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### **Local Architectural Firm Sponsors DuBois Historic Preservation Workshop**

**ALTOONA, PA**— Judy Coutts, AIA, Architect, is sponsoring the Downtown Building Workshop scheduled for February 28, 2011, from 7:30 AM – noon, at the DuBois Country Club. The event will expose local businesses and building owners to the opportunities available to them, explain how to navigate the federal historical tax credit program, and avoid mistakes on historic preservation and facade improvement projects.

Speakers at the event include William Callahan from the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission; Ta Brant, PA Wilds Small Business Ombudsman; and Bill Kulbacki, Code Officials Alliance of Pennsylvania.

The cost of attending the workshop is free. Space is limited, however, so attendees are encouraged to register by February 23. Call 814-371-3064 or email [downtowndubois@verizon.net](mailto:downtowndubois@verizon.net).

Ms. Coutts has consulted on historic preservation projects since 1980, and has helped property owners and developers in Washington, DC, and Altoona, Pennsylvania take advantage of the investment tax credits available to qualifying projects. The Downtown DuBois Revitalization Group has organized the workshop.

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