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## Thomas Britt Town Planner

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Planning Commission

FROM: Thomas Britt, Town Planner

DATE: June 26, 2024

SUBJECT: Comprehensive Plan Amendment: Definition of Historic Resource

### Background:

The Town of Haymarket Comprehensive Plan has previously defined a historic resource per Section 58-554 (a) of the now amended Town Code, which stated: "all buildings within the Old and Historic Town of Haymarket which are 50 years old or older are designated historic buildings."

The Town Planner has provided an updated definition of a historic resource for the Planning Commission's consideration to add to the Historic Buildings inventory, which matched the current Zoning Ordinance.

The Planning Commission recommended this Comprehensive Plan amendment to go before Town Council on the June 17<sup>th</sup> Planning Commission meeting.

# <u>Items for the Planning Commission's Consideration:</u>

#### 1.5.3 Historic Buildings Inventory

Based on a survey conducted by the Virginia Department of Historic Resources (VDHR) in 1996 as well as Section 58-554 (a) 58-16.3 of the Town Code which states: "all buildings within the Old and Historic Town of Haymarket which are 50 years old or older are designated historic buildings all buildings within the Historic Haymarket Overlay which were built prior to 1950 are designated historic resources," the following structures are designated historic and worthy of protection in the Town of Haymarket.