

Lead and Healthy Homes Program

City-Wide, Waterbury

In the past year, SHPO worked with the City of Waterbury's Lead and Healthy Homes program, funded through the US Department of Housing and Urban Development, to review abatement projects for approximately 90 properties. Each of these projects was undertaken to ensure the safety of the occupants, while also maintaining historic character defining features of the properties. These are not the types of projects that garner public interest or the advocacy efforts of preservation organization, but they are part of SHPO's daily review responsibilities. Although limited in scope, their aggregate impact is the preservation of important community character and streetscapes, while making homes safer for their families.

