**Historic Preservation Commission**

**Local Historic Buildings**

**Designating Appleton’s**

City of Appleton and Sites

**Community and Economic Planning Division**

**More Benefits to Designation**

2. Further protection is available for sites like the Lutz Ice Company Artesian Well and the Vulcan Street Hydroelectric Central Station replica building are identified in Appleton. In addition, neighborhoods can be designated historic districts.

3. **How Do I Apply?**

Applications for historic designation in Appleton are available on-line or at the Community and Economic Development Department office on the 5th floor of City Hall. Although the applications provide detailed instructions, it is highly encouraged to discuss your interest in historic designation with Community and Economic Development personnel. While no fee accompanies the application, an application will not be accepted without the original signature of the property owner or other authorized representative of the owner.
This structure is a two-family home that was constructed in 1918 and is an example of the Prairie style. The house was designed by architect Edward Wettengel Sr. It was designated as a local historic structure in 2005.

Henry Schuetter House - 330 Sixth Street
This structure is a single-family home that was constructed in 1890 and is an example of the Queen Anne style. The house was designed by local architect G.A. Tenbusch. It was designated as a local historic structure in 2004.

Union Springs Park
Lutz Ice Company Artesian Well Site
323 Kalata Place
This is the site of the artesian well which supplied water from 500 feet underground to the Lutz Ice Company at a rate of 100 gallons per minute. This park was designated as a local historic site in 1997.

John Hart Whorton House
315 Prospect Avenue
This structure is a single-family home that was constructed in 1870 and is an example of the High Victorian Italianate Villa style. John Hart Whorton was instrumental in the organization of the Fox River Paper Company. The house was designated as a local historic structure in 2000.

Vulcan Street Plant Replica
On November 25, 1882, the Vulcan Street Hydroelectric Central Station began operation. The Vulcan Street Plant represents an early use of hydro-power to generate electricity and perhaps one of the earliest examples of a hydroelectric plant that sold electricity commercially and provided incandescent lighting service to the public. The replica was designated as a local historic structure in 2007.