







What is the Landmarks Preservation Commission?

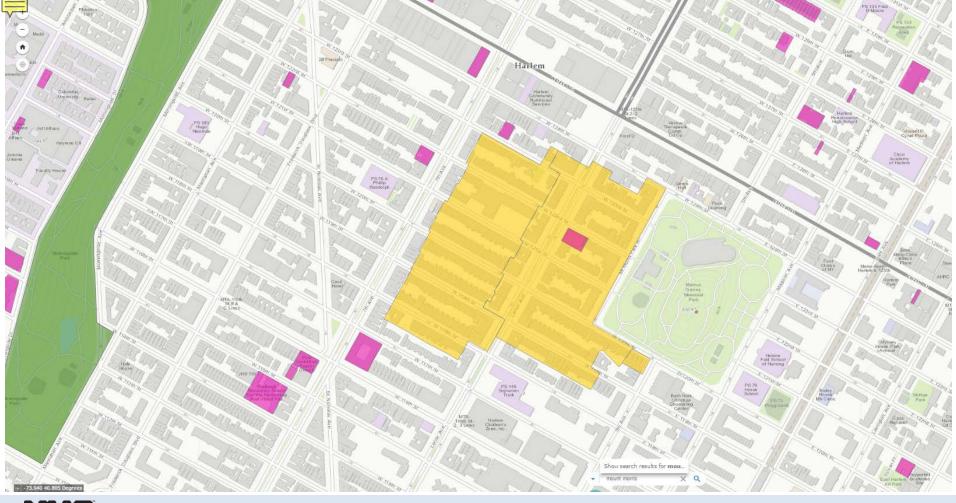
The LPC has designated and regulates more than **36,000** buildings in all five boroughs, including **140** historic districts and extensions, **117** interior landmarks, **10** scenic landmarks and over **1,395** individual landmarks.





Departments at LPC

- **Research**
- Preservation
- Enforcement
- Archaeology











Owning Landmarked Property

- The Commission regulates proposed work
- The appearance of a property is "grandfathered" at the time of designation
- The Commission does not compel owners to make changes to their buildings
- o The Commission does **not** regulate use
- The Commission is **not** involved in the sale of a property







Performing Work on a Designated Property

No permit is required for ordinary maintenance or interior work that does not require a DOB permit:

- o Painting the façade the same color
- o Caulking
- o Flashing
- Gutters and leaders
- Repairing skylights, chimneys, roof hatches, and other features which are not visible from the street







Performing Work on a Designated Property

LPC issues permits for:

- Any work that requires a DOB permit (interiors)
- Rooftop and Rear yard Additions
- o Restoration
- Window Replacement
- Permanent HVAC Equipment







LPC Permits

- Approximately 14,000 permits issued by LPC each year
- 95% of permits are issued at staff level when the proposed work meets criteria for staff level approval
- If the proposed work does not qualify for a staff permit, the proposal may be presented at a <u>Public Hearing</u> for approval by the full Commission.
- <u>Expedited Review</u> for certain types of work







Public Hearing Process

When work requires full Commission review

- Staff Input and Advice
- Community Board Review
- Public Testimony & Commissioner Review
- If approved, the staff issues the permit upon receipt and review of the final DOB filing drawings







Resources for filing applications

- Discover Landmarks Map
- LPC Rules
- The Permit Application Guide
- Rowhouse Manual
- Fact Sheets
- 1940 Tax Photos

Find them on www.nyc.gov/landmarks

or by calling the Public Information Officer at (212) 669-7817



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				STAFF USE ONLY		
LPC DOCKET #:			DATE RECEIVED:		STAFF:	
ACTION: PANY	CNF	COFA	REPORT	OTHER:	WORK TYPE:	

APPLICATION FORM FOR WORK ON DESIGNATED PROPERTIES

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING

A complete application includes this form ("Application Form") and materials needed to describe the project and its effect on the landmark property. Please read the instructions of this form carefully, and provide all the information requested for ALL 6 sections. LPC staff uses this information to determine if the application meets LPC's rules for approval by staff or will require a review by the full Commission at a Public Hearing, Fallure to submit complete applications with required materials will result in delays in the review and processing of your application. Filing may be done in person or by mail to the address above.

1. PROPERTY INFORMAT	ION					
ADDRESS:				FLOOR/APT. #:		
BOROUGH:	BLOCK:	LOT:		ZONING:		
2. PROPOSED WORK (CH	ECK ALL THAT APPLY)			1		
INTERIOR ALTERATIONS		☐ INTERIOR ALTERATIONS ☐ PLACE OF ASSEMBLY/CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY/ NO WORK PROPOSED				
RESTORATION & OTHER FAÇADE WORK		□ RECREATE MISSING ARCHITECTURAL FEATURES □ EXTERIOR REPAIRS (check all that apply): □ Street fapade				
HEATING, VENTILATION & AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT		□ THRU-WINDOWLOUVERS & OTHER HVAC EQUIPMENT(check all that apply): □ Street tagade □ Rear or side tagade □ THRU-WALL HVAC EQUIPMENT: □ Street façade □ Rear or side façade □ OTHER MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT: □ Well mounted □ Yard □ Roof □ Exterior Generator				
WINDOW & DOOR WORK		□ REPLACE WNDOWS (check all that apply): □ Street-facing façades □ NEVM/DOIFY WNDOW OPENING(S) (check all that apply): □ Street-facing façades □ Rear or side non-street facing façade □ REPLACE DOOR(S) or MODIFY DOOR(S)				
ADDITIONS & NEW CONSTRUCTION		□ NEW/BUILDING □ ROOFTOP ADDITION (check all that apply): □ Mechanical Equipment, Stair or Elevator Buildhead □ Occupiable □ Selar □ RAR YARD ADDITION (check all that apply): □ Deck □ Occupiable				
STOREFRONTS		☐ NFILL ☐ LIGHTING ☐ SIGNAGE ☐ AWNINGS ☐ SECURITY GATE				
EXCAVATIONS, SIDEWALKS AND SITEWORK		□ EXCAVATION (check all that apply): □ Underpinning □ No Underpinning □ SIDEWALK PAVING (check all that apply): □ Concrete □ Stone □ Tree Pit □ SUBSURFACE UTILITIES (check all that apply): □ Residential □ Other □ STREET PAVING/STREETBED WORK				
OTHER		□ TEMPORARY INSTALLATIONS □ Sign □ Other □ NEW UNENCLOSED SIDEWALK CAFE □ RENEW SIDEWALK CAFE LICENSE □ FENCES AND GATES □ DARRIER FREE ACCESS (ADA) □ OTHER (Describe):				
3. ADDITIONAL INFORMA	TION					
Are you filing to correct or li (If YES, please include pho	egalize work done without obtos of work in violation)	an LPC permit? YES	If Yes, Warning Let	tter/NOV#;		
Are you filing for a signoff of (If YES, please include pho			f Yes, Docket#:			
Are you applying to any of t	he following? Dept.	Of Buildings 🔲 G	City Planning	☐ Board of Standards and Appeals		
Is there a facade easement	on the property? YES	(If Yes, please provide conta	act information for e	easement holder)		

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Enforcement

Alterations to a landmarked property without LPC permits or work that is not in compliance with an existing LPC permit are considered violations of the Landmarks Law.

- Investigate Complaints
- Warning Letters
- Notice of Violation

Property Owners must:

- 1) Keep their building in good repair
- 2) Get LPC permits prior to doing work on designated properties









Historic Preservation Grant Program

LPC's federally funded Historic Preservation Grant Program provides grants ranging from \$10,000 to \$30,000 to incomeeligible homeowners and non-profits.

Eligibility

- Owners and tenants who meet the federal CDBG income limits for household income.
- Non-profits that own their landmarked building

Low-Income \$19,051 - \$31,750 Moderate-Income \$31,751 - \$50,750

(1 person household)







Historic Preservation Grant Program

Eligible Work

- Deterioration that threatens to damage the building, a neighboring building, or the architectural character of the historic district.
- Eligible work may include masonry rebuilding and repointing, repair and replacement of windows and front doors, and cornice restoration.





Financial Incentives

Tax Credits

State Rehabilitation work on historic residential structures may qualify for a credit value of up to \$50,000.

Federal Owners of income producing properties may be eligible for a 20% federal income tax credit for the substantial rehabilitation of historic properties

http://nysparks.com/shpo/tax-credit-programs/

Landmarks Conservancy Loans

low-interest loans and project management assistance to owners of historic residential, non-profit, religious, and commercial properties. http://www.nylandmarks.org/





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