

Capitol Hill Restoration Society

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Member Information (please print):

NAME(S)

ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP

PRIMARY PHONE (PLEASE INCLUDE AREA CODE IF OTHER THAN 202)

EMAIL

Please send information about adding CHRS to my/our estate plans.

Please mail this completed form with your contribution. Checks may be made payable to CHRS, Inc.

The Capitol Hill Restoration Society
P.O. Box 15264
Washington, DC 20003-0264

The Capitol Hill Restoration Society is a volunteer-run 501(c)(3) organization. All contributions are appreciated and are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

Thank you for your generous support!

Renewal New Membership

Gift Membership for:

NAME(S)

ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP

- \$25 Single (\$10 tax-deductible)
- \$45 Household (\$30 tax-deductible)
- \$75 Patron (\$60 tax-deductible)
- \$120 Sponsor (\$105 tax-deductible)
- \$250 Silver Sponsor (\$195 tax-deductible)
- \$500 Gold Sponsor (\$405 tax-deductible)
- \$1,000 Platinum Sponsor (\$805 tax-deductible)

The tax-deductible portion of your donation is your membership fee minus the value of benefits you receive, unless you waive such benefits.

Please waive my bonus gifts. I prefer to take the full tax deduction.

Annual Fund Contribution

I/We would like to make an additional 100% tax-deductible contribution to help the Capitol Hill Restoration Society to continue to preserve and protect the historic fabric of our neighborhood.

Please find enclosed a check for \$ _____ (or donate via PayPal online at www.CHRS.org)

Get Involved

CHRS depends on volunteers. There are volunteer opportunities for all skills levels and any amount of time you have available. Please indicate areas of expertise that you might be willing to share with us.

NAME(S)

SPECIAL SKILLS

Best way to contact me:

Primary Phone By Mail Email

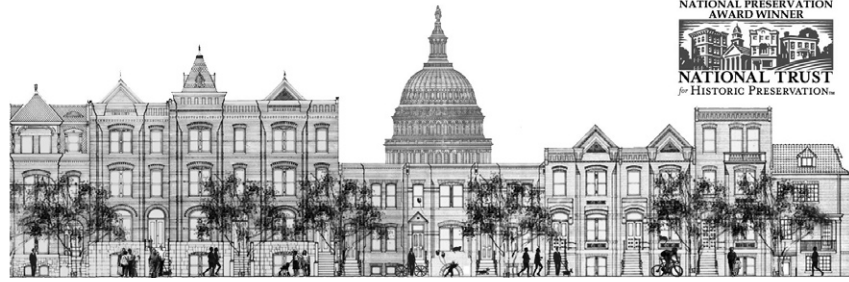
I would like to help with:

House & Garden Tour Communications Administration
 Membership Historic Preservation Other

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Membership Levels and Benefits

ALL MEMBERS receive the CHRS newsletter containing in-depth coverage of issues important to Capitol Hill residents, a set of Historic Guidelines, and the opportunity to buy discounted tickets for the House & Garden Tour.

Members who support CHRS at the \$250 or above level will be recognized in the newsletter and will receive two tickets to the House & Garden Tour (\$195 tax-deductible).

Members who support CHRS at the \$500 or above level will be recognized in the newsletter and will receive four tickets to the House & Garden Tour (\$405 tax-deductible).

Members who support CHRS at the \$1,000 or above level will be recognized in the newsletter and the House & Garden Tour booklet and will receive eight tickets for the tour and a copy of *The Majesty of Capitol Hill* by Hill resident Thomas Grooms (\$805 tax-deductible).

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What Does CHRS Do for You?

- ✧ **Protects the historic fabric of Capitol Hill** ways to contribute to the beauty of our homes and neighborhood
- ✧ **Protects Capitol Hill's residential character** by challenging non-residential developments in residential neighborhoods
- ✧ **Provides advice** on maintenance and repair of historic buildings
- ✧ **Works actively to improve city services** such as street repairs, tree and park maintenance, trash collection, and recycling
- ✧ **Engages in community issues** like public safety, traffic controls, surplus school disposal and Ward 6 planning
- ✧ **Hosts Preservation Café presentations** that impart information on
- ✧ **Works to ensure that building regulations are applied consistently**, in a manner that enhances the neighborhood
- ✧ **Reviews all zoning and construction proposals** and appears before the Historic Preservation Review Board, the Zoning Commission and the Board of Zoning Adjustment to ensure appropriate development
- ✧ **Monitors development** in adjacent Ward 6 areas to assess how the historic district will be impacted
- ✧ **Assists DC government** in identifying and addressing abandoned properties

Among Our Many Successes

- Historic District Designation** – Led the charge to have Capitol Hill designated as an historic district
- Eastern Market** – Protected the viability of Eastern Market; currently providing guidance on plans to redevelop the area and restore the market
- Residential Parking Permits** – Fought all the way to the United States Supreme Court to obtain residential permit parking
- Expansion of Capitol Grounds** – Fought Congressional action to turn back numerous efforts to expand and encroach upon Capitol Hill, including saving historic St. Mark's Church
- Ward 6 Development Plan** – Helped fund a specific plan for Ward 6 that provides objectives and action plans for economic development, housing, environmental protection, transportation, public facilities, urban design, preservation, human services, and land use
- Lincoln Park and Philadelphia Row** – Supported efforts to save Lincoln Park, Philadelphia Row, and 11th Street properties from plans to create a freeway through Capitol Hill
- House & Garden Tour and Community Grants Awards** – Since 1957, CHRS has organized our annual tour of homes, gardens and other structures on Capitol Hill. Part of the proceeds are given to support worthwhile projects of Capitol Hill organizations

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