



## SPOKANE CITY | COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

*Providing historic property protection and development services to the City of Spokane and Spokane County.*

February 29, 2024

The Spokane County Board of Commissioners invites applicants for an opening on the Spokane Historic Landmarks Commission (SHLC). The vacancy is for a County-at-Large position in which the applicant must have a demonstrated interest or experience in historic preservation. The applicant would finish out the term of the vacancy which is 12/31/25, but hopefully be reappointed to a full-term from 1/1/26-12/31/29.

The 11-member SHLC makes recommendations to the City Council/County Board for landmark designation and reviews all proposed physical alterations to designated features of Spokane Historic Register properties.

The Commission is composed of two architects who are registered in the state of Washington; a state-certified general real estate appraiser; two historians with appropriate degrees or equivalent experience; a professional archaeologist or anthropologist with appropriate degrees; and an experienced preservation construction specialist. There are also two at large appointees from both Spokane County and the City of Spokane.

SHLC meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month at 3:00 p.m. Commission responsibilities require a commitment of approximately **3 -5 hours a month**.

Interested applicants may be City of Spokane or Spokane County residents (however, unincorporated Spokane County residents or those within a community who has an interlocal agreement with the County for preservation services are preferred). Commission members serve without compensation. Those interested in being considered should send a letter of interest, resume and a completed Spokane County [Board & Commissions Application](#). **Deadline for the County-at-large position is Monday, March 18, 2024.** Please follow the instructions on the County's website for application submittals.

For more information, please email the Historic Preservation Office at [preservation@spokanecity.org](mailto:preservation@spokanecity.org).

