



Application for Affiliation

Name of Local Historical Organization _____

We, the undersigned duly authorized representatives of this organization in accordance with the statutory provisions cited below, hereby petition the Board of Curators of the Wisconsin Historical Society for the affiliation of this organization with the Wisconsin Historical Society. In so doing we certify that we shall negotiate the prescribed articles of incorporation, restated articles of incorporation, or amendment to the articles (whichever may apply) upon their approval by the Board of Curators and shall thereafter conduct the affairs of this organization in accordance with Chapter 181 and s. 44.03 of the Wisconsin Statutes and the provision of the Wisconsin Historical Society Local History Policy Report of June, 1968.

NOTE: To meet statutory provisions for incorporation, the organization must have a minimum of three board officers.

Board Officers:	Name:	_____
(Please type)	Address:	_____
	Signature:	_____
	Name:	_____
	Address:	_____
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	Signature:	_____



Affiliation Questionnaire

Proposed name for organization:

Number of people involved:

NOTE: Generally we recommend 20 to start

Have you formally adopted the Wisconsin Historical Society's Model Bylaws? If not, why?

For more on bylaws and starting an organization, go to <http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/localhistory/organizing.asp>

How did the idea of starting a historical organization come about?

Collecting, Preserving and Sharing Stories Since 1846

816 State Street Madison, Wisconsin 53706

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Accomplishments to date: (please include dates)

Do you have a mission statement? If so, what is it?

Will you be developing a written collections policy? For more on developing a written collections policy for your archives, go to www.wisconsinhistory.org/pdfs/1a/LIB-WHRAB-Records-Policy-WCLH.pdf

Will you be developing a website?
