

HISTORICAL AFFAIRS AND LANDMARK REVIEW BOARD  
ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

**CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS STAFF REPORT**

**TO:** Historical Affairs and Landmark Review Board (HALRB)  
**FROM:** Serena Bolliger, Historic Preservation Planner  
**DATE:** August 18, 2021  
**SUBJECT:** 3308 23<sup>rd</sup> Street N, CoA 21-18, Maywood Historic District

**Background Information**

The Colonial Revival dwelling at 3308 23<sup>rd</sup> Street North was constructed before 1916. The *Maywood National Register Nomination*, describes it in the following way:

The four-bay-wide, wood-frame dwelling rests on a solid concrete-block foundation. It is clad in narrow lapped wood siding and has a hipped roof sheathed in asphalt shingles. It has a one-story, three-bay wood-frame front porch on Tuscan columns and six-over-one wood-sash windows. Window and door surrounds have molded lintels and projecting sills. Other notable features include a hip-roof dormer with four-light wood-sash windows and clad wood shingles, wide, overhanging eaves and a rear one-story shed-roof addition.

**Proposal**

The applicant is requesting to change four deteriorating wooden column bases on the front porch of the historic structure to Tuscan column bases matching those on the rear of the property.

**DRC Review**

The Design Review Committee (DRC) heard this application at its August 4, 2021, meeting. The committee had no comments and recommended that the subject application be placed on the consent agenda for the August 18, 2021, HALRB hearing.

**Recommendation**

The Historic Preservation staff recommends approval of the subject application. The current deteriorating bases do not match the Tuscan column profile described in the NRHP nomination description and are not typical of columns in Maywood or of the period.