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The History Museum Announces Copshaholm 125 Arts Show

South Bend, IN— In celebration of the 125th anniversary of the year J.D. and Anna Oliver moved into their new home at 808 West Washington Street in South Bend, The History Museum is holding the Copshaholm 125 Arts Show from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, September 18. The show features works by local artists in the areas of the visual arts, written word, music, and theatrical performances. During the event, guests may stroll through the visual arts entries and enjoy performances of the written word, music, and theatrical entries. The Copshaholm 125 Arts Show is free with regular museum admission, which is \$11/adults, \$9.50/seniors, \$7/youth 6-17, and free/members. This activity is made possible, in part, with support from the Community Foundation of St. Joseph County and the Notre Dame Federal Credit Union.

The History Museum launched the Copshaholm 125 Arts Competition on June 14, inviting local artists to select from four categories, including the visual arts, music, written word, and theatrical, to interpret stories of the Oliver Mansion, including the Historic Oliver Gardens, the Oliver family, and the year 1897.

Copshaholm is the 38-room home where the J.D. Oliver family lived from 1897 to 1972. J.D. Oliver was president of the Oliver Chilled Plow Works, a company established by his father, James Oliver. Both were key industrialists in the community, the Midwest, and the country. The Oliver family donated their 38-room Copshaholm to The History Museum in 1988. In 1990, the museum began providing daily tours of the historic house, which retains all original furnishings. Since then, well over a quarter million students, residents, and tourists have learned about local history by touring Copshaholm.

For more information, contact The History Museum at (574) 235-9664 or visit www.historymuseumSB.org

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