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HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION APPOINTS MEMBERS

Newest members join Historic District Commission

Westminster, MD – At the council meeting of Monday, October 26, the Mayor and Common Council appointed Mr. L. Kevin Wagman to the Westminster Historic District Commission (HDC). Mr. Wagman lives in a historic home on East Green Street in the downtown Westminster area. He has recently completed a renovation project on his home, using a City Rehabilitation Tax Credit from the HDC and has another tax credit project currently under way. Mr. Wagman previously served on the Carroll County HDC, which oversees preservation activities in the Uniontown Historic District. For the City of Westminster, he will serve a three-year term on the HDC. Mr. Wagman works as a wood shop teacher in Baltimore County. He is pictured on the right with Mayor Kevin Utz.



Also on Monday, Mrs. Kristen McMasters was re-appointed to the HDC. Mrs. McMasters has served two terms on the commission, having been elected vice-chair, and, currently, chair of the HDC. She has participated in a variety of projects with HDC and hopes to focus on resurveying the City's historic structures in the coming year. Mrs. McMasters is employed by the National Park Service as Chief of Battlefield Preservation and Archeology and she lives in a historic home on North Church Street in Downtown Westminster.

For more information or questions regarding the Historic District Commission, contact Tim Rogers at 410-848-9000 or visit www.westminstermd.gov/citygov/citygov_hdc.html.

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