



# Historic, Habitable, and Hospitable Structures

**A discussion about the benefits of preserving historic resources to keep Chester County's Urban Centers thriving into the future.**

## **3:50 pm | Registration and Refreshments**

## **4:00 pm | Welcome and Introductions**

Chester County Commissioners  
Brian N. O'Leary, Chester County Planning Commission  
Dolores Colligan, Chester County Department of Community Development

## **4:15 pm | Success Stories and Challenges**

- **Adaptive Reuse of Historic Structures (Planning Guide)**  
The Chester County Planning Commission is creating a guide to assist municipalities and developers to reuse historic structures in order to preserve these important resources while maximizing their potential.
- **Adaptive Reuse of Historic Structures - A Practitioners Experience**  
Hear first person experiences regarding the challenges and opportunities from local adaptive reuse success stories.
- **Historic Resource Protection Ordinances, Historic Commissions, CLG**  
Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission staff will outline the importance of Historic Preservation Ordinances and touch on other topics such as National Register status and benefits (tax credits), and the Certified Local Government program (CLG).

## **5:20 pm | Open Discussion**

County staff and other stakeholders will address topics. All attendees are encouraged to ask questions, provide answers, and participate in the discussion.

## **5:50 pm | Closing Remarks**

## **6:00 pm | Adjournment/Networking**

**A FREE event  
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Board of Commissioners**  
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