

**NEWS RELEASE**

**May 5, 2015**

**MASON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
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**TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN**

**RE: Mason County Historic Preservation Commission 10th Anniversary**

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The Mason County Historic Preservation Commission would like to invite the public to join us on May 16<sup>th</sup> 2015 in celebration of Historic Preservation Month and the Commission's 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

The event will take place at the Shelton Civic Center May 16<sup>th</sup> 2015 starting at 1:00 p.m. with a meet and greet and light refreshments followed by recognition of some Mason County supporters of historic preservation.

Mr. Stan Graham will be our guest speaker. Stan was a charter member of the Mason County Historic Preservation Commission and always has a good story to tell where we are sure to learn something in a fun and interesting way.

We have also invited our local historical groups to set up display tables so we can all learn about the great work they are doing in the community to preserve our history, tell our stories and educate us on the rich and interesting history of Mason County.

Also included is a brief discussion on the mission of the Mason County Historic Preservation Commission and our past and present projects and programs. We will conclude the event with a workshop on the Commission's Heritage Grant Program. This is a great opportunity for non-profit organizations and government entities to learn about the goals, scope and application process for this great program.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Where: Shelton Civic Center

When: May 16<sup>th</sup> 2015 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Questions should be directed Michael MacSems at 427-9670 ext. 571.

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