

Saving and Preserving Arts and Cultural Environments

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The Kaleva Historical Society
The Kaleva Historical Museum
Kaleva, MI 49645

Dear members of the Kaleva Historical Society:

SPACES is a nonprofit national arts organization concerned with the identification, documentation, and preservation of contemporary American folk art environments. We maintain an extensive national archive of sites which is available to scholars, art historians, preservationists, media and others. We are very interested in the "Bottle House" and would like to receive any available information about it, its creator John J. Makinen, Sr., its history, its future. This could include xeroxes of newspaper articles, history of the purchase, photographs, etc. Is there a particular with whom we should correspond? Are there other parties (outside of the Historical Society) to whom we should write?

We have enclosed some information about SPACES to give you a sense of who we are. If there are other projects in your area that you think we should know about, please tell us. Thank you in advance for your help. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Seymour Rosen
Director

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Elaine Wintman".

Elaine Wintman
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