

## News Release

The Winneshiek County Board of Supervisors recently signed a proclamation designating May as Historic Preservation Month. Established in 1973 by the National Trust for Historic Preservation, the event is co-sponsored by local preservation groups, state historical societies, business and civic organizations across the country.

This year's theme is **This Place Matters**. Everyone has places that are important to them. Places they care about. Places that matter. This Place Matters is a national campaign that encourages people to celebrate the places that are meaningful to them and to their communities.

### CAPTION:

At last Monday's meeting the Winneshiek County Board of Supervisors proclaim May "Historic Preservation Month" in Winneshiek County. From left to right in the photograph: Commission members David Wadsworth and LaVonne Sharp, Supervisors Mark Kuhn, John Beard and Floyd Ashbacher, Commission member Janelle Pavolec, Supervisor Dean Thompson, Commission chair Steve Johnson, Supervisor Chair John Logsdon and Auditor Ben Steines.