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New flush mounted-sign should be installed on the south wall of the building.



New projecting sign with Route 40 symbol should be installed on south brick pier. Sign should be attached through the brick mortar joints.

Vinyl window graphics should be installed centered on display windows.

Existing metal bulkhead, door frame, and double-hung window frames should be painted to match the blue from the new signage.

PROPOSED DESIGN

Historic National Road Interpretive Center

106 S. Fifth St.
Vandalia

OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR PAT QUINN



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