BUSINESS & ORGANIZATION PLAQUES

Businesses are a part of the fabric of a community and of the lives of the people of the community. But time passes and times and circumstances change, and as the decades pass, often dim memories or the faded remnants of a sign on an old brick wall are the only reminders of a business that was once a vibrant part of the community. But, businesses are as much a part of the heritage of a community as the schools and other institutions are, and they should be honored as such.

The ALTA DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY exists to keep alive the memory of what was, and to preserve the knowledge of what is, so that both might be a part of the heritage of what is yet to be. As a part of our ongoing efforts to preserve the heritage of the community, we would like to recognize and memorialize the past and present businesses of the Alta District.

A prominent outdoor location on the museum grounds has been set aside to give businesses, past and present, an opportunity to permanently commemorate their place in the community. Plaques will be mounted at a site adjacent to the area where all of the outdoor activities are held. Each plaque will be four inches wide and twelve inches long, and will contain an inscription of up to forty-eight characters that provide information about a business. Additional information that cannot be put on the plaque because of space limitation will be placed in a book in the Historical Society White House. Businesses wishing to participate may do so at a cost of five hundred dollars for a plaque and their participation will honor the business and assist the Historical Society in preserving the heritage of the community.

The ALTA DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY looks forward to serving you, the business community. Your support of the plaque project will be a fitting tribute to your business which has enriched the community.