



Philadelphia
Historic
Preservation
Task Force

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**Thursday
September 20, 2018**

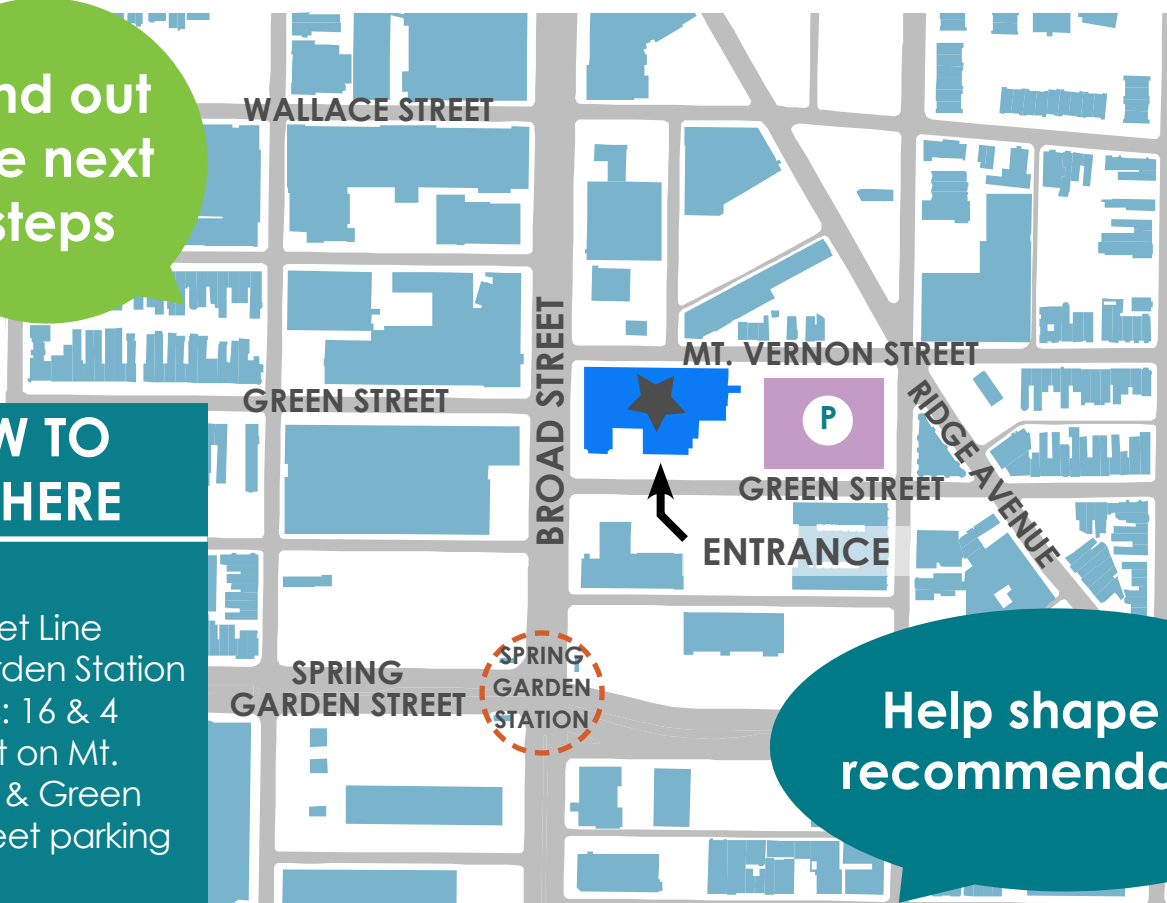
6:30 - 8:00 PM

**Congregation
Rodeph Shalom
615 North Broad St.**

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the next
steps

HOW TO GET HERE

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Spring Garden Station
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Help shape the
recommendations

What is the purpose of the Task Force?

In May 2017, Mayor Jim Kenney signed an executive order creating the Historic Preservation Task Force. He charged the Task Force to provide recommendations in four areas:

1. Survey of historic resources – to create a citywide process for identifying historic assets.
2. Incentives for preservation – to identify incentives for individual property owners and developers to preserve historic resources.
3. Regulations for preservation – to identify potential legal reforms to strengthen the city's historic preservation ordinance and other city policies, while welcoming new investment.
4. Outreach and Education – to provide materials for residents, building industry professionals, city staff and others to convey the value of historic preservation as well as the city's preservation laws and process. This work also includes soliciting input and feedback from the public to help inform the work of the Task Force.

Timeline for Task Force Work and Deliverables

COMPLETE



Current State of Historic Preservation: During the first four months (Sept-Dec 2017) the Task Force will define the current state of historic preservation in Philadelphia (*Online White Paper*)

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Best Practices from Peer Cities: Starting in January, (Jan – August 2018), the Task Force will look at how peer cities across the country have strengthened their historic preservation laws while welcoming new investment, and ensuring regulations do not burden historic property owners (*White Paper Coming Soon*)

IN PROGRESS



Recommendations: In its final months (August-December 2018) the Task Force will identify how the city can best survey its historic assets, regulate those assets, incentivize preservation, and educate and engage residents and property owners around the importance of preservation (*Final Report Coming This Winter*)

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