

Allegheny Arsenal Officer's Quarters, Wall Segments, and Magazine Structures

Historic Nomination

Planning Commission Presentation

Pittsburgh Map

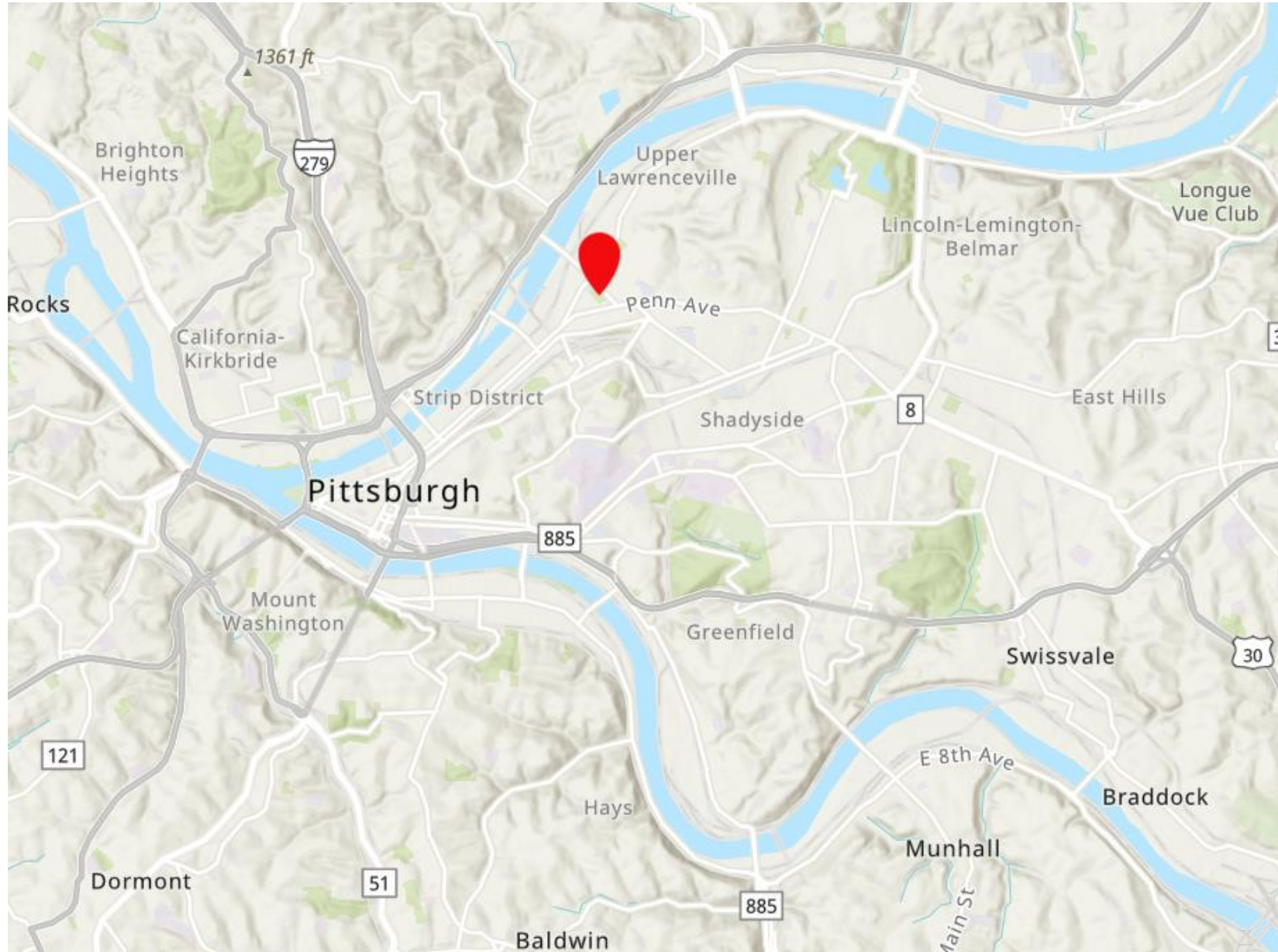
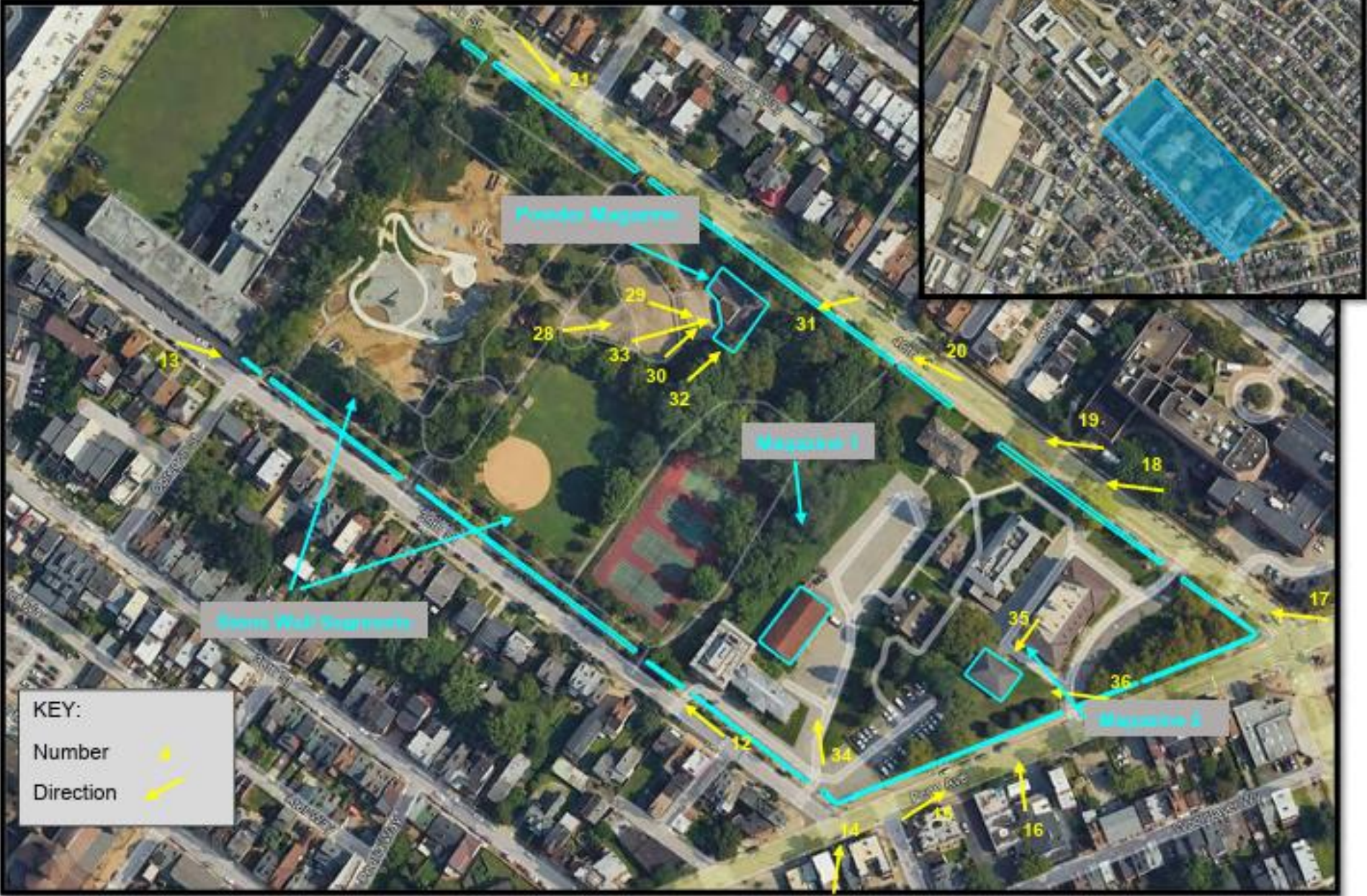




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Google Earth
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Site
Plan 1



Site
Plan 2



Resources Included in Nomination

- Stone wall segments (ca. 1814)
 - 10 on 39th Street
 - 3 on Penn Avenue
 - 1 at the corner of Penn Ave and 40th Street
 - 5 on 40th Street
- Officers' Quarters (1866)
- Powder Magazine (1814)
- Magazine Buildings 1 and 2 (ca. 1860's)



Photo 37: August 4, 1908, 39th and Butler Streets, Allegheny Arsenal is on the Right



Photo 9: Stone Wall Segment along 39th Street, Looking Southeast



Photo 40: September 21, 1937, Powder House in Arsenal Park

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Photo 28: Powder Magazine Behind Pond and Terrace, Looking Northeast from Amphitheater



Photo 34: Magazine 1, Looking North

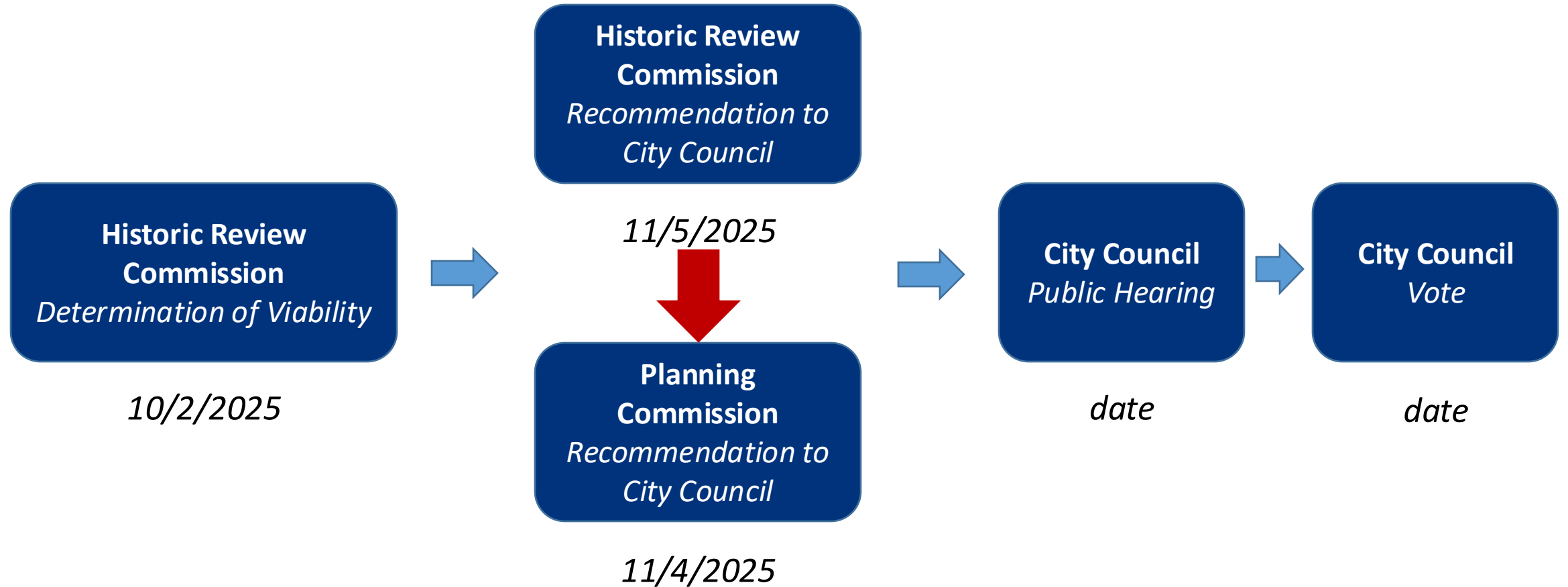


Photo 36: Magazine 2, Looking Northwest



Photo 23: Southwest façade of Officers' Quarters Building, Looking North

Where we are in the process



Per Title 11 – 1101.03(g) – The City Planning Commission shall consider effects of designation on adjoining properties and surrounding neighborhoods within the framework of established planning, development and land use objectives for the City of Pittsburgh

Criteria for historic designation

Per 1101.04, Criteria for Designation, a nomination must meet at least one of the following criteria in order to be designated a historic structure. This property is nominated as meeting the following criteria:

1.) Its location as a site of a significant historic or prehistoric event or activity;

6.) Its location as a site of an important archaeological resource;

7.) Its association with important cultural or social aspects or events in the history of the City of Pittsburgh, the State of Pennsylvania, the Mid-Atlantic region, or the United States;

9.) Its representation of a cultural, historic, architectural, archaeological or related theme expressed through distinctive areas, properties, sites, structures or objects that may or may not be contiguous;

10.) Its unique location or distinctive physical appearance or presence representing an established and familiar visual feature of a neighborhood, community, or the City of Pittsburgh.

Integrity worthy of preservation or restoration

In addition to Criteria, the Commission shall consider the Integrity of Historic Structures, Historic Districts, Historic Sites, and Historic Objects. Any area, property, site, structure or object that meets any one (1) or more of the criteria listed above shall also have sufficient integrity of location, design, materials and workmanship to make it worthy of preservation or restoration

1.) The nominator feels that Allegheny Arsenal Officer's Quarters, Wall Segments, and Magazine Structures have sufficient integrity to be listed as a historic property under the five criteria identified above.

Thank you.