

Building Communities: Telling Maryland's Story Through Historic Architecture

The Maryland State House

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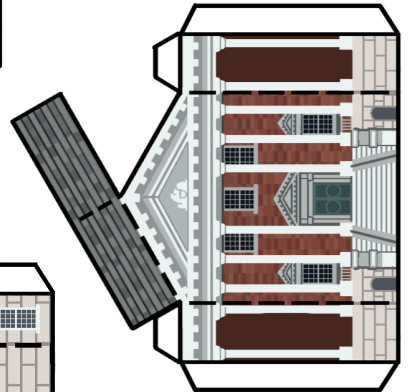
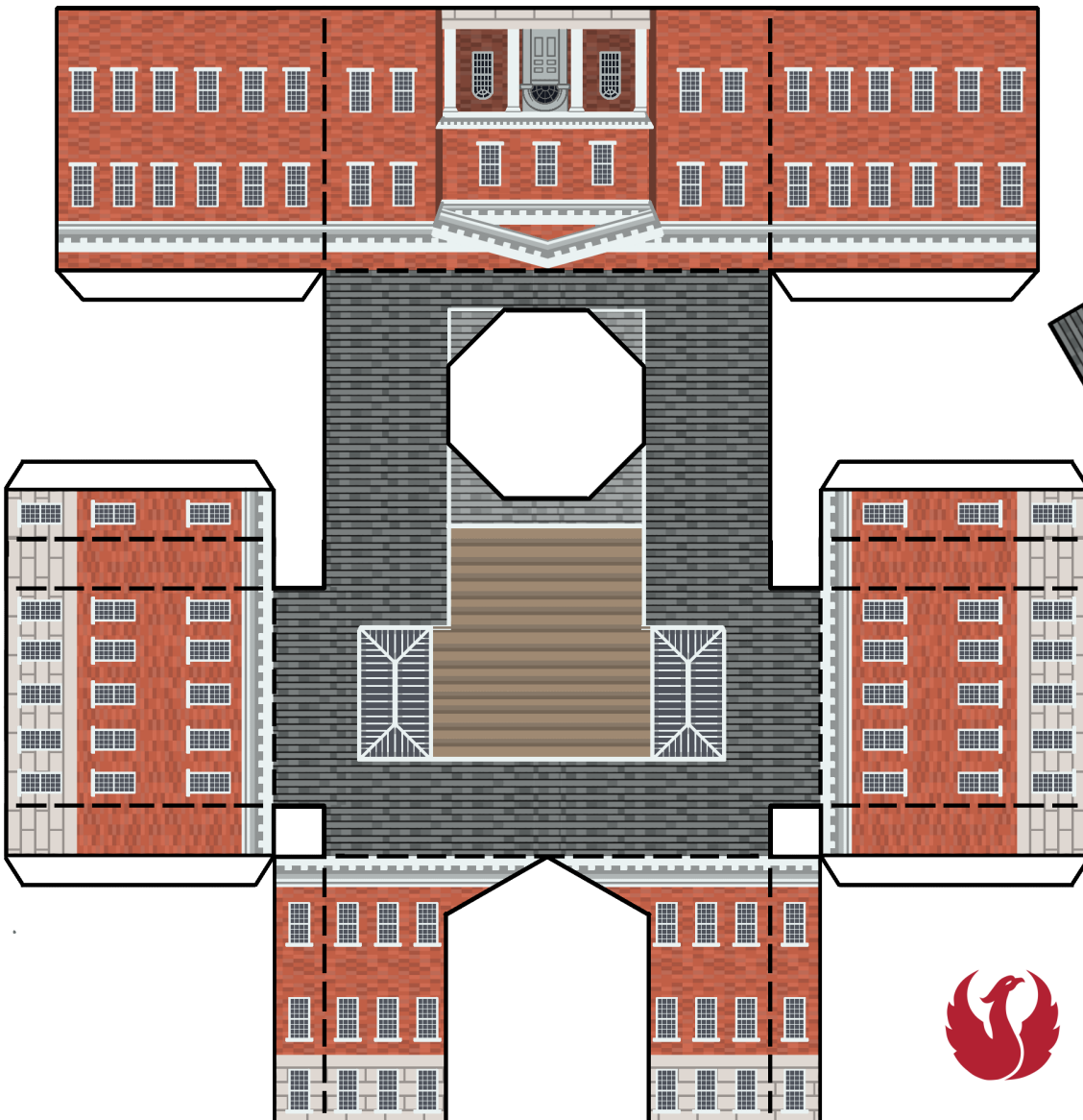
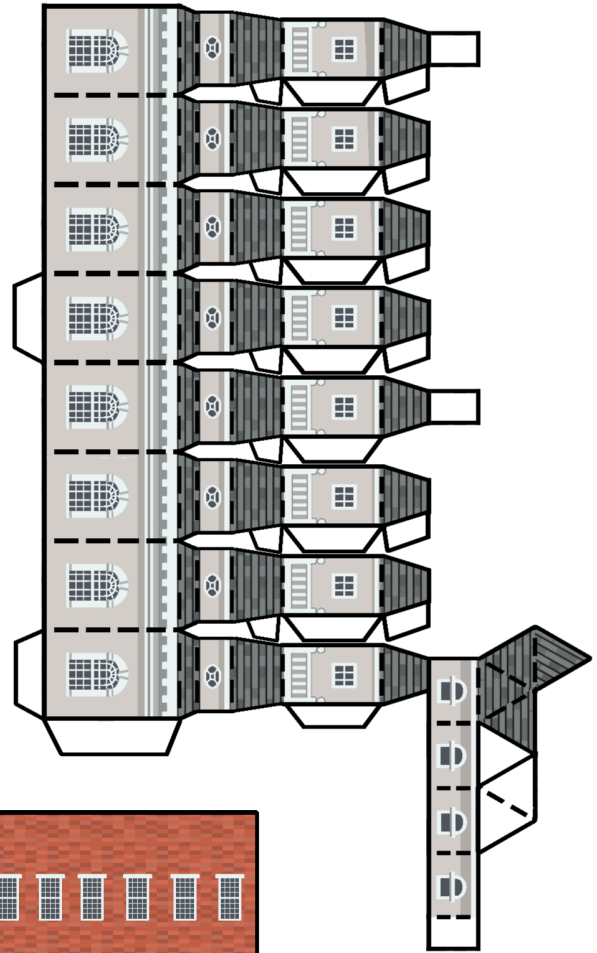
Annapolis, Md.

Built in 1779

This building is the oldest state capitol in continuous legislative use, and only state house to ever serve as the nation's capitol.

The Continental Congress met inside from November 26, 1783, to August 13, 1784. During that time, George Washington resigned as commander-in-chief and the Treaty of Paris was ratified, officially ending the Revolutionary War.

The State House is also where the Maryland General Assembly convenes for three months each year for session.



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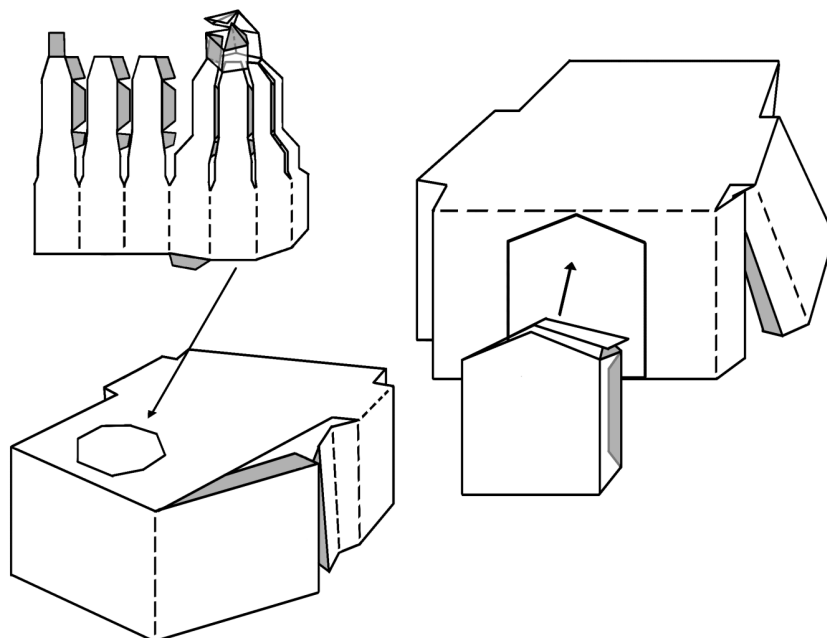
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Preservation Maryland is a nonprofit dedicated to revitalizing and reinvesting in communities, advocating for historic places, and building the historic trades workforce for the benefit of all Marylanders. This paper model is part of our Building Communities series, which highlights the history and architecture of Maryland's historic structures—and the ongoing impact they have on the communities where they reside. To support Preservation Maryland and our Historic Property Redevelopment Program, visit www.presmd.org/donate.

Support for this project comes from the Maryland 250 Commission, celebrating Maryland's rich 250-year history.

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Instructions

Cut out the buildings along the solid edge of the structure, leaving in the tabs. Fold the paper along the dotted lines. Glue the shaded tabs to the areas shown in the example image above. Glue each separate structure to the indicated areas in the drawing above.



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