

**APPLICATION FOR WESTPORT HISTORICAL COMMISSION HOUSE PLAQUE**\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT NAME\_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE/EMAIL ADDRESS\_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS OF PROPERTY\_\_\_\_\_  
PLAT / LOT #

The Westport Historical Commission (WHC) maintains a list of historic buildings and structures in the *Westport Inventory of Historic Buildings and Structures* available at the Head Librarian's office of the Westport Public Library. The WHC *Inventory* is an ongoing project and we appreciate any additional information or corrections for your property. If you have concerns that the data on your existing plaque or in the *Inventory* are incorrect, please contact us.

Historical information is also available from the Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System (MACRIS), which allows you to search the Massachusetts Historical Commission database for information on historic properties and areas in the Commonwealth.

**Replacing existing plaques**

A request to replace an existing house plaque which bears the WHC insignia and which requires no changes will be automatically approved by the WHC. Please provide the exact information found on your existing sign below. If you wish to change the information on the existing sign, please attach an explanation. The WHC must authorize the change.

**New plaques**

Please check the *Westport Inventory* cited above. If included in the *Inventory*, please fill out the information below. If not included, it may be necessary to carry out a deed search at the New Bedford Registry of Deeds. The WHC will give you guidance on this research and must verify your results in order that a house plaque may be authorized. Please attach supporting documents to this application.

The WHC will arrange production of the sign and the applicant will be informed when it is ready.

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ORIGINAL OWNER\_\_\_\_\_  
O C C U P A T I O N\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE☐ EXISTING PLAQUE☐ NEW PLAQUE (data from *Inventory*)

The cost of a plaque is \$60. Make check out to Westport Historical Commission Trust Fund and mail it with this application to the WHC, c/o G. Stuck, P.O. Box 372, Westport, MA 02791. (Questions: whcplaque@gmail.com).

The above information is true to the best of my knowledge.

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APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE