

THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION


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MEMORANDUM
TO: Robert Hubbard, Chief
Division of Development Services and Regulation
Department of Environmental Protection (DEP)
FROM: Gwen Marcus, Historic preservation Coordinator
Design, Zoning, and Preservation Division

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SUBJECT: Historic Area Work Permit

The Montgomery Historic Preservation Commission has reviewed the attached application for a Historic Area Work Permit. The applecation was:
$\qquad$ Approved $\qquad$ Denied
$\qquad$ Approved with Conditions:
1.) The existing oirconditiomer cut-out shall be filled with fabric to match Existing finishes.
2.) The lower portion of the proposed new window shad match existing clophoord finish. This shall be coordinated Gif tvailefifility is aprodism) with staff.

THE BUILDING PERMIT FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ISSUED CONDITIONAL UPON ADHERANCE TO THE APPROVED HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT (HASP).
applicant: Jams Boughten
address: 4723 Cumberland Avenus;'Chrivy Chivy, Md. 20815
***THE APPLICANT MUST ARRANGE FOR A FIELD INSPECTION BY CALLING DEP/FIELD SERVICES (217-6240) FIVE DAYS PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF WORK AND WITHIN TWO WEEKS FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF WORK.


## MEMORANDUM

Design, Zoning, and Preservation DivisionM-NCPPCSUBJECT: Historic Area Work Permit Application - Approval of Application/ Release of Other Required Permits

Enclosed is a copy of your Historic Area Work Permit application, approved by the Historic Preservation commission at its recent meeting, and a transmittal memorandum stating conditions (if any) of approval.

You may now apply for a county building permit from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), at 250 Hungerford Drive, Second Floor, in Rockville. Please note that although your work has been approved by the Historic Preservation Commission, it must also be approved by DEP before work can begin.

When you file for your building permit at DEP, you must take with you the enclosed forms, as well as the Historic Area Work Permit that will be mailed to you directly from DEP. These forms are proof that the Historic Preservation Commission has reviewed your project. For further information about filing procedures or materials for your county building permit review, please call DEP at 217-6370.

If your project changes in any way from the approved plans, either before you apply for your building permit or even after the work has begun, please contact the Historic Preservation commission staff at 495-4570.

Please also note that you must arrange for a field inspection for conformance with your approved HAWP plans. Please inform DEP/Field Services at 217-6240 of your anticipated work schedule.

Thank you very much for your patience and good luck with your project!

## HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address: 4723 Cumberland Avenue
Resource: Somerset Historic District
Case Number: 35/36-96A
Public Notice: 1/31/96
Applicant: James Boughton
PROPOSAL: Remove window; Enlarge opening; Install bay window

Meeting Date: 2/14/96
HAWP: Alterations
Tax Credit: No
Report Date: 2/7/96
Staff: Patricia Parker
RECOMMEND:Approval

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## STAFF DISCUSSION

Although staff feels that this proposal is approvable, the introduction of another bay window feature in this location on the exterior wall of this very intact resource (and the proposed removal of existing historic fabric) is somewhat inconsistent with the historic character of the property. This house is one of the most intact historic resources of the Somerset Historic District. It is also one of the oldest structures in the district.

But this resource does not occupy a corner lot. It is located within the block of Cumberland Avenue, adjacent to other resources within the District. Therefore, the proposed alteration would not be as visible from the public street. Furthermore, as proposed, the alteration would be located toward the rear of the house and would not be altogether visible from the public right-of-way. Therefore, staff feels that the HAWP proposal could be approved.

Staff would further recommend that the applicant consider donating the window unit and exterior shutters to be removed to MPI's Old House Parts for re-use. Old House Parts is a non-profit organization involved in the recycling of building materials.

## STAFE RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission find the proposal consistent with the purposes of Chapter 24A-8(b)3:

The proposal would enhance or aid in the protection, preservation and public or private utilization of the historic site, or historic resource located within an historic district, in a manner compatible with the historical, archeological or cultural value of the historic site or historic district in which an historic resource is located;
and with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation \#9:
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and with the general condition for all Historic Area Work Permits:
The applicant shall notify the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) five days prior to commencing work and within two weeks after completion.

# APPLICATION FOR <br> HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT 

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: ADDRESS 4723 CUMBERLAND AVE. CHEVY CHASE MD 20815
 AGENT FOR OWNER $\qquad$ DAYTIME TELEPHONE NO. $\qquad$

LOCATION OF BUILDING/PREMISE
HOUSE NUMBER 4723 STREET CUMBERLAND" AVE. .

TOWNGITY CHEVY CHASE NEAREST CROSS STREET $\qquad$
SURREY
Lot $\frac{15}{.}$ block $\frac{1}{13538141}$ subdivision Somerset Heights
LIBER $\qquad$ FOLD (1355814) PARCEL District 7, Subaiu. 44

PART ONE: TYPE OF PERMIT ACTION AND USE
1A. CIRCLE ALL APPLICABLE: CIRCLE ALL APPLICABLE: AV C Slab Room Addition

| Construct | Extend Alter/Renovate Repair Move | Porch Deck Fireplace | Shed Solar Woodburning Stove |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Wreck/Raze Install Revocable Revision | Fence/Wall (complete Section 4) Single Family Other |  |  |

1B. CONSTRUCTION COST EStIMATE \$ 2500.00

IC. IF THIS IS A REVISION OF A PREVIOUSLY APPROVED ACTIVE PERMIT SEE PERMIT \#

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PART TWO: COMPLETE FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXTEND/ADDITIONS
2A. TYPE OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL 01 () NSC
02 ( ) SEPTIC
03 ( ) OTHER
2B. TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY
01 ( ) WISC
02 () WELL
03 ( ) OTHER
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## PART THREE: COMPLETE ONLY FOR FENCE/RETAINING WALL

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$\qquad$ For Chairperson, Historic Preservation Commission

DISAPPROVED $\qquad$ Signature Dato
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## 2. SITE PLAN

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a. the scale, north arrow, and date;
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c. site features such as walkways, driveways, fences, ponds, streams, trash dumpsters, mechanical equipment, and landscaping.

## 3. PLANS AND ELEVATIONS

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## 4. MATERIALS SPECIFICATIONS

General description of materials and manufactured items proposed for incorporation in the work of the project. This information may be included on your design drawings.

## 5. PHOTOGRAPHS

a. Clearly labeled photographic prints of each facade of existing resource, including details of the affected portions. All labels should be placed on the front of photographs.
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Single Glaze with or without EP


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