

CULTURAL HERITAGE BOARD 101

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM



Art Pick

- CHB established 1968
- Landmarks Ordinance 1969
- Prompted by demolition of Carnegie Library
- To identify and preserve historic resources and identify significant people
- Councilman Art Pick

ORDINANCE NO. 3562

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA, CREATING A CULTURAL HERITAGE BOARD TO ACT IN AN ADVISORY CAPACITY TO THE CITY COUNCIL IN THE IDENTIFICATION AND PRESERVATION OF HISTORICAL OBJECTS, EVENTS, STRUCTURES AND SITES AND TO IDENTIFY PERSONS OF HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE TO THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE.

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

Program Features

- Historic Preservation Officer
- Historic Resources Inventory
- Surveys & Context Development
- CLG Status & Grants
- Environmental Review for
- Cultural Resources
- Mills Act Program
- HP Grant Fund
- Specialized Zoning Standards
- Education and Outreach



Latino Context
Festival at Our Lady of Guadalupe Depicted

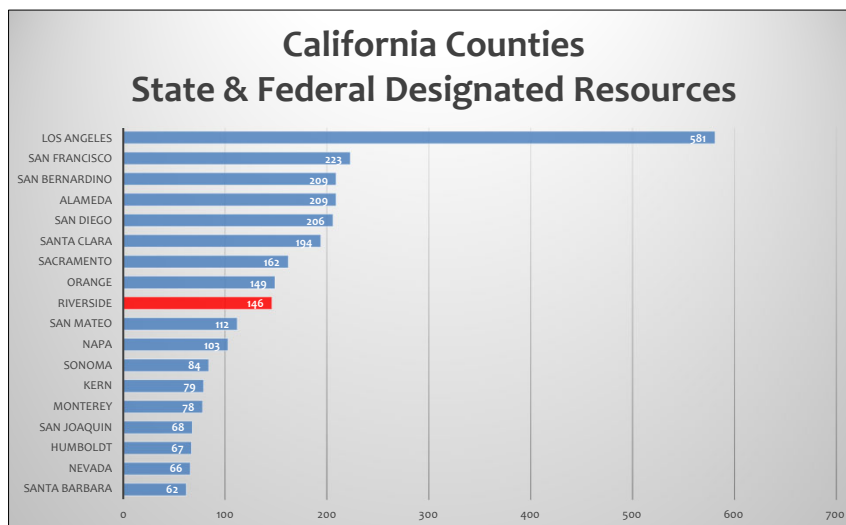
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RIVERSIDE'S RANKING



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HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER ROLE



Administer/Manage all HP Program Features

Staff to CHB

Stewardship of Cultural Resources

Historic Preservation Planning & Survey

Process Certificates of Appropriateness

Process Designation Cases

Front Counter Customer Assistance

Inter-departmental & Inter-agency Coordination

Education, Outreach, and Service



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A LITTLE ABOUT ME



- Qualified under Secretary of the Interior's Standards
 - Bachelor's in Architecture (Cal Poly San Luis Obispo)
 - Masters of Heritage Conservation (USC)
- Hired at City 2016
- Published Author, Teacher
- Public Speaker



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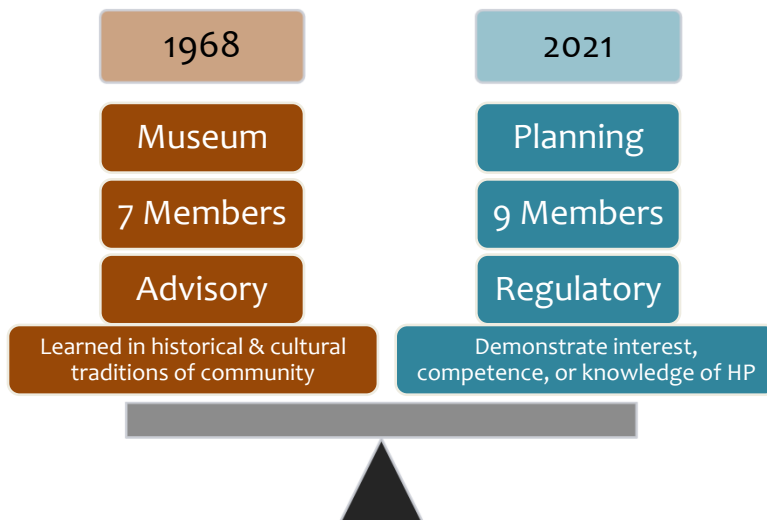


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HISTORIC PRESERVATION THEN AND NOW



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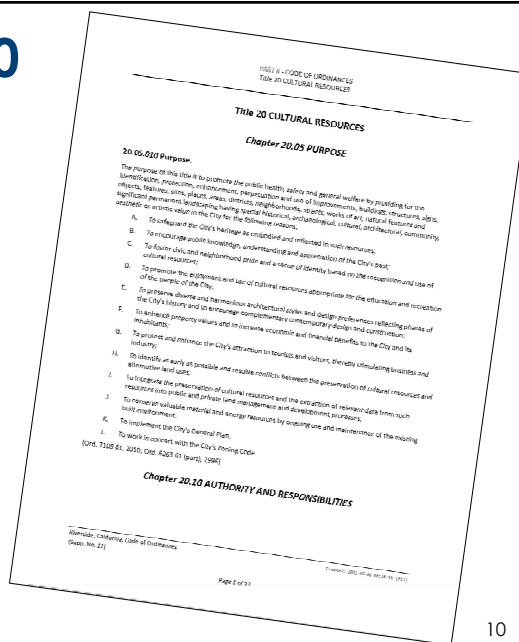
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TITLE 20

Primary body of local laws relating to historic preservation

Title 20 defines:

- authority for preservation
- criteria for determining what is eligible for historic designation
- standards for evaluating work affecting a historic resource
- composition and duties of CHB



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CHB RESPONSIBILITIES



CULTURAL RESOURCES SURVEYS & DESIGNATIONS

CERTIFICATES OF APPROPRIATENESS

STANDARDS & GUIDELINES

CEQA DOCUMENTS

EDUCATION & PUBLIC PARTICIPATION



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BOARD RULES

CULTURAL HERITAGE BOARD SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION		Form Number: CHC-001-01-01-01
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	CHS#
<p>The mission and challenges facing the Cultural Heritage Board necessitate unique specialized expertise. Therefore, the following special qualifications apply to appointments to the Board.</p> <p>All new nontraditional members demonstrate competence in knowledge of historic preservation, restoration, has members and/or specialized training in the following fields or disciplines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> architectural history, restoration construction, historic architecture, history, planning, archeology, or other historic preservation disciplines, including urban planning, American folk, immigrant or ethnicity, cultural programs or cultural anthropology, to the extent that such specialties are available to the community. restoration, historic preservation and/or include as members whose historic preservation, competence, expertise, or knowledge includes preservation, historical studies, cultural anthropology, urban planning or other historic preservation-related disciplines. <p>Those complete the following as to their education and competence in one or knowledge of historic preservation.</p> <p>MEMBERSHIP IN A LEGAL, STATE, OR HISTORICAL PRESERVATION OR OTHER ORGANIZATION:</p> <p>NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION _____</p> <p>NUMBER OF YEARS OF MEMBERSHIP IN _____</p> <p>AREA OF SPECIALIZATION: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Subcommittees <input type="checkbox"/> attended seminars, activities, or conferences</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> volunteered in _____ for _____ (HPR)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> held office of _____</p> <p>HANDICAPPED IN SOCIAL PRESERVATION OR OTHER ACTIVITIES:</p> <p>For example, public historic sites, preserved places, structures, coordinated programs or events dedicated for a handicapped person in a public and/or organized preservation efforts. Please describe.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 100px; width: 100%;"></div>		

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CHB Officer Roles

- Chair – Apply rules, limit speaker time, and recognize Members in proper order to speak
- Vice-Chair – Preside in absence of the Chair

Member Roles

- Attend meetings prepared
- Treat all with respect, fairness, and courtesy
- Focus on merits in discussion
- Provide input that adds value related to Title 20
- Make informed decisions in best interest of the City
- Represent CHB to City Council upon request
- Uphold Brown Act
- Maintain highest ethical standards

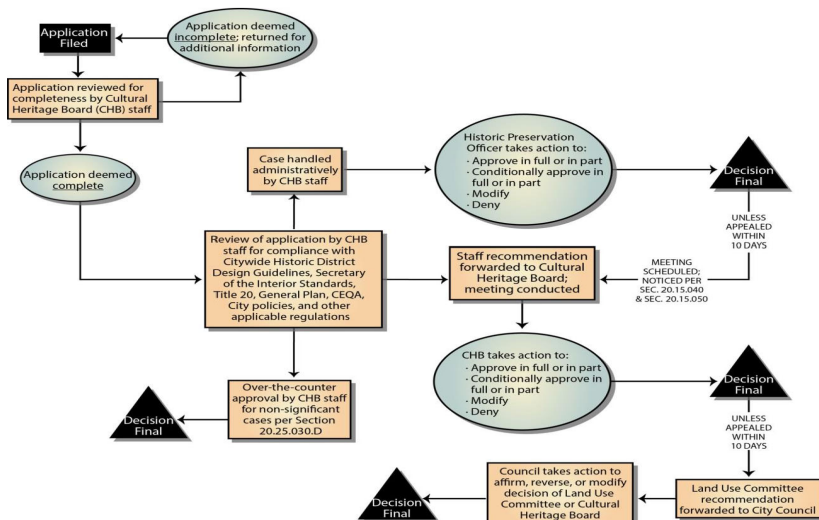


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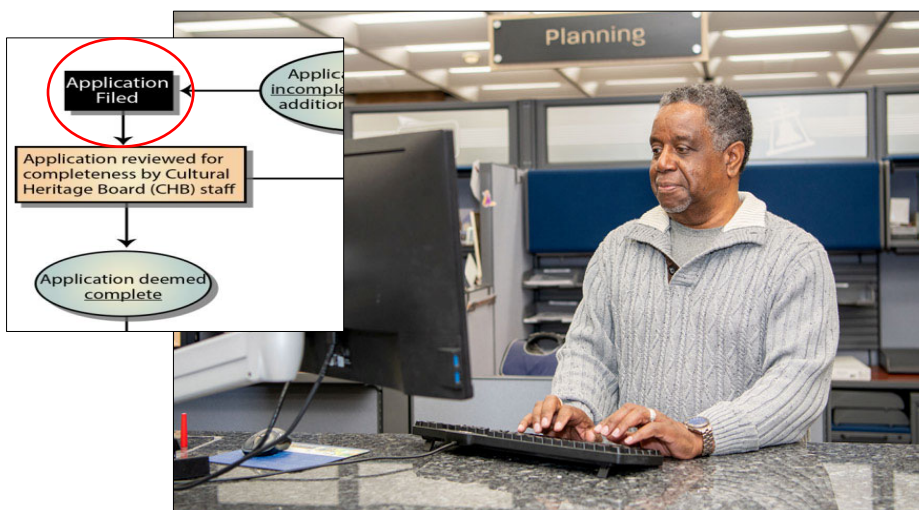


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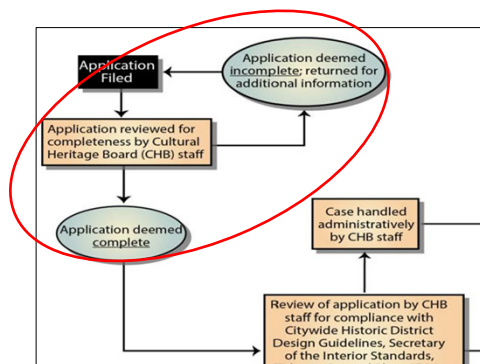


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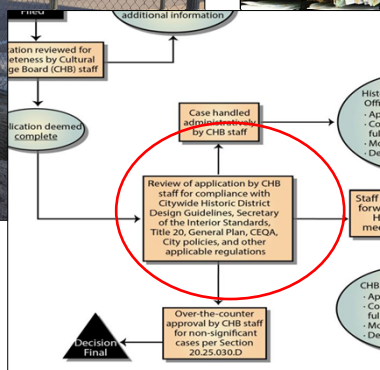
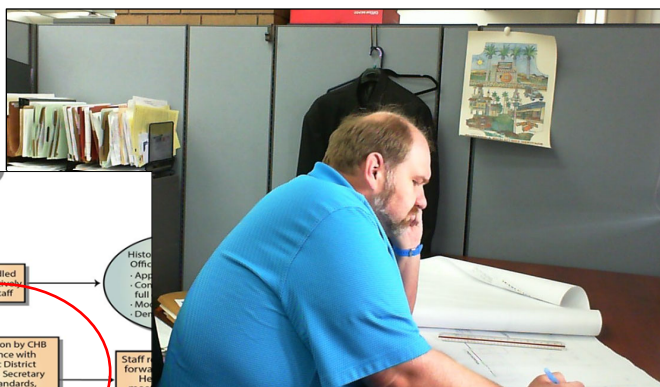


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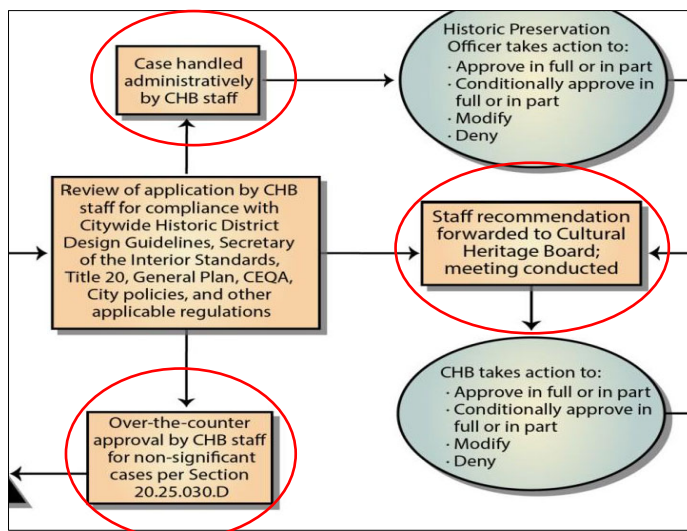


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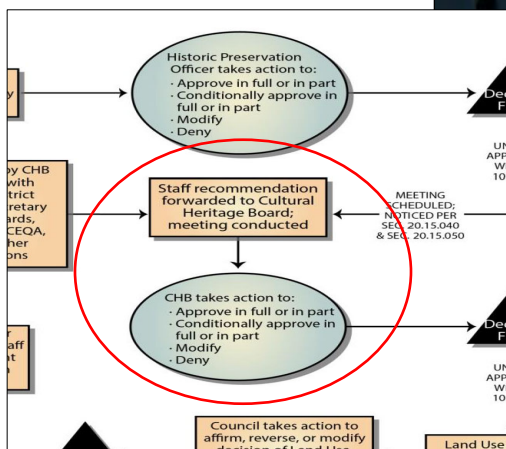


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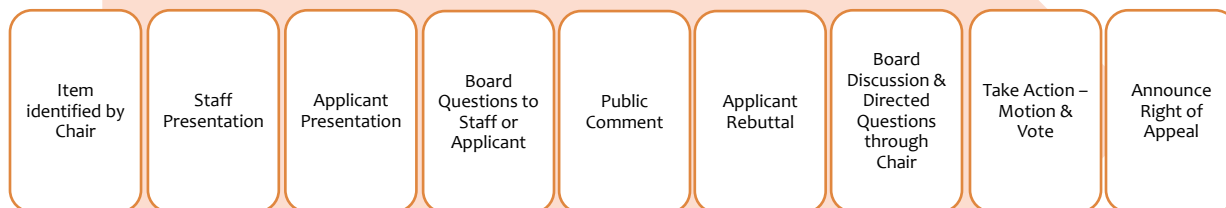


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HEARING FORMAT



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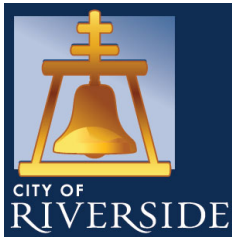
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