



CUMBERLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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### ADA Policy

The Cumberland County Historical Society (CCHS) formed in 1905, at the same time plans were being made to erect a monument to commemorate the Tea Burning in Greenwich. The Cumberland County Historical Society was organized as a non-profit corporation. The first recorded meeting of the incorporators of the Cumberland County Historical Society was held in the old Cumberland County Court House on Broad Street in Bridgeton at 2 PM on December 2, 1908.

CCHS is comprised of The Alan Carman Museum of Prehistory in Cumberland County, The Warren & Reba Lummis Genealogical & Historical Research Library, The Gibbon House Museum, The John DuBois Maritime Museum, Potter's Tavern, and the Stable. The Gibbon House Museum, The John DuBois Maritime Museum, Potter's Tavern are all historic buildings, constructed in the 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> centuries.

### Wheelchair Accessibility

CCHS has a portable wheelchair ramp for use at The Warren & Reba Lummis Genealogical & Historical Research Library, The Alan Carman Museum of Prehistory in Cumberland County, and The John DuBois Maritime Museum, the main floors of each building are the only available space to the public.

The Gibbon House Museum's kitchen is accessible to individuals who use wheelchairs. Additionally, video footage of the rest of the museum can be requested two weeks advance notice. Potter's Tavern is not wheelchair accessible, CCHS has a detailed tour of the museum via YouTube.

### Restrooms

The Warren & Reba Lummis Genealogical & Historical Research Library and The Alan Carman Museum of Prehistory in Cumberland County restroom entryways are 30 inches, shy of the ADA minimum of 32 inches, but both restrooms are spacious and include a handle near the toilet.

### Sensory

Museums and Library lights can be on at 50% for individuals with light sensitivity. Private tours and researching can be scheduled to ensure the locations' sound and crowd level are at a minimum. Write-up summaries on current exhibits can also be provided in addition to detailed guided tours upon request.

### Service Animals

Service animals are welcome at the Cumberland County Historical Society.

### Large Print Materials

Cumberland County Historical Society will provide Large Print materials with two weeks advance notice.

Please provide two weeks advance notice for special accommodations.

If you have any questions, or would like to make suggestions for further improvements to better accommodate your needs, please contact us at 856-455-8580 or E-mail: [brittlp48@gmail.com](mailto:brittlp48@gmail.com)