



EXISTING CONDITIONS

Remove synthetic siding and brick from building facades.

Remove sign from building.



HISTORIC PHOTOGRAPH

Where needed, historic brick should be repointed with a mortar that closely matches the historic mortar in composition, color, and joint profile.

Building should be painted a color that closely matches the historic brick color. Any existing loose paint should be scraped off with a nylon bristle brush before repainting.

New storefront windows that match the size and shape of the historic storefront windows should be installed. Larger windows are more historically appropriate for the building.

If historic upper-floor windows are still remaining they should be repaired. If historic windows are no longer remaining, new windows matching the historic windows shape, size and profile should be installed.

A new larger flush mounted sign should installed on the building.



PROPOSED DESIGN

Mercer Co.  
Senior Center  
137 West Main St  
Aleo

OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT  
GOVERNOR PAT QUINN



ILLINOIS MAIN  
STREET PROGRAM

The Illinois Historic Preservation Agency, through the Illinois Main Street Program, has provided this free design assistance to qualified property/business owners in the officially designated Main Street district. This conceptual rendering is based on information supplied to the staff. Should obscured architectural details or problems be revealed during the work, the local project manager and/or the staff architects should be consulted.

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