# HISTORIC LANDMARK COMMISSION JUNE 25, 2018 APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

LHD-2018-0014 4106 Avenue D Hyde Park Historic District

## **PROPOSAL**

Complete alterations and construct a second-story addition to a ca. 1921 house. The house is a contributing property in the Hyde Park Historic District.

#### PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS

The applicant is proposing two changes to the house:

- 1) Alteration of a ca. 1930 side addition. Proposed changes include replacement of the shed roof with a gable roof and removal of a modern partially glazed door and five wood-sash windows, which will all be replaced with new fixed and single-hung wood-sash windows. Existing siding will be retained. The addition is set back approximately 18 feet from the primary façade.
- 2) Construction of a second-story rear addition. The proposed addition is set back approximately 30 feet from the primary façade and will connect to the east (street) side of an existing second-story rear addition constructed after 1962. The addition will be clad in 6" hardiplank and capped by a front-gabled roof covered in composition shingles, with decorative brackets in the gable ends. Fenestration includes single-hung wood-sash windows with proportions to match existing windows.

A brick patio in the rear is also proposed to be removed.

#### STANDARDS FOR REVIEW

The Hyde Park Design Standards are used to evaluate proposed changes within the historic district. The standards applicable to this project include:

#### 1.2 Retention of historic style

The proposed project retains the building's scale, style, and character-defining elements.

#### 1.3 Avoidance of false historicism

The proposed project does not create a sense of false historicism.

#### 3.2.1 Doors and doorways

The proposed project removes a doorway on the primary façade. However, the door is located on a stepped-back addition, may have been a later alteration, and is not a primary entrance.

#### 3.3 Windows

The proposed project removes four windows located on a secondary elevation of a stepped-back addition. This does not substantially impact the character of the building.

#### 3.5.1 Roofs

The proposed project changes the roof form of a stepped-back addition from shed to gable. The proposed roof form is compatible with and subordinate to the main front-gabled roof form and does not detract from the building's historic character.

#### 4.1 Preservation of historic character

The second-floor addition will require the removal of a relatively small roof area—not historic material. It is designed in a pared-down Craftsman style that is compatible with and differentiated from the existing building.

#### 4.2 Location

The second-floor addition will connect to the existing house toward the rear of the roof, adjacent to an earlier second-floor addition.

### 4.3 Roof, fenestration, and siding

- 1) The second-floor addition's roof form and pitch reflect the form and pitch of the existing roof.
- 2) No windows on the addition are visible from the street.
- 3) The proposed 6" hardiplank siding is compatible with and differentiated from the siding of the existing house, which is 3" wood siding.

#### 4.4 Size and scale of additions

The second-floor addition is set back approximately 30' from the primary façade and is subordinate to the existing house.

The project complies with the applicable standards.

## COA COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

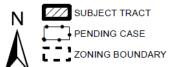
Approve the proposed project.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Approve the proposed project.

## MAP





NOTIFICATIONS

CASE#: LHD-2018-0014 LOCATION: 4106 Avenue D

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1 " = 166 '

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## PROPERTY INFORMATION

Photos





Primary façade.