# Facts & Craditions

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To assemble, preserve and interpret the history of
Southeast New Mexico and to promote a greater interest, understanding, and appreciation of the area's past.

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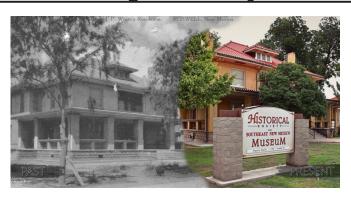
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#### **Update: Preserving Our History Is In Your Hands**



Although Historical Society has been a good steward of its resources including the buildings and grounds, we have had several critical issues recently that have caused us to deplete most of our finances:

As of July 31 we have spent \$92,766.84 on repair and maintenance to the Archives and Museum.

- Recently completed installation of second set of helical piers to stabilize Museum foundation
- 2. Will need to make repairs to exterior of Museum after foundation is repaired
- 3. Will replace concrete sidewalk after foundation repair
- 4. Have leveled yard away from Museum foundation to prevent further damage
- 5. Replaced the roof on the Archives
- 6. Replaced 5 ton compressor in Archives HVAC unit
- 7. Due to high winds, had to have electrical work done on exterior lighting at the Archives building
- 8. Will need to repair stucco associated with Archives roof repair
- 9. Museum has water leaks in the roof on the second and third floors
- 10. Sewer pipes in basement of Museum had be repaired.

We have been in almost nonstop fundraising mode in order to cover the expenses of these repairs. The Historical Foundation (whose sole purpose for existence is to financially support the Society) has not provided any funds for these repairs.

If you wish to continue to have a historical Museum, we ask that you make a contribution.

