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NEW EVENING AND WEEKEND HOURS DURING THE RUN OF EXPOSED DC'S 2016 PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW



WASHINGTON, DC: The Historical Society of Washington, D.C. is proud to host the *10th annual Exposed DC Photography Show*, March 11-29, 2016 and offer extended public hours during the exhibition's run.

The *10th annual Exposed DC Photography Show* will be on display in the Historical Society's East Gallery on the second floor of the historic Carnegie Library at Mt. Vernon Square, 801 K Street NW, Washington, D.C. Following the opening evening reception on Thursday March 10, 2016, exhibition hours are Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm and Friday 10am-8pm. The exhibition will also be open Saturday March 12, 10am-4pm. The *10th annual Exposed DC Photography Show* concludes Tuesday March 29th, 2016. Opening night tickets are available at the door as well as online: see <http://exposeddc.com/>.

The exhibition complements the current holdings of the Historical Society, which includes more than 90,000 cataloged photographs and visual images (see www.DCHistory.org/Research for more information on the collections).

"We're thrilled to further Exposed DC's mission to strengthen and cultivate the local photography community," said Library and Collections Director Anne McDonough. "Many of our collections stem from the work of local photographers who understood the need to document D.C.'s social, architectural and political life through the decades. Exhibitions such as these are a great way to help identify photographer-historians of contemporary Washington, D.C. and encourage one and all to focus on the city they call home."

On display are the 47 winners of Exposed DC's 2016 contest, chosen for their depiction of the local side of Washington, D.C. Five of those photographs will be awarded Best in Show prizes, each one chosen by a panel of distinguished metro-area photographers: Lucian Perkins, Susana Raab, Lauren Stockbower, Yodith Dammlash, and Carolyn Russo.

As Exposed DC's co-founder Heather Goss notes, "what could be a better venue for an exhibit of images that tell the tales of modern life in the District? We're so pleased to be working with [the Historical Society] and holding our opening reception throughout the historic Carnegie Library with our other partners."

Opening reception

Thursday, March 10, 2016, 6-10 pm

Join Exposed DC and the trustees and staff of the Historical Society of Washington, D.C. for the first look at the *10th annual Exposed DC Photography Show*. Tickets are available at the door as well as online: see <http://exposeddc.com/>.

Special Saturday Hours

Saturday, March 12, 12 noon-4 pm

The Historical Society of Washington, D.C. is pleased to offer Saturday hours for viewing the *10th annual Exposed DC Photography Show*. Free and open to the public.

Regular Exhibition Hours

Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm

Friday 10am-8pm

Exhibition closes Tuesday March 29th at 4pm

Free and open to the public

The Historical Society's other current exhibitions include *Window to Washington: The Kiplinger Collection at the Historical Society of Washington, D.C.*, in the Carnegie Library building, and *For the Record: The Art of Lily Spandorf* exhibition, in collaboration with and presented at The George Washington University Museum/The Textile Museum, 701 21st St., NW (on view through July 2016)

About the Historical Society of Washington, D.C.

The Historical Society of Washington, D.C., is a community-supported educational and research organization that collects, interprets, and shares the history of our nation's capital. Founded in 1894, the Society serves a diverse audience through its collections, public programs, exhibitions, and publications. Headquartered in the historic Carnegie Library at Mt. Vernon Square, 801 K Street NW, the Society's galleries and research library (the latter by appointment) are open Monday through Thursday, 10 am-4 pm. ###