On April 12, 2023, the Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission (“Commission”) conducted, in the above referenced matter, a public hearing in accordance with the statutes and case law pertaining to quasi-judicial proceedings for the issuance of certificates of appropriateness. During the hearing, Heather Bratland, Historic Resources Officer, presented the staff report, findings, and recommendation. No one appeared to present testimony and evidence in support of the application. No one appeared to present testimony and evidence in opposition to the application.

After presentation of all testimony and evidence, the Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission, based upon the evidence presented in the application and during the hearing, finds that the proposed project is not incongruous with the character of the West End Historic Overlay District because:

1) The applicant proposes to expand the first floor of an existing rear addition, which is located in an area of low visibility. Currently, the second floor of the addition overhangs the first floor. The applicant proposes to bring the walls of the first floor out to sit directly under the walls of the second floor. The existing door and windows will be reinstalled in the new walls in the same locations. The exterior of the first floor will be clad in clapboard to match the second-floor cladding; corner boards will be installed to match the second-floor detailing. The rear wall of the expanded addition will be supported on wooden posts wrapped in brick to match the foundation of the house. (*Additions, West End Standards 1-6*)

Based on the preceding findings, the Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission hereby approves COA2023-020 for work at 114 Piedmont Avenue (PIN 6825-74-3979) within the West End Historic Overlay District, with the following conditions:

1) The applicant shall receive, prior to commencement of the work, all other required permits or permissions from governmental agencies;

2) Commission staff shall review and approve any revisions or deviations to any portion of the as-submitted work, that qualifies as a minor work, prior to commencement of that portion of the project; and

3) The applicant shall submit the Certificate of Appropriateness Request for Certification of Completed Work form and photo documentation of the completed project to HRC staff within ten (10) days of its completion.
This the twelfth day of April, 2023.

Mary Catherine Berry, Chair
Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission
On April 12, 2023, the Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission approved the issuance of this Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) on the application for the following work at the W.H. Sharp House at 114 Piedmont Avenue, located in the West End Historic Overlay District.

- Expansion of an existing rear addition

Approval of this item was granted **subject to the following conditions:**

1) The applicant shall receive, prior to commencement of the work, all other required permits or permissions from governmental agencies;

2) Commission staff shall review and approve any revisions or deviations to any portion of the as-submitted work, that qualifies as a minor work, prior to commencement of that portion of the project; and

3) The applicant shall submit the Certificate of Appropriateness Request for Certification of Completed Work form and photo documentation of the completed project to HRC staff within ten (10) days of its completion.

This COA runs with the property upon which the work is to be performed. The COA does not serve in any manner as a certification by the HRC or the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Planning Division that the applicant or anyone else has the authority to be on the subject property to perform the approved work. You should perform your own due diligence to confirm whether you have the legal authority to be on the property to perform the approved work.

This Certificate of Appropriateness expires on April 13, 2026.

Mary Catherine Berry, Chair
Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission

The scope of work for this project must meet all other applicable building codes and ordinances. Any additional approvals or permits from the City must be obtained prior to initiating work.