

# Researching Franklin County House Histories

## Examining Records to Help Determine the History of a House

**Monday, June 27, 2022**

**Sponsored by the Franklin County Visitors Bureau and the Franklin County Historical Society**

This workshop will analyze different types of records, resources, and structural elements that can help date old houses. Learn why certain records are essential in researching the history of a house. Even if you don't own a historic Franklin County home, you will learn the clues to help date any house.

### **Presenters:**

- Pam Anderson, certified genealogist and owner of Anderson CoGen
- Heather Wade, Franklin County Archivist
- Kara Shindle, Franklin County GIS Director

**Location:** Franklin County Visitors Bureau, 15 South Main Street, Chambersburg; 717-552-2977

### **Tentative Schedule:**

- **8:15 am-10:00 am** Records and repositories
- **10:00 am-10:30 am** Break
- **10:30 am-noon** Applying the records to the Peiffer House
- **noon-1:30 pm** Lunch and open discussion
- **4:00 pm-6:00 pm** Open house at the Peiffer House

**Cost:** \$45.00 per person

**I will attend:** \_\_\_\_\_ Lecture  
\_\_\_\_\_ Box Lunch  
\_\_\_\_\_ Open House

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Return a copy of this form with payment to:**

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### **Cancellations:**

If you cancel, the registration fee can be applied to a one-hour consultation (a \$52.00 value).

### **Parking:**

There are several lots within walking distance (see <https://www.downtownchambersburgpa.com/parking>). Parking meters are in effect 8 am to 5 pm. The meter rate is 25 cents per hour and accepts quarters only. Silver meters have a 2-hour limit, green meters have a 12-hour limit. Breaks will be scheduled close to times to feed meters.