

Shreveport Historic Preservation Commission

MEETING **Tuesday, April 21, 2026** **4:00pm**

Council Chambers at Government Plaza
505 Travis Street
Shreveport, Louisiana

Agenda

1. Opening Remarks and Procedures: The Chair
 - Approval of Minutes: HPC Meeting Minutes for March 17, 2025.

2. New Business:
 - Certificate of Demolition – COD 26-17-HPC: 1550 Gilbert Drive, Highland Historic District, Contributing Element; two storied residential dwelling.
 - MPC Staff Case Report
 - Public Comments
 - HPC Discussion and Vote on Recommendation

 - Certificate of Demolition – COD 26-18-HPC: 437 Columbia Street, Highland Historic District; single storied dwelling.
 - MPC Staff Case Report
 - Public Comments
 - HPC Discussion and Vote on Recommendation

 - Certificate of Demolition – COD 26-19-HPC: 1126 College Street, Fairfield Historic District, Contributing Element; built 1914, two storied foursquare-style dwelling.
 - MPC Staff Case Report
 - Public Comments
 - HPC Discussion and Vote on Recommendation

 - Certificate of Demolition – COD 26-21-HPC: 814 Crockett Street, Shreveport Commercial Historic District, Noncontributing Element; single storied metal storage building.
 - MPC Staff Case Report
 - Public Comments
 - HPC Discussion and Vote on Recommendation

3. Updates, Advising, Awareness, and HPC Business Items:
 - Update: Renewal of Certified Local Government (CLG) designation.
 - Awareness: Possible revised commercial mixed-use code for Texas Avenue from Austen Place to Murphy Street (part of St Paul’s Bottoms Historic District).

- Awareness: Nomination of 400 Texas Street, skyscraper and its attached garage to NRHP: Commissioner Callaway provided historic data and photographs of skyscrapers and aerials of historic downtown to nomination writer in New Orleans. National Park Service suggested nomination include comparison of surrounding skyscrapers. Once scheduled for State Review Committee – HPC shall be asked to do a due diligence CLG review with HPC recommendation to be signed by the Mayor of Shreveport before nomination can go forward. CLG item could be on July 21 HPC agenda.

4. Public Comments

5. Adjournment

*****Certification*****

Public notice is given that a meeting of the Shreveport Historic Preservation Commission is called in accordance with Shreveport City Code Sec. 36-27.

Public notice including the agenda with date, time, and place of the meeting was published on the City’s web-site and posted in the building, in accordance with La. R.S. 42:19 and Shreveport City Code Sec. 36-26, on **Monday, April 20, 2026, by 12:00 PM.**