NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ADVOCACY WEEK

MARCH 10-12, 2020
KIMPTON PALOMAR HOTEL
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Presented by

PRESERVATION ACTION AND
NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATE
HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICERS
The Congress finds and declares that:

(1) the spirit and direction of the Nation are founded upon and reflected in its historic heritage;

(2) the historical and cultural foundations of the Nation should be preserved as a living part of our community life and development in order to give a sense of orientation to the American people;

(3) historic properties significant to the Nation's heritage are being lost or substantially altered, often inadvertently, with increasing frequency;

(4) the preservation of this irreplaceable heritage is in the public interest so that its vital legacy of cultural, educational, aesthetic, inspirational, economic, and energy benefits will be maintained and enriched for future generations of Americans;

(5) in the face of ever-increasing extensions of urban centers, highways, and residential, commercial, and industrial developments, the present governmental and nongovernmental historic preservation programs and activities are inadequate to insure future generations a genuine opportunity to appreciate and enjoy the rich heritage of our Nation;

(6) the increased knowledge of our historic resources, the establishment of better means of identifying and administering them, and the encouragement of their preservation will improve the planning and execution of federal and federally assisted projects and will assist economic growth and development; and

(7) although the major burdens of historic preservation have been borne and major efforts initiated by private agencies and individuals, and both should continue to play a vital role, it is nevertheless necessary and appropriate for the Federal Government to accelerate its historic preservation programs and activities, to give maximum encouragement to agencies and individuals undertaking preservation by private means, and to assist State and local governments and the National Trust for Historic Preservation in the United States to expand and accelerate their historic preservation programs and activities.

--Excerpt from Section 1 the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966
SCHEDULE AND AGENDA

All events take place at the Hotel Palomar, 2121 P Street NW, unless otherwise noted.

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 2020

8:30 am – 4:00 pm: NAPC Board Meeting ................................................................. Freer NAPC Board and Invitees

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Registration Open ................................................................. Phillips Foyer

2:30 pm – 5:45 pm: NPS/SHPO Roundtable and Open House
Open to all SHPOs, Deputy SHPOs and SHPO Staff

TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020

7:30 am – 4:00 PM: Registration Open ............................................................ Phillips Foyer

7:30 am - 9:00 am: Continental Breakfast .......................................................... Phillips Foyer
For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

8:30 am - 10:15 am: ACHP/SHPO Forum ............................................................. Phillips Ballroom
Open to all SHPOs, Deputy SHPOs, and SHPO Staff

9:00 am - 10:15 am: Preservation Action Member Meeting .............................. National Ballroom
All are welcome

10:25 am – 10:35 am: Welcome ............................................................................ National Ballroom
For all General and Comprehensive Registrants
Briana Grosicki, PA Chairwoman; Erik Hein, NCSHPO Executive Director

10:35 am – 11:45 am: Opportunities and Challenges for Historic Preservation ........ National Ballroom
For all General and Comprehensive Registrants
Moderator: Ted Monoson, NCSHPO Senior Director of Government Relations
Panel: Serena Bellew, Deputy Assoc. Dir., Preservation Assistance Programs, National Park Service; Tom Cassidy, VP Government Relations & Policy, National Trust for Historic Preservation; Gary Meltz, Principal, Melts Communications; Pete Cohn, Policy Editor, C Q Roll Call, Inc.; April Slayton, Communications Director, Library of Congress
11:45 am – 12:00 pm: Remarks from the President, National Trust for Historic Preservation

For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

Katherine Malone-France, Chief Preservation Officer, National Trust for Historic Preservation

12:05 pm – 12:20 pm: Introduction of Preservation Action Foundation Advocacy Scholars

For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

Preservation Action Foundation is pleased to recognize the 2020 class of Advocacy Scholars: Alyssa Frystak, Chicago, IL; Ashley Wheeler, Phoenix, AZ; Kendra Waters, Charleston, SC; Elizabeth Gerard, St. Louis, MO; and Katherine Howard, Baltimore, MD.

Sponsored by The Keepers Preservation Education Fund, PlaceEconomics, and Mary Pillsbury Wainwright in honor of Senator Jean Carnahan.

12:30 pm – 2:00 pm: Advocacy Lunch

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Remarks by special guests, David Vela, Acting Director, National Park Service; Rep. Raul Grijalva, Chair, House Natural Resources Committee; and Rep. Brian Higgins, Member of House Ways and Means Committee and Committee on the Budget.

2:10 pm – 2:30 pm: The Role of the THPO in Historic Preservation

For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

Dr. Valerie Grussing, Executive Director, National Assn. of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers
2:30 pm - 3:10 pm: **Keys to Successful Historic Preservation Advocacy**

   For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

   Moderator: **Russ Carnahan**, President, Preservation Action, Former Congressman

   Panel: **Dr. Allyson Brooks**, Washington State Historic Preservation Officer; **Jim Igoe**, President and CEO, Preservation Massachusetts; **Rachael Taylor**, Staff Director, Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior, Environment and Related Agencies

3:10 – 3:20 pm: **Break**

3:20 pm – 3:45 pm: **Review of Legislative Asks and Materials**

   For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

   **Ted Monoson**, NCSHPO Director of Government Relations

   **Russ Carnahan**, President, Preservation Action

3:45 pm - 4:30 pm: **State Breakout Sessions**

   For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

   Time for attendees to meet with other representatives from their respective states to discuss shared policy goals and coordinate Hill Visits for the following day.

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm: **NCSHPO Networking Reception**

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   Socialize with your colleagues from all over the country while enjoying a cocktail or beverage.

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm: **NCSHPO Annual Banquet**

   National Ballroom
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**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2020**

7:30 am - 9:15 am: **Grab-and-Go Breakfast & Q&A Time**

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   For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

   Before heading to the Hill, help yourself to a to-go breakfast. If you have questions, stay on-site and spend some more time with policy staff ready to assist you.

8:30 am – 5:00 pm: **Hill Visits, Scheduled by/with your State Delegation**

   Capitol Hill
   For all General and Comprehensive Registrants

   Join your State Delegation for visits with your members of Congress.
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm: **Champions of Historic Preservation Congressional Reception**

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Longworth House Office Building, Room 1334
15 Independence Avenue SE
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Please join Preservation Action at the “**Champions of Historic Preservation**” Reception as we recognize and thank select Members of Congress for their steadfast support of historic preservation. Thanks to these members’ continued leadership, programs like the Historic Tax Credit and the Historic Preservation Fund continue to protect our historic resources while revitalizing communities throughout the country.

**Join us immediately following the reception for an exclusive tour of the Capitol led by the Architect of the Capitol office.** (Open to reception attendees. Space is limited)

A special thanks to our sponsors:

- GBX Group
- National Trust for Historic Preservation
- CAW Architects
- Historic Tax Credit Coalition

**THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 2020**

**NCSHPO Annual Meeting**

7:30 am - 8:30 am: **Breakfast**

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8:30 am - Noon: **NCSHPO Annual Meeting**

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Be sure to stop by the National Park Service booth in the National Ballroom for helpful information, to ask questions of staff, or to learn more about our national historic preservation program.