

# Historic District Commission

## Staff Report – November 4<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> MEETING

#### Administrative Approvals:

- 1. 49 Hunking St. (LUHD-214) - Recommend Approval
- 2. 285 Union St. (LUHD-215) - Recommend Approval
- 3. 56 Dennett St. (LUHD-216) - TBD
- 4. 222 Court St. (LUHD-218) - Recommend Approval
- 5. 249 Pleasant St. (LUHD-197) - Recommend Approval
- 6. 46 Maplewood Ave. (LUHD-220)- TBD
- 7. 10 New Castle Ave. (LUHD-222) - Recommend Approval
- 8. 77 New Castle Ave. (LUHD-223) - Recommend Approval
- 9. 39 Richards Ave. (LUHD-224) - Recommend Approval
- 10. 306 Marcy St. (LUHD-225) - Recommend Approval

#### PUBLIC HEARINGS – OLD BUSINESS:

- A. 553-559 Islington St. (LU-20-180) (rear addition)

#### PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. 50 New Castle Ave. (LU-20-173) (addition)
- 2. 33 Jewell Court (LU-20-191) (roofing)
- 3. 249 Pleasant St. (LU-20-193) (windows)
- 4. 5 Hancock St. (LU-20-209) (garage addition)
- 5. 57 Salter St. (LU-20-211) (storefront & rear addition)

### Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> MEETING

#### Administrative Approvals:

- Pending

#### PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS:

- 6. 45 Gardner St. (LU-20-212) (windows)
- 7. 121 Northwest St. (LU-20-194) (porch)

#### WORK SESSIONS – OLD BUSINESS:

- B. 132-134 Middle St. (LHDC-105) (roof and stairs)
- C. 100 Market St. (LUHD-186) (storefront and awnings)

#### WORK SESSIONS – NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. 500 Market St. (LUHD-211) (windows and porches)



LOCATOR MAP

# HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

MEETING DATE: November 4<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
APPLICATIONS: 11

# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 553-559 ISLINGTON ST. (LU-20-180)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #A

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: CD4-L2
- Land Use: Multi-Family
- Land Area: 8,712 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1860
- Building Style: Greek Revival
- Historical Significance: Contributing
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Islington and Cass Streets
- Unique Features: NA
- Neighborhood Association: Islington Creek

**B. Proposed Work:** To install a new 2 ½ story rear addition and Exterior Woodwork.

**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:**

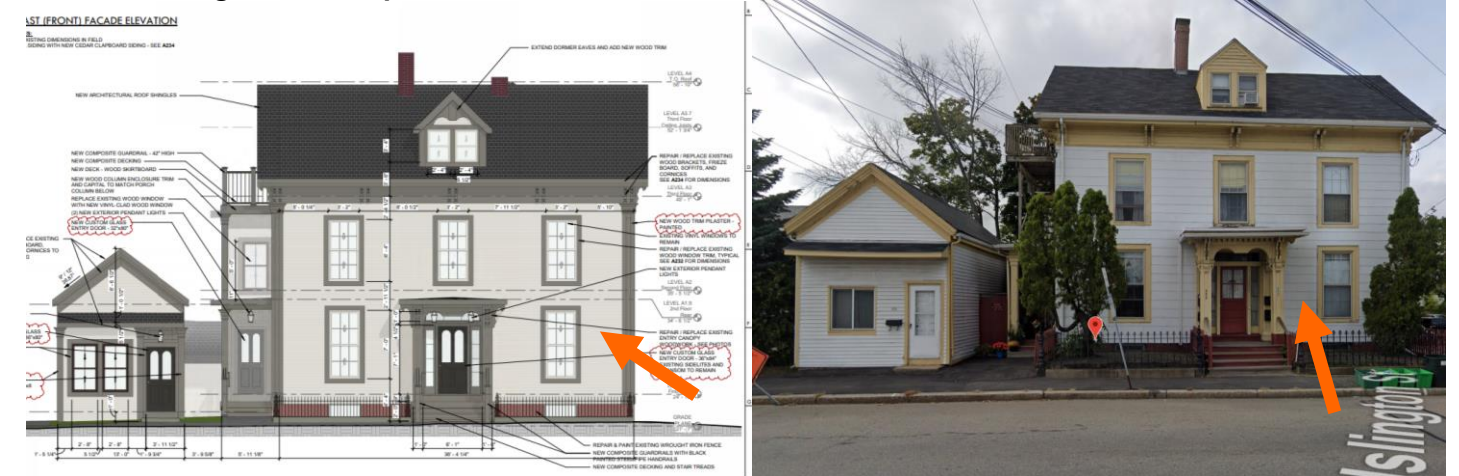
- The building is located Islington Street and is surrounded with many contributing structures as well as more recent commercial intrusions into the district. The neighborhood is predominantly 2 – 2 ½ story wood-sided structures on narrow lots with little to no setback from the sidewalk.

**J. Background, Comments & Suggested Action:**

- The applicant proposes to construct a 2 ½ story rear addition to support five existing residential units within the building.
- The HDC recommended the applicant replace the casement window on the single-story addition with a pair of double-hung windows. Additionally, the Commission suggested widening the corner boards and modify the railing on the front porch.

**Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Exterior Woodwork (05), Porches, Stoops and Decks (06) and Small Scale New Construction and Additions (10).**

**K. Aerial Images and Maps:**



Aerial and Streetview Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**553-559 ISLINGTON STREET (LU-20-180) – PUBLIC HEARING #A (MODERATE PROJECT)**

STAFF	INFO/ EVALUATION CRITERIA		SUBJECT PROPERTY		NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT		
	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)		<p><b>MODERATE PROJECT</b></p> <p><b>- 2 1/2 Story Rear Addition and Exterior Woodwork -</b></p>				
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	
	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	
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	25	Storm Windows / Screens / 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	
	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	Screening/ Enclosures (i.e. sheds, dumpsters...)				<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		

**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 553-559 Islington St. Case No.: A Date: 11-4-20

Decision:  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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|---|--|--|--|
| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 50 NEW CASTLE AVE. (LU-20-173)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #1

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: SRB
- Land Use: Single-Family
- Land Area: 9,583 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1895
- Building Style: Greek Revival
- Historical Significance: C
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from New Castle Ave. & Humphrey Ct.
- Unique Features: NA
- Neighborhood Association: South End

**B. Proposed Work:** Construct a rear addition with deck and replace siding, windows & roof.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment
- Planning Board
- City Council
- Condo Association
- Abutting Property Owner

**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:**

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**I. Neighborhood Context:**

- The building is located along the intersection of New Caste Ave. and Humphrey's Court. It is surrounded with many 2 to 2.5 story wood-sided structures with shallow front yard setbacks narrow side yards and deeper rear yards.

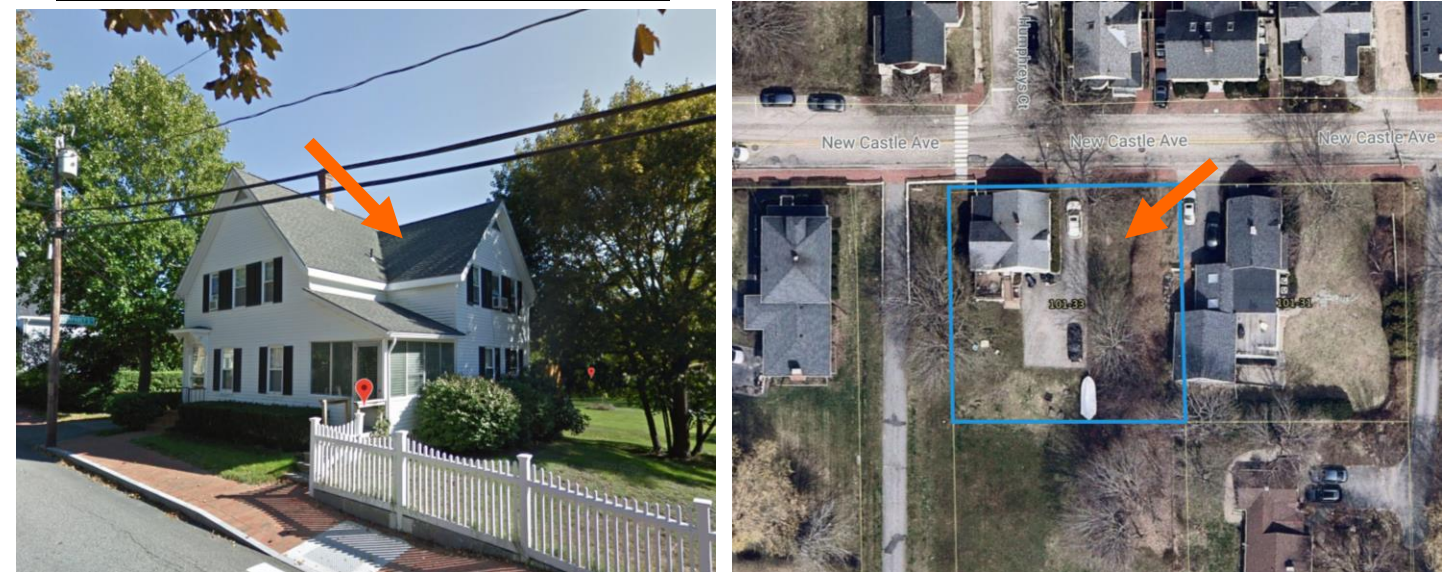
**J. Background & Suggested Action:**

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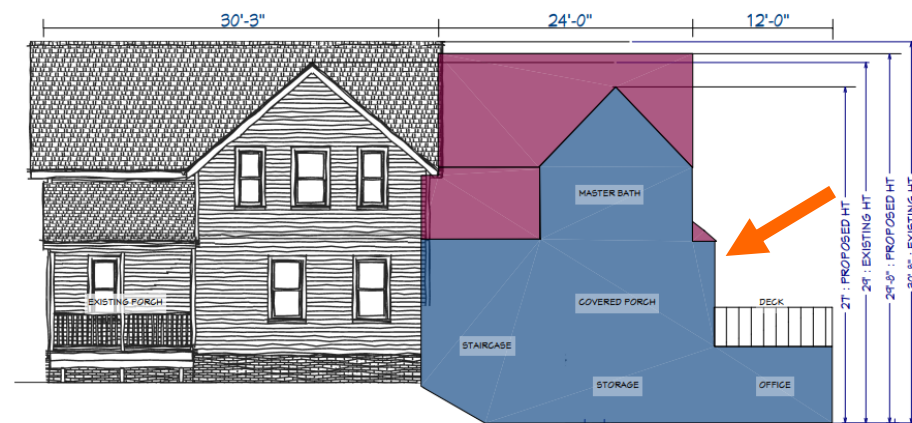
- Construct a rear addition with a deck and patio; and
- Renovate the existing structure with new siding, windows and roofing.
- At the last HDC meeting the Commission suggested the massing was much better as the addition appeared sub-ordinate to the historic structure.

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

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



Street View & Aerial Image



EAST PROPOSED ELEVATION | SIDEVIEW  
SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

East elevation showing rear addition

**HISTORIC SURVEY RATING**

C

**50 NEW CASTLE AVE. (LU-20-173) – PUBLIC HEARING #1 (MODERATE PROJECT)**

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		<b>- Rear Addition with Deck and Patio -</b>				
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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**  
**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**  
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**Date: 11-4-20**  
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# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 33 JEWELL COURT (LU-20-191)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #2

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: CD4-W
- Land Use: Commercial
- Land Are: 34,791 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1884
- Building Style: NA
- Historical Significance: C
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Islington and S. Albany Streets
- Unique Features: Former Frank Jones Brewery
- Neighborhood Association: West End

**B. Proposed Work:** To replace slate shingles with asphalt.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment
- Planning Board
- City Council
- Condo Association
- Abutting Property Owner

**D. Lot Location:**

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

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

- Principal
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**I. Neighborhood Context:**

- This contributing structure is located within the former Frank Jones Brewery Complex in the heart of the West End.

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

The Application is proposing to:

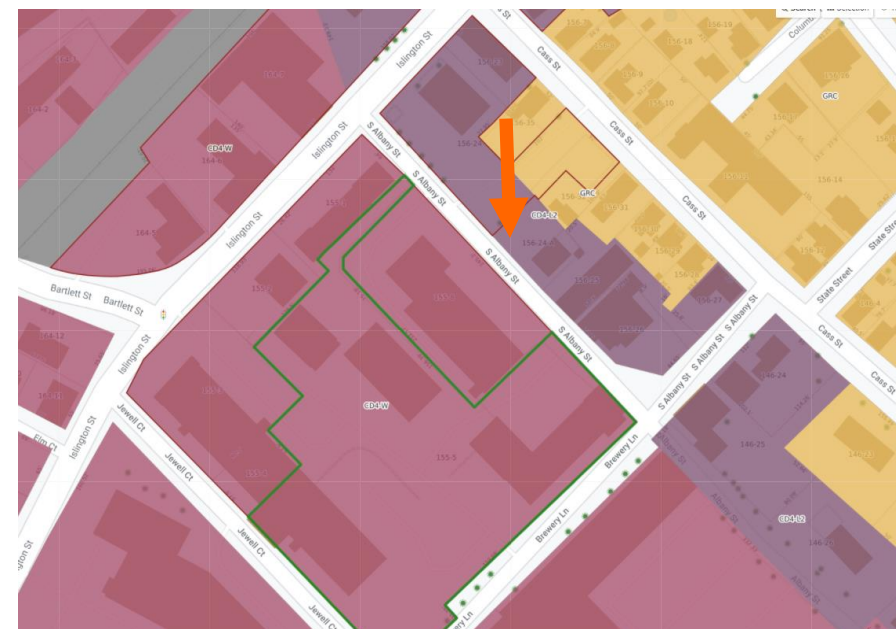
- To replace the existing slate roof (c.1884) with asphalt shingles.
- Note that the applicant was encouraged to consider a faux slate shingle given the roof profile, exposure and view from the public way.
- It will be important to make repairs to the existing light monitors or cupolas that are a character-defining feature of this building.

**Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Roofing (04).**

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



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**33 JEWELL COURT (LU-20-191) – PUBLIC HEARING #2 (MINOR)**

		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)	<p><b>MINOR PROJECT</b>  <b>- Replace Slate Shingles with Asphalt Shingles -</b></p>				
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BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	10	<b>Massing</b> (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
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	32	<b>Mechanicals</b> (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
	33	<b>Decks</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
	34	<b>Garages/ Barns / Sheds</b> (i.e. doors, placement...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
	SITE DESIGN	35	<b>Fence / Walls</b> (i.e. materials, type...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		36	<b>Grading</b> (i.e. ground floor height, street edge...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		37	<b>Landscaping</b> (i.e. gardens, planters, street trees...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		38	<b>Driveways</b> (i.e. location, material, screening...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		39	<b>Parking</b> (i.e. location, access, visibility...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
		40	<b>Accessory Buildings</b> (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	

**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**  
**PROPERTY: 33 Jewell Court Case No.: 2 Date: 11-4-20**

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



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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| 1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |



# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 249 PLEASANT STREET (LU-20-193)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #3

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: MRO
- Land Use: Single Family
- Land Are: 6,084 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1902
- Building Style: Colonial Revival
- Historical Significance: F
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Pleasant and Hancock Street
- Unique Features: NA
- Neighborhood Association: South End

**B. Proposed Work:** To replace all remaining historic windows.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment       Planning Board       City Council  
 Condo Association       Abutting Property Owner

**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:**

- This focal structure is located along Pleasant and Hancock Streets with many other contributing structures.

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

The Application is proposing to:

- To replace the remaining historic windows with the previously-approved Marvin Elevate window.

**Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Windows and Doors (08).**

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



Aerial and Street View Image



Aerial Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**249 PLEASANT STREET (LU-20-193) – PUBLIC HEARING #3 (MINOR)**

		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)	<p><b>MINOR PROJECT</b>  <b>– Replace Remaining Windows –</b></p>			
	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)					
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS	
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	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
		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
		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: 249 Pleasant St. Case No.: 3 Date: 11-4-20

Decision:  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 5 HANCOCK STREET (LU-20-209)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #4

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: MRO
- Land Use: single family
- Land Area: 9,795 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1920
- Building Style: Colonial Revival
- Historical Significance: NA
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Hancock Street
- Unique Features: Was originally located in the garden at the Langdon mansion
- Neighborhood Association: Downtown

**B. Proposed Work:** To add a second floor to the garage and add a connector.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment
- Planning Board
- City Council
- Condo Association
- Abutting Property Owner

**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:**

- This structure is located along Hancock Street along the edge of Strawberry Banke. It is surrounded with many 2-3 story wood-framed structures with shallow setbacks to the street.

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

The Application is proposing to:

- Add a second floor to the garage.
- Add a second floor connector between the garage and house.

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

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



Proposed Garage Expansion and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**5 HANCOCK STREET (LU-20-209) – PUBLIC HEARING #4 (MODERATE)**

		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)	<b>MODERATE PROJECT</b> <b>– Add a 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor to the Garage and a 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Connector–</b>			
	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)					
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS	
CONTEXT	8	<b>Scale</b> (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	9	<b>Placement</b> (i.e. setbacks, alignment...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	10	<b>Massing</b> (i.e. modules, banding, stepbacks...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	11	<b>Architectural Style</b> (i.e. traditional – modern)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	12	<b>Roofs</b>			<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	<b>Cornice Line</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	17	Eaves, Gutters and Downspouts			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	18	<b>Walls</b>			<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	<b>Doors and Windows</b>			<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	<b>Porches and Balconies</b>			<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	<b>Lighting</b> (i.e. wall, post...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	31	<b>Signs</b> (i.e. projecting, wall...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	32	<b>Mechanicals</b> (i.e. HVAC, generators)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
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	34	<b>Garages/ Barns / Sheds</b> (i.e. doors, placement...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate	
	SITE DESIGN	35	<b>Fence / Walls</b> (i.e. materials, type...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
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		40	<b>Accessory Buildings</b> (i.e. sheds, greenhouses...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate

**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**

**PROPERTY: 5 HANCOCK STREET Case No.: 4 Date: 11-4-20**

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



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 57 SALTER STREET (LU-20-211)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #5

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: WB
- Land Use: Single Family
- Land Area: 10,700 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1800
- Building Style: Federal
- Historical Significance: C
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Salter Street & Riverfront
- Unique Features: Outbuilding
- Neighborhood Association: South End

**B. Proposed Work:** To add a recessed porch, replace windows and remove skylights.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment       Planning Board       City Council

**D. Lot Location:**

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

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

- Principal       Accessory       Significant Demolition

**F. Sensitivity of Context:**

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

**G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):**

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

**H. Project Type:**

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

**I. Neighborhood Context:**

- This contributing structure is located along the end of Salter Street along the Piscataqua River. It is surrounded with 2-2.5 story wood-sided historic structures with shallow to no front yard setbacks.

**J. Background & Suggested Action:**

The applicant proposed to:

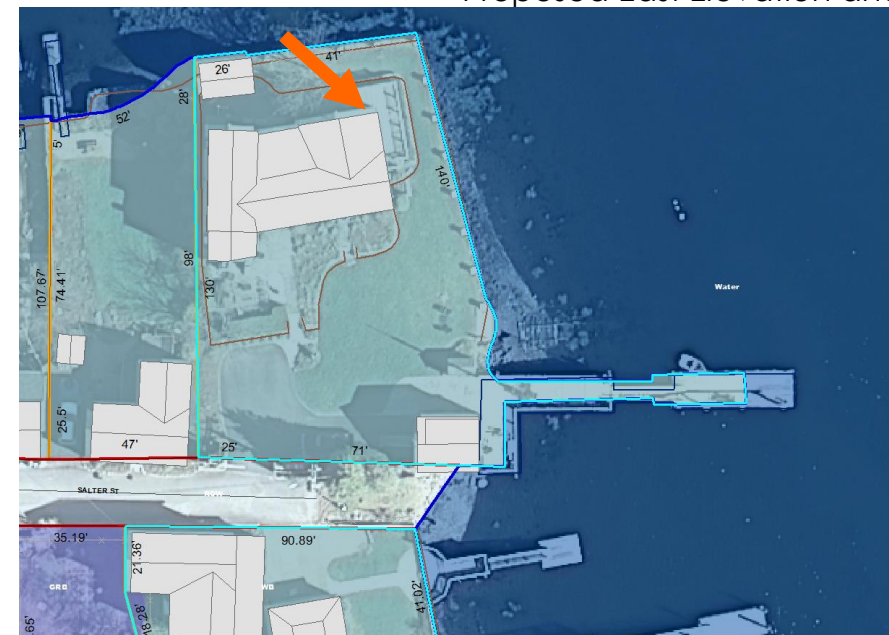
- Add a new side entry porch and recessed porches on the rear elevation.
- Resize and replace the windows.
- Remove the skylights.
- Apply shingles to the sidewall of the original house.
- Add half-round copper gutters and downspouts.
- A cable-rail system will be used on the porches and a rope between the waterfront piers.

**Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Roofing (04), Exterior Woodwork (06), Windows and Doors (08), and Site Elements and Streetscapes (09)**

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



Proposed East Elevation and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**57 SALTER STREET (LU-20-211) – PUBLIC HEARING #5 (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)	<b>MODERATE PROJECT</b> <b>- Add recessed Porches, Shingle Siding, Windows and Remove Skylights -</b>				
	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	PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT		APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS		
	CONTEXT	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	
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		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	
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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
			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
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	37		Landscaping (i.e. gardens, planters, street trees...)			<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: 57 SALTER ST. Case No: 5 Date: 11-4-20**  
**Decision:**  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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| 1. Consistent with special and defining character of surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 3. Relation to historic and architectural value of existing structure: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Comp of innovative technologies with surrounding properties:        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 45 GARDNER STREET (LU-20-212)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #6

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: GRB
- Land Use: Single Family
- Land Area: 1,306 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1857
- Building Style: Greek Revival
- Number of Stories: 2.5
- Historical Significance: Contributing
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Walton Alley
- Unique Features: NA
- Neighborhood Association: South End

**B. Proposed Work:** To add 3 casement windows to the rear elevation.

**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)

**J. Neighborhood Context:**

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

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

- This application proposes to add and elevator shaft along the eastern elevation.
- **Note that the applicant has requested to postpone this application until the October meeting.**

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

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



Proposed Rear Windows and Street View Image



Zoning Map

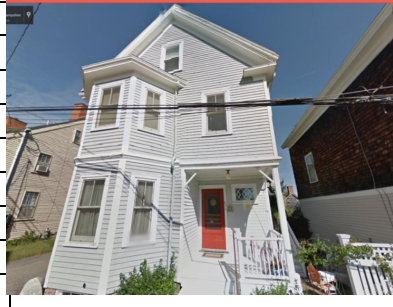
**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**45 GARDNER STREET (LU-20-212) – PUBLIC HEARING #6 (MINOR)**

		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)	<b>MINOR PROJECT</b> <b>-Add 3 Windows -</b>					
	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)							
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS			
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	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		
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS	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		
		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		
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		23	Window Casing/ Trim			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**  
**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**  
**PROPERTY: 45 GARDNER STREET Case No.: 6 Date: 11-10-20**  
**Decision:**  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 121 NORTHWEST STREET (LU-20-194)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** PUBLIC HEARING #7

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: GRA
- Land Use: Single-Family
- Land Area: 6,098 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1900
- Building Style: Vernacular
- Historical Significance: Contributing
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Northwest Street
- Unique Features: Abuts Rt. 1 Bypass
- Neighborhood Association: Christian Shore

**B. Proposed Work:** To install a covered 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

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

- Principal       Accessory       Demolition

**F. Sensitivity of Context:**

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

**G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):**

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

**H. Project Type:**

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

**I. Neighborhood Context:**

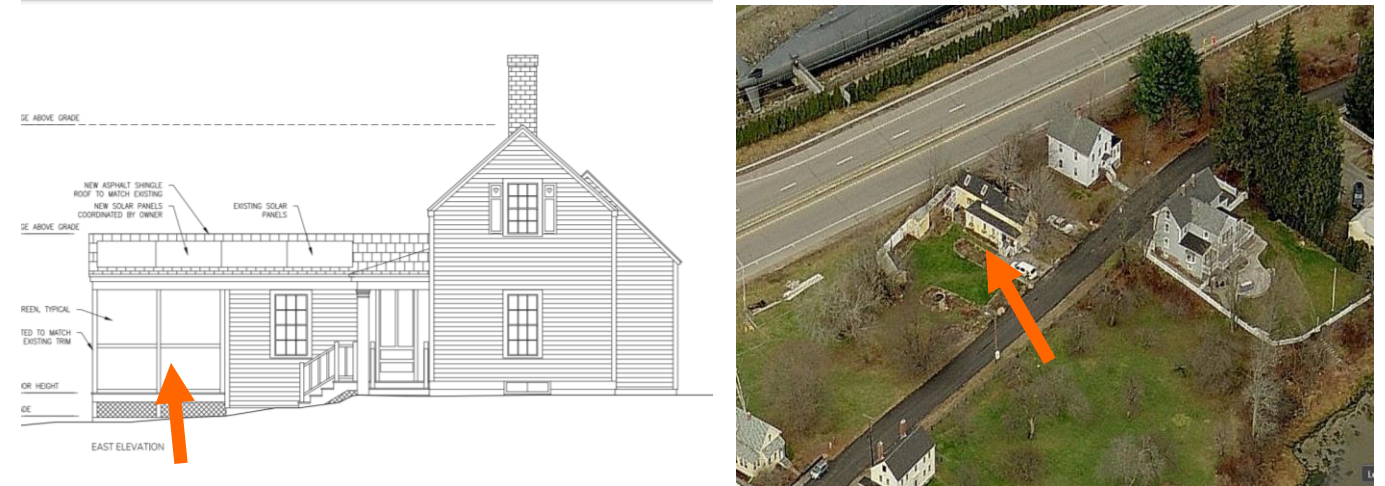
- The building is located along Northwest Street. It is surrounded with many 2-2.5 story wood-sided structures with shallow setbacks and small side or rear garden areas. The oldest structure in New Hampshire – the Jackson house – located approx. 250 feet from this property.

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

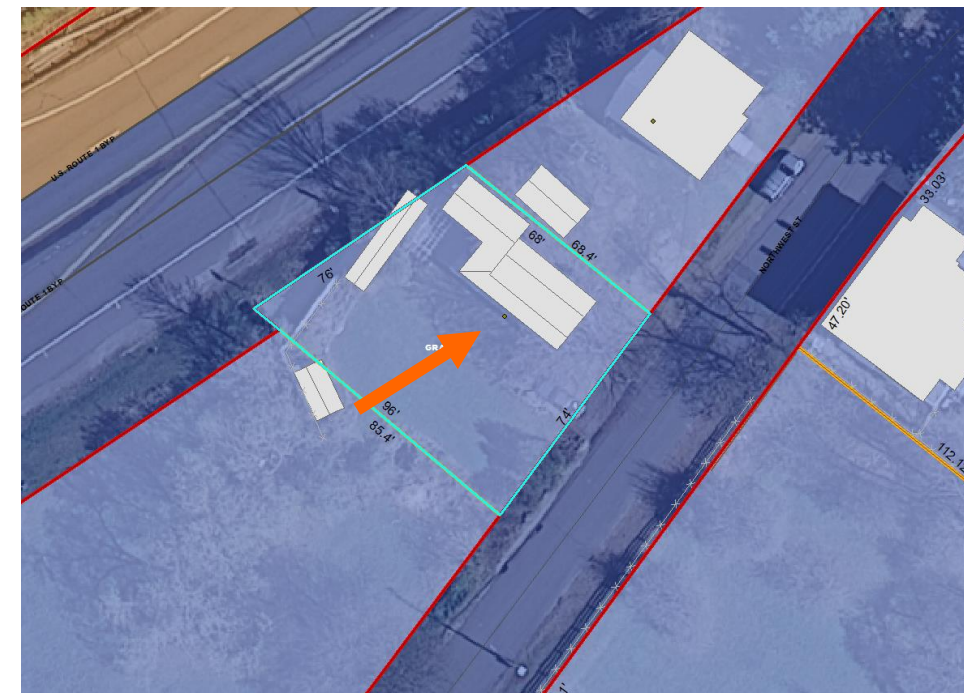
The Application is proposing to:

- The applicant proposes to add a covered and enclosed porch.
- Add solar panels to the roof structure.

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



Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC SURVEY RATING**

**C**

**121 NORTHWEST STREET (LU-20-194) – PUBLIC HEARING #7 (MINOR)**

		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)	<b>MINOR PROJECT</b> <b>- Construct a Covered Porch and Add Solar Panels -</b>					
	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)							
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS			
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	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		
BUILDING DESIGN & MATERIALS		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		
		12	Roofs			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate		
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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 121 NORTHWEST STREET Case No.: 7 Date: 11-10-20

Decision:  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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| 1. Preserve the integrity of the District:          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Maintain the special character of the District:   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 2. Assessment of the Historical Significance:       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 5. Complement and enhance the architectural and historic character:                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| 3. Conservation and enhancement of property values: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 6. Promote the education, pleasure and welfare of the District to the city residents and visitors: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**I. Review Criteria / Findings of Fact:**

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| 2. Compatibility of design with surrounding properties:                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | 4. Compatibility of innovative technologies with surrounding properties: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

# Historic District Commission

**Project Evaluation Form:** 132-134 MIDDLE STREET (LUHD-105)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** WORK SESSION #B

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: CD4-L1
- Land Use: Mixed-Use
- Land Area: 11,060 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1865
- Building Style: Mansard
- Number of Stories: 3.0
- Historical Significance: Focal
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Middle Street & Haymarket Square
- Unique Features: The Parrot House is a Focal building
- Neighborhood Association: Downtown

**B. Proposed Work:** To repoint brick, replace the roof & made entryway improvements

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment
- Condo Association
- Planning Board
- Abutting Property Owner
- City Council

**D. Lot Location:**

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

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

- Principal
- Accessory
- Significant Demolition

**F. Sensitivity of Neighborhood 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, AC Hotel)

**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 focal historic structure is located along historic Haymarket Square and is surrounded with many other contributing and focal brick or wood-sided historic buildings between 2.5-3 stories in height. Note that the structure is located on two separate lots.

**J. Previous HDC Comments and Suggestions:**

- The HDC has reviewed this application and requested the applicant either explore reusing existing slate shingles from the rear addition for the front façade or using the faux slate shingles. The asphalt shingles were not supported by a majority of the Commission given the location, prominence and focal status of the building. The Applicant was asked to also clarify the techniques proposed for restoration or replacement of the brownstone quoins and stairs.

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

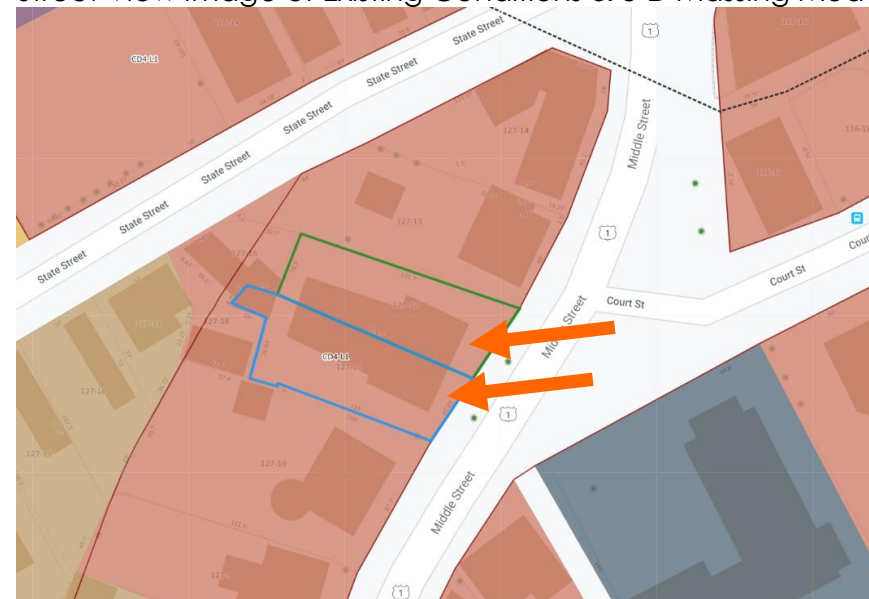
- Please note that the applicant may require additional time and request a continuance to the December meeting in order to meet with roofing and masonry experts to evaluate the feasibility of reusing the existing slate and making repairs or replacement to the brownstone.

**Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Exterior Maintenance (03), Roofing (04), Exterior Woodwork (05), Masonry and Stucco (07) and Windows & Doors (08).**

**L. Proposed Design, 3d Massing View and Aerial View:**



Street View Image of Existing Conditions & 3-D Massing Model



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**F**

**132-134 MIDDLE STREET (LUHD-105) – WORK SESSION #B (MODERATE)**

		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)	<p><b>MODERATE PROJECT</b></p> <p><b>– Replace Roof &amp; Trim, Repoint Brick and Replace Front Entryway –</b></p>			
	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)					
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	HDC COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS	
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	8	Scale (i.e. height, volume, coverage...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate
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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**  
**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**  
**PROPERTY: 132-134 MIDDLE ST Case No.:B Date:11-10-20**  
**Decision:**  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  With Drawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 100 MARKET STREET (LUHD-198)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** WORK SESSION #C

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: CD5
- Land Use: Commercial
- Land Area: 13,571 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.2000
- Building Style: Modern Commercial
- Historical Significance: NA
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Market and Hanover Streets
- Unique Features: 1<sup>st</sup> large, 5 story, infill building with no setbacks
- Neighborhood Association: Downtown

**B. Proposed Work:** To renovate the corner entrance.

**C. Other Permits Required:**

- Board of Adjustment       Planning Board       City Council

**D. Lot Location:**

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

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

- Principal       Accessory       Demolition

**F. Sensitivity of Context:**

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

**G. Design Approach (for Major Projects):**

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

**H. Project Type:**

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

**I. Neighborhood Context:**

- The building is located along Hanover and Market Streets. It is surrounded with many brick 3-4 story historic structures with no setbacks and small rear garden areas.

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

The Application is proposing to:

- Replace the glass canopy at the corner entrance with a sign band;
- Expand the conditioned space within the storefront to include the recessed or covered corner entrance.
- Note that at the Work Session, several members of the HDC suggested the applicant seek to retain the awnings as a character-defining feature of the building. Plans will be submitted and distributed on 11-5-20.

• **Design Guideline Reference – Guidelines for Masonry & Stucco (07), and Windows and Doors (08).**

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

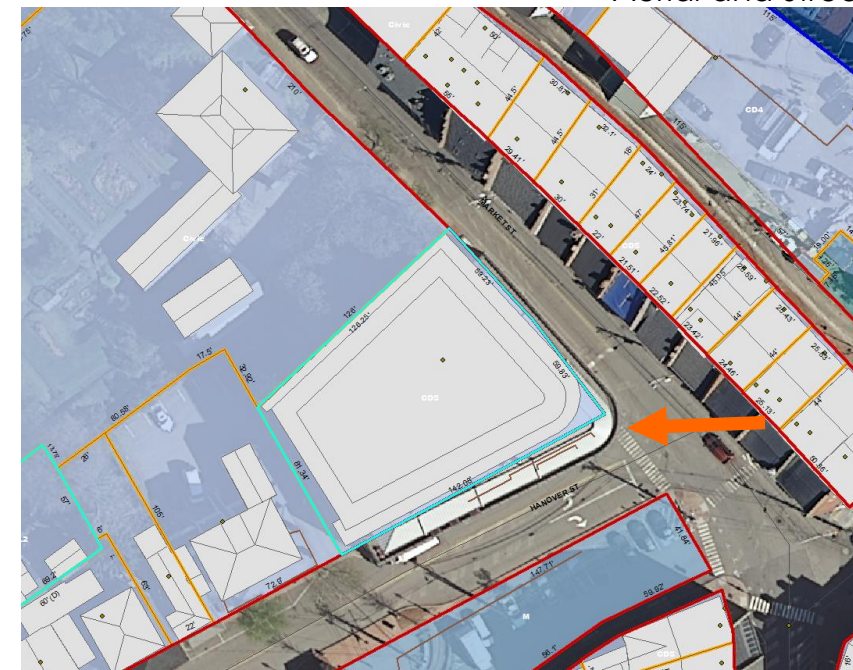


PERSPECTIVE-HANOVER ST.  
EXISTING  
1/16" = 1'-0"



PERSPECTIVE-HANOVER ST.  
PROPOSED  
1/16" = 1'-0"

Aerial and Street View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**NA**

**100 MARKET STREET (LUHD-198) – WORK SESSION #C (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)	<p><b>MINOR PROJECT</b>                      – Renovate the Corner Entrance and Remove Awnings –</p>				
	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)						
		PROJECT REVIEW ELEMENT	APPLICANT'S COMMENTS	HDC SUGGESTIONS	APPROPRIATENESS		
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEMBERS	CONTEXT	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	
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		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	
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		14	Roof Projections (i.e. chimneys, vents, dormers...)			<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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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

PROPERTY: 100 MARKET STREET Case No.: C Date: 11-10-20

Decision:  Approved  Approved with Stipulations  Denied  
 Continued  Postponed  Withdrawn



**H. Purpose and Intent:**

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# Historic District Commission

**Project Address:** 500 MARKET STREET (LUHD – 211)  
**Permit Requested:** CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL  
**Meeting Type:** WORK SESSION #1

**A. Property Information - General:**

**Existing Conditions:**

- Zoning District: Central Business District A (CBA)
- Land Use: Office – Building 2
- Land Area: 102,680 SF +/-
- Estimated Age of Structure: c.1930/1982
- Building Style: Classical Revival
- Historical Significance: C
- Public View of Proposed Work: View from Market Street
- Unique Features: NA
- Neighborhood Association: Nobles Island

**B. Proposed Work:** Replace rear decks.

**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)
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**H. Project Type:**

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- 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 Market Street. It is surrounded with many brick 2.5 story structures with shallow setbacks and an internal parking lot area.

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

The Application is proposing to:

- Replace the rear decks with a pier-supported system.

• **Design Guideline Reference: Guidelines for Porches, Stoops and Decks(06)**

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



Rear Decks and Aerial View Image



Zoning Map

**HISTORIC  
SURVEY  
RATING**

**C**

**500 MARKET STREET (LUHD – 211) – WORK SESSION #1 (MINOR)**

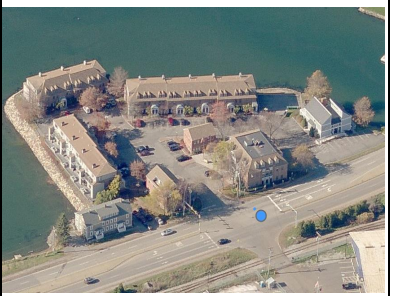
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<b>STAFF</b>	<b>GENERAL BUILDING INFORMATION</b>		(ESTIMATED FROM THE TAX MAPS & ASSESSOR'S INFO)					
	1	Gross Floor Area (SF)	<b>MINOR PROJECT – Replace Rear Decks –</b>					
	2	Floor Area Ratio (GFA/ Lot Area)						
	3	Building Height / Street-Width Ratio						
	4	Building Height – Zoning (Feet)						
	5	Building Height – Street Wall / Cornice (Feet)						
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**PROPERTY EVALUATION FORM**

**PORTSMOUTH HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION**

**PROPERTY: 500 MARKET STREET Case No.: 1 Date: 11-10-20**

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



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