

MOUNTAIN-PLAINS MUSEUMS ASSOCIATION

Vision, Mission and Values Statements

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VISION STATEMENT

The Mountain-Plains Museum Association is a dynamic organization that collaborates with museums to preserve and celebrate the region’s rich and diverse cultural, artistic and natural heritage. It serves its members by providing educational opportunities to assist museums to strive toward excellence in areas of collections preservation, exhibitions and interpretation. It advocates for museums and museum workers. It provides leadership in the discussion and development of strategies for the evolution of museums, and it serves as a central source of information to meet the needs of museums facing the challenges of today and the future.

MPMA envisions...

Dynamic museums collaborating to inspire thriving communities.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Mountain-Plains Museums Association (MPMA) is a regional organization of museums and museum professionals that advocates excellence in the field, provides a forum for communication between its members, and shares creative learning opportunities with the region’s diverse audiences. MPMA is the voice of its members in appropriate state, regional, and national arenas.

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VALUES OF MOUNTAIN-PLAINS MUSEUMS ASSOCIATION

Leadership: MPMA values its role as the leading regional museum association in the mountain-plains west.

Education: MPMA provides timely, cutting edge information for the region’s museums and professionals through communication, ideas, workshops and meetings

Collaboration: MPMA builds stronger museums through community and collaboration

Professional development: MPMA offers a regional connection to new professional opportunities for institutions and individuals