

Albany

NY HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN



The City of Albany has initiated a community planning process to prepare a **Historic Preservation Plan**. The purpose of the Plan is to formulate achievable strategies for enhancing the City's current historic preservation program. The City of Albany has long been recognized for its outstanding collection of historic buildings and resources that tell the story of the city's development. Albany is a city that proudly celebrates its heritage. For the past 400 years, the city has developed with a distinctive character and sense of place.

With this Historic Preservation Plan, the Albany community desires to build on its past preservation successes while recognizing that additional efforts are needed to address priority preservation issues **in order to shape and contribute to the City's urban form, character, economic development, and overall community quality of life for all Albany citizens**. The City has engaged the Lakota Group, a preservation planning firm based in Chicago, Illinois to help create the Plan.

A well-researched and prepared Historic Preservation Plan is one that is produced with the input and participation of the citizens and stakeholders of Albany. Along these lines, direct involvement by community members is welcomed and strongly encouraged.

We want your input!

The planning process is comprised of two major phases:

Phase 1: STATE OF THE CITY

Phase 2: HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN

The two phases with related project milestones is depicted on the right. The project is scheduled for completion by September 2019 and is partially funded through the City of Albany.

Information and updates on the Albany Historic Preservation Plan can be found at:

albanyhistoricpreservationplan.com

Thank you for participating!

