

TOWN OF ABERDEEN

Historic Preservation Commission

**Invites You To a
Public Meeting
For the Historic District Guidelines Update
Wednesday, January 29, 2014
5:30 pm
115 North Poplar Street, Aberdeen, NC**

The Town of Aberdeen is updating the Historic District Design Guidelines used to evaluate building projects for local landmarks and properties within the boundaries of the designated historic district. The new guidelines are intended to be current with standard and progressive preservation practices and to help preserve the unique character of the district. Updated guidelines will be user friendly and allow property owners and design professionals to more easily navigate through the design review and permitting process.

The Town of Aberdeen will hold several public meetings on the updated design guidelines, and will adopt the final updated document in July of 2014. The Town is soliciting input from residents, businesses, architects, developers and the community at large. Opportunities for public input will be listed on the Town of Aberdeen website as they are scheduled.

The January meeting will provide the community with the first opportunity to be involved in the design guideline process. Interested parties are invited to attend and participate. For more information - contact Town of Aberdeen staff @ 910-944-7024.

Refreshments will be provided.

“If a community did nothing but protect its historic neighborhoods it will have advanced every Smart Growth principle. Historic preservation IS Smart Growth.”

Donovan Rypkema, author of The Economics of Historic Preservation: A Community Leader's Guide