

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MN
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2025-022
A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE HERITAGE PRESERVATION COMMISSION AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT'S MINNESOTA STATE HISTORIC
PRESERVATION OFFICE CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANT APPLICATION FOR
AN UPDATED PRESERVATION PLAN

- WHEREAS, The Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office is expected to award approximately \$120,000 under the Pass-Through Program to cities that have achieved Certified Local Government status in 2025; and
- WHEREAS, The City Council has established the Heritage Preservation Commission to engage in a comprehensive program of historic preservation, and to promote the use and conservation of historic properties for the education, inspiration, pleasure, and enrichment of the citizens of the city; and
- WHEREAS, The City of Northfield is a Certified Local Government with the Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office; and
- WHEREAS, The value and importance of historic preservation, including the historic resources within and Northfield Commercial Historic District, is reaffirmed in the Comprehensive Plan and through community engagement; and
- WHEREAS, The City's previous Historic Preservation Plan was adopted in 1992; and
- WHEREAS, The State Historic Preservation Office seeks grant proposals for activities that fall under one of seven categories of eligibility including Comprehensive Planning; and
- WHEREAS, The Community Development department has created a grant proposal outlining how the funds will be used to develop an updated preservation plan to guide preservation and development activities, including the actions of the Heritage Preservation Commission, to engage in a comprehensive program of historic preservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT:
The Northfield City Council supports the Heritage Preservation Commission and Community Development Department's application for the Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office Certified Local Government Grant for an updated preservation plan.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 18th day of February, 2025.

ATTEST

City Clerk

Mayor

VOTE: ___ ZWEIFEL ___ BEUMER ___ DAHLEN ___ HOLMES
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