

100 Maryland Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20850 279-1327

## APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT




| LOCATION OF BUILDING/PREMISE |  |  |
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| 1C. IF THIS IS A REVISION OF A PREVIOUSLY APPROVED ACTIVE PERMIT SEE PERMIT \# ___________ |  |  |
| 10. INDICATE NAME OF ELECTRIC UTILITY COMPANY <br> 1E. IS THIS PROPERTY A HISTORICAL SITE? |  |  |
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PART TWO: COMPLETE FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXTEND/ADDITIONS


PART THREE: COMPLETE ONLY FOR FENCE/RETAINING WALL
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I hereby certify that I have the authority to make the foregoing application, that the application is correct, and that the construction will. comply with plans approved by all agencies listed and I hereby acknowledge and accept this to be a condition for the issuance of this permit.


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ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

## attachment to hawp permit to move/demolish outbulldings

## Project Summary

We wish to move two nearby outbuildings imminently threatened by demolition to the rear of our double corner lot in the oldest subdivision of the Takoma Park Historic District. A goal in this undertaking is to improve the utility and architectural integrity of our own historic property, while preserving, at an appropriately central location, buildings which have value to the community and would otherwise be lost. The project consists of the following:

1. Demolish irreparably decayed, non-historic, metal garage in rear of our lot.
2. Demolish shed addition on Cynthia Warner School House, c. 1940. (approx. 2 miles away, Carroll Ave. near University Blvd.). Move original structure to site of existing metal garage. (New building will have to be shifted about 2 feet further from side boundary to accomodate current zoning regulations.)

Remove small tree (about 1' diam.) bending over driveway for access to rear lot from street. We have been contemplating removal of this tree for sometime anyway because it hangs over our slate roof (roofers recommend removal), and mulberries collecting in moat cause chronic clogging of drains, resulting in frequent basement floods." There are closely spaced trees lining the division between the properties, so this is one of many. It is joined at the trunk by another small tree, which will remain. All others trees will remain untouched.

Existing garage is $16^{\prime} \times 16^{\prime}$. School is $16^{\prime} \mathrm{X} 32$. The school will be placed so the narrow front (where bell is) faces the front of the lot, i.e., Maple Avenue. The long side (facing Tulip Avenue) will be screened by high shrubs and trees (existing) so that only the front half will be visible from the street. For protection from termites and the elements, the school will rest on a $16^{\prime \prime}$ concrete block foundation, which will be painted to match the clapboard.
3. Move small 19th century well house ( $6^{\prime} \mathrm{X} 8^{\prime}$ ) from Cynthia Warner School Property to rear yard on my lot, nearby new location of school.

## Justification

1. Existing metal garage is unsightly and a safety hazard. I have received notification from my insurance company to remove it or risk losing my homeowner's insurance. The garage is not a contributing resource and is not architectural sympathetic with our 1885 stick style house.
2. The Cynthia Warner school building and well house are presently slated for demolition. The lot has been purchased from another use and the owners intend to clear it by November. Because it is not located in a historic district, there is no obstacle to immediate demolition.

While the school building dates only to the 1940 's, its is of traditional frame construction and architecturally sympathetic with our stick style house in massing, roofline, materials, and detailing. The school is larger, but because it is narrow and there is room to extend back from the existing garage to the far rear portion of the lot the additional mass will not be visible from the street. From the public right of way, it will actually appear less massive because the clapboard walls are only $8^{\prime}$ and are topped by a steeply pitched roof. The boxy metal garage is about 18 ' tall, with a shed roof that is highest where it is most visible. The school is well scaled to our large (double + ) lot, and imposing frame house ( $21 / 2$ stories on a high basement; ridge is probably about $35^{\prime}$ from grade).
3. It is always desirable to retain outbuildings on their original site. But this is not possible, and the proposed site is appropropriate in scale and historical context. The new site is a larger corner lot, in the center of the historic district, across the street from the site of Takoma Park's first church and public school buildings (now Takoma Park Presbyterian Church, c. 1920's). It presently sits behind a large, stick style house; it will be moved to a location behind a large, stick style house.
4. The school building will provide us with badly needed work and storage space without altering our historic house. As the survey shows, the entire building is massive but is actually a double house, each side being only about 20 feet wide. Much of the architectural merit of the house derives from its symmetry the four full length porches which grace the first and second floors of the front and rear facades. We are currently restoring the porches, replicating, in material and detail, the massive chamfered posts, chippendale railings, and beaded tongue and groove ceilings. Any attached addition would detract from the historic and architectural integrity of the house.

This proposal preserves the original historic house intact, saves a small but significant community institution building, and replaces an inappropriate and conspicuous outbuilding with one of more appropriate design. The well house is architecturally and functionally appropriate to the period of the house, which was constructed before the muncipal water system was installed. Our ultimate intention is to transform the rear portion of the property in its present industrial appearance to a garden setting which will highlight the period buildings.


## APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT



LOCATION OF BUILDING/PREMISE
House Number-7137. Street Maple

Town/City Takoma Park Election District
Nearest Cross Street Tulip


PART TWO: COMPLETE FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXTEND/ADDITIONS

| 2 A . | TYPE OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL |  |  |  |  |  | 2 B | TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION
100 MARYLAND AVENUE
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

Applicant: Tom \& Caroline Alderson

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Applicant's
Address: 7137 Maple Avenue, Takoma Park
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## Type of Review:


$\qquad$ Demolition -

| Maintenance_ | Substantial Alteration_ $\quad \mathrm{X}$ <br> Subdivision <br> Demolition <br> Other |
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Site No. (Atlas): 37/3-Takoma Park Historic District
Site Adress:
(if different from applicant)
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Proposed: (describe action to be taken)
Remove existing garage, relocate schoolhouse and well house in
rear vard. Schoolhouse to be located aproximately same area as
garage. Two new buildings to be moved from Cynthia Warner School
Property. LAC recommends approval. If moving school building not
feasible applicant wants to demolish existing garage and construct
Staff recommendations and comments: . . OVER
In-house review indicates that removal of the garage, location of
2 building in rear yard will not affect character of the District.
The alternate solution, construction of an outbuilding at the
Date: $10 / 4 / 88 \quad$ Staff:

HPC Action:
Signature: $\qquad$

Date:
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MONTGOMERY COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION
LOCAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE REVIEW FORM
EXTERIOR ALTERATIONS
I. Location of property
a. Located within the Takoma Park historic district.
b. This is a Master Plan Atlas historic district (circle one).
c. Address of Property:

7137 maple Ave:
d. Property owner's name, address and phone number:
Tom + Caroline Alderson

7137 maple Ate.
(h) $210-5958 \quad$ (w) $472-3557 / 1334$ 270-2227
e. Is this property a contributing resource within the historic district? Yes $\qquad$ No $\qquad$ -
f. On a map of the district locate this property and any adjacent historic resources. Will this work impact other contributing historic resources? Yes $\qquad$ No $\qquad$ .
II. Description of work proposed.
a. Briefly describe proposed work:
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c. Is the work visible from the street?

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d. What are the materials to be used?

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e. Are these materials compatible with existing materials? How? If not, why?
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III. Recommendations of the Local Advisory Committee
a. Approval of Work

1. Which criteria found in the Ordinance for Historic Preservation (Sec. 24A-8-b of the Montgomery County Code) does this work meet?

2. What conditions, if any, must be met in order for the proposed work to meet the above criteria? (example: the proposed windows should be double hung to conform with existing windows)
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Date on which application received: $9 / 13 / 88$
Date of LAC meeting at which application was reviewed: 9-27-88
Form completed by: Noegtar Al Wens Title: Heenteer CAC
Member of: Teleome farl $\angle A C$
Date: $9 / 27 / 88$

## EXTERIOR ALTERATIONS

I. Location of property
a. Located within the Takoma Park historic district.
b. This is a Master Plan/AClas historic district (circle one).
c. Address of Property: 7137-39 Maple Avenue

Takoma Park
d. Property owner's name, address and phone number:

Caroline and Thomas Alderson
7137 Maple Avenue
(h) 270-5958
(w) 472-3164
e. Is this property a gontributing resource within the historic district? Yes $\qquad$ .
f. On a map of the district locate this property and any adjacent historic resources. Will this work impaft other contributing historic resources? Yes $\qquad$ No $\qquad$ .
II. Description of work proposed.
a. Briefly describe proposed work:

Demolish non-historic corrugated metal tool shed-garage at rear of property. Move well-house structure and 01d School from Cynthia Warner School on Carroll Avenue. School House will be erected on the site of the metal shed. Well-house will be landscape element in rear garden (landscaping to be completed later).
b. Is this work on the front, rear, or side of the structure?

Rear and rear side yard.
c. Is the work visible from the street?

Yes.
d. What are the materials to be used?

The well-house and school are wood clapboard.
e. Are these materials compatible with existing materials? How? If not, why?

Yes. The main house is wood clapboard as are most of the houses
III.Recommendations of the Local Advisory Committee
a. Approval of Work

1. Which criteria found in the Ordinance for Historic Preservation (Sec. $24 \mathrm{~A}-8-\mathrm{b}$ of the Montgomery County Code) does this work meet?

Criteria 2 - Work is compatible with the house and the district.
2. What conditions, if any, must be met in order for the proposed work to meet the above criteria? (example: the proposed windows should be double hung to conform with existing windows)

No conditions attached.
b. Disapproval of Work

1. On what grounds is disapproval recommended? Refer to Sec. 24A-8.
2. How could this proposal be altered so as to be approved?
IV. Additional comments

The committee was most impressed with the scope of this work and with the commitment to preserving even a portion of the Gynthia Warner School. The project will add immeasurably to the Maple/Tulip corner in Takoma Park.

Date on which application received: 9-13-88
Date of LAC meeting at which applicatiop was reviewed: 9-13-88
Form completed by: Douglas A. Dunn 1 (2. Title: Member of LAC
Member of: Takoma Park Local Advisory Commission
Date: 9-20-88

# MONTGOMERY COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 

LOCAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE REVIEW FORM
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I. Location of property
a. Located within the Takoma Park historic district.
b. This is a Master Plan/Atlas historic district (circle one).
c. Address of Property:

7137 Naple Avenue Takoma Park, ND 20912
d. Property owner's name, address and phone number:

Thomas \& Caroline Alderson
7137 Maple Avenue
Takoma Park, IVD 20912
(h) 270-5958 (w) 472-3164 (Caroline) 272-8401 (Tom)
e. Is this property ${ }^{\text {a contributing resource within the historic }}$ district? Yes_X_No_.
f. On a map of the district locate this property and any adjacent historic resources. Will this work impact other contributing historic resources? Yes_X_No__ minimally
II. Description of work proposed.
a. Briefly describe proposed work:

Ammend previously approved application (9/88) for new construction of outdoor storage/garden building.

Substitute multipaned, "Queen Anne" casement windows for originally proposed 6/1 double hung. (windows salvage, c. 1890)
Substitute solid paneled doors (salvage, c. 1890) for originally proposed glazed, paneled doors
b. Is this work on the front, rear, or side of the structure?

Rear yard
c. Is the work visible from the street?

Marginally
d. What are the materials to be used?

Same as previously approved--wood
e. Are these materials compatible with existing materials? How? If not, why?
III. Recommendations of the Local Advisory Committee
a. Approval of Work

1. Which criteria found in the ordinance for Historic Preservation (Sec. 24A-8-b of the Montgomery County Code) does this work meet 2
2. What conditions, if any, must be met in order for the proposed work to meet the above criteria? (example: the proposed window should be double hung to conform with existing windows)

N/A
b. Disapproval of Work

1. On what grounds is disapproval recommended? Refer to Sec. 24A-8 N/A
2. How could this proposal be altered so as to be approved?

## IV. Additional comments

The ammendment involves a change of fensstration to make use of salvagedia materials of the same period as the house, which is 1885, Stick. Style, dominated by chippendale porches.

Date on which application received: 7/5/89
Date of LAC meeting at which application was reviewed: 7/5/89
Form completed by: Joan Simon Title: Member, Takoma Park LAC
Member of: Takoma Park LAC
Date: 7/11/89

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