

# **Presentation on Slavery and Abolition on the Illinois-Missouri Border, by C. Patrick Hotle**

**October 21 and 22 at 11 a.m.**

## **Battle of Athens State Historic Site – Shelter House**

Join us at Battle of Athens State Historic Site as C. Patrick Hotle of the Missouri Speakers Bureau presents on slavery and abolition on the Illinois-Missouri border.

This presentation will last about an hour and will include a slideshow about slavery and abolitionist activity in the area prior to the Civil War.

The presentation will be held inside the shelter house. This event is free and open to the public, and there is no need to register.

Battle of Athens State Historic Site is located 10 miles north of Kahoka, Missouri, on Highway 81, then 4 miles east on Highway CC. The shelter house is at the end of Highway CC.

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