

MERIDIAN HISTORY CENTER TRANSITION

OVERVIEW OF PROPOSAL AND TIMELINE

WHO IS INVOLVED: INTRODUCTIONS

- Meridian Historical Society
- Meridian Library District
- City of Meridian
- Historical Preservation Commission

THE WHY: A SHARED VISION

- Shared goal - preserve/access to local Meridian history
 - Agreement between agencies
 - Digitize/online access
 - Artifact rehoming
 - Advisory committee for community input
- Public library role to curate, build and provide access to local history collections
 - Cherry Lane Library renovation/planned history room (exhibits/computers)
 - Searchable in library catalog
 - Programming/schools

WHEN: THE TIMELINE

- Early 2021 – final agreement signed between agencies
- 2021 - Assess and build infrastructure/seek grant opportunities
- 2022 - Digitizing
- 2023 - Cherry Lane renovation
- 2024 - MLD 100-year anniversary, Cherry Lane reopening/history room open

QUESTIONS?

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