

Historical Commission Fact Sheet

The Quincy Historical Commission monitors historic preservation issues throughout the City, and ensures that responsible development coincides with the protection of historic resources in Quincy. Quincy's two officially designated historic districts are located in Quincy Center. The Quincy Center Historic District stretches through several blocks of downtown Quincy. The Adams Birthplace Historic District is located to the south of the Quincy Center Historic District.

Quincy also has nearly 80 houses that have been placed on the National Register of Historic Places. Many of these structures are over 50 years of age and require constant maintenance to preserve their original character. The preservation efforts of the Historical Commission not only preserve the important historical legacy of Quincy for future generations but also generate tourist revenue from visitors interested in Quincy's many historically significant sites.