

Historic District Commission

Staff Report – October 3rd, 2018

Oct. 3rd MEETING

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS / OLD BUSINESS:

- Administrative Approvals:
 1. **348 Maplewood Ave.** - TBD
 2. **8 Bow Street** - Recommend Approval
 3. **77 Daniel Street** - TBD
 4. **2 Jackson Hill Road** - Recommend Approval
 5. **37 Hanover Street** - Recommend Approval
 6. **175 Market Street** - TBD

PUBLIC HEARINGS – OLD BUSINESS:

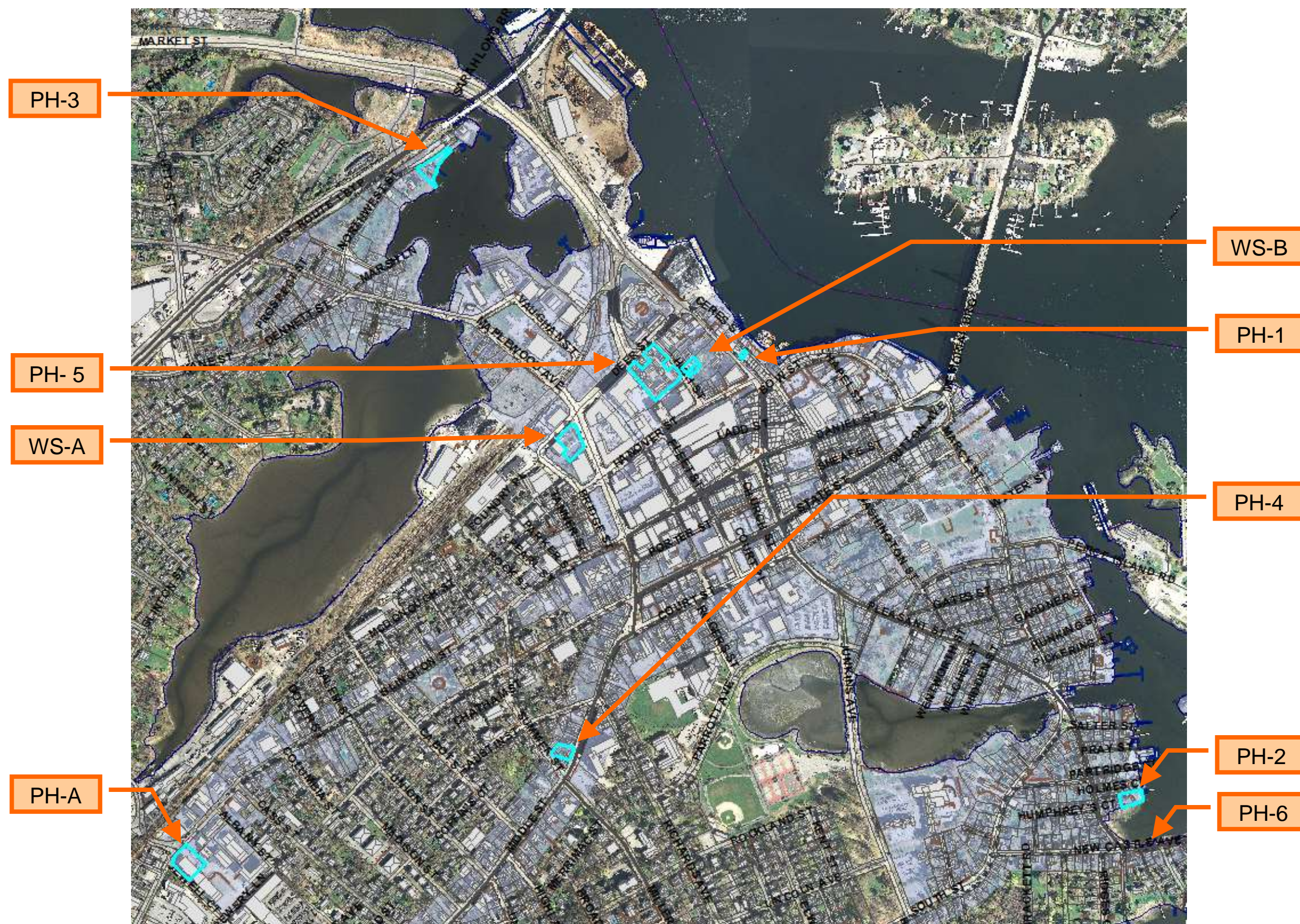
- A. 674 Islington Street (Minor – Signs)

PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS:

1. 129 Market Street (Minor – windows and doors)
2. 30 Walden Street (Minor – deck and railing)
3. 206 Northwest Street (Moderate – demo garden structure)
4. 298 Middle Street (Minor – windows & siding)
5. 69 New Castle Ave. (Minor – addition and windows)
6. 403 Deer Street (Minor – dormers)

WORK SESSIONS – OLD BUSINESS:

- A. 46 Maplewood Ave. (Moderate – Penthouse Exp.)
- B. 127-137 High Street (Moderate – Rear Additions)



HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

MEETING DATE: October 3rd
APPLICATIONS: 9

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

674 ISLINGTON STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #A

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4-L2
 - Land Use: Commercial - Retail
 - Land Area: 23,522 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1880
 - Building Style: Modern
 - Historical Significance: NC
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Islington Street
 - Unique Features: Former mill building from Frank Jones Brewery
 - Neighborhood Association: West End

B. **Proposed Work:** To replace existing internally lit sign with halo lighting.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☒ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☐ Mid-Block
- ☒ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished / Constructed:

- ☒ Principal
- ☐ Accessory
- ☐ Significant Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

- ☐ Highly Sensitive
- ☐ Sensitive
- ☒ Low Sensitivity
- ☐ “Back-of-House”

G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

- ☐ Literal Replication (i.e. 6-16 Congress, Jardinière Building, 10 Pleasant Street)
- ☐ Invention within a Style (i.e., Porter Street Townhouses, 100 Market Street)
- ☐ Abstract Reference (i.e. Portwalk, 51 Islington, 55 Congress Street)
- ☐ Intentional Opposition (i.e. McIntyre Building, Citizen’s Bank, Coldwell Banker)

H. Project Type:

- ☐ Consent Agenda (i.e. very small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☒ Minor Project (i.e. small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☐ Moderate Project (i.e. significant additions, alterations or expansions)
- ☐ Major Project (i.e. very significant alternations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- The structure is located along lower Islington Street near the West End. It is surrounded with both single story brick structures as well as 2.5 story, wood-frame historic structures with shallow or no front yard setbacks on relatively small lots. The coverage of the surrounding properties also primarily surface parking.

J. Background & Suggested Action:

- The applicant proposed to:
- Replace the existing internally lit signage with halo signage.
 - Note that a variance may not be required for this type of signage.

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for All Sections (01-12)

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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674 ISLINGTON STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #A (MINOR PROJECT)

		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA	SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		
STAFF		Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)	
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION	(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)				
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MINOR PROJECT – REPLACE INTERNALLY LIT SIGNS WITH HALO SIGNS ONLY –				
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)					
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio					
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)					
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)					
	6	Number of Stories					
7	Building Coverage (% Building on the Lot)						
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS		
		8	Scale (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		9	Placement (i.e. setbacks, alignment...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		10	Massing (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	11	Architectural Style (i.e. traditional – modern)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		12	Roofs			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		13	Style and Slope			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		14	Roof Projections (i.e. chimneys, vents, dormers...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		15	Roof Materials			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		16	Cornice Line			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
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		18	Walls			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		19	Siding / Material			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		20	Projections (i.e. bays, balconies...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		21	Doors and Windows			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		22	Window Openings and Proportions			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		23	Window Casing/ Trim			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		24	Window Shutters / Hardware			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		25	Storm Windows / Screens			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		26	Doors			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		27	Porches and Balconies			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		28	Projections (i.e. porch, portico, canopy...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		29	Landings/ Steps / Stoop / Railings			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		30	Lighting (i.e. wall, post...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		31	Signs (i.e. projecting, wall...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		33	Decks			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		34	Garages/ Barns / Sheds (i.e. doors, placement...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		SITE DESIGN	35	Fence / Walls / Screenwalls (i.e. materials, type...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
			36	Grading (i.e. ground floor height, street edge...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
			37	Landscaping (i.e. gardens, planters, street trees...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
			38	Driveways (i.e. location, material, screening...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
			39	Parking (i.e. location, access, visibility...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
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PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 674 ISLINGTON ST. Case No: 1 Date: 10-3-18

Decision: ☐ Approved ☐ Approved with Stipulations ☐ Denied
☐ Continued ☐ Postponed ☐ Withdrawn



H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Maintain the special character of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Comp of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

129 MARKET STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #1

A. **Property Information - General:**

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Mixed-Use
 - Land Area: 1,470 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1810
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Number of Stories: 5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Ceres Street
 - Unique Features: Market Street Warehouse Building
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. **Proposed Work:** To replace doors and windows and awning systems.

C. **Other Permits Required:**

- ☐ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. **Lot Location:**

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☒ Mid-Block
- ☐ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. **Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished:**

- ☒ Principal
- ☐ Accessory
- ☐ Demolition

F. **Sensitivity of Context:**

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- ☒ Sensitive
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J. **Neighborhood Context:**

- The building is located along Ceres Street. It is surrounded by many brick 3-4 story historic structures with no front yard setbacks with gardens, patios and walkways.

K. **Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:**

The applicant is proposing to:

- Replace the existing doors and windows and add a new awning system
- The commercial unit is proposed to be converted into a live/work use.

- **Design Guideline Reference:** *Guidelines for Windows and Doors (08)and Signs and Awnings (11)*

L. **Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:**



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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129 MARKET STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #1 (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: 129 MARKET STREET Case No.: 1 Date: 10-3-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Continued <input type="checkbox"/> Postponed <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn</div> <div></div>	
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		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)					
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)		<div>MINOR PROJECT</div> <div>– INSTALL NEW WINDOWS AND DOORS & AWNING ONLY –</div>					
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio							
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)							
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		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Maintain the special character of the District:

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6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

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2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

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3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Evaluation Form: **30 WALDEN STREET**
Permit Requested: **CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL**
Meeting Type: **PUBLIC HEARING #2**

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: GRB
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 12,632 SF
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1880
 - Building Style: Queen Anne
 - Number of Stories: 1.5
 - Historical Significance: C
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Waterfront
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: To replace rear deck and railings.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment ☒ Planning Board ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☒ Terminal Vista ☐ Gateway ☐ Mid-Block
☐ Intersection / Corner Lot ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished:

- ☒ Principal ☐ Accessory ☐ Significant Demolition

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I. Neighborhood Context:

- This 1.5 story structure is located on Walden Street in the South End and is surrounded with many contributing structures. The neighborhood is predominantly 1.5 to 2.5 story wood-sided structures with a shallow setback from the street edge.

J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:

- The applicant is proposing to:
 - Replace the rear deck, stairs and decking.
 - The decking is proposed to be composite as is the railing system.
 - This is a “back-of-house” condition.

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines Porches, Stoops and Decks (06).

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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30 WALDEN STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #2 (MINOR PROJECT)

		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA	SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT	
STAFF	No.	Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)			
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MINOR PROJECT - REPLACE REAR DECK WITH COMPOSITE DECKING AND RAILING ONLY -			
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)				
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio				
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)				
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PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 30 WALDEN STREET Case No:2 Date: 10-3-18

Decision: ☐ Approved ☐ Approved with Stipulations ☐ Denied ☐ Continued ☐ Postponed ☐ Withdrawn



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☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

206 NORTHWEST STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #3

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRA
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 10,455 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1850
 - Building Style: Greek Revival
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Northwest Street
 - Unique Features: Abuts Rt. 1 Bypass
 - Neighborhood Association: Christian Shore

B. Proposed Work: To demolish a rear garden structure.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☒ Mid-Block
- ☐ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished:

- ☐ Principal
- ☒ Accessory
- ☐ Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

- ☐ Highly Sensitive
- ☒ Sensitive
- ☐ Low Sensitivity
- ☐ “Back-of-House”

G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

- ☐ Literal Replication (i.e. 6-16 Congress, Jardinière Building, 10 Pleasant Street)
- ☐ Invention within a Style (i.e., Porter Street Townhouses, 100 Market Street)
- ☐ Abstract Reference (i.e. Portwalk, 51 Islington, 55 Congress Street)
- ☐ Intentional Opposition (i.e. McIntyre Building, Citizen's Bank, Coldwell Banker)

H. Project Type:

- ☐ Consent Agenda (i.e. very small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☐ Minor Project (i.e. small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☒ Moderate Project (i.e. significant additions, alterations or expansions)
- ☐ Major Project (i.e. very large alternations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- The building is located along Northwest Street. It is surrounded with many 1.5-2.5 story wood-sided structures with shallow setbacks and small side or rear garden areas.

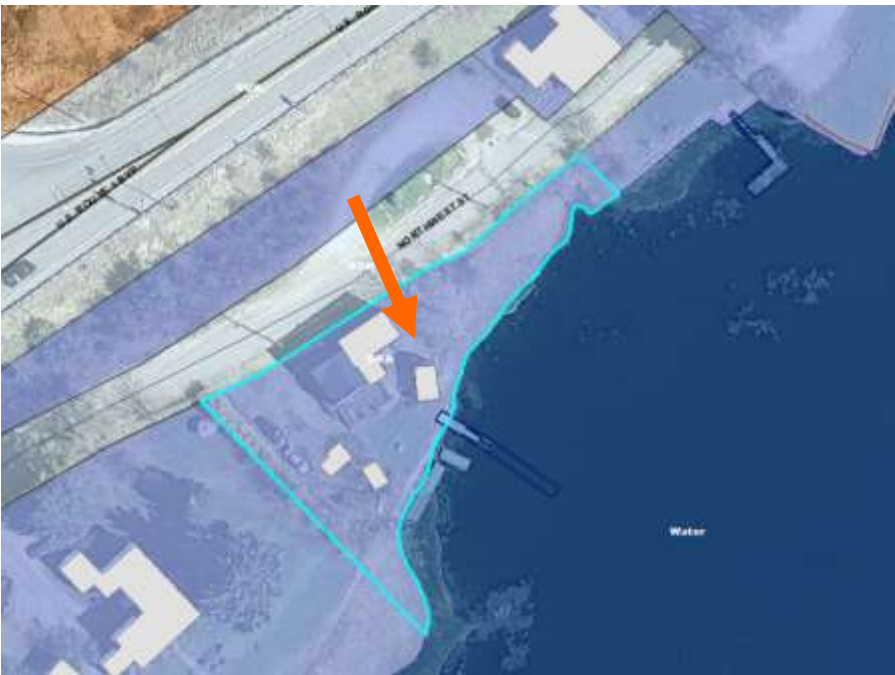
J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

- The Application is proposing to:
- The applicant is proposing to demolish the existing screened porch which is located along the waterfront area.
 - Note, the HDC recently approved the installation of a new two-car garage along the street frontage of the lot.

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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206 NORTHWEST STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #3 (MODERATE)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:206 NORTHWEST STREET Case No.:3 Date: 10-3-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Continued <input type="checkbox"/> Postponed <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn</div> <div></div>	
STAFF	No.	Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)			
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	<div>MODERATE PROJECT</div> <div>– DEMOLISH EXISTING SCREEN/ GARDEN STRUCTURE ONLY –</div>						
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio							
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)							
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)							
	6	Number of Stories							
7	Building Coverage (% Building on the Lot)								
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	HDC COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS				
		8	Scale (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		9	Placement (i.e. setbacks, alignment...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		10	Massing (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
	BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	11	Architectural Style (i.e. traditional – modern)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		12	Roofs		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		13	Style and Slope		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		14	Roof Projections (i.e. chimneys, vents, dormers...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		15	Roof Materials		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
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		29	Landings/ Steps / Stoop / Railings		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		30	Lighting (i.e. wall, post...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		31	Signs (i.e. projecting, wall...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		33	Decks		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		34	Garages (i.e. doors, placement...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		SITE DESIGN	35	Fence / Walls (i.e. materials, type...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
			36	Grading (i.e. ground floor height, street edge...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Maintain the special character of the District:

5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:
- ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Evaluation Form: **298 MIDDLE STREET**
Permit Requested: **CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL**
Meeting Type: **PUBLIC HEARING #4**

- A. Property Information - General:**
Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: MRO
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 8,276 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1813
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Number of Stories: 3.0
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Middle Street
 - Neighborhood Association: Middle Street

B. Proposed Work: Replace windows and siding.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment ☐ Planning Board ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista ☐ Gateway ☒ Mid-Block
☐ Intersection / Corner Lot ☐ Rear Lot

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- ☒ Principal ☐ Accessory ☐ Significant Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

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I. Neighborhood Context:

- This 2.5 story contributing wood structure is located along Middle Street and is surrounded with many 2-3 story contributing structures. The neighborhood is a 3 story wood-sided structure with shallow setbacks from the street edge.

J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:

- The applicant proposes to:
 - Replace wood siding with Hardi board
 - Replace historic windows with Andersen Woodwright Windows

• **Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05) and Windows and Doors (08)**

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC
SURVEY
RATING**

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298 MIDDLE STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #4 (MODERATE)										
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	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio								
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H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Maintain the special character of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:

☐ Yes ☐ No

L. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No



Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

403 DEER STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #5

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4-L1
 - Land Use: Commercial - Retail
 - Land Area: 25,522 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1808
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Historical Significance: F
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Garden Way
 - Unique Features: Moved to the Hill from the North End
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To add roof dormers.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☒ Mid-Block
- ☐ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished / Constructed:

- ☒ Principal
- ☐ Accessory
- ☐ Significant Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

- ☒ Highly Sensitive
- ☐ Sensitive
- ☐ Low Sensitivity
- ☐ “Back-of-House”

G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

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M. Neighborhood Context:

- The structure is located along Garden Way within the North End. It is surrounded with 2-3 story brick and wood-sided structures as well as 4-5 story, masonry structures no front yard setbacks.

L. Background & Suggested Action:

- The applicant proposed to:
- Convert the existing restaurant to an inn use.
 - Remove restaurant-related alterations
 - Preserve and restore the original structure
 - Add dormer additions to occupy the attic level.
 - Note that a variance was recently approved for the “inn” use.

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for All Sections (01-12)

M. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
SURVEY
RATING

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403 DEER STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #5 (MINOR PROJECT)


		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA	SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT	
STAFF		Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION	(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)			
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MINOR PROJECT – ADD DORMERS ONLY –			
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)				
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio				
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)				
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)				
	6	Number of Stories				
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PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY:403 DEER ST. Case No:5 Date:10-3-18

Decision: ☐ Approved ☐ Approved with Stipulations ☐ Denied ☐ Continued ☐ Postponed ☐ Withdrawn



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☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Comp of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

69 NEW CASTLE AVE.
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #6

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRB
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 4,560 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1860
 - Building Style: Greek Revival
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: New Castle Ave.
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: To add a 72SF rear addition and new front door.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

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- ☐ Consent Agenda (i.e. very small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☒ Minor Project (i.e. small alterations, additions or expansions)
- ☐ Moderate Project (i.e. significant additions, alterations or expansions)
- ☐ Major Project (i.e. very large alternations, additions or expansions)

- L. Neighborhood Context:
 - The building is located along New Castle Ave. It is surrounded with many wood 2.5 story structures with shallow setbacks and small side or rear garden areas.
- M. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The Application is proposing to:

 - Install a 72SF addition to the rear of the main house.
 - Replace the front door

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Windows and Doors (08) and Small Scale New Construction & Additions (10).

N. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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69 NEW CASTLE AVE. – PUBLIC HEARING #6 (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: 69 NEW CASTLE AVE. Case No.: 6 Date: 10-3-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Continued <input type="checkbox"/> Postponed <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn</div> <div></div>	
STAFF	No.	Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)			
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	<div>MINOR PROJECT</div> <div>– ADD A REAR ADDITION AND REPLACE FRONT DOOR ONLY –</div>						
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio							
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)							
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)							
	6	Number of Stories							
7	Building Coverage (% Building on the Lot)								
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS				
		8	Scale (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		9	Placement (i.e. setbacks, alignment...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		10	Massing (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
	11	Architectural Style (i.e. traditional – modern)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate					
	BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	12	Roofs		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		13	Style and Slope		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		14	Roof Projections (i.e. chimneys, vents, dormers...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		15	Roof Materials		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		16	Cornice Line		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		17	Eaves, Gutters and Downspouts		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		18	Walls		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		19	Siding / Material		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		20	Projections (i.e. bays, balconies...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		21	Doors and Windows		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		22	Window Openings and Proportions		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		23	Window Casing/ Trim		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		24	Window Shutters / Hardware		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		25	Awnings		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		26	Doors		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		27	Porches and Balconies		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		28	Projections (i.e. porch, portico, canopy...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		29	Landings/ Steps / Stoop / Railings		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		30	Lighting (i.e. wall, post...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		31	Signs (i.e. projecting, wall...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
		SITE DESIGN	33	Decks		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
			34	Garages/ Barns / Sheds (i.e. doors, placement...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
			35	Fence / Walls (i.e. materials, type...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
			36	Grading (i.e. ground floor height, street edge...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
			37	Landscaping (i.e. gardens, planters, street trees...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
	38		Driveways (i.e. location, material, screening...)		<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate				
39	Parking (i.e. location, access, visibility...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate					
40	Accessory Buildings (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate					

H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

4. Maintain the special character of the District:

5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

46-64 MAPLEWOOD AVE.
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #A

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: Urban General (CD4)
 - Land Use: Parking Lot
 - Land Area: 56,675 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: NA
 - Building Style: NA
 - Historical Significance: NA
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Maplewood Ave., Deer and Bridge Streets
 - Neighborhood Association: North End

B. Proposed Work: Increase the size of the penthouse floor.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☐ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☐ Mid-Block
- ☒ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished / Constructed:

- ☒ Principal
- ☐ Accessory
- ☐ Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

- ☐ Highly Sensitive
- ☒ Sensitive
- ☐ Low Sensitivity
- ☐ “Back-of-House”

G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

- ☐ Literal Replication (i.e. 6-16 Congress, Jardinière Building, 10 Pleasant Street)
- ☒ Invention within a Style (i.e., Porter Street Townhouses, 100 Market Street)
- ☐ Abstract Reference (i.e. Portwalk, 51 Islington, 55 Congress Street)
- ☐ Intentional Opposition (i.e. McIntyre Building, Citizen's Bank, Coldwell Banker)

H. Project Type:

- ☐ Consent Agenda (i.e. very small alterations, additions or expansions)
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I. Neighborhood Context:

- The vacant lot is located along the intersection of Maplewood Ave., Deer Street and Bridge Street. It is surrounded with a wide variety of 1-5 story brick-clad structures with shallow to no front yard setbacks. In August 2017 the HDC approved plans for a 4 story mixed-use building at the property. A Conditional Use Permit was also approved for the project.

J. Staff Comments / Suggestions:

- The applicant proposes to reduce the stepback and increase the size of the penthouse.
- Note the applicant may submit a revised plan set that will further reduce the proposed penthouse expansion.

- Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Commercial Development & Storefronts (12)

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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46-64 MAPLEWOOD AVE. – WORK SESSION #A (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: 46 MAPLEWOOD AVE Case No: A Date: 10-3-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Continued <input type="checkbox"/> Postponed <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn</div> <div></div>	
STAFF		Project Information		Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)		
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)					
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)		<div>MINOR PROJECT</div> <div>– MODIFY THE SIZE OF THE PENTHOUSE OF THE MIXED USE BUILDING –</div>					
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio							
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)							
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)							
	6	Number of Stories							
7	Building Coverage (% Building on the Lot)								
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT		APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS			
		8	Scale (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		9	Placement (i.e. setbacks, alignment...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		10	Massing (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
	BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	11	Architectural Style (i.e. traditional – modern)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		12	Roofs			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		13	Style and Slope			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		14	Roof Projections (i.e. chimneys, vents, dormers...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		15	Roof Materials			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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		18	Walls			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		19	Siding / Material			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		20	Projections (i.e. bays, balconies...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		21	Doors and Windows			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		22	Window Openings and Proportions			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		23	Window Casing/ Trim			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		24	Window Shutters / Hardware			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		25	Storm Windows / Screens			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		26	Doors			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		27	Porches and Balconies			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		28	Projections (i.e. porch, portico, canopy...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		29	Landings/ Steps / Stoop / Railings			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		30	Lighting (i.e. wall, post...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		31	Signs (i.e. projecting, wall...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		33	Decks			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		SITE DESIGN	34	Garages/ Barns / Sheds (i.e. doors, placement...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
			35	Fence / Walls / Screenwalls (i.e. materials, type...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
			36	Grading (i.e. ground floor height, street edge...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
			37	Landscaping (i.e. gardens, planters, street trees...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
			38	Driveways (i.e. location, material, screening...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
	39		Parking (i.e. location, access, visibility...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Maintain the special character of the District:

☐ Yes ☐ No
5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

☐ Yes ☐ No
4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

127-137 HIGH STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #B

A. Property Information - General:

Existing Conditions:

- Zoning District: CD4-L1
- Land Use: Multifamily
- Land Area: 3,920 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1820 & c.1860
- Building Style: Federal
- Number of Stories: 2.5
- Historical Significance: Contributing
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from High Street
- Unique Features: Abuts "The Hill"
- Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To add a new building on the rear and make misc. renovations.

C. Other Permits Required:

- ☒ Board of Adjustment
- ☐ Planning Board
- ☐ City Council

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
- ☒ Mid-Block
- ☐ Intersection / Corner Lot
- ☐ Rear Lot

E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished:

- ☒ Principal
- ☐ Accessory
- ☐ Demolition

F. Sensitivity of Context:

- ☐ Highly Sensitive
- ☒ Sensitive
- ☐ Low Sensitivity
- ☐ "Back-of-House"

G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

- ☐ Literal Replication (i.e. 6-16 Congress, Jardinière Building, 10 Pleasant Street)
- ☒ Invention within a Style (i.e., Porter Street Townhouses, 100 Market Street)
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- ☐ Major Project (i.e. very large alternations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- The building is located along State Street. It is surrounded with many brick 3 story historic structures with no front yard setbacks with gardens and lawns within the rear yards.

J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The applicant is proposing the following:

- Replace the rear addition on 137 High Street with An addition that includes a two-car garage;
- Restore the historic structure at 127 High Street; and
- Add a new single family structure on the combined lot with no change in overall density.
- **Note that the applicant has filed a variance application for allowance of a residential use on the ground floor of the proposed stable building.**

• Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Small Scale New Construction & Additions (10) and Site Elements and Streetscapes (09)

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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127-137 HIGH STREET – WORK SESSION #B (MODERATE)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:127-137 HIGH STREET Case No.: B Date: 10-3-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied <input type="checkbox"/> Continued <input type="checkbox"/> Postponed <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn</div>	
STAFF		Project Information		Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)		
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)					
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)		<div>MODERATE PROJECT</div> <div>– ADD A NEW STRUCTURE AND RENOVATE EXISTING STRUCTURES ONLY –</div>					
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio							
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)							
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6	Number of Stories								
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H. Purpose and Intent:

1. Preserve the integrity of the District:

2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:

3. Conservation and enhancement of property values:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

4. Maintain the special character of the District:

5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:

6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:

1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties:

2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:

4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ Yes ☐ No

