

Dear Hingham Historic Districts Commission,

Like many of us active in Town, we give our time as stewards to keep Hingham's charm and look and feel alive for generations to come. Things like traditional signage (no neon signage), old style lamp posts and traffic lights, and building styles that conform to the general look and feel of local neighborhoods are extremely important to preserve what makes Hingham unique from other Towns. There are over 144 pre-revolutionary homes in Hingham for example, vs. less than 20 in Lexington which is often cited as one of the more historic towns in Massachusetts.

With that in mind, we are strongly opposed to the re-development plans for 709 Main Street. The plans do not conform to one of the most beautiful streets in America and will be a detriment to the Town.

Sincerely,

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