HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

3 Hesketh Street Address:

Meeting Date:

7/14/04

Applicant:

Ellen Donahue

Report Date:

7/07/04

Resource:

Contributing Resource

Public Notice:

6/30/04

Chevy Chase Village Historic District

Review:

HAWP

Tax Credit:

Possible

Case Number: 35/13-04C REVISION

Staff:

Anne Fothergill

PROPOSAL:

Deck removal, brick installation, and porch alterations

RECOMMEND:

Approval

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

SIGNIFICANCE:

Contributing Resource in the Chevy Chase Village Historic District

STYLE:

Colonial Revival

DATE:

1908

Three Hesketh Street is a two-and-a-half-story single family home in Chevy Chase Village built in 1908. The house has had at least two additions—one at the rear right side built in the 1930s and one at the rear left built in 1978. Some non-original window replacement was approved by the HPC in January 2004 as part of their interior kitchen renovation. The applicant now would like to expand the workscope as their project evolves.

PROPOSAL

The applicants are currently renovating their kitchen and are proposing the removal of their rear deck that was built in 1978. The removal of this feature would expose the brick steps that were installed as part of the 1930s expansion of the house. The applicants would like to use these steps again and extend them further across the whole width of the back of the house so as to access the yard from the kitchen door.

Additionally, the applicants would like to access the back yard from the side porch and are proposing removal of the back railing and installation of stairs from the back of the porch down to the back yard. The proposed materials would be slate steps to match the front stairs and a wood railing to match the existing porch railing.

STAFF DISCUSSION

A Contributing Resource in the Chevy Chase Village Historic District is subject to a moderate level of scrutiny and the *Guidelines* state that "besides issues of massing, scale, and compatibility, preserving the integrity of the resource is taken into account. Alterations should be designed so that the altered structure still contributes to the district. Use of compatible new materials, rather than the original building materials, should be permitted. Planned changes should be compatible with the structure's existing design, but should not be required to replicate its architectural style."

The Chevy Chase Village Historic District *Guidelines* also state: "Porches should be subject to moderate scrutiny if they are visible from the public right-of-way and lenient scrutiny if they are not. Enclosures of side and rear porches have occurred throughout the Village with little or no adverse impact on its character, and they should be permitted where compatibly designed. Strict scrutiny should be applied to additions above existing front porches."

The deck was built as part of the 1978 addition and its removal would expose the bricks that were installed as part of the 1930s addition and remain intact underneath the deck. The exposure and any rehabilitation (if needed) of these bricks may be tax credit eligible. The changes to the porch are at the back of the porch and would not be visible from the street. All the proposed materials are compatible and appropriate. Staff recommends approval.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission *approve* the HAWP application as being consistent with Chapter 24A-8 (b) 2:

The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter,

and with the general condition applicable to all Historic Area Work Permits that the applicant will present 3 permit sets of drawings to HPC staff for review and stamping prior to submission for permits (if applicable). After issuance of the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) permit, the applicant will arrange for a field inspection by calling the DPS Field Services Office at (240) 777-6370 or online at www.permits.emontgomery.org prior to commencement of work and not more than two weeks following completion of work.



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HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301/563-3400

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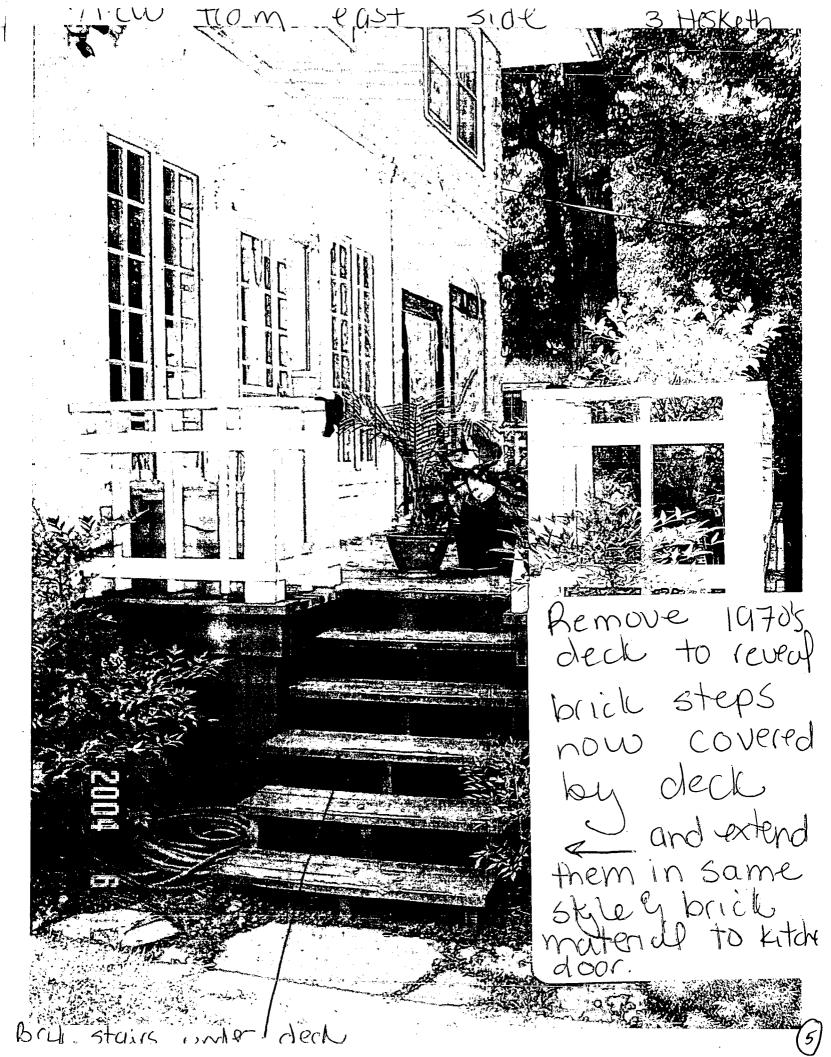
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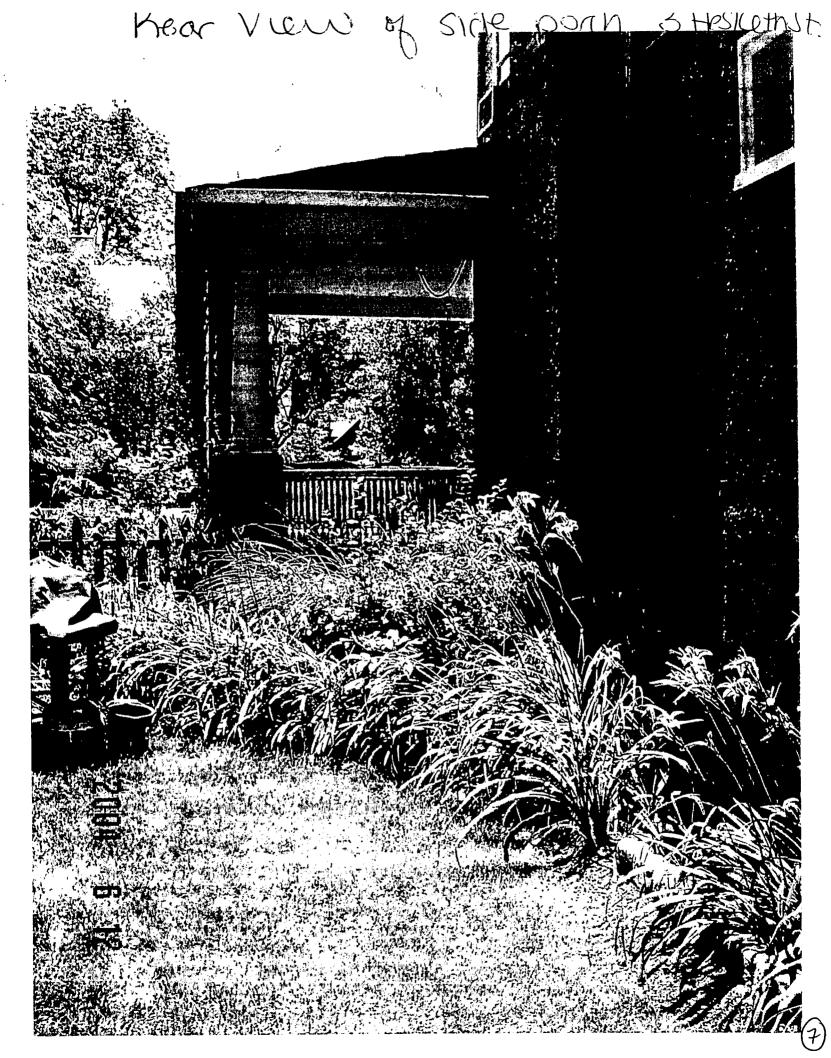
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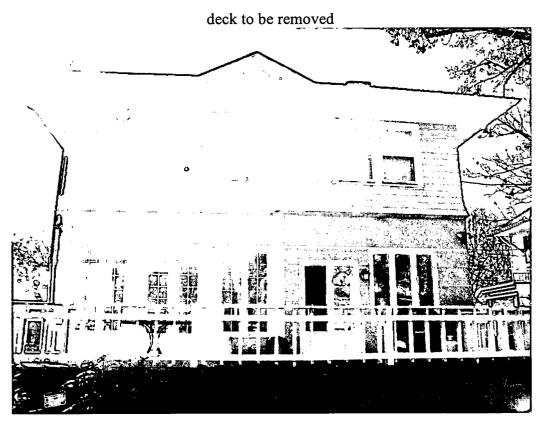




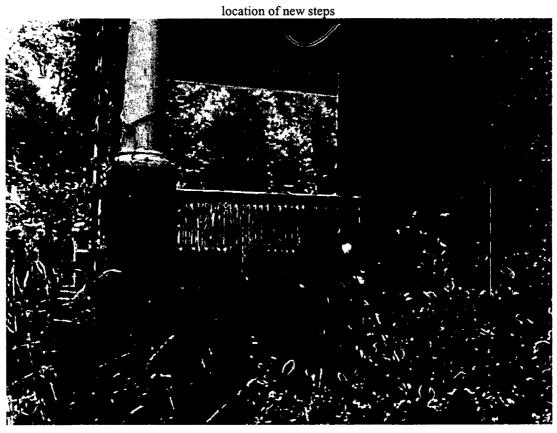


3 Hesketh











From: Fotheraill, Anne

Sent: Wednesday, August 30, 2006 11:37 AM

To: 'Ellen Donahue'

Subject: Fencing replacement approval

Thanks for your email requesting staff level approval of your fencing replacement. Please accept this email as approval of your fence replacement based on the information you have provided below. You do not need to apply for a Historic Area Work Permit. We have talked to the adjacent neighbors at & Hesketh and they are in support of this fencing installation. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thanks, Anne

Anne Fotheraill Historic Preservation Planner Montgomery County Department of Park and Planning 1109 Spring Street, Suite 801 Silver Spring, MD 20910 301-563-3400 phone 301-563-3412 fax

----Original Message----

http://www.mc-mncppc.org/historic/

From: Ellen Donahue [mailto:ellcdon@msn.com] **Sent:** Thursday, August 24, 2006 11:47 AM

To: Fothergill, Anne

Subject: Re: Request for information

Good questions! The existing fence begins approx 6" back from the front steps begin so that 24" of the west side of the house will be much more visible when removed. The new fence will run straight along the existing property to the back of our lot.

Does this help? I don't have access to a digital camera at the moment.

---- Original Message -----From: Fothergill, Anne To: Ellen Donahue

Sent: Thursday, August 24, 2006 11:25 AM

Subject: RE: Request for information

Where does the fence start in terms of the house? Does it begin behind the house and run along the property line towards the back of the lot?

Thanks, Anne

Anne Fothergill Historic Preservation Planner Montgomery County Department of Park and Planning



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From: Ellen Donahue [mailto:ellcdon@msn.com] Sent: Thursday, August 24, 2006 11:12 AM

To: Fothergill, Anne

Subject: Request for information

Dear Anne,

I am writing you to clarify if I will need to go through the full Historic Area Work Permit process for the following project: remove and replace a dilapidated fence located on the property line between our house at 3 Hesketh Street and 5 Hesketh Street.

The project consists of 2 parts:

- 1. remove approx. 18 feet of 5 foot high wooden stockade fence.
- 2. remove approx. 94 feet of 5 foot high wooden stockade fence and install 94 ' 4' Gothic Spaced flat top wood picket fence that will be more compatible with the historic character of our neighborhood. Long Fence will be the contractor.

Thank you for your consideration. Please let me know if you require additional information

Ellen Donahue 301 656 0193 240 478 9913 (cell)



Date: January 19, 2005

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Robert Hubbard, Director

FROM:

Gwen Wright, Coordinator

Historic Preservation

SUBJECT:

Historic Area Work Permit # 328653_REVISION_

The Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) has reviewed the attached application for a Historic Area Work Permit (HAWP). This is a revision to an application that was approved in January 2004. This application was **APPROVED**.

The HPC staff will review and stamp the construction drawings prior to the applicant's applying for a building permit with DPS.

THE BUILDING PERMIT FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ISSUED CONDITIONAL UPON ADHERENCE TO THE APPROVED HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT (HAWP).

Applicant:

Ellen Donahue

Address:

3 Hesketh Street, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

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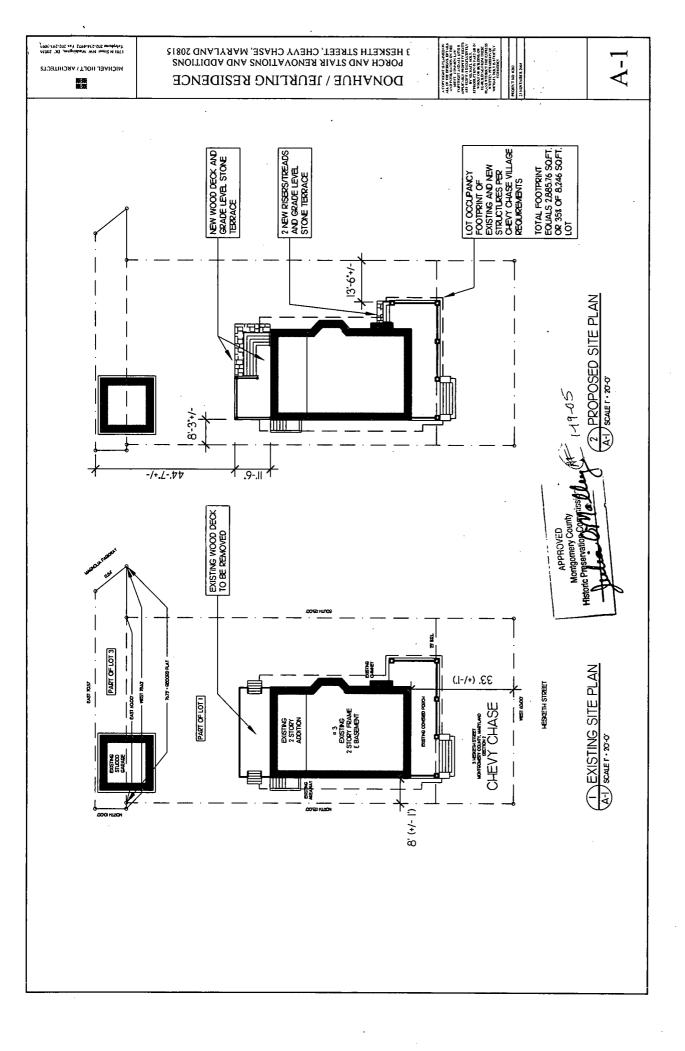
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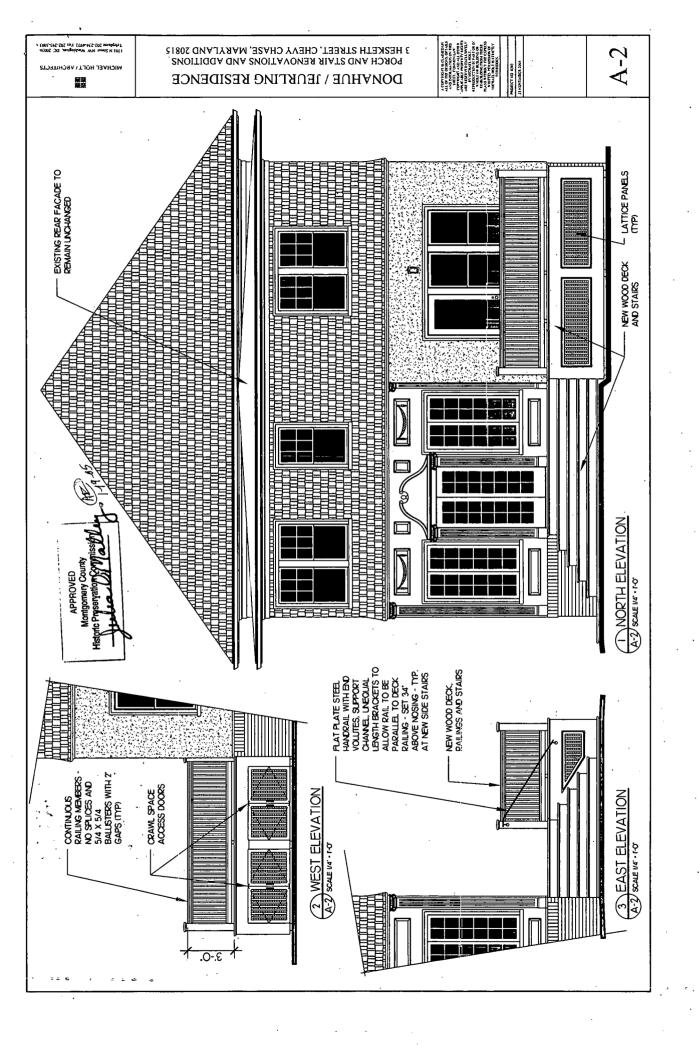
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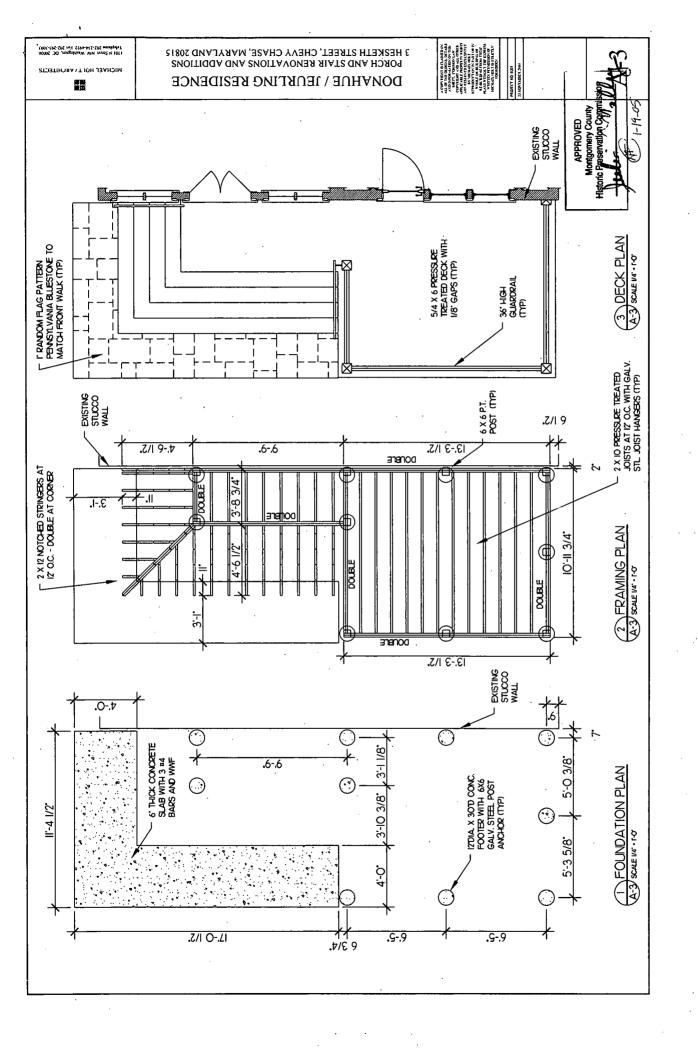
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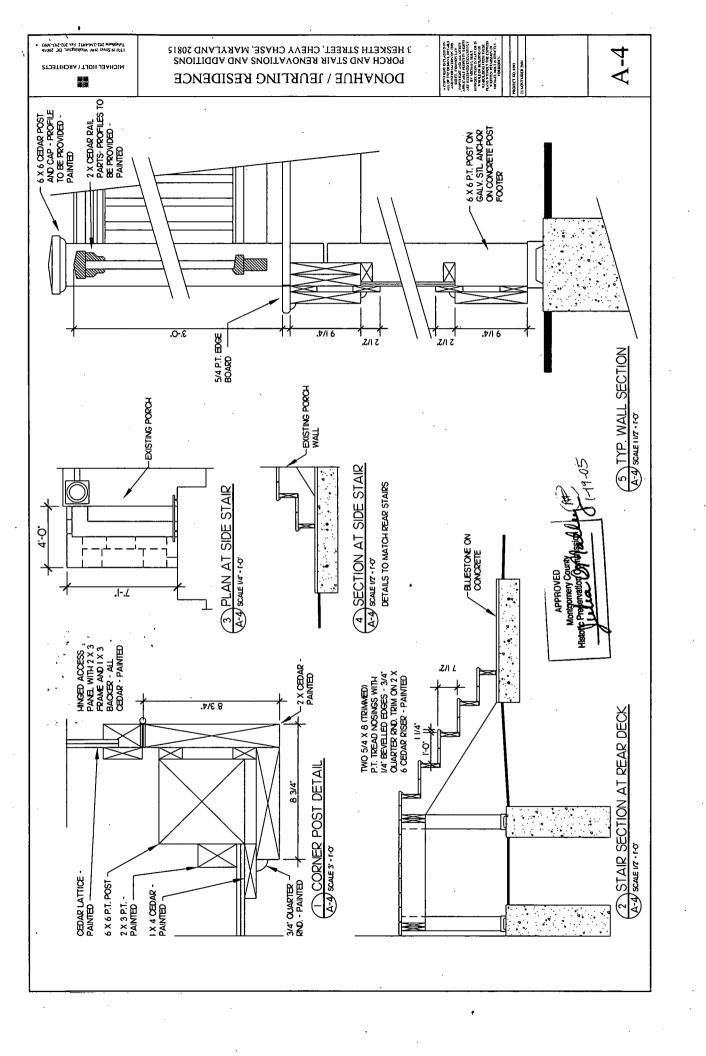
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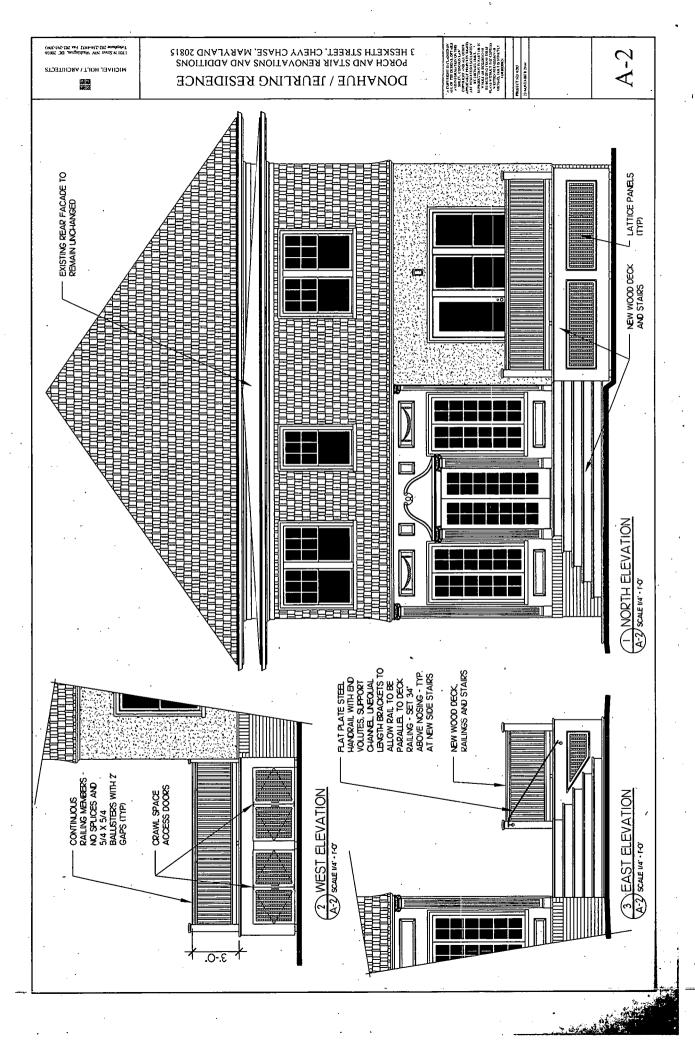
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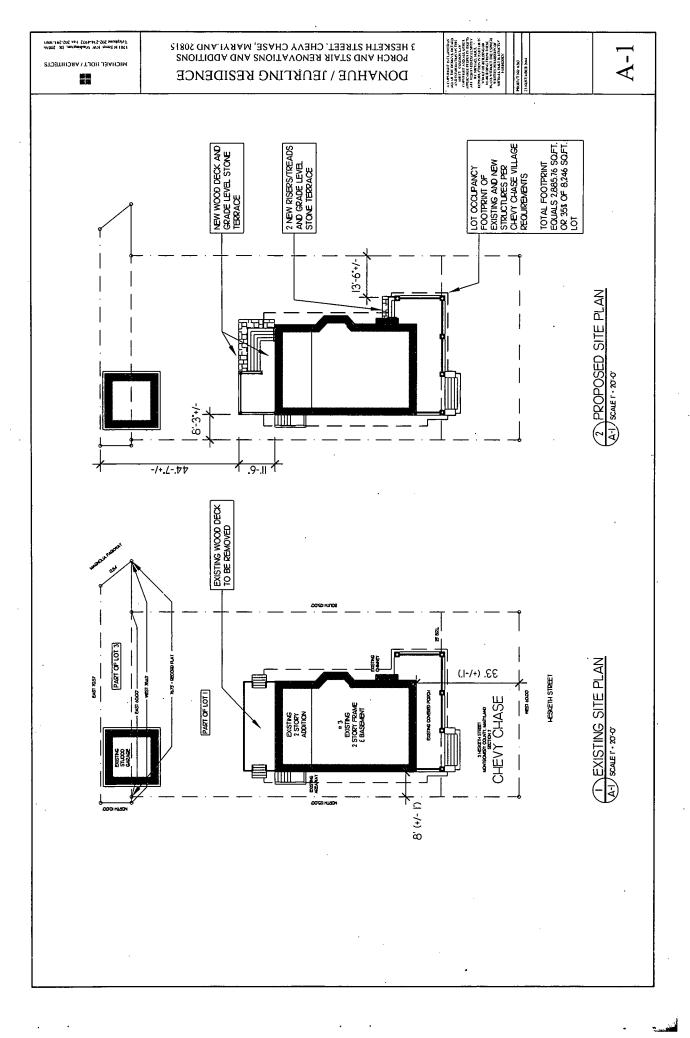


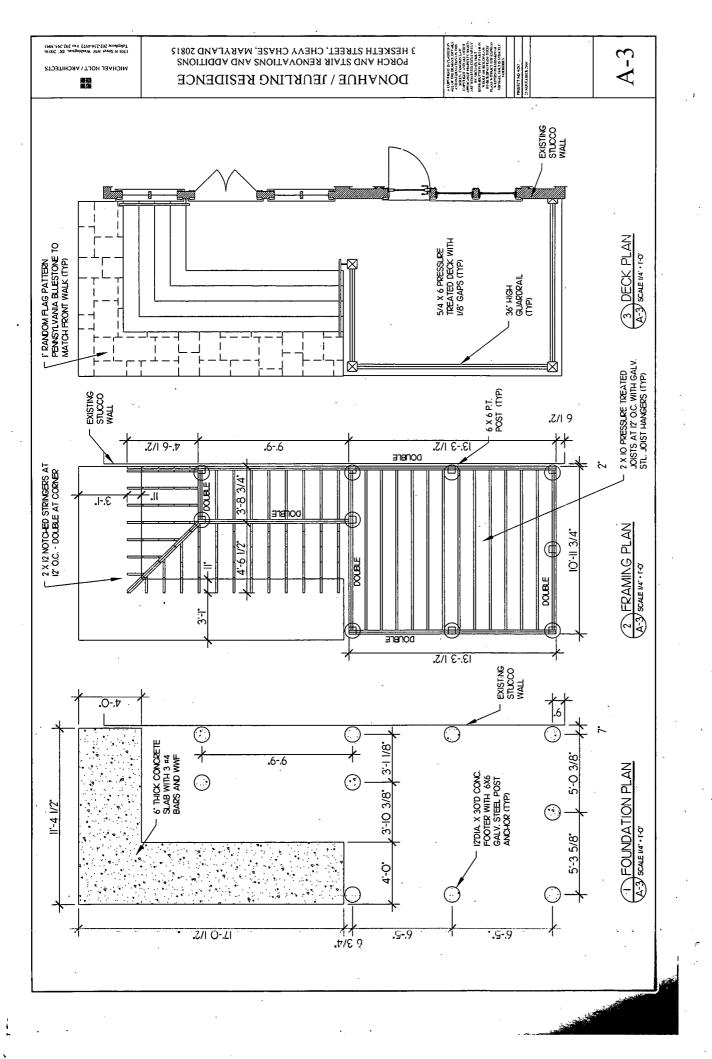


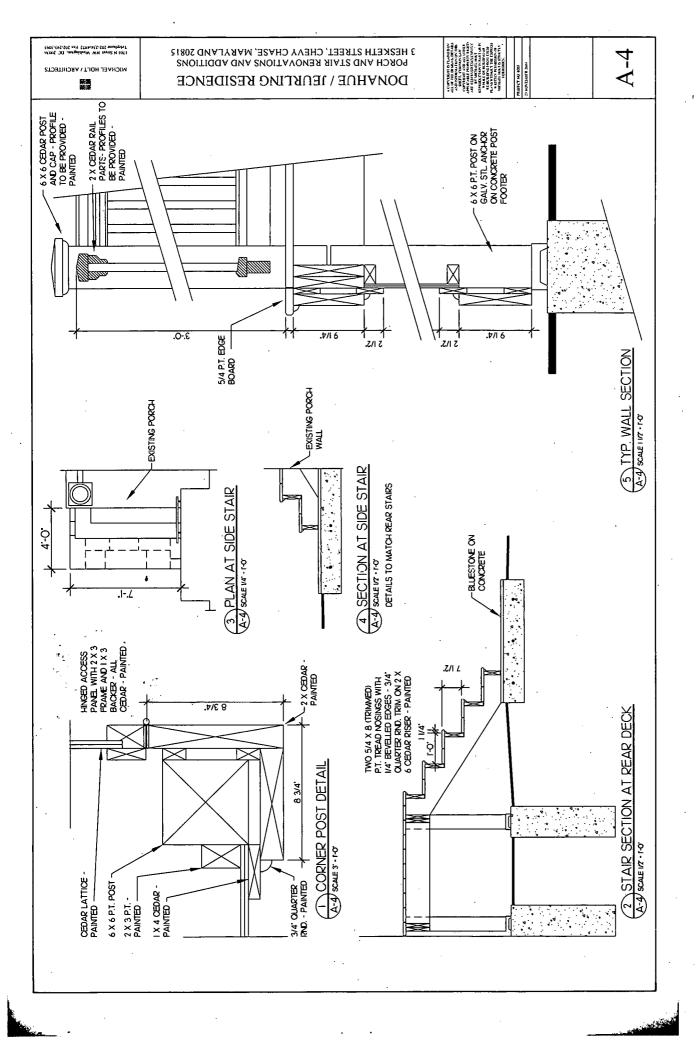
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EXPEDITED HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address:	3 Hesketh Street, Chevy Chase	Meeting Date:	01/12/05

Applicant: Ellen Donahue **Report Date:** 01/05/05

Resource: Contributing Resource **Public Notice:** 12/29/04

Review: HAWP Tax Credit: None

Case Number: 35/13-04C REVISION Staff: Anne Fothergill

PROPOSAL: Rear deck installation RECOMMENDATION: Approval

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

SIGNIFICANCE: Contributing Resource in the Chevy Chase Village Historic District

STYLE: Colonial Revival

DATE: 1908

PROPOSAL:

In July 2004 the HPC approved the removal of the existing rear deck and other alterations to the house. The applicants would like to build a new wood deck with a wood railing in the same location as the existing deck with a small grade level stone terrace.

RECOMMENDATION:

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Approval is based on the following criteria from Chapter 24A of the Montgomery County Code, Section 8(b): The commission shall instruct the director to issue a permit, or issue a permit subject to such conditions as are found to be necessary to insure conformity with the purposes and requirements of this chapter, if it finds that:

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1/28/04

Applicant:

Ellen Donahue

Report Date:

1/21/04

Resource:

Contributing Resource

Public Notice:

1/14/04

Chevy Chase Village Historic District

Review:

HAWP

Tax Credit:

None

Case Number: 35/13-04C

Staff:

Anne Fothergill

PROPOSAL:

Non-original window replacement

RECOMMEND:

Approval

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The applicants are renovating their kitchen and are proposing replacement of 4 windows and one set of doors that were all installed as part of the 1978 rear addition. The proposed new windows are wood double-hung windows and a wood door.

STAFF DISCUSSION

A Contributing Resource in the Chevy Chase Village Historic District is subject to a moderate level of scrutiny and the Guidelines state that "besides issues of massing, scale, and compatibility, preserving the integrity of the resource is taken into account. Alterations should be designed so that the altered structure still contributes to the district. Use of compatible new materials, rather than the original building materials, should be permitted. Planned changes should be compatible with the structure's existing design, but should not be required to replicate its architectural style."

The Chevy Chase Village Historic District *Guidelines* also state: "Windows (including window replacement) should be subject to moderate scrutiny if they are visible from the public right-of-way, lenient scrutiny if they are not."

All of the windows and doors are non-original and are from the 1978 addition. Initially the applicant had proposed replacement of three original windows and staff appreciates that they have revised their plans to preserve those windows.

The window that will be replaced on the left side elevation is the only window that would be possibly visible from the public right-of-way. The proposed new window is more compatible with the existing original windows in terms of size and location. The other new windows and door proposed for the rear of the house are all appropriate and compatible materials choices and because they are located in the rear only receive lenient scrutiny.

Staff recommends approval.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

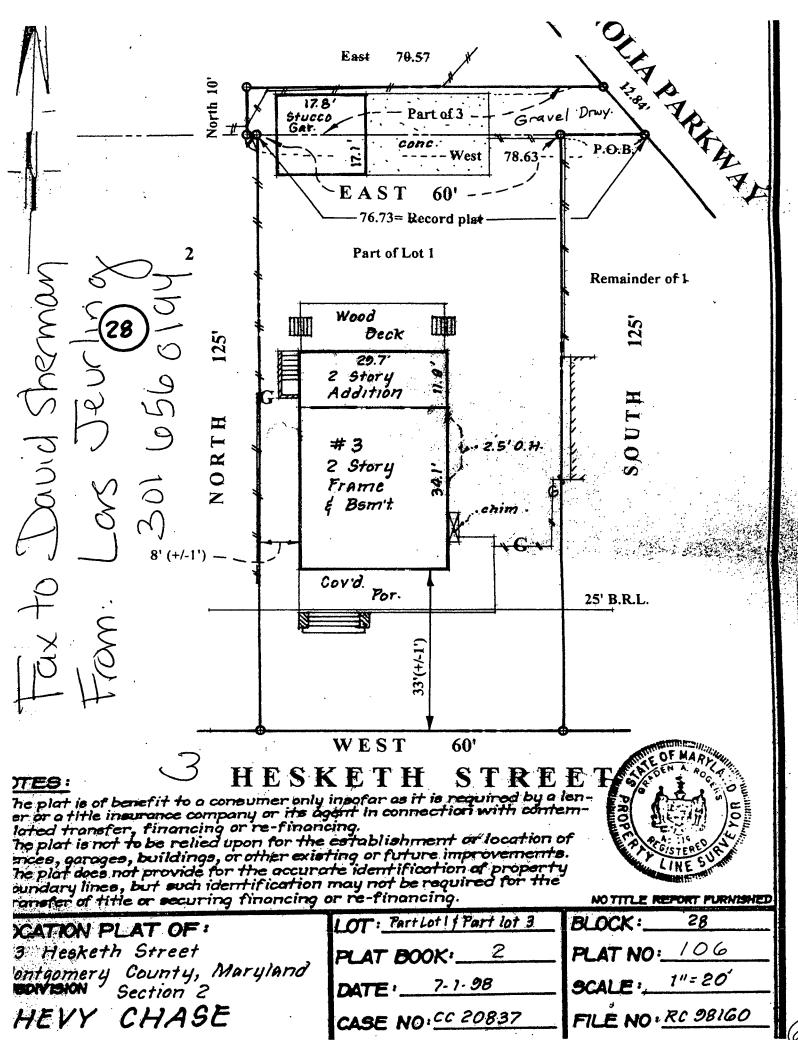
Staff recommends that the Commission *approve* the HAWP application as being consistent with Chapter 24A-8 (b) 2:

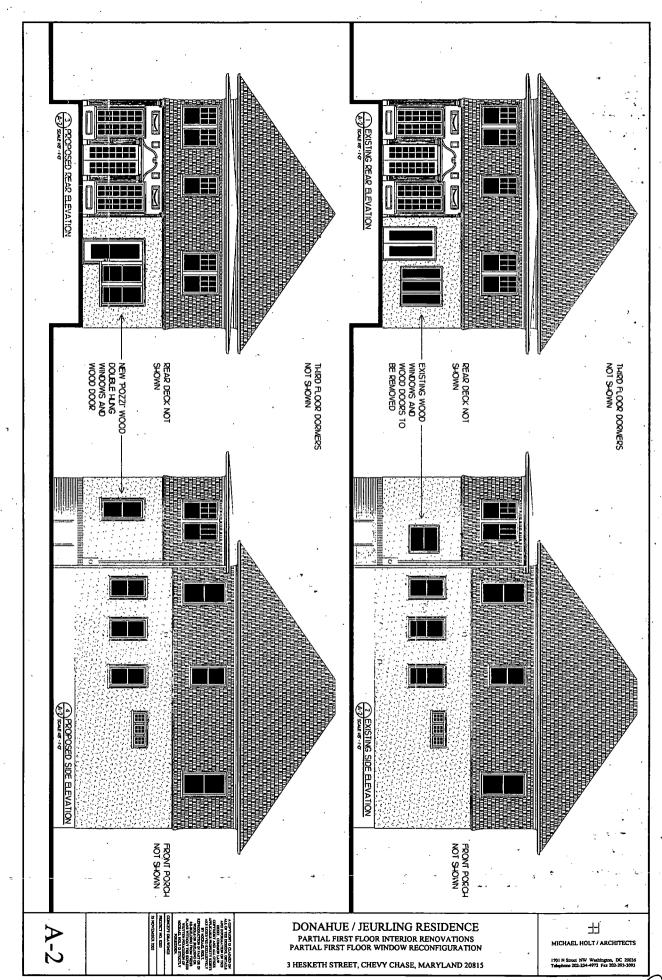
The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter,

and with the general condition applicable to all Historic Area Work Permits that the applicant will present <u>3 permit sets of drawings</u> to HPC staff for review and stamping prior to submission for permits (if applicable). After issuance of the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) permit, the applicant will arrange for a field inspection by calling the DPS Field Services Office at (240) 777-6370 or online at <u>www.permits.emontgomery.org</u> prior to commencement of work and not more than two weeks following completion of work.

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