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**The Lowell Historic Home Tour Returns to Downtown Fresno’s Historic Lowell Neighborhood**  
Event Focus’s on the Architecture and History of Some of Fresno’s Oldest Homes

**Fresno, CA** – For the 2<sup>nd</sup> straight year, the Lowell Community Development Corporation and Downtown Fresno Foundation present the 2018 Lowell Historic Home Tour. The tour will focus on four homes that were built at the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century and showcase a variety of architectural styles. Guests will learn about the history of the homes and renovations that have been undertaken to restore them to their original state. All proceeds for the Lowell Historic Home Tour will directly benefit the Lowell CDC.

**Who:** The event is ticketed, but open to the public. Tickets (\$25) are available online at [lowellcdc.org/events/](http://lowellcdc.org/events/). Day of tickets (\$35) will be available depending on availability.

**What:** Self-guided home tour of four historic homes in the Lowell District, ranging in date from the late 1890s to the early 1900s

**When:** Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 – 7:00 pm

**Where:** Lowell District, downtown Fresno – addresses and guides to be released to home tour guests one week before the event

With a ticket purchase, attendees will receive:

- A self-guided tour of four historic homes, with docents at each home
- Appetizers and drinks along the way
- Lowell District dining guide

If you would like to volunteer to be a docent for the Lowell Historic Home Tour please visit <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/YRZNW87>

**About the Lowell District**

Just north of Fresno’s central business district and south of the 180 freeway, the Lowell Neighborhood is one of Fresno’s first subdivisions, dating back to the late 1800s. The neighborhood features a collection of mansions, mid-sized homes, bungalow courts, and apartments. Many historically significant buildings remain intact in the neighborhood with recently completed infill and rehab projects within the district.

**About Lowell CDC:** The Lowell Community Development Corporation is a 501(c)3 organization based in the Lowell District in downtown Fresno. The mission of the organization is to improve the quality of life in the Lowell neighborhood through community engagement, equitable housing, and historic diversity. For more information about projects and events, please visit [www.lowellcdc.org](http://www.lowellcdc.org).

**About Downtown Fresno Foundation:** The Downtown Fresno Foundation is a 501(c)3 organization dedicated to improving the downtown community by developing projects, programs, and activities that support economic

development, revitalization, and community engagement within Fresno's central business district. The mission of the organization is to enhance the downtown community by providing resources and support for downtown Fresno stakeholders. For more information about projects and events, please visit [www.downtownfresno.org/foundation](http://www.downtownfresno.org/foundation).

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