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## **Elmhurst Architecture Walking Tour showcases local architectural gems on August 20**

ELMHURST, IL – When it comes to different architectural styles, the quintessential American suburb of Elmhurst showcases a diverse array throughout its various neighborhoods, from classic and prairie style to mid-century modern and many more. The Elmhurst History Museum and Elmhurst Art Museum invite the public to celebrate this rich architectural heritage with a guided **Elmhurst Architecture Walking Tour** on **Saturday, August 20 at 3:00 p.m.**

The Walking Tour was well received when it debuted in 2015, and has been brought back due to its popularity. The tour group will explore the streets of Elmhurst with architect and arts educator Robert Bunda who will share insights about the different styles and architectural details along the way. The tour will last approximately 1.5 hours starting at the Elmhurst Art Museum (located at 150 S. Cottage Hill Ave.) and ending at the Elmhurst History Museum (120 E. Park Ave.).

To register for the Elmhurst Architecture Walking Tour, go to the Elmhurst Art Museum's web site at [www.elmhurstartmuseum.org](http://www.elmhurstartmuseum.org) in the programs section. The cost is \$15 for members of

the Elmhurst Heritage Foundation or Elmhurst Art Museum, and \$20 for non-members. **Note:** **There is a limit of 25 participants.** This program is co-presented by Elmhurst Art Museum and Elmhurst History Museum.

In addition to the August 20<sup>th</sup> tour, Mr. Bunda will continue the learning experience with a free slide lecture at the Elmhurst Art Museum, 150 S. Cottage Hill Ave., Elmhurst, on **Saturday, August 27 at 3:00 p.m.** Using photos selected from the Elmhurst History Museum's collection, Mr. Bunda will explore Elmhurst's architectural styles and put them into a broader historical perspective. Registration for this program is also available at [www.elmhurstartmuseum.org](http://www.elmhurstartmuseum.org), and admission to the program is free.

Get to know more about the local architecture in your neighborhood! Sign up now for the Elmhurst Architectural Walking Tour on August 20 and lecture on August 27. For more information, or visit [www.elmhurstartmuseum.org](http://www.elmhurstartmuseum.org) or call Elmhurst History Museum at 630-833-1457.

*The Elmhurst History Museum is located at 120 E. Park Ave. in downtown Elmhurst. General admission is free with nominal fees for special programs. For more information, call 630-833-1457 or visit our web site at [www.elmhursthhistory.org](http://www.elmhursthhistory.org).*

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