

Historic District Commission

Staff Report – April 4th, 2018

April 4th MEETING

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS / OLD BUSINESS:

- Administrative Approvals:

1. 209 Marcy Street	- Recommend Approval
2. 160 Middle Street	- Recommend Approval
3. 103 Congress Street	- Recommend Approval
4. 478 Marcy Street	- Recommend Approval
5. 53 Humphrey's Court	- Recommend Approval
6. 56 Dennett Street	- Recommend Approval
7. 68 South Street	- Recommend Approval
8. 147 State Street	- Recommend Approval
9. 238 Deer Street	- Recommend Approval

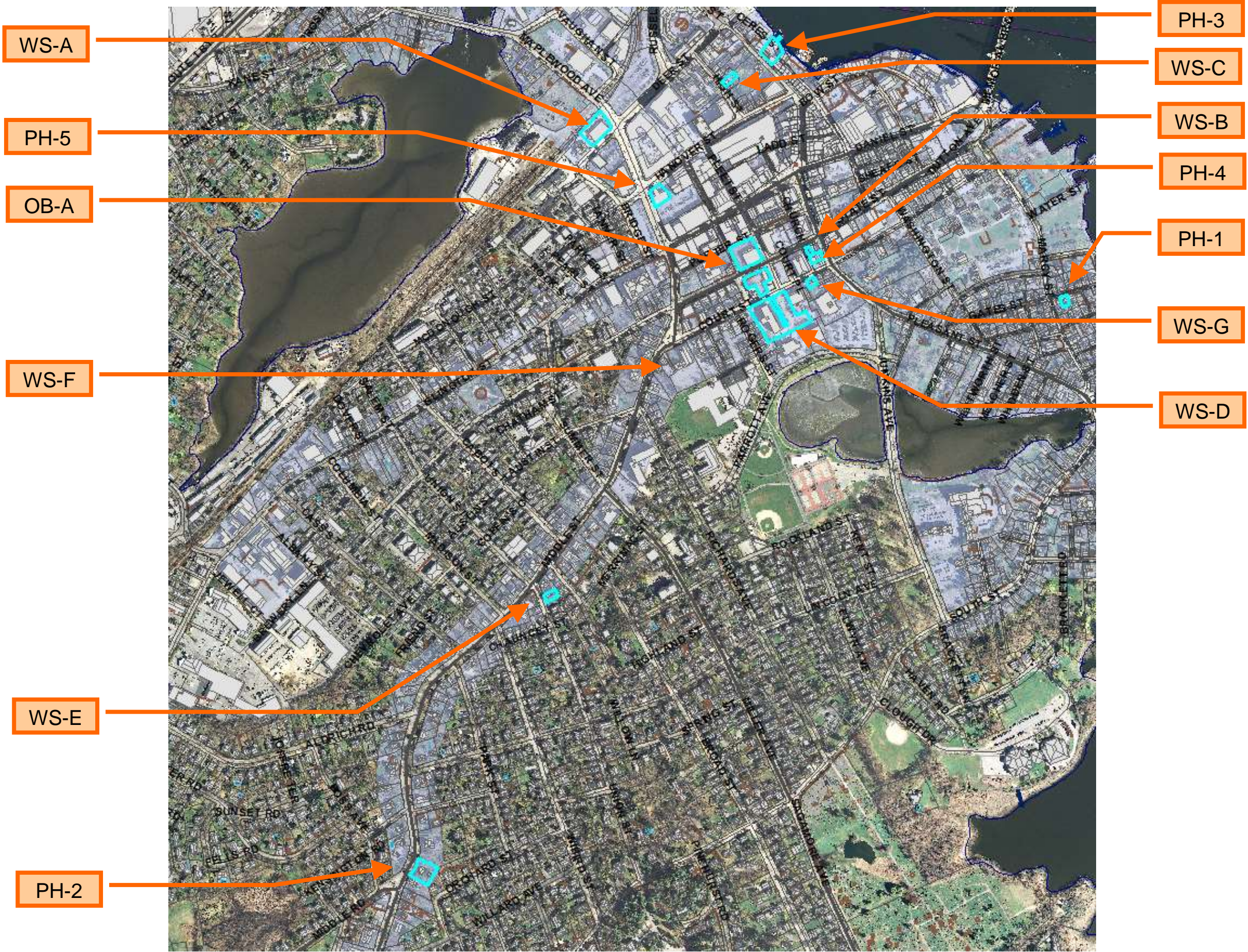
PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS:

- A. 333-340 State Street (Moderate – window replacement)
- 1. 170-172 Gates Street (Minor – Azek trim)
- 2. 903 Middle Street (Minor – 4-season porch)
- 3. 175 Market Street (Moderate – dumpster enclosure)
- 4. 84 Pleasant Street (Moderate – rear addition)
- 5. 25 Maplewood Ave. (Minor – façade revisions)

April 11th MEETING

WORK SESSIONS:

- A. 161 Deer Street (Major – Mixed-Use Building)
- B. 278 State Street (Major – Renovation and Redevelopment)
- C. 127 & 137 High Street (Moderate – new rear building)
- D. 140-152 Court Street (Major – 5 Story Building)
- E. 285 Union Street (Minor – Siding)
- F. 159 Middle Street (Moderate – Rear infill building)
- G. 206 Court Street (Moderate- side and rear addition)



HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

MEETING DATE: April 4th & 11th
APPLICATIONS: 22

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

333-340 STATE STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #A

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Commercial
 - Land Area: 24,393 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: 1957
 - Building Style: Colonial Revival
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from State and Fleet Streets
 - Unique Features: good example of mid-century Colonial Revival design
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: Replace windows on both buildings.

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)
- ☐ Minor Project (i.e. small alterations, additions or expansions)
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I. Neighborhood Context:

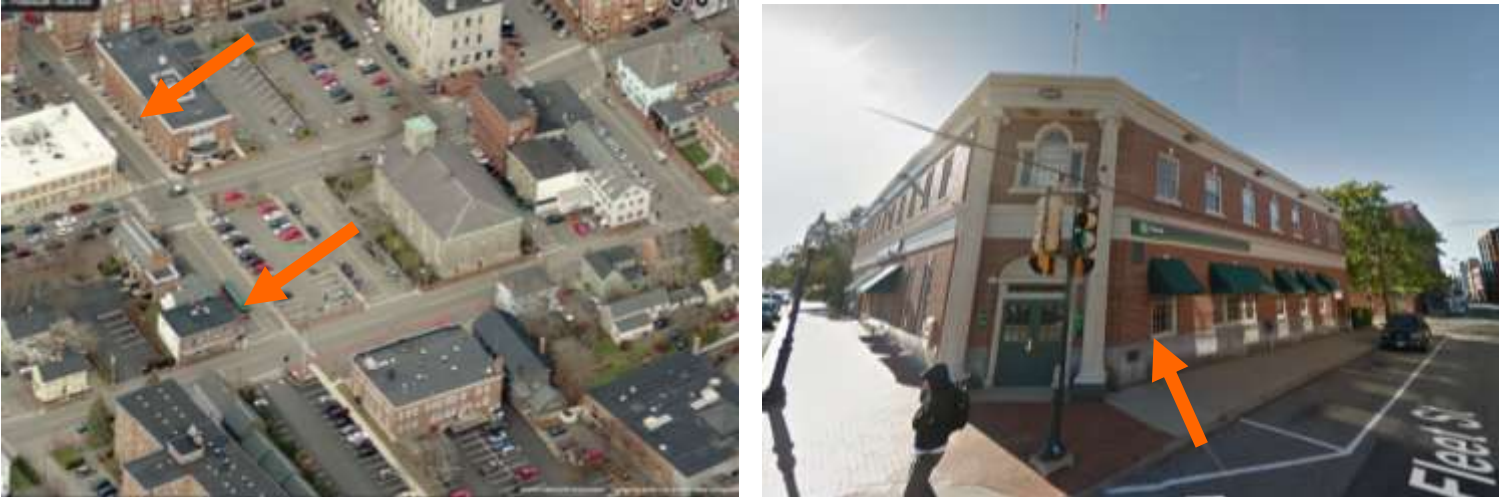
- The lot is located along Court, State and Fleet Streets. It is surrounded with mainly brick 1.5-3 story structures with shallow to no front yard setbacks. Note that this lot was created by merging three previous lots with structures in the 1970s.

J. Background & Suggested Action:

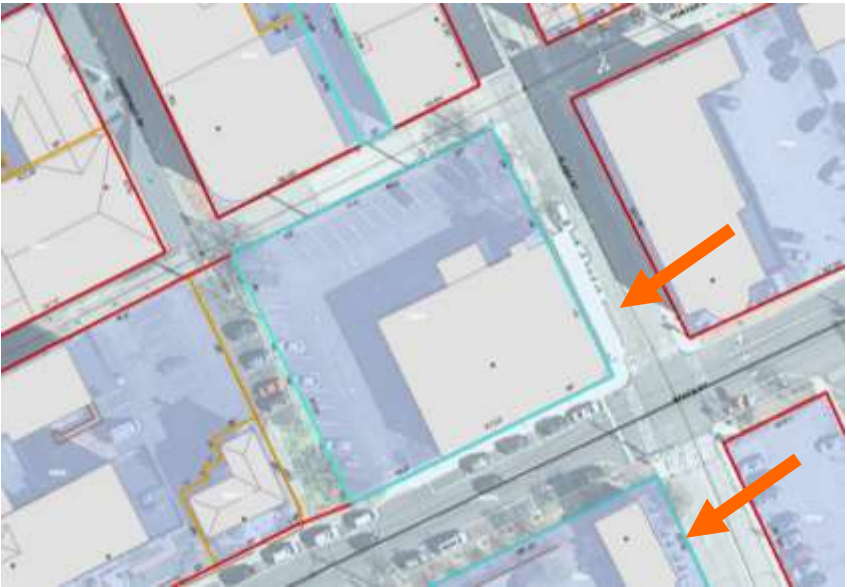
- The applicant is proposing to:
- Remove and Replace the windows (which appear to be original)
- The applicant has changed architects and now proposes to restore windows and undertake a bi-glass conversion to many others on both buildings. Given the likely costs associated with this approach it may make sense to differentiate the windows within the 1957 building from the 1975 building. In the younger building, it may make sense to permit replacement windows that match the existing windows but be SDL.

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

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333 STATE STREET – WORK SESSION / PUBLIC HEARING #A (MODERATE)


		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)	MODERATE PROJECT – RESTORE OR CONVERT WINDOWS ON BOTH STRUCTURES –			
	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	
		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	
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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/ 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
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PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY:333 STATE STREET Case No:A Date:4-1-18

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



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
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☐ 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:

170& 172 GATES STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #1

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRB
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 3,485 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1810
 - Building Style: Greek Revival
 - Historical Significance: C
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Gates Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: Replace wood trim with Azek.

C. Other Permits Required:

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

D. Lot Location:

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I. Neighborhood Context:

- The building is located along Gates Street. It is surrounded with a wide variety of 2 ½ story wood-clad structures with no front yard setbacks. Gates Street is one of the most significant streets in terms of 18th century architecture.

L. Background / Suggested Action:

- The Applicant is proposing to:
 1. Replace the wood trim with Azek.

• Design Guideline Reference: *Windows and Doors (08).*

M. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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170 & 172 GATES STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #1 (MINOR PROJECT)


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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>– REPLACE WOOD TRIM WITH AZEK ONLY –</div>			
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)				
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio				
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)				
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PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY:170& 172 GATES STREET Case No:1 Date:4-1-18

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



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☐ Yes ☐ No
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☐ 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:

903 MIDDLE STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #2

- J. Neighborhood Context:
 - The building is located along Middle Street, and is surrounded with many brick and wood-sided 2.5 & 3 story structures setback from the street with front gardens and lawns.
- K. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The Applicant is proposing to:

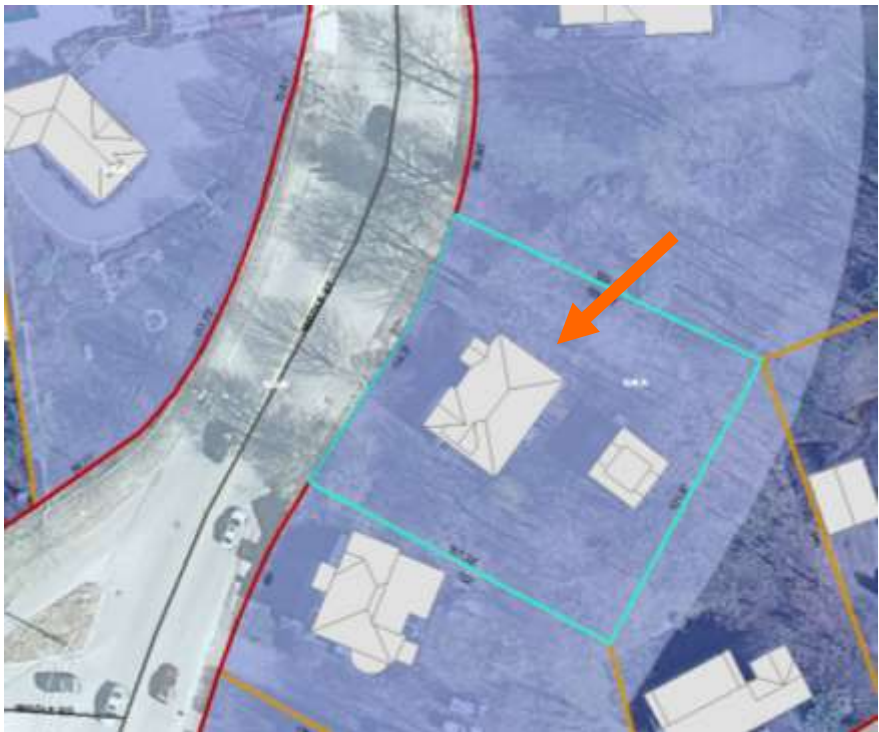
 - Construct a four-season porch on the rear of the structure.

- Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05), Windows and Doors (08), & Small Scale New Construction & Additions (10)**

L. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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RATING

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- A. Property Information - General:

Existing Conditions

 - Zoning District: General Residence A (GRA)
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 15,250 +/- SF
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1900
 - Building Style: Victorian
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Middle Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Wibird Area
- B. Proposed Work: To construct a four-season porch.
- 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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903 MIDDLE STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #2 (MINOR)									
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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:

154 MARKET STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #3

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Commercial
 - Land Area: 2,235 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1815
 - Building Style: Federal Cape
 - Number of Stories: 1.5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from State Street
 - Unique Features: Wood-frame structure
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To re-permit the expired approval for the dumpster enclosure.

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:

- ☒ 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)

M. Neighborhood Context:

- The property is located along Market Street. It is surrounded with many brick 3 story historic structures with no front yard setbacks with little to now rear yards.

N. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

- This application was approved in 2013 and 2016. It has expired due to the lengthy appeals and rehearings associated with the abutting property owners and for construction-related delays for the project located at 175 Market Street.

O. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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154 MARKET STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #3 (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:154 MARKET STREET Case No.:3 Date: 4-1-18</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	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>– MODIFICATIONS TO THE GARDEN & DUMPSTER ENCLOSURE 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:

☐ 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:

84 PLEASANT STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #4

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Mixed-Use
 - Land Area: 4,016 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1880
 - Building Style: NA
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Church Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: Demolition of the rear section of the building along Church Street.

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)
- ☐ 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:

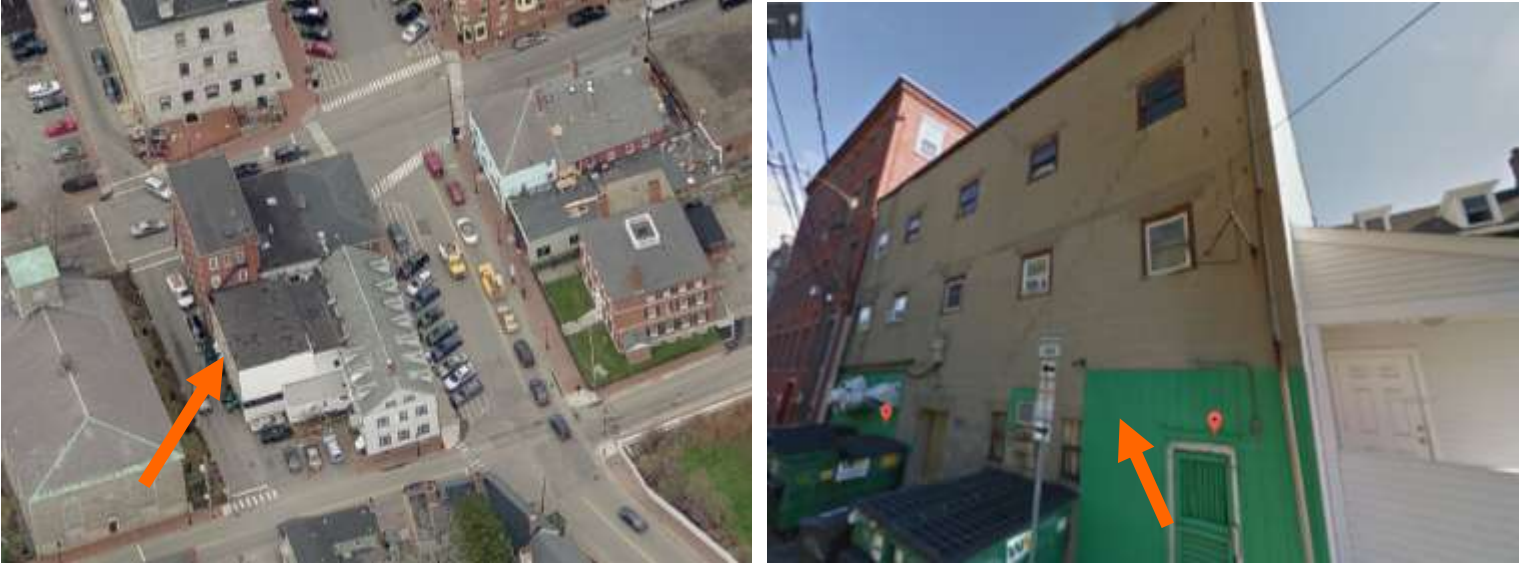
- The building is located along Pleasant Street next to the former State Street Saloon Building. It is surrounded with 2.5-5 story wood- and brick-sided structures with no front yard setbacks or side yards.

J. Background & Suggested Action:

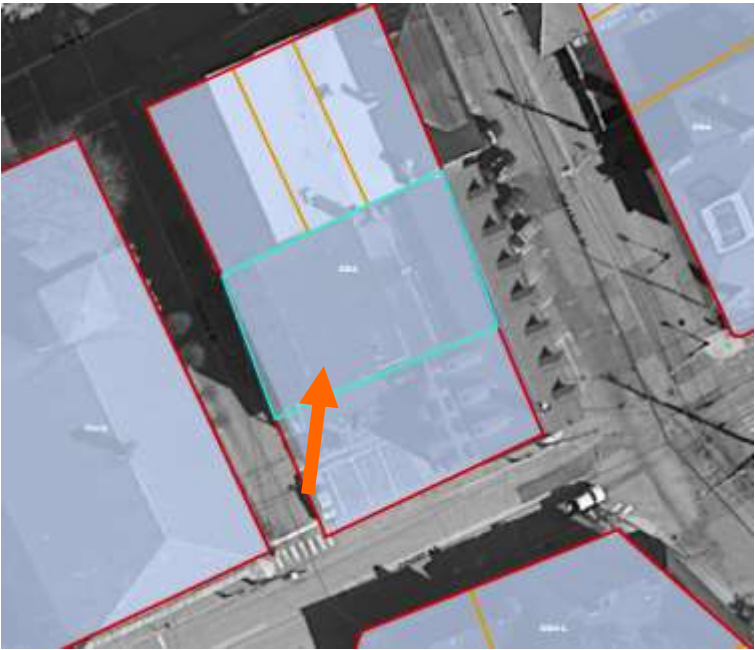
- The application is proposing to replace the rear CMU addition with a new volume. Note that the BOA recently approved the variance required to remove and replace the residential dwelling units without off-street, on-site parking.
- The proposed design reflects the feedback given by the HDC at the March meeting.

• **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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84 PLEASANT STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #4 (MAJOR 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)	MAJOR PROJECT - DEMOLISH AND REPLACE REAR ADDITION 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	
		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 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	

PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 84 PLEASANT STREET Case No.: 4 Date: 4-1-18

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. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:

☐ Yes ☐ No

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

25 MAPLEWOOD AVE.
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #5

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD5
 - Land Use: Commercial
 - Land Area: 11,039 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1970
 - Building Style: Modern (to be demolished)
 - Historical Significance: NA
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Maplewood Ave
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: Construct a 3 1/2 story mixed-use building.

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)
- ☐ 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 lot is located along Hanover Street and Maplewood Ave. It is surrounded with mainly brick 2-5 story structures with shallow to no front yard setbacks.

J. Background & Suggested Action:

- The application proposes modify the windows, dormers, entryways and canopies on the approved building plans.

Design Guideline Reference – *Guidelines for Commercial Development & Storefronts (12).*

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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25 MAPLEWOOD AVE. –PUBLIC HEARING #5 (MODERATE 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)	<div>MODERATE PROJECT</div> <div>– MODIFIECATIONS TO PRIOR APPROVAL 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	
	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	
		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 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
			40 Accessory Buildings (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate

PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY:25 MAPLEWOOD AVE Case No:5 Date:4-1-18

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



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

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:

161 DEER STREET (LOT 5)
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #A

A. **Property Information - General:**

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD5
 - Land Use: Commercial Office
 - Land Area: 21,050 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure(s): c.1970
 - Building Style: NA
 - Historical Significance: NA
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Maplewood Ave. and Deer Street
 - Unique Features: Abuts the Pan Am Rail Corridor
 - Neighborhood Association: North End

B. **Proposed Work:** Construct a 5-story, mixed-use building.

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)
- ☐ 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 lot is located along Deer and Bridge Street. It is surrounded with mainly brick 1-5 story structures with shallow to no front yard setbacks.

J. **Background & Suggested Action:**

- The Applicant is seeking to continue with the 4-Step Design Process for a Major Project. Having completed the first three phases - the review of the surrounding neighborhood context as well as massing and scale the applicant now needs to finalize the top story of the buildings and the details of the architectural style and finish.
- As requested by the HDC, the applicant is considering a variance application to include a taller tower element on the corner of Maplewood Ave. and Deer Street.

NOTE THAT THE APPLICANT HAS REQUESTED TO POSTPHONE UNTIL THE MAY MEETING

- ☒ **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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161 DEER STREET (LOT 5) – WORK SESSION #A (MAJOR)											
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA				NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:157 DEER STREET Case No:A Date:4-1-18</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				Abutting Structures (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)				
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		MAJOR PROJECT – CONSTRUCT A 5-STORY MIXED-USE BUILDING –							
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)									
	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				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					
		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					
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		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					
	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:

☐ 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:

278 STATE STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #B

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Mixed-Use
 - Land Area: 1,742 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1900
 - Building Style: Commercial
 - Number of Stories: 5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Pleasant, State and Church Streets
 - Unique Features: Scale and Massing
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To consider and discuss rehabilitation and new construction options.

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)
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- ☒ Major Project (i.e. very large alternations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- The building is located along State Street. The property is (was) surrounded with many brick and wood--sided historic buildings ranging from 3 to 4 stories in height. There are no setbacks along the front- or sideyard.

J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The Applicant is proposing to:

- Consideration for potential restoration/ rehabilitation of the existing fire-damaged building at 278 State Street and general discussion of design issues pertaining to life-safety code requirements and the integration of the abutting lot and associated new building(s) into the entire site.
- At the 12-13-17 meeting the HDC supported the design of a 4 story building abutting the Times Building provided the roofline respected the 5th floor of the Times Building and the abutting building at 84 Pleasant Street.
- NOTE THAT THE APPLICANT HAS REQUESTED TO POSTPONE UNTIL THE MAY MEETING

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Masonry & Stucco (07), Windows and Doors (08), and commercial Developments and Storefronts (12).

I. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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278 STATE STREET – WORK SESSION #B (MAJOR PROJECT)

		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA	SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		
STAFF	No.	Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Structures	Surrounding Structures (Average)	
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION	(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)				
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MAJOR PROJECT - REHABILITATION & RECONSTRUCTION OF THE FIRE-DAMAGED BUILDINGS -				
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)					
	3	Building Height / Street-Width (ROW) 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	
		17	Eaves, Gutters and Downspouts			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		18	Walls			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		19	Number and 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	
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		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	
	40		Accessory Buildings (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	

PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY:278 STATE STREET Case No.: B Date: 4-1-18

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



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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 #C

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)
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- ☐ 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 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 a larger 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.
- **The Applicant has requested a continuance to complete the land use review process and determine whether variances or other zoning relief is required for the proposed project.**
- **NOTE THAT THE APPLICANT HAS REQUESTED TO POSTPHONE UNTIL THE MAY MEETING**

• **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 #C (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.:C Date: 4-1-18</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)							
	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			
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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 Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

140-152 COURT STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #D

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Public Housing / Commercial / Parking Lot
 - Land Area: 68,850 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1795 / 1960 / 1970
 - Building Style: Federal/ Modern/ Modern
 - Number of Stories: 2.5 / 6 / 5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing / Non-Contributing / Intrusive
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Court Streets
 - Unique Features: Public Housing Complex
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To demolish the addition & replace with a mixed-use 5 story building

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 property is located along Court Street. It is surrounded with many 2.5 - 6 story historic and non-historic structures with shallow front yard setbacks and small landscaped side yards.

J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

- This application proposes to:
- Replace the 1960s rear addition to 140 Court Street to construct a new affordable housing structure with parking and possible mixed-use elements.
 - Preserve the historic Gideon Beck House (c.1795) and demolish the later additions.
 - Provide underground parking.

Note that it will be important to get the proposed building into the City's 3D massing model in order to assess the scale, massing and volume issues relating to the proposed building.

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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140-152 COURT STREET – WORK SESSION #D (MAJOR)										
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:140-152 COURT STREET Case No.:D Date: 4-1-18</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>MAJOR PROJECT</div> <div>– REPLACE THE REAR ADDITION WITH A 5 STORY MIXED-USE BUILDING 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				
	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				
		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				
		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 (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:

☐ 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:

285 UNION STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #E

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRA
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 4,360 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1870
 - Building Style: Greek Revival
 - Number of Stories: 2.5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Union Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Wibird Area

B. Proposed Work: To replace wood siding with vinyl 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

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)
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- ☐ Major Project (i.e. very large alternations, additions or expansions)

K. Neighborhood Context:

- The new building is located along Union Street. It is surrounded with many 2 ½ story wood-sided buildings with shallow setbacks from the sidewalk.

L. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

- The applicant proposes to:
- To replace wood siding with vinyl siding due to maintenance issues.

- Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05)

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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285 UNION STREET – WORK SESSION #E (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:385 UNION STREET Case No.:E Date:4-1-18</div> <div>Decision: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved with Stipulations <input type="checkbox"/> Denied</div> <div><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	Surrounding Structures (Average)			
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MINOR PROJECT - INSTALL VINYL SIDING ONLY -						
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)							
	3	Building Height / Street-Width (ROW) 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			
		17	Eaves, Gutters and Downspouts			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		18	Walls			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
		19	Number and 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				
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:

☐ 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 Evaluation Form: 159 MIDDLE STREET
Permit Requested: CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
Meeting Type: WORK SESSION #F

- A. Property Information - General:**
Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4-L1
 - Land Use: Commercial Use
 - Land Area: 13,000 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1812
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Number of Stories: 3
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Middle Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To install a new HVAC unit in the rear of the building.

- 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

- 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:**
- This contributing structure is located along Middle Street and is surrounded with many other wood 2.5-3 story contributing structures.
- J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:**
- The applicant proposes to construct an addition along the rear of the existing 3 story federal structure and add a three story structure at the rear of the property.

- **Design Guideline Reference:** *Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05), Windows and Doors (08), Site Elements and Streetscapes (09) and Small Scale New Constriction & Additions (10)*

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC
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159 MIDDLE STREET – WORK SESSION #F (MODERATE)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:159 MIDDLE STREET Case No.:F Date: 4-1-18</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	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>– REAR ALTERATIONS AND NEW REAR BUILDING 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			
	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			
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		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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		SITE DESIGN	35	Fence / Walls (i.e. materials, type...)			<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 Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

206 COURT STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #G

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4-L1
 - Land Use: Institutional
 - Land Area: 2,969 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1820
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Number of Stories: 3.0
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Court Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To add a two-story rear addition and renovate the building.

C. Other Permits Required:

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

D. Lot Location:

- ☐ Terminal Vista
- ☐ Gateway
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E. Existing Building to be Altered/ Demolished:

- ☒ Principal
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F. Sensitivity of Context:

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G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):

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- ☒ 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)

J. Neighborhood Context:

- The property is located along Court Street. It is surrounded with many wooden and brick framed 2.5 - 3 story historic structures with no front yard setbacks with little to no side yards.

J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

- This application proposes to:
- Renovate the existing historic building
 - Add a 2-story addition to the side and rear of the historic structure..

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

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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206 COURT STREET – WORK SESSION #G (MODERATE)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: <u>206 COURT STREET</u> Case No.: <u>G</u> Date: <u>4-1-18</u></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)		
	No.	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)					
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)		<div>MODERATE PROJECT</div> <div>– INSTALL A TWO-STORY REAR ADDITION & RENOVATIONS 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			
		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 (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:

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

☐ Yes ☐ No