



The Path Less Traveled: Montana Preservation Road Show

A Touring Historic Preservation Conference
May 31 - June 2, 2012
Dillon & Beaverhead Valley

Hop on the tour bus and immerse yourself in the history and heritage of the vast Beaverhead Valley. Ride along with historians, preservationists, archaeologists, tribal representatives, professors, and authors as we visit everything from buffalo jumps and ancient rock art sites to ruins of early mining and industrial buildings, and fully restored homesteads, ranches, downtown storefronts and more.

In addition, walking tours in Dillon, traditional panel discussions and lectures with nationally known speakers, and hands-on preservation workshops offer participants the chance to see and learn how preserving Montana's prehistoric sites, historic built environment, landscapes, and our shared heritage can encourage a more sustainable, alluring, and economically viable future for Montana.



The broad range of tours and conference topics will interest a wide audience from preservation professionals, archaeologists, history teachers, students, and museum curators, to downtown managers, historic home and business owners, tourism professionals, public land managers, and more. Conference venues include the historic University of Montana-Western campus and the charming Beaverhead County Museum and Old Depot Theatre.

Visit www.preservemontana.org/events.html for a draft conference agenda and the latest on conference registration.

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