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Welcome to the **May 2019** issue of The Preservationist, an e-publication of [Historic Augusta, Inc!](#) This newsletter contains information about upcoming programs and projects of Historic Augusta, Inc. and the Boyhood Home of President Woodrow Wilson.

**Join us for 15th Annual Downtown Loft  
Tour  
Today and Tomorrow, May 3-4, Rain or  
Shine**



***See what it is like to live, work, and play downtown!***

Historic Augusta's annual **Downtown Loft Tour** is a great opportunity to look inside historic buildings in the Augusta Downtown Historic District including residential lofts, businesses, event spaces, and historic rehabs.

The tour begins tonight, **First Friday, May 3** from **6 - 9 p.m.** and will continue on **Saturday, May 4** from **10 a.m. -**

**May is National  
Historic Preservation  
Month!**



May is **Preservation Month** and along with the **National Trust for Historic Preservation**, we encourage you to share your stories as we celebrate the places that matter the most.

**This Place Matters** began in 2008 as a way to connect people across communities with the places that are most important to their history and their future. Whether the place is a building, landscape, or region, large or small, nationally

**4 p.m.** Lofts can be toured in any order and tickets are good for both tour days. The tour is self-guided and a program booklet will be provided to attendees that includes a map of the buildings and brief histories of each site.

Visit 16 different historic sites, including:

- Watkinson & Company Grocers
- Georgia Railroad Bank Building
- Augusta & Co.
- A private loft above Hive
- The Bee Hive
- JB White's Building
- Marshall House
- Imperial House
- Imperial Theater
- John Fox Building
- Handkerchief Factory
- E.M. Andrews Furniture Co., Warehouse
- Lowry Wagon Works
- 2KM Architects
- Zachariah Daniel House
- Levy House
- Standard Oil Warehouse

Admission is **\$20 in advance** and **\$25 during the tour**.

Tickets can be purchased online at our [Square store](#) or by calling Historic Augusta at (706) 724-0436. Tickets may also be purchased at the following locations:

- **Augusta and Co.**, 1010 Broad Street
- **Metro Coffee House**, 1054 Broad Street
- **Mellow Mushroom**, Downtown and Evans locations
- **Cadence Bank**: Evans, Fury's Ferry, West Town, Wheeler Road, Medical Center and Daniel Village branches

**Reserved tickets and programs will be available for**

significant or personally priceless, historic or just old - we're interested in places that played a significant role in your life.

Download and print a "This Place Matters" sign from [savingplaces.org](https://savingplaces.org) and take a photo of it next to a place that is significant to you. Or use one of the This Place Matters filters on your Facebook profile.

Be sure to use the hashtags **#ThisPlaceMatters** and **#HistoricAugusta** so we can interact with your story.

**Now Accepting Applications for the role of Programs and Marketing Director**

Bachelor's Degree or higher in liberal arts, marketing, communications, history, historic preservation or related fields required.

**Duties Include:**

- Annual and Special Events management and coordination.
- Development, grant writing and administration.
- Marketing and

**pick up at the tour headquarters tent stationed in front of the JB Whites Building, located at 936 Broad Street.** Tickets may also be purchased at the headquarters tent, and we accept cash, check, and charge payments.

## Mingle with Fellow Preservationists at the annual Cotton Ball, Honoring Historic Augusta's Members



***Salubrity Hall, 2259 Cumming Road***

Historic Augusta's annual members-only garden party, the **Cotton Ball**, will be held on **Thursday, May 16, 2019** from **6:30-9:30 pm** at **Salubrity Hall**, the home of **Christine and Frank Anderson, 2259 Cumming Road.**

Mingle with Historic Augusta's friends while enjoying dinner provided by **Bonefish Grill** and live music with **Monet Robinson**. A dessert bar will feature sweets from local favorites, including **BK Cakes, Dippin' Dots, Riveroak Bakehouse,** and **Vance's Bakery Bar.**

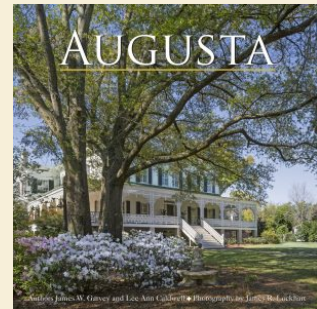
Admission to the Cotton Ball is by current, new, or renewing membership and open to anyone interested in local preservation efforts. Please encourage your friends

publicity through all available media outlets.

- Assist Executive Director and other staff as needed.
- Production and coordination of *Historic Augusta News*, a printed news magazine; *The Preservationist*, a monthly E-News digital publication

This is a full-time, salaried position. [Click here to view the full job description.](#)

## Learn More About Augusta's Architectural History



Historic Augusta's 50th anniversary book, **Augusta**, provides an overview of the Garden City's history from the eighteenth to the twentieth centuries, with photographs both archived and current in full color. **\$54.**

so they may also attend!

To check on the status of your membership, give us a call at (706) 724-0436. Or [click here](#) for more information on how to become a member or to renew your membership.

Visit our website, [www.historicaugusta.org](http://www.historicaugusta.org), to RSVP.

[Click here to order.](#)

The book is also available for purchase at **Historic Augusta, Augusta & Co., Cadence Bank** (Wheeler Road, Medical Center, and Daniel Village locations), **Queensborough Bank** (all Augusta and Evans branches), and **Shoes at Surrey**.

*All proceeds support Historic Augusta's mission and programs.*

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