



On the right is an artist's rendering of a house marker.



Each custom-made marker displays the official logo of the Medford Historical Society. The painted markers have a white background with black lettering and are designed for placement on the outside of your home. They measure 12 by 16 inches and are made of weatherproof MDO (medium density overlay) signboard which has been finished with three coats of special sign painter's oil based primer and an enamel topcoat. Holes are pre-drilled and screws are provided for installation.

Markers sell for \$175 (\$150 for Medford Historical Society members). Markers purchased by non-members include a free one year membership to the Society.

How do I order a historic marker?

Fill out the attached order form and include a copy of any documentation you may have (deed, city directory listing, building permit, survey, etc.) establishing your house's construction date along with your check for \$175 (if not a Medford Historical Society member) or \$150 (if you are already a member). If you don't have information on when your house was built, the Society will do a complimentary data search for the date. If the exact date cannot be determined, the word "circa" will be added to your marker date. Please mail your order form to the Medford Historical Society, 10 Governors Ave., Medford, MA 02155.

What does the marker say?

Each custom-made marker shows the date your home was built and displays the official logo of the Medford Historical Society.

Where should I place my historic marker?

The marker should be placed on the outside of your home, at eye level, facing the street. If architectural features or landscaping make that impractical, markers may be mounted at higher levels, including the second floor. Care should be taken to minimize confusion with your house number.

Where do I get information about my house?

The Medford Historical Society has information about many Medford homes and can do a complimentary data search on most

pre-1907 homes for date of construction. If a more detailed investigation is needed, you will be asked to make a nominal \$35 contribution. If you already know the date of construction of your house, please submit any proof you have for confirmation. The Medford Historical Society will do its best to correctly identify/authenticate the date your home was built. However, we cannot guarantee the absolute accuracy of the date due to the nature of many historical records. The Medford Historical Society reserves the right to deny specific requests for markers based on a review of historical data.

Who can participate in the historic marker program?

Any home in Medford, single or multi-family built in any year from 1630 to the present, qualifies for a historic marker.

How long does it take to produce each marker?

Your marker will be ready in approximately 4 to 6 weeks after you place your order. You will be notified by telephone and/or email when your marker is ready to be picked up.

If my marker is damaged, lost or stolen can I order a replacement marker?

Yes, replacement markers will be available.

Your participation in this program helps to support historic preservation programs at the Society, provides information about the City's architectural development and builds a sense of pride in our community. The Medford Historical Society is a non-profit organization located at 10 Governors Ave. in Medford Square.

Medford
Historic
House Marker
Order Form



Today's date:

Name of owner(s):
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Phone:

E-mail address:

Year house was built:
(Please provide documentation if you have it)

Street address of historic house:
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Your address (if different from above):

Street:

City:

State:

Zip:.....

Cost of the Marker:

Medford Historical Society member	\$150.00
Non-member	\$175.00
Additional gift to the Society	_____
Total enclosed	_____

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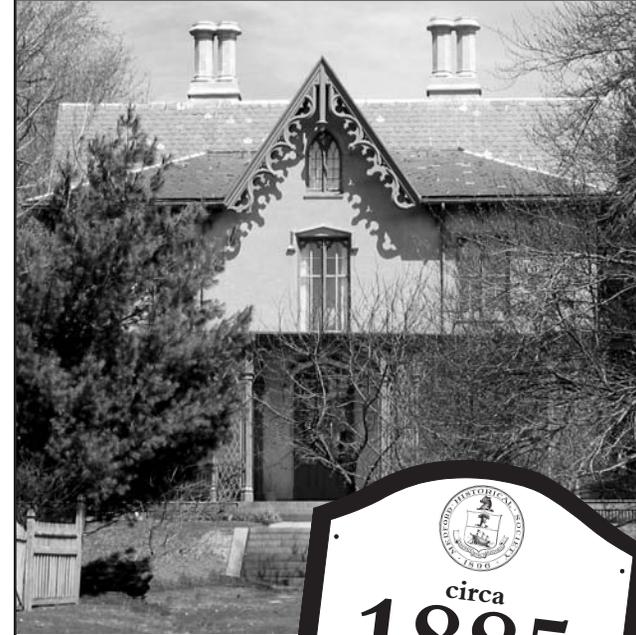


This historic house marker program is a community pride outreach effort sponsored by the Medford Historical Society and sanctioned by the Medford Historical Commission to celebrate the residential historical heritage we enjoy and want to preserve in Medford.



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*Display Your
Pride in
Medford's History*



**The Medford Historic
House Marker Program**

Sponsored by the Medford Historical Society

*Homeowners can now celebrate
the rich architectural history
of Medford with an attractive
historical marker that shows the
original date their house was built.*