

Figure I-6: Heritage and Cultural Preservation Chapter Implementation

The Heritage and Cultural Preservation Chapter sets policy for the preservation and celebration of architecturally, culturally and historically significant buildings, districts, sites and views in Saint Paul.

		Item	Timeline	Funding Sources
Heritage and Cultural Preservation	1	Complete context studies of, and designate as appropriate, areas, places, buildings, structures, landscapes and other objects having historical, cultural, architectural, archaeological and/or engineering significance to the African-American, Asian, Latino and Native American communities.	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund Certified Local Government grants
	2	Develop an annual work plan for the Heritage Preservation Commission that prioritizes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> survey and designation work; education; and stakeholder engagement. 	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal Transportation Enhancement programs Federal Transit Enhancement programs
	3	Develop and fund the creation of programs and materials to educate staff, partners and the public about the history of the city; the rationale and laws behind - and importance of - preservation activities; and how preservation activities relate to both public and private property.	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal Investment Tax Credits, including the Federal Historic Preservation Tax Incentives Program
	4	Establish a consistent cycle of survey, evaluation and designation projects for areas, places, buildings, structures, landscapes and other objects having historical, cultural, architectural, archaeological and/or engineering significance.	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Save America's Treasures program
	5	Produce and consistently update a list of outside preservation funding resources to provide to internal and external partners.	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preserve America program
	6	Support neighborhood revitalization and reinvestment by using heritage preservation tools, such as historic tax credits, in African-American, Asian, Latino and Native American communities.	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> State of Minnesota programs, including State Grants-in Aid, State Capital Projects Grants-in-Aid and State Historic Preservation Tax Incentives
	7	Establish an inter-departmental staff team advisory group to address City department applications and issues.	Short-Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-profit organizations, such as Preservation Alliance of Minnesota and
	8	Explore the Heritage Preservation Commission's authority and process regarding demolition permits as part of any revisions to Chapter 73.	Short-Term	
	9	Fund a City staff position to focus on grant-writing and resource allocation.	Short-Term	
	10	Create a "Pocket Guide to Preservation in Saint Paul (and how the City can help)".	Short-Term	

General Timeline Guidelines:

Short-Term (0-5 years)

Medium-Term (5-10 years)

Long-Term (10+ years)

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	11	Develop a clearinghouse where information pertaining to heritage and cultural preservation can be collected and disseminated to City departments and the public.	Short-Term	
	12	Develop a process and set of criteria to assess the economic viability of historic resources, with an eye toward determining which economic incentives should be used for the rehabilitation of historic resources to realize their full economic potential.	Medium-Term	

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