The Cultural Heritage of the Yahara Corridor
Wisconsin has 13,000 years of history.

Non-Native peoples have been here for \(3\%\) of that time.
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**Clovis Folsom**

- Spear Throwers (atl-atls)
- Ice Age Animals Hunted
- Early Known Cremations

**Old Copper**

- First Ground Stone Tools
- Early Nut Processing
- Reliance on Deer

**Red Ochre Hopewell Effigy Mound**

- Copper Mining Begins
- Bison Occidentalis
- Shellfish Harvests
- Domestic Plants

**Pottery**

- Bow and Arrow
- Burial Mounds
- Tobacco/Pipes

**Không**

- Altithermal Warm Temperatures
- Dry Conditions
- Oak Savannah and Prairie

**Little Ice Age**

- glaciers retreating
- regional flooding
- spruce forest and tundra

**Modern Climate**

- Wisconsin Historical Society
Tools
Lake Waubesa

1 Linear and 1 Tailed-Quadruped not mapped
Excursion Boat
Spring Harbor

Wagon undercarriage off Brearly Street
Weedcutter - Lake Monona

Anchor–Union Terrace
Cars
The Law: § 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act

Directs Federal Agencies:

1) to identify sites eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

2) to consider effects on sites eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

3) to consult with the WHS and other parties to address Adverse Effects to such sites.
Beckman Mill
Town of Newark, Rock County

ACOE -- § 106 Project
The Law: Wis. Stats. § 44.40

• State Agencies must consider effects on sites recorded in the Wisconsin Inventory of Historic Places.

• WHS reviews all State Agency projects that may affect such sites.
Kekoskee Archeological District
Adams County
The Law: Wis. Stats. §§ 44.42 and 66.1111

- Local Units of Government must consider effects on sites listed in the State Register or National Register of Historic Places.

- WHS reviews all Local Unit of Government projects that may affect such sites.
Dodge County Courthouse
Beaver Dam, WI
Dodge County Courthouse: Post-Negotiation
“New” Dodge County Courthouse
The Law: Wis. Stats 157.70

- Protects All burial sites in Wisconsin, regardless of age or cultural affiliation.
Lower Mud Lake Archaeological Complex

• **Skare Site**
  – Only intact Early PI settlement known in Wisconsin
  – Also occupied during a crucial ‘gap’ in Late Woodland history

• **Dreyson Fish Weir**
  – Built prior to 1840, used as late as early 20th century
  – One of only a dozen preserved in the state

• **Douglas Dam and Sawmill**
  – Built 1840-1860 by first settler in Township
  – Only known intact mid 19th century dam in Wisconsin

• **Listed on NRHP in 2004**
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