

Building Communities: Telling Maryland's Story Through Historic Architecture

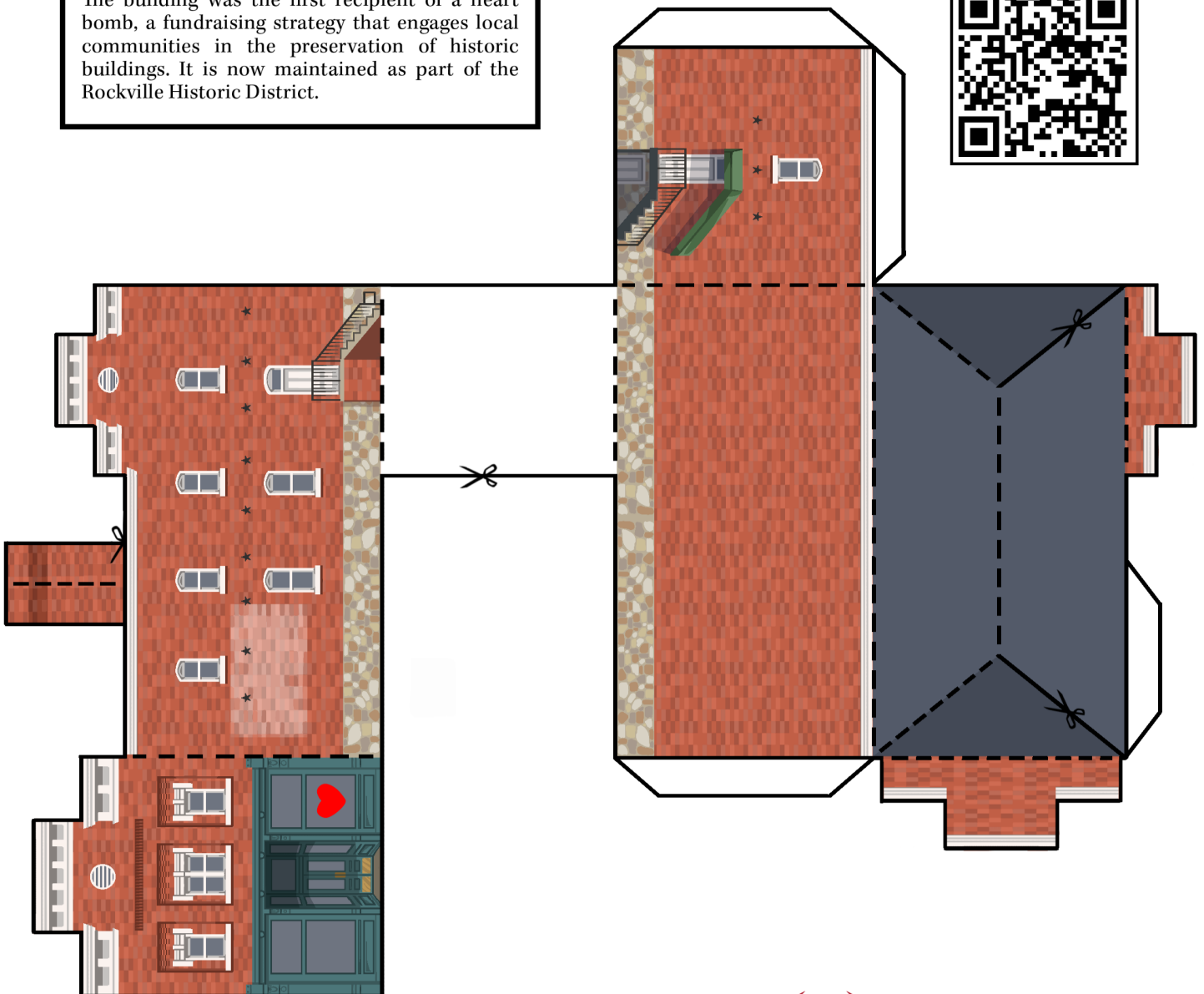
Wire Hardware Store

Preservation Maryland Grant Recipient
Montgomery County, Md.

ca. 1895

The original structure was built in 1884, close to the new B&O Railroad that supplied its goods. After being destroyed by a fire, it was rebuilt to be fireproof, including its iconic cast iron storefront. The building was the first recipient of a heart bomb, a fundraising strategy that engages local communities in the preservation of historic buildings. It is now maintained as part of the Rockville Historic District.

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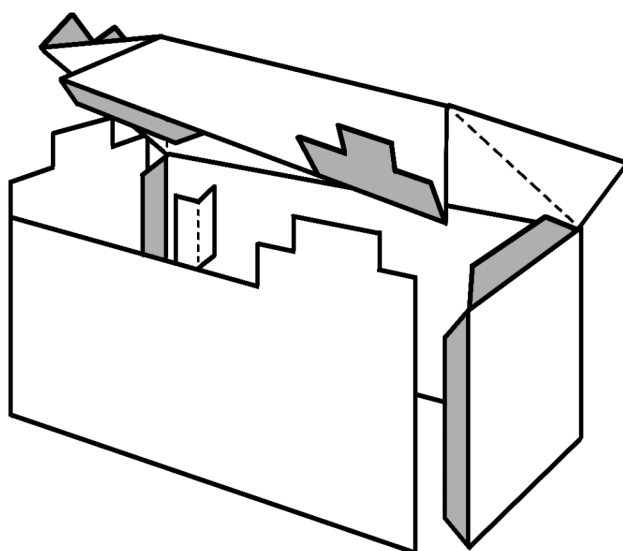


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Preservation Maryland is a nonprofit dedicated to revitalizing and reinvesting in communities, advocating for historic places, and building the historic trades workforce for the benefit of all Marylanders. This paper model is part of our Building Communities 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.

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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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