



# Best Practices in Historic Preservation

## A One Day Seminar

Presented by City of San Diego, City Planning & Community Investment

In conjunction with the State Office of Historic Preservation

AICP and AIA Continuing Education Credits Anticipated

**When:** Monday, September 14, 2009; 8:30am to 4:00pm

**Where:** Ballroom at the Balboa Park Club, Balboa Park, San Diego

**Who Should Attend:** Local government preservation commissions and staff, consultants, preservation and community interest groups, general public, and students with an interest in historic preservation

**Cost (includes program materials, continental breakfast and lunch):**

\$40.00 General and \$20.00 Student (with current ID) received by August 28, 2009

\$50.00 (received after August 28, 2009 – No student rate available)

Limited on-site Registration may be available

### **Program**

**8:00 am to 8:30 am**                      **Sign in and Continental Breakfast (coffee, juice, pastries)**

**8:30 am to 8:45 am**                      **Welcome and Opening Comments [Mayor's Office\*]**

**8:45 am to 10:15 am**                      **Session A: Historic Context and Survey**

Moderator:    Jennifer Hirsch, AICP, Senior Planner, City of San Diego

Speaker Panel: Marie Nelson, State Office of Historic Preservation

Christy McAvoy\*, Historical Resources Group

Kevin Johnson, City of Pasadena

Development of historic contexts and preparation of surveys forms the basis for preservation planning. The City of San Diego is embarking on an aggressive schedule for updating several community plans, following the recent adoption of the updated General Plan. Historic contexts and surveys will be an important part of several of these community plan updates. This session will present the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Preservation Planning as they relate to historic surveys and will include case studies from other cities in California.

**Break**

**10:30 am to 12:15 pm            Session A: Historic Context and Survey (continued)**

**12:15 pm to 1:00 pm            Lunch (provided with cost of seminar)**

**1:00 pm to 2:00 pm            Session B: Historical Resources and CEQA**

Moderator:    Cathy Winterrowd, Principal Planner, City of San Diego

Speaker Panel: John Lemmo, Attorney and Chair of the City of San Diego's Historical Resources Board (HRB)

Nina Fain, City of San Diego, Deputy City Attorney Advisory to the HRB

Martha Blake\*, Senior Planner, City of San Diego Environmental Analysis Section of Development Services

CEQA addresses historical resources with very specific language. How that language relates to local governments' implementation of CEQA and current case law will be addressed. The City of San Diego's detailed Guidelines and Significance Determination Criteria related to historical resources will be presented.

### **Break**

**2:15 pm to 3:45 pm            Session C: Secretary of the Interior's Standards**

Moderator:    Jodie Brown, AICP, Senior Planner, City of San Diego

Speaker Panel: Tim Brandt, State Office of Historic Preservation

David Marshall, Heritage Architecture and Planning

As do most government agencies, the City of San Diego uses the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines as the basis for determining whether a proposed project would result in an adverse impact to a historical resource. The Standards and Guidelines will be explained and real world cases will be presented.

**3:45 pm to 4:00 pm            Closing Remarks**

\*Speaker not yet confirmed

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