

Dane County Historical Society



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Historical Marker Application Form

This application form must be filled out completely. Attach documentation and supporting materials as needed. Please type or print clearly.

Dane County Historical Society erects only one historical marker each year. Please be aware that the Society is operated by volunteers and because time and funds are limited, there may be a backlog of pending applications.

1. Date: _____

2. Site, Property, Person or Event to be Marked: _____

3. **TITLE.** Indicate a proposed title for marker: _____

4. **LOCATION.** Proposed marker location: (Be precise. Start with the city or village and include a description and directions; if possible, enclose a map with the proposed marker location shown)

City or Village: _____

5. **OWNER.** Owner of property upon which the marker is to be erected: Whenever possible, markers are located on public lands. Permission must be received and access for maintenance arranged.

6. **MAINTENANCE.** Indicate the person or organization that will take responsibility for long-term maintenance and good repair of the historic marker.

Name: _____

Street and number: _____

City or Village: _____

Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

7. **SIGNIFICANCE.** What is the significance of the proposed site, person or event to DANE COUNTY history? Include any research sources you know of. Indicate what references (primary or secondary) were used to document the marker subject. (Attach another sheet, if necessary)

8. **TEXT.** You may suggest any text or wording you think would be appropriate for the marker. Marker text should be no longer than approximately 500 words. All marker text is approved and edited by Dane County Historical Society, which reserves the right to revise suggested text. (Attach another sheet, if necessary)

9. **SIZE.** Indicate a size you think would be appropriate for the proposed marker.

_____ Large (54" x 72") or _____ (54" x 72")

_____ Small (24" x 36") mounted on a pole, same text on both sides

_____ Small (24" x 36") mounted on building, single face

Return Completed Application to:

Dane County Historical Society
3101 Lake Farm Road
Madison, WI 53711

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