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**Missouri History Museum Debuts
History Happens Here.org and Invites
Input from Readers**

ST. LOUIS, February 1, 2010—The Missouri History Museum is pleased to announce the launch of a new online magazine, *History Happens Here*, found at www.historyhappenshere.org.

Visitors to the website will have the opportunity to make **history happen here!** Acknowledging that everyone adds to his or her own story every day, the editors of *History Happens Here* are encouraging visitors to share their connections to the stories that appear in the magazine. Ideas for new features and viewpoints are also welcome.

In addition, the Museum is seeking partnerships with journalists, commentators, and bloggers to provide a historic lens for topics and issues of interest to the local and national community.

History Happens Here offers a plethora of interesting and exciting topics, images, and artifacts. For example, one can read about the St. Louis origins of the 7UP soft drink, peruse (and purchase) historic images from the Museum collection, enjoy video/audio from a different era, read reviews and excerpts from the latest books on historical subjects, and be alerted to current events as they relate to our region, the nation, and the world.

- *History Happens Here* now available at www.historyhappenshere.org
- **Public is encouraged to contribute**
- **Museum is looking for partnerships in providing historical content**

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