

# Historic Gateway Neighborhood

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## events

### **Take a Hike: Downtown Cleveland Walking Tours**

The popular Take a Hike tours return May 12 through September 18, 2011. Presented by [PNC](#), these free, guided walking tours of four unique downtown neighborhoods feature actors and actresses portraying important, historic Clevelanders.

“Meet” John D. Rockefeller, Garrett Morgan, Frances Payne Bolton, Daniel Burnham, Mrs. Alfred Kelley, Milton Krantz, Mayor Tom Johnson or Alan Freed on one of these fun-filled, interesting tours.

### **Historic Gateway Neighborhood Tour**

Every Saturday: Meet at 10 AM at the Arcade (401 Euclid Avenue - inside the doors off Euclid).

The Gateway tour offers you the opportunity to learn about the Arcade, East 4th Street, Euclid Avenue, dime story history, the Colonial Marketplace, interesting stories about the Rose Building, the Caxton Building and much more. You'll be amazed by the rich history and architecture of this bustling District, especially since you've probably already dined here or strolled through on a trip to Quicken Loans Arena or Progressive Field.

### **Canal Basin Park Tour**

Every Sunday: Meet at 10 AM at Settler's Landing RTA Station (1025 West Superior Avenue - Take Superior down the hill (the hill is just north of the bridge) past West 10th Street into the Flats. The tour meets where Superior dead ends into Robert Lockwood Jr. Street at the brick patio with the glass-covered RTA station.)

Interested in bridges, canal history, railroads or future plans for the Flats? Then, this is just the tour for you. Be sure to bring your camera to capture lovely views of the bridges, city and river as your tour guide leads you along the Cuyahoga River and shares stories of Cleveland's early settlers along with plans for Canal Basin Park and the final leg of the Towpath Trail.

### **PlayhouseSquare Neighborhood Tour**

Every Tuesday: Meet at 6 PM in the State Theatre Lobby (1519 Euclid Avenue).

You may have been entertained by fantastic Broadway musicals and shows inside PlayhouseSquare; now you have the opportunity to explore the neighborhood. Before you head outside, you'll enjoy a peek inside the State Theatre Lobby to admire its beautiful murals. Then, you're off to learn about theatre history, Star Plaza, the golden age of downtown department stores, such as Halle's and Sterling Linder, the Huntington Building, plans for the District of Design, and much more.

### **Historic Warehouse District Tour**

Every Thursday: Meet at 6 PM at Constantino's Market (1278 West 9th Street).

Enjoy a stroll around Cleveland's original neighborhood, and learn about the historic garment and hardware industries, what the District's incredible buildings, such as the Western Reserve Building, Rockefeller Building and Hoyt Block were once used for, and plans for the Public Realm. You'll be impressed by awe-inspiring architecture, a peek at an interior courtyard, lively outdoor cafes and much more.

Groups of ten or more should call or [email](#) in advance in an effort to make tour preparations as smooth as possible. Tours last approximately one and a half hours in length. Donations are encouraged to help fund future tours.

Take a Hike receives public support with local tax dollars from [Cuyahoga Arts & Culture](#), to preserve and enrich our region's artistic and cultural heritage.

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Please call 216-771-1994 with questions.