## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

HISTORIC PRESERVATION REVIEW BOARD HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE



## MONTHLY PUBLIC NOTICE October 2020

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#### PURPOSE OF THIS NOTICE

This notice is the official monthly announcement by the District of Columbia's Historic Preservation Office (HPO) of pending matters of public interest. It includes items related to preservation planning, designation of historic landmarks and historic districts, and project reviews before the Historic Preservation Review Board (HPRB) and U.S. Commission of Fine Arts (CFA).

Please note that this notice contains changes in procedures, noted in bold, for the Historic Preservation Review Board's public meetings due to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

#### NOTICE TO ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSIONS

HPO and HPRB welcome and encourage Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) participation in the historic preservation review process. HPRB gives great weight to duly adopted written ANC views on matters of significance to neighborhood planning and development.

## **How Affected ANCs Should Use this Notice**

This is an initial notice to ANCs of construction projects recently filed for HPRB review. Projects are identified by address and ANC area where the address is located. Upcoming historic designation hearings are also listed, supplementing the separate notice letters mailed to ANCs.

HPRB regulations are designed to allow ANCs to identify projects they believe are significant to neighborhood planning and development. ANCs can request project submissions and applicant contact information from the assigned HPO staff person listed on this notice.

The historic preservation regulations encourage, but do not require, applicants to contact the affected ANC to present their projects and to resolve any public concerns before HPRB review. If an ANC is interested in a project listed on this notice, but has not yet been contacted by the applicant, the ANC is encouraged to arrange for an ANC review directly with the applicant.

#### **Longer Notice Period for Cases Undergoing ANC Review**

HPO gives notice according to rules designed to balance the interests of project applicants and ANCs. If HPO is already aware of ANC interest in a project, the case is listed on two successive monthly notices in order to ensure a minimum notice to the affected ANC of 45 days (or 30 working days, whichever is longer). This means that when these cases first appear on this notice, they are scheduled for the HPRB meeting at the end of the *following* month.

HPO asks affected ANCs for help in identifying any other projects on this notice that they want to review at a public meeting. Upon notification, HPO will ensure that the affected ANC receives a minimum 45-day notice of those cases. ANCs may identify an interest in reviewing any or all cases that affect their area.

For those cases that affected ANCs do not need to consider at a public meeting, HPO will proceed with review for possible consideration at *this month's* HPRB meeting. The shorter notice allows the application to proceed without unnecessary delay to the applicant or burden to the ANC.

#### **How to Ensure Consideration of ANC Views**

ANCs should first identify those cases on this notice they want to review. ANCs should feel free to contact the assigned HPO staff person for information about any case. ANCs should also contact HPO in writing to request an extended notice for those cases the ANC wants to review at a public meeting. Requests are granted automatically and may be made by email to the assigned staff person or to <a href="https://historic.preservation@dc.gov">historic.preservation@dc.gov</a>. Requests should be made as soon as possible, but no later than two days before the upcoming HPRB meeting. ANCs do not need to contact HPO about projects that are already scheduled to allow a 45-day review period, or that they have already reviewed.

#### **How to Submit ANC Comments**

For ANC comments to receive great weight, they must be adopted by ANC vote at a duly noticed public meeting. ANC comments may be in resolution or letter format and should be submitted within the 45-day review period. Comments should relate to HPRB's area of jurisdiction, state the vote taken, and articulate the basis for the ANC recommendations.

Any ANC commissioner is welcome to participate in HPRB meetings as an individual, but only the duly adopted official comments of the ANC receive great weight.

## GENERAL AVAILABILITY OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

The applications listed on this notice and their associated materials are a matter of public record.

Case files, including all correspondence received, may be accessed on the Office of Planning website. Due to the COVID-19 public health emergency, case files are not currently accessible in person.

## HOW TO ACCESS THE HPRB MEETING

Due to the COVID-19 public the October 22 and 29 HPRB meetings may be accessed live via WebEx. Use the links below to access to the meetings:

October 22 Meeting link:

https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/onstage/g.php?MTID=e8358386f1f240ace96c2961e23f51d7f

October 22 Call-in number: 1-650-479-3208

Access Code: 172 645 0165

October 29 Meeting link:

https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/onstage/g.php?MTID=e6ec5801494184f1bc869662059dab9c8

October 29 Call-in number: 1-650-479-3208

Access Code: 172 366 8614

The link and further instructions to those meetings will be posted on the Office of Planning website: <a href="https://planning.dc.gov/page/historic-preservation-review-board">https://planning.dc.gov/page/historic-preservation-review-board</a>.

The meetings will be recorded and posted to the Office of Planning website approximately 5 days following the meeting.

## **COMMENT SUBMISSION DEADLINES**

Public comments are welcome on HPRB cases. Written public comments must be submitted at least 24 hours in advance of the scheduled meeting. To testify before the HPRB via WebEx, you must also register 24 hours in advance. Please submit your name and the case you wish to testify on by emailing <a href="mailto:historic.preservation@dc.gov">historic.preservation@dc.gov</a>. Instructions for testifying will be emailed to you in advance of the meeting.

Any comments received after the final deadline will held for the record but not distributed to the HPRB members.

The 66-day/51-working-day ANC notice period for new cases on this notice expires on: December 11, 2020.

## NOTICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION REVIEW BOARD MEETINGS

October 22, 2020 October 29, 2020

The Historic Preservation Review Board (HPRB) will meet via WebEx on October 22 and October 22 to consider concept and permit applications for work affecting historic properties. Applications for historic landmark or historic district designation may also be considered.

The agenda for these meetings will be drawn from the list of filed cases below, but not all cases on the list will be included. The agenda will be released on the Friday before each meeting and will be emailed to all recipients of this public notice. The agenda and HPO reports for the scheduled cases will be posted on the HPO website at www.preservation.dc.gov by the end of the day on Friday, October 16, 2020.

## NOTICE OF CASES FILED FOR REVIEW

The following cases have been filed by this month's application deadline for submission to HPRB. The agenda of cases for the upcoming HPRB meetings will be drawn from this list.

*Listing on this notice does not guarantee a hearing this month*. Some cases are already scheduled for the following month. Other cases may be deferred at the request of the affected Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC), for insufficient information, or at the discretion of HPO or HPRB.

For inquiries about or to provide comments on a specific case, please contact the assigned staff person listed below. Written comments should be received at HPO by the comment deadlines noted above. Submission of written comments by email is preferred.

#### INFORMATIONAL PRESENTATION

Overview of recently-completed projects

#### **DESIGN GUIDELINES**

Bloomingdale Historic District Preservation and Design Guideline, submission of final draft for HPRB consideration

#### HISTORIC LANDMARK AND HISTORIC DISTRICT DESIGNATION HEARINGS

#### ANC

- 1A All Souls Church, Unitarian, 1500 Harvard Street NW, Case 20-10
- 7F A. Loffler Provisions Company, 3701 Benning Road NE, Case 21-01 (to be heard November 19)

#### PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND CONCEPTUAL REVIEWS

#### Anacostia Historic District

- 8A 1353 Maple View Place SE, HPA 20-462, concept, new construction of two-story accessory dwelling unit at rear, front parking pad (*Price*)
- 8A 2325 High Street SE, HPA 20-519, concept, two-story rear addition; window and door replacement; infill windows and create new window openings (*Price*)

## Bloomingdale Historic District

5E 2422 North Capitol Street NW, HPA 20-461, permit, add third story to existing house (*Meyer*)

### Capitol Hill Historic District

- 6A 1382 East Capitol Street NE, HPA 20-481, concept, add third story to existing two-story building; addition at rear (*deferred until November at the request of the ANC; Nadal*)
- 6B 514 Archibald Walk SE, HPA 20-478, concept/add second story to existing one-story garage (*Nadal*)
- 6B 515 10<sup>th</sup> Street SE, HPA 20-518, concept/ add second story to existing one-story garage (*deferred at request of the applicant; Nadal*)

#### Cleveland Park Historic District

- 3C 3711 35th Street NW, HPA 20-460, concept/ add third story; three-story addition at rear; two-story addition at side; alterations to front and side porch (*Callcott*)
- 3C 3616 Ordway Street NW, HPA 20-517, replace existing rear addition with larger footprint two-story addition; convert garage into living space; add egress window wells to west elevation (*Brockett*)

#### **Dupont Circle Historic District**

2B 1625 P Street NW (Stead Park), HPA 20-468, concept/renovate carriage house; addition to carriage house; alterations to south end of park (*Brockett*)

#### LeDroit Park Historic District

- 1B 1952 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW, HPA 20-168, concept/addition and rear extension and garage (*Meyer*)
- 1B 421 T Street NW, HPA 20-300, revised concept/three-story addition at rear (not being scheduled for October; Meyer)

#### Mount Pleasant Historic District

- 1D 2051 Park Road NW, HPA 20-419, permit/roll-up garage gate (*Dennee*)
- 1D 1745 Park Road NW, HPA 20-516, permit/roll-up garage door (*Dennee*)

#### Mount Vernon Square Historic District

6E 441 M Street NW, HPA 20-287, permit/rear addition (*Meyer*)

## Saint Elizabeths Hospital Historic District

8C 1200 Alabama Avenue SE (Square 5868S, Lot 809), Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue SE, HPA 20-316, design development/construction of six-story office building (*Dennee*)

## Shaw/Blagden Alley Historic District

6E 1320-1322 8th Street NW, HPA 20-471, concept/multi-story additions to three existing rowhouses (deferred at the request of the ANC; Meyer)

#### Sheridan-Kalorama Historic District

2D 2450 Belmont Road NW, HPA 20-497/498, permit/cellar addition; alterations to stone wall; new entry door and stoop; new garage door; new construction of pool house (*Callcott*)

## Woodley Park Historic District

3C 2735 Connecticut Avenue NW, HPA 20-391, concept/rear addition of four stories behind two-story building (*Brockett*)

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#### HPO AND HPRB WEBSITE

For additional information, see the HPO and HPRB website at www.preservation.dc.gov.

ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES: Persons needing accessibility accommodations including foreign language and sign language interpretation for preservation services and programs may contact Steve Callcott at the Office of Planning at (202) 442-7600 to request assistance. Please provide two weeks advance notice for HPRB meetings