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Oberlin Heritage Center Seeks History Walk Volunteers

The Oberlin Heritage Center will offer a Freedom's Friends History Walk training workshop on Sunday, July 10, from 1-4 p.m., for volunteers interested in learning about Oberlin's role in the history of abolition and the Underground Railroad and how to present it in the format of a 75-minute walking tour through historic neighborhoods surrounding downtown Oberlin. This History Walk is offered to groups by reservation and to the public (by reservation) every Saturday in August and September. No previous experience is needed; all that is required is a commitment from docents to assist with at least four history walks within the next year. Training is free, although advance registration is requested by July 8.

The training begins at the Monroe House (73½ South Professor Street in Oberlin) and will move on from there. For more information, or to reserve your place at the workshop, please call the Oberlin Heritage Center's Museum Education and Tour Coordinator, Elizabeth Schultz, at 440-774-1700 or send her an e-mail at tourinfo@oberlinheritage.org. Volunteers may also register online at www.oberlinheritage.org.

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