in American literature, and has written extensively on American writers. He also writes a weekly column for *The Aiken Standard* entitled "Arts and Humanities." Other books by Dr. Mack include *Circling the Savannah: Cultural Landmarks of the Central Savannah River Area*, *Hidden History of Aiken County*, *A Shared Voice: Paired Tales by Writers from Texas and the Carolinas*, and *The South Carolina Encyclopedia Guide to South Carolina Writers*.

Tours of the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson will also be offered and begin from the museum's visitors center located in the ground level of the Joseph R. Lamar Boyhood Home, 415 Seventh Street. The house museum is open for tours Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays on the hour from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, \$3 for students K-12, and free for children age 5 and under.

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