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Golden Valley Historical Society seeks items that tell the city's story as part of March 8 Market in the Valley event at Brookview Community Center

GOLDEN VALLEY, MINNESOTA – Are you a history buff? Do you have photos, postcards, maps, or other items in your basement or attic that might help tell the story of Golden Valley? The Golden Valley Historical Society (GVHS) is hosting a booth at Market in the Valley on Sunday, March 8 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at Brookview Community Center, 316 Brookview Parkway, Golden Valley. Stop by to share your historical items or chat about the history of Golden Valley.



GVHS was successful in obtaining a \$9,650 grant from the

Minnesota Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund to prepare a historic context study of the City of Golden Valley. "This study will provide a fascinating overview of the city's broad patterns of historical development," said Teresa Martin, a volunteer who helped to secure the grant. "It will be useful for many types of preservation planning activities, including helping Golden Valley residents and leaders to make smart planning decisions regarding shared historic resources."

Representatives from GVHS and the project's historic preservation consultant, Thomas R. Zahn & Associates, will be available to review items as well as to discuss Golden Valley history with interested participants at the March 8 event. A scanner and copier will be on hand to record documents. Project manager Crystal Boyd said, "If you're interested in donating items to the society's collections, volunteers will be present to explain the process and answer questions."

Do you have questions about what historical items to bring? Contact the Golden Valley Historical Society at gvhistoricalsociety@gmail.com.

The Golden Valley Historical Society (GVHS) operates the Golden Valley History Museum and historic Little White Church in the Valley, located at 6731 Golden Valley Road. GVHS's monthly history talks are open to the public and memberships in the Society are available. More information is available at www.goldenvalleyhistoricalsociety.org

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