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# HISTORIC PRESERVATION APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

Pursuant to review under the City of Portland's Historic Preservation Ordinance (Chapter 14, Article IX of the Portland City Code), application is hereby made for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the following work on the specified historic property:

PROJECT ADDRESS:
144 Spring St Portland ME
CHART/BLOCK/LOT:
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Describe below each major component of your project. Describe how the proposed work will impact existing architectural features and/or building materials. If more space is needed, continue on a separate page. Attach drawings, photographs and/or specifications as necessar to fully illustrate your project—see following page for suggested attachments.  Radon mitigation pipe will exit
house and go up side of building
at edges building where it
joins the garage of Crandell
1001hacher Then The gipe will
turn The corner of The building
above garage + go The rest as
The way up along back edge
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## **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Applicant – must be owner, Lessee or Buyer		Applicant Contact Information	
Name: Lynn Steamer		Work#	
Business Name, if applicable:		Home#	
Address: 180 Fran	ces St	cell# 207 807 /fax# 207773 3505 e-mail: lynn stermer@gmail.com	
Address: 180 Frances St City/State: Portland Marcode: 04102		e-mail: lynn stermera, amail.com	
Owner – (if different from Appli	cant)	Owner Contact Information	
Name:		Work#	
Address:		Home#	
City/State :	Zip Code:	Cell#	Fax#
		e-mail:	
Billing Information		Billing Contact Information	
Name:		Work#	
Address:		Cell#	Fax#
City/State :	Zip Code:	e-mail:	
Architect		Architect Contact information	on
Name:		Work#	
Address:		Home#	
City/State :	Zip Code:	Cell #	Fax#
		e-mail:	
Contractor	11.11.	Contractor Contact Informa	tion
Name: Len Will	onellette	Work#	
Address:		Home#	
City/State :	Zip Code:	Cell #	Fax#
		e-mail:	
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Applicant's Signature

Owner's Signature (if different)

#### **APPLICATION FEES:**

Check all reviews that apply. (Payment may be made by Cash or Check payable to the City of Portland.)

Administrative Review (for minor or standard alterations)	\$50.00	
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HP Board Review	\$100.00	
HP Board Review for major projects involving new construction	\$750.00	
or building addition exceeding 1000 sq. ft. or comprehensive		
rehabilitation/redesign of existing structures		
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After-the-fact Review (for work commenced without advance	\$1000.00	
approval)		
Sign Review for signs in historic districts	\$75.00	
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<ul> <li>Notices (\$.75 each)</li> </ul>		
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<ul> <li>Legal Ad (% of total Ad)</li> </ul>		

#### **Activities Requiring Approval in Historic Districts**

If your property is located within a historic district or is an individually designated historic structure, it is necessary to receive approval before proceeding with any exterior alteration, construction activity or site improvement that will be visible from a public way. Following is a list of activities requiring review.

Please check all those activities that apply to your proposed project.

Alterat	cions and Repair
	Window and door replacement, including storms/screens
	Removal and/or replacement of architectural detailing (for example porch spindles and columns, railings, window moldings, and cornices)
	Porch replacement or construction of new porches
	Installation or replacement of siding
	Masonry work, including repointing, sandblasting, chemical cleaning, painting where the masonry has never been painted, or conversely, removal of paint where the masonry historically has been painted
	Installation or replacement of either roofing or gutters when they are a significant and integral feature of the structure
	Alteration of accessory structures such as garages
Additio	ons and New Construction
	New Construction
	Building additions, including rooftop additions, dormers or decks
	Construction of accessory structures
	Installation of exterior access stairs or fire escapes
	Installation of antennas and satellite receiving dishes
	Installation of solar collectors
	Rooftop mechanicals
Signage	e and Exterior Utilities
	Installation or alteration of any exterior sign, awning, or related lighting
	Exterior lighting where proposed in conjunction with commercial and institutional signage or awnings
×	Exterior utilities, including mechanical, plumbing, and electrical, where placed on or near clearly visible facades it is not on a clearly visible. Sacadle it is in driveway of park row apartments with other cerations utilities
Site Alt	rerations vilities
	Installation or modification of site features other than vegetation, including fencing, retaining walls, driveways, paving, and re-grading
Moving	g and Demolition
	Moving of structures or objects on the same site or to another site
	Any demolition or relocation of a landmark contributing and/or contributing structure within a district

Note: Your project may also require a building permit. Please call Building Inspections (874-8703) to make this determination.

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

To supplement your application, please submit the following items, as applicable to your project. Keep in mind that the information you provide the Historic Preservation Board and staff is the only description they will have of your project or design. Therefore, it should precisely illustrate the proposed alteration(s).

Exterior photographs (required for all applications.) Include general streetscape view, view of entire building & close-ups of affected area. They will be provided by
Sketches or elevation drawings at a minimum 1/4" scale. Please label relevant dimensions. All plans shall be submitted in 11" x 17" format except for major projects, where 22" x 34" plans a requested. Applicants for major projects should submit one (1) 11" x 17" copy for scanning purposes. They will be provided by Ken Ovellette
Details or sections, where applicable.
Floor plans, where applicable.
Site plan showing relative location of adjoining structures.
Catalog cuts or product information (e.g. proposed windows, doors, lighting fixtures)
Materials - list all visible exterior materials. Samples are helpful.
Other (explain)

If you have any questions or need assistance in completing this form, please contact Historic Preservation staff:

Deb Andrews (874-8726) or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:dga@portlandmaine.gov">dga@portlandmaine.gov</a> Rob Wiener (756-8023) or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:rwiener@portlandmaine.gov">rwiener@portlandmaine.gov</a>

# **Application Deadlines for Historic Preservation Board Review**

The Historic Preservation Board meets on the first and third Wednesday of each month. (Only 1 meeting is held in the months of August and December.) Meetings generally begin at 5:00 and are held in Room 209 of City Hall.

In order for your proposal to be scheduled for a Historic Preservation Board meeting, a **complete** application must be received by the Planning Division **at least 2 weeks in advance of the desired meeting.** The application fee is also due at that time. Applications received after the deadline will be considered at a subsequent meeting.

Application Deadlines	2014 Meeting Dates
December 25	January 8
January 8	January 22
January 22	February 5
February 5	February 19
February 19	March 5
March 5	March 19
March 19	April 2
April 2	April 16
April 23	May 7
May 7	May 21
May 21	June 4
June 4	June 18
June 18	July 2
July 2	July 16
July 23	August 6
August 20	September 3
September 3	September 17
September 17	October 1
October 1	October 15
October 22	November 5
November 5	November 19
November 19	December 3

**Note:** Submission of an application by the deadline does not guarantee that you will be on the next meeting agenda. If the Planning Office receives more applications than can be reasonably reviewed in one meeting, staff reserves the option of postponing some items to the following meeting.

### Standards for Review of Alterations to Historic Buildings

In considering an application for a Certificate of Appropriateness involving alterations, the Historic Preservation Board and Staff the following review standards, as provided in the City's historic preservation ordinance:

- (1) Every reasonable effort shall be made to provide a compatible use for the property which requires minimal alteration to the character-defining features of the structure, object or site and its environment or to use a property for its originally intended purpose.
- (2) The distinguishing original qualities or character of a structure, object or site and its environment shall not be destroyed. The removal or alteration of any historic material or distinctive architectural features should be avoided when possible.
- (3) All sites, structures and objects shall be recognized as products of their own time, place and use. Alterations that have no historical basis or create a false sense of historical development such as adding conjectural features or elements from other properties shall be discouraged.
- (4) Changes which may have taken place in the course of time are evidence of the history and development of a structure, object or site and its environment. Changes that have acquired significance in their own right, shall not be destroyed.
- (5) Distinctive features, finishes, and construction techniques or examples of skilled craftsmanship which characterize a structure, object or site shall be treated with sensitivity.
- (6) Deteriorated historic features shall be repaired rather than replaced wherever feasible. Where the severity of deterioration requires replacement of a distinctive feature, the new feature should match the feature being replaced in composition, design, texture and other visual qualities and, where possible, materials. Repair or replacement of missing historic features should be based on accurate duplications of features, substantiated by documentary, physical or pictorial evidence rather than on conjectural designs or the availability of different architectural elements from other structures or objects.
- (7) The surface cleaning of structures and objects, if appropriate, shall be undertaken with the gentlest means possible. Chemical or physical treatments, such as sandblasting, that cause damage to historic materials shall not be undertaken.
- (8) Every reasonable effort shall be made to protect and preserve significant archeological resources affected by or adjacent to any project. If resources must be disturbed, mitigation measures shall be undertaken.
- (9) Contemporary design for alterations and additions to existing properties shall not be discouraged when such alterations and additions do not destroy significant cultural, historical, architectural or archeological materials that characterize the property. The new work shall be differentiated from the old and shall be compatible with the size, scale, color, material and character of the property, neighborhood or environment.
- (10) Wherever possible, new additions or alterations to structures and objects shall be undertaken in such a manner that, if such additions or alterations were to be removed in the future, the essential form and integrity of the historic property would be unimpaired.