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## Stonewall at 50: The Movement for LGBT Civil Rights David Carter, Historian

Friday, June 7, 2019 / 1:30 pm EDT

1331 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20425 Entrance via F St NW (between 13th & 14th St NW)

On June 28, 1969, street demonstrations began at the Stonewall Inn in Greenwich Village in New York City. Many look at these demonstrations for lesbian and gay civil rights as a critical moment in the movement for LGBT civil rights. In June 2016, President Barack Obama proclaimed a site near the former Stonewall Inn a National Monument. Historian David Carter, who served as an advisor on the campaign to make the Stonewall site a national monument, will present on the events leading up to the demonstrations at Stonewall and their historical significance for the movement for LGBT civil rights.

David Carter has been working on the history of the LGBT civil rights movement for a quarter of a century. His last book, *Stonewall: The Riots That Sparked the Gay Revolution*, was published by St. Martin's Press in 2004. Carter was the consultant for the American Experience film *Stonewall Uprising*, which won a George Foster Peabody Award in 2012.

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If you cannot attend in person, tune in to the livestream <u>here</u>. There will also be a call-in line for individuals who desire to listen to the presentations: 1-877-211-3430, Conference ID 837-0177.

The presentation will occur immediately after our monthly Commission business meeting.

We look forward to your joining us on June 7!