

Historic District Commission

Staff Report – September 4th, 2019

September 4th MEETING

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS / OLD BUSINESS:

- Administrative Approvals:
 1. 673 Middle Street - Recommend Approval
 2. 150 Congress Street - Recommend Approval
 3. 117 Bow Street - Recommend Approval
 4. 40 Mt. Vernon Street - Recommend Approval
 5. 170 Mechanic Street - Recommend Approval
 6. 410-430 Islington St. - Recommend Approval
 7. 105 Chapel Street - Recommend Approval
 8. 169 Lafayette Road - TBD

PUBLIC HEARINGS – OLD BUSINESS:

- A. 137 Northwest St. (Minor – deck)
- B. 15 Mt. Vernon St. (Minor – extend roofline & add dormers)

PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS:

1. 3 Pleasant Street (Moderate – rear addition)
2. 206 Court Street (Moderate – rear addition)
3. 306 Marcy Street (Minor – HVAC)
4. 35 Mark Street (Moderate – garage addition)

WORK SESSIONS – OLD BUSINESS:

- A. 202 Court Street (Major – adaptive reuse as housing)
- B. 55 Lafayette Rd. (Minor – home with garage)\
- C. Daniel Street (Major – 3 story building)
- D. 14 Mechanic Street (Minor – addition and chimney)
- E. 57 Mt. Vernon Street (Minor – deck & rear addition)

WORK SESSIONS – NEW BUSINESS:

1. 15 Mt. Vernon St. (Minor – extend roofline & add dormers)

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WS-B

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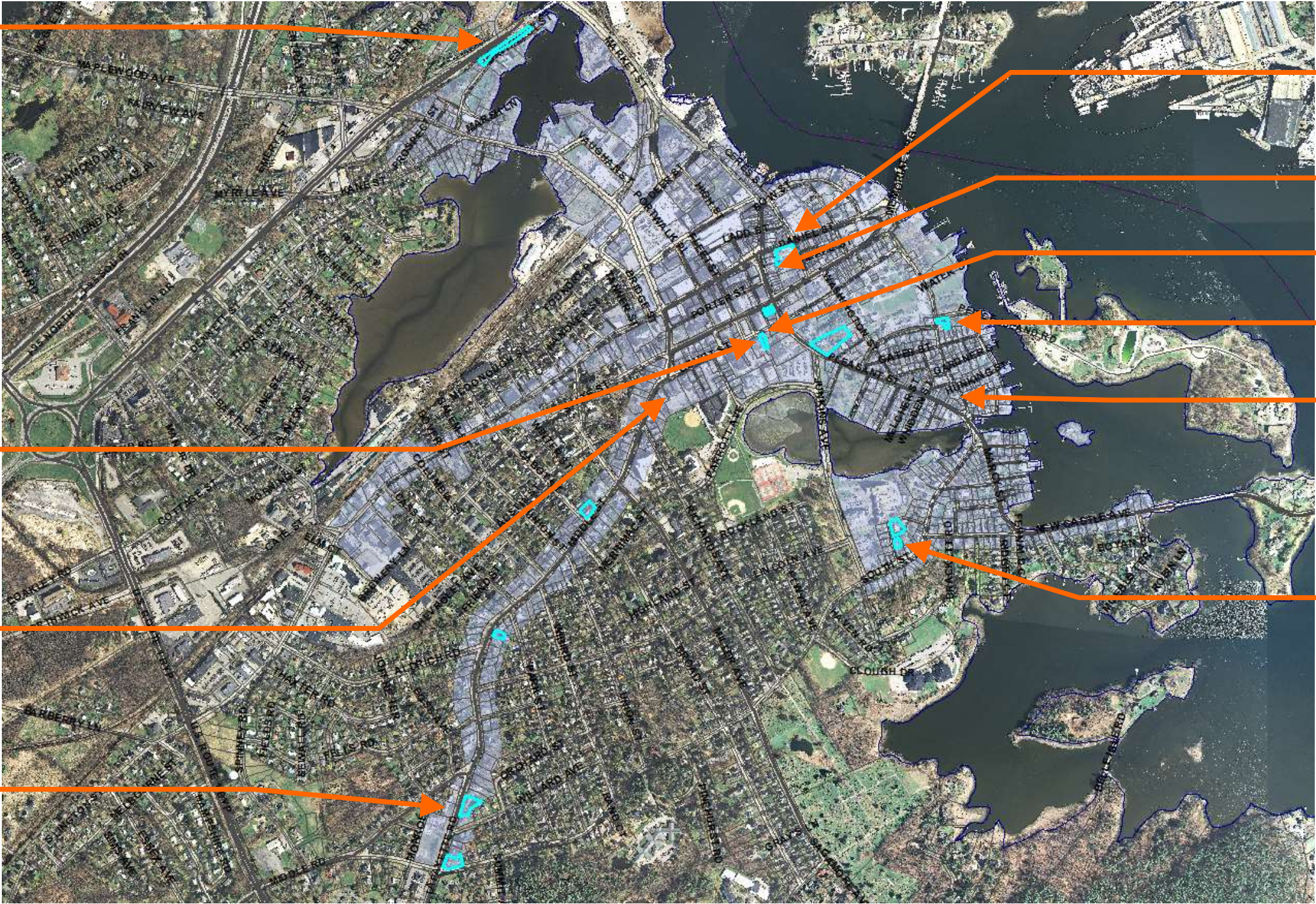
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HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

MEETING DATE: September 4th
APPLICATIONS: 17

Historic District Commission

Project Address:
Permit Requested:
Meeting Type:

137 NORTHWEST STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #A

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRA
 - Land Use: Single Family
 - Land Area: 23,700 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1890
 - Building Style: Queen Anne
 - Number of Stories: 2.5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Northwest Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Christian Shore

B. Proposed Work: To replace the side porch with an open deck

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 alterations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- This contributing building is located along Northwest Street adjacent the Route 1 Bypass. The property is surrounded with many historically-significant structures. The structures in this neighborhood have shallow setbacks along the street and wide side yards.

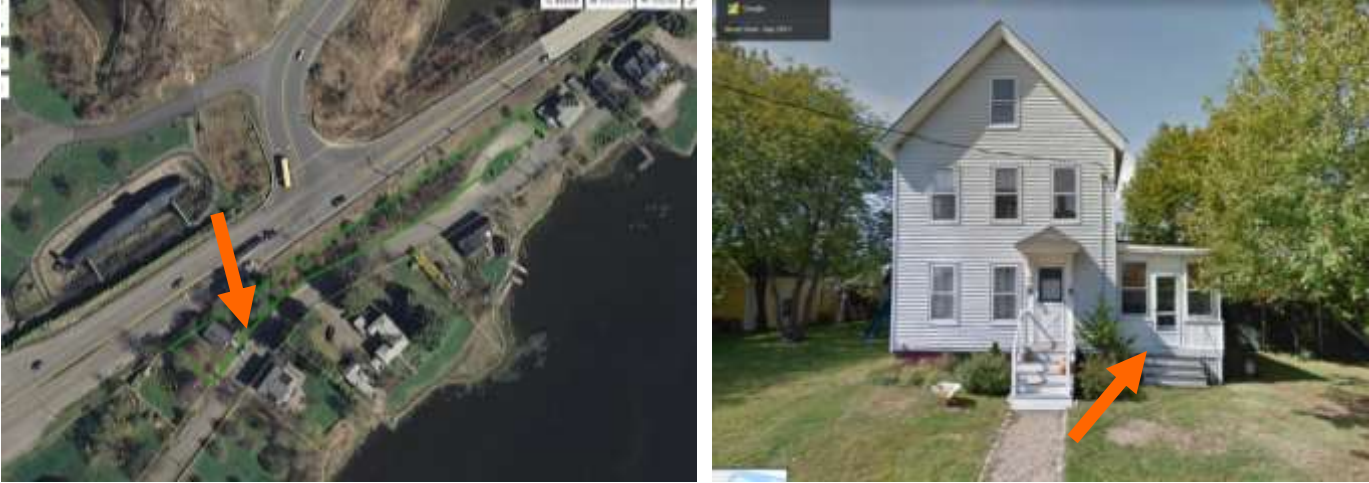
J. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The Applicant is proposing to:

- Demolish the side porch and replace it with an open deck.
- The footprint of the deck is not being increased.
- **NOTE THAT THE APPLICANT IS SEEKING A POSTPONEMENT OF THIS APPLICATION.**

Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05).

I. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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137 NORTHWEST STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #A (MINOR)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:137 NORTHWEST ST. Case No.:A Date:9-4-19</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	Surrounding Structures (Average)			
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	<div>MINOR PROJECT</div> <div>- REPLACE SIDE PORCH WITH DECK ONLY -</div>						
	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)								
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		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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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: **15 MOUNT VERNON STREET**
Permit Requested: **CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL**
Meeting Type: **PUBLIC HEARING #B**

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: General Residential District B (GRB)
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 3,920SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1790 (relocated to the site)
 - Building Style: Cape
 - Historical Significance: Contributing Structure
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Mt. Vernon Street.
 - Unique Features: Relocated from another lot in the 1950s
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: To extend the roofline over the existing garage.

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:

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F. Sensitivity of Context:

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I. Neighborhood Context:

- The building is located along Mount Vernon Street. It is surrounded with many wood-frame 1.5 - 2.5 story contributing structures with little to no setbacks from the sidewalk/ street edge.

J. Background, Comments & Suggested Actions:

- The Applicant is seeking to:
 - i. Extend the roofline of the existing structure over the attached garage.
 - ii. Andersen 400 Series Windows are proposed
 - iii. A large shed dormer is proposed in the attic of the garage on both the front and rear elevations.
 - iv. The garage door will be replaced
- **Note that this application received a variance at the BOA meeting on 7-16-19 and is requesting to go to Work Session at the 9-4-19 meeting and return in October for the public hearing.**

• **Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Roofing (04) and Windows & Doors (08)**

K. Aerial Images and Maps:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC
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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 Evaluation Form:

3 PLEASANT STREET

Permit Requested:

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

Meeting Type:

PUBLIC HEARING #1

A. **Property Information - General:**

Existing Conditions:

Zoning District: CD5

Land Use: Commercial

Land Area: 8,437 SF +/-

Estimated Age of Structure: c.1910

Building Style: Beaux Arts

Number of Stories: 3

Historical Significance: Contributing

Public View of Proposed Work: View from Pleasant and Daniel Streets

Unique Features: NA

Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. **Proposed Work:** To add a penthouse and a rear addition.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:**

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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:**

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Minor Project (i.e. small alterations, additions or expansions)

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I. **Neighborhood Context:**

This contributing historic structure is located along Pleasant Street and Market Square. The building is surrounded with many other brick and wood-sided, 2.5-3 story contributing structures. Most buildings have no frontyard setback and off-street parking is limited.

J. **Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:**

The applicant proposes to:

Renovate the existing structure and add an oval penthouse level.


Add a 3 story rear addition.


In conjunction with the application and proposed building for the abutting Daniel Street lot, the applicant proposed a variety of landscape improvements for pedestrian circulation between Penhallow, Daniel and Pleasant Streets.

A variance was approved on 8-27-19 for the rearyard setback.


Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05) and Windows & Doors (08).

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





Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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RATING

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3 PLEASANT STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #1 (MODERATE)										
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	No	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)		<div>MODERATE PROJECT</div> <div>– INSTALL ROOFTOP PENTHOUSE AND REAR ADDITION ONLY –</div>						
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	39		Parking (i.e. location, access, visibility...)			<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:

206 COURT STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
PUBLIC HEARING #2

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
- ☒ 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 alterations, additions or expansions)

I. 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 modify the previously-approved design to add a small 2-story addition to the side and rear and side of the historic structure.
 - The density of the building is proposed to be reduced to a 2-family 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

HISTORIC
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206 COURT STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #2 (MODERATE)											
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: 206 COURT STREET Case No.: 2 Date: 9-4-19</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 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
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:

306 MARCY STREET

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

PULBIC HEARING #3

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: General Residential B (GRB)
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 2,360 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1845
 - Building Style: Gothic Revival
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Marcy and Pickering Streets
 - Unique Features: Gothic
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: Add an HVAC condenser to the sideyard with exterior conduit.

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 alterations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- This structure is located along Marcy Street and is surrounded with many contributing structures. The neighborhood is predominantly 2.5 story wooden residential structures with small lots and narrow setbacks from the street.

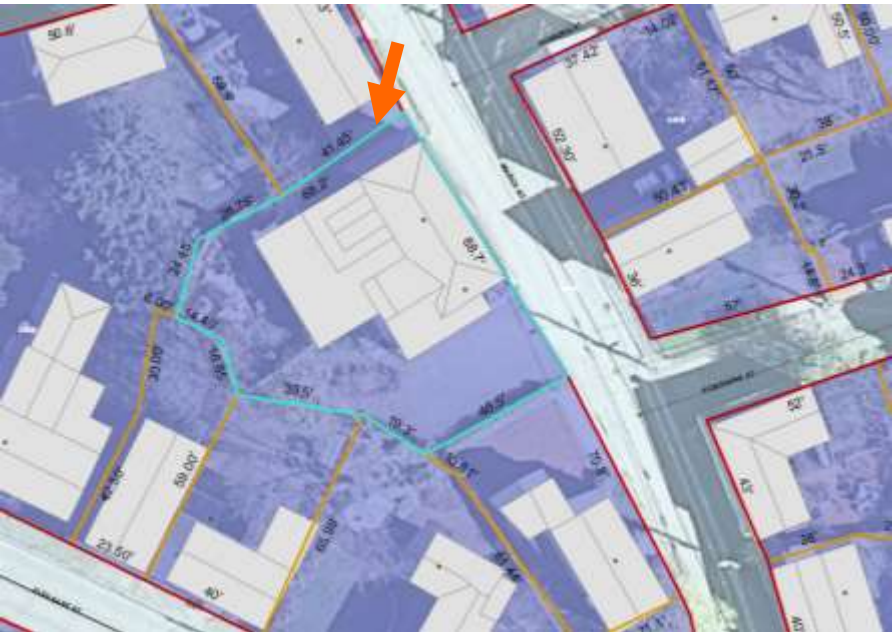
J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:

- The applicant proposes add an HVAC condenser to the sideyard with exposed conduit.
- The proposed conduit will be painted to match the siding.

K. Aerial Images and Maps:



Aerial and Streetview Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
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306 MARCY STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #3 (MINOR)

		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA	SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT	
STAFF	No.	Project Information	Existing Building	Proposed Building (+/-)	Abutting Str. (Average)	Surrounding Structures (Average)
		GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION	(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)			<i>Note – the data below may not fully represent revised building</i>
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	<div>MINOR PROJECT</div> <div>– INSTALL NEW HVAC UNIT 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	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	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
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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
	SITE DESIGN	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
		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

PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 306 MARCY STREET Case No.: 3 Date: 9-4-19

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:

35 MARK STREET

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

PUBLIC HEARING #4

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4-L
 - Land Use: Residential
 - Land Area: 11,050 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1820
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Historical Significance: New Structure
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Mark Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: Increase the height of the garage and replace the windows.

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)
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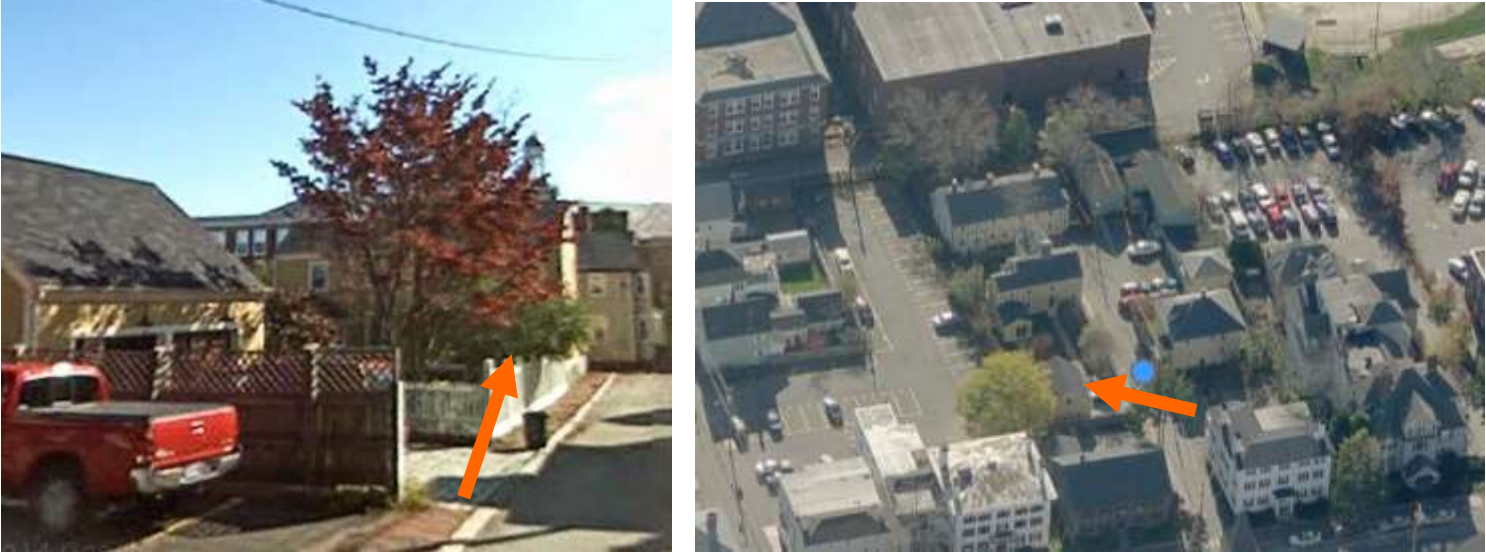
I. Neighborhood Context:

- The structure is located along Mark Street. It is surrounded with mainly wood 2.5 - 3 story historic structures with shallow front yard setbacks.

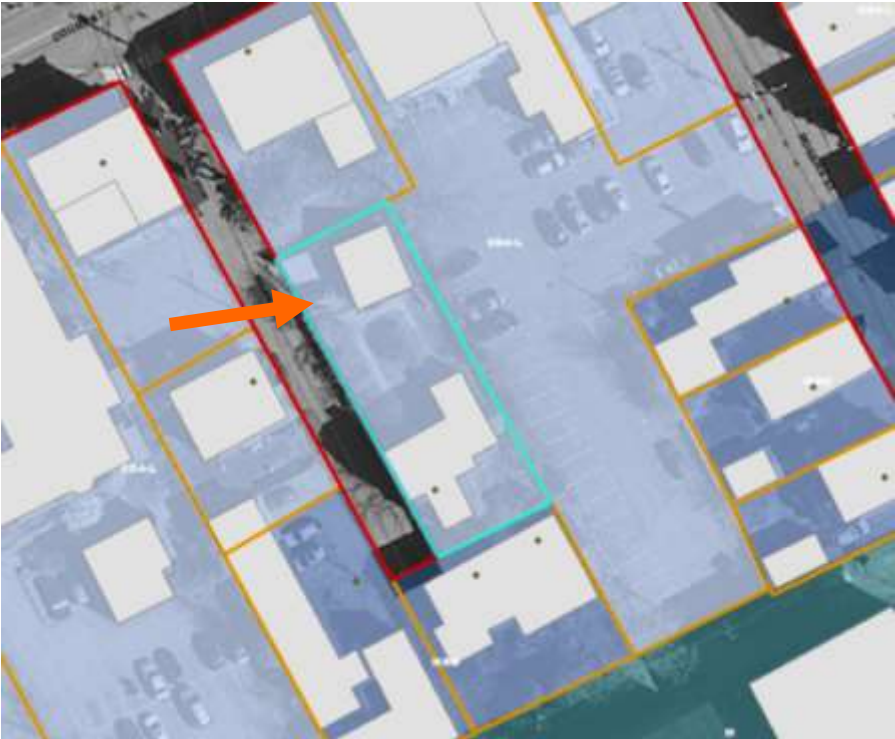
J. Background & Suggested Action:

- The applicant proposed to raise the garage height and replace the windows in the garage.
- Note that the garage is detached and was built in 2001.
- Additional headroom is required in order to provide living space on the upper level of the garage.

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

HISTORIC
SURVEY
RATING

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35 MARK STREET – PUBLIC HEARING #4 (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 – INCREASE HEIGHT OF GARAGE AND REPLACE WINDOWS 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	
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		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
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	40 Accessory Buildings (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)				<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	

PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 35 MARK STREET Case No.: 4 Date: 9-4-19

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 Evaluation Form: 202 COURT STREET
Permit Requested: CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
Meeting Type: WORK SESSION #A

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: CD4-L1
 - Land Use: Commercial
 - Land Area: 5,036 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1860
 - Building Style: Greek
 - Number of Stories: 2.5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Court Street
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To adaptively reuse the structure as a 3-family 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 ☐ 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 alterations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- This 2.5 story wood-sided structure is located on Court Street and is surrounded with many contributing and focal historic structures. The building was originally designed in a Greek Revival style and was municipally-owned as a fire station. In the 1940s the structure was sold and reused as an auto service repair shop.

J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:

The applicant proposes to:

- Add a long roof dormer with balconies in the northeast side of the roof. The proposed shed dormer is nearly 50 feet in length and it contains two recessed balconies.
- The revised elevations show the removal of the brick veneer wall surrounding the garage doors.
- Additional changes include a small dormer on the single story rear addition and a balcony on the second floor at the rear of the building.
- As requested by the HDC at the Site Visit on May 1st, the Applicant should also provide historic photographs of the firehouse in order to establish the design of the façade prior to the service / repair station alterations.
- **NOTE THAT APPLICANT IS SCHEDULED FOR A VARIANCE AT THE BOA FOR 8-20-19**

• **Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Roofing (04), & Small Scale New Construction & Additions (09)**

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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202 COURT STREET – WORK SESSION #A (MODERATE)										
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY: 202 COURT STREET Case No.: A Date: 9-4-19</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 NEW DORMER AND MISC. EXTERIOR ELEMENTS 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				
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	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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		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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		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			
			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

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

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

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:

55 LAFAYETTE STREET
CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL
WORK SESSION #B

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: GRA
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 6,251 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: vacant lot
 - Building Style: NA
 - Number of Stories: NA
 - Historical Significance: NA
 - Public View of Proposed Work: Public view from Lafayette Road
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: Wibird

B. Proposed Work: To construct new home with garage.

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)
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J. Neighborhood Context:

- This historically-significant neighborhood and vacant lot is located along Lafayette Road. The property is surrounded with many modern and historically significant structures (on the Hill). The structures in this neighborhood have shallow setbacks along the street and narrow side yards.

K. Staff Comments and/ or Suggestions for Consideration:

The Applicant is proposing to:

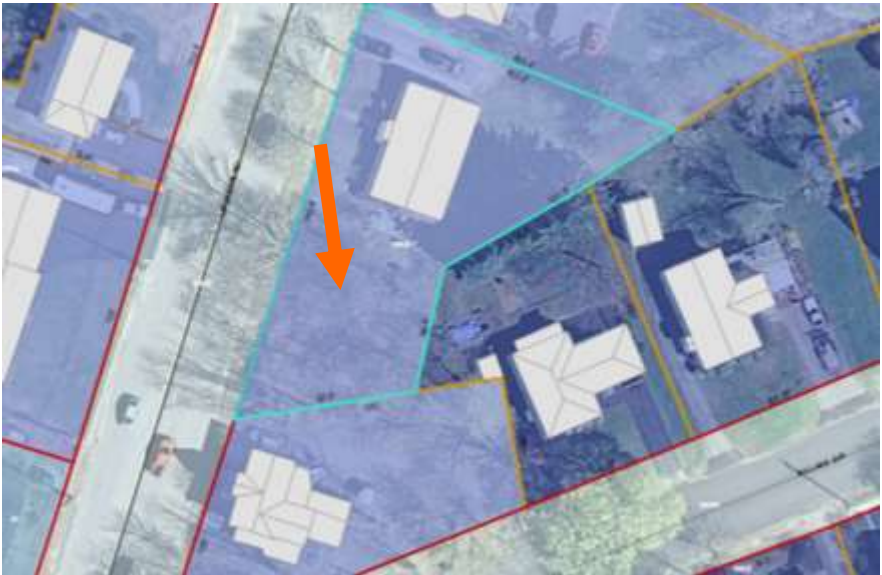
- Construct a new single family house on this newly-created, vacant lot.
- Note that while the house is traditionally design to fit within the middle street context, it proposes to use modern materials such as Azek trim, vinyl windows and vinyl siding.
- At the 8-14-19 work session, the Commission requested an alternative design style for the house be considered given the context of the surrounding properties.

Design Guideline Reference – All Sections for New Residential Construction

J. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

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55 LAFAYETTE ROAD – WORK SESSION #B (MODERATE)									
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:55 LAFAYETTE ROAD Case No.: B Date: 9-4-19</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	Surrounding Structures (Average)			
	GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)						
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	MODERATE PROJECT - NEW HOUSE WITH GARAGE 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			
	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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		24	Window Shutters / Hardware			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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		26	Doors			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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		32	Mechanicals (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate			
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		SITE DESIGN	35	Fence / Walls / Screenwalls (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:

☐ 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: **DANIEL STREET**
Permit Requested: **CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL**
Meeting Type: **WORK SESSION #C**

- A. Property Information - General:**
Existing Conditions:
- Zoning District: CD4
 - Land Use: Commercial Parking Lot
 - Land Area: 22,430 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: NA
 - Building Style: Greek Revival
 - Number of Stories: NA
 - Historical Significance: NA
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Penhallow and Daniel Streets
 - Unique Features: Vacant Urban Property
 - Neighborhood Association: Downtown

B. Proposed Work: To construct a 3 story commercial 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)
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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)
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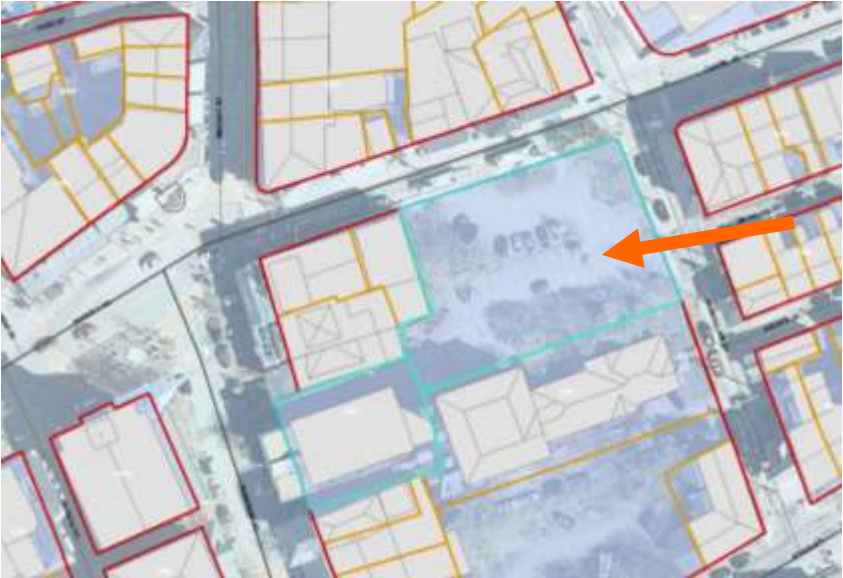
- I. Neighborhood Context:**
- This vacant lot is located along Daniel and Penhallow Streets and is surrounded with many other brick and wood-sided, 2.5-3 story contributing structures. Most buildings have no frontyard setback and off-street parking is limited.
- J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:**
- The applicant proposes to:
 - Construct a new 3 story / 50,000 SF +/- commercial building on the lot
 - Wide public sidewalks, plazas and courtyards are proposed.
 - Two levels of underground parking are proposed
 - **Note that the applicant will be presenting a revised design plan to address the detailing issues raised at the 8-14-19 work session.**

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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DANIEL STREET – WORK SESSION #C (MAJOR)											
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:<u>DANIEL STREET</u> Case No.:<u>C</u> Date: <u>9-4-19</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>			
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	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)									
	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
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Historic District Commission

Project Evaluation Form: **14 MECHANIC STREET**
Permit Requested: **CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL**
Meeting Type: **WORK SESSION #D**

A. Property Information - General:

- Existing Conditions:**
- Zoning District: General Residential B (GRB)
 - Land Use: Single-Family
 - Land Area: 8,778 SF +/-
 - Estimated Age of Structure: c.1810
 - Building Style: Federal
 - Number of Stories: 2.5
 - Historical Significance: Contributing
 - Public View of Proposed Work: View from Mechanic Streets
 - Unique Features: NA
 - Neighborhood Association: South End

B. Proposed Work: To remove a chimney and add a 1-story addition.

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 alterations, additions or expansions)

I. Neighborhood Context:

- This contributing historic structure is located along Hunking and Mechanic Streets and is surrounded with many other wood-sided, 2.5-3 story contributing structures. Most buildings have little to no frontyard setback and off-street parking is limited.

J. Staff Comments and Suggestions for Consideration:

- The applicant proposes to:
 - Add a rear one story addition
 - Remove a chimney
 - Add a new two-story addition on the side
 - Add a shed
 - Add a patio and landscaping.
 - Renovate the existing historic structure.

NOTE THAT THE APPLICANT IS SEEKING A POSTPONEMENT TOTH E OCTOBER MEETING IN ORDER TO DEAL WITH ISSUES ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROXIMITY OF THE DEVELOPMENT TO THE POINT OF GRAVES.

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

K. Aerial Image, Street View and Zoning Map:




Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC
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14 MECHANIC STREET – WORK SESSION #D (MODERATE)										
		INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		<div>PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM</div> <div>PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION</div> <div>PROPERTY:14 MECHANIC STREET Case No.:D Date:9-4-19</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"/> With Drawn</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>– ADD A TWO STORY ADDITION, SHED, DORMERS AND A 1-STORY ADDITION –</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				
		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 (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
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