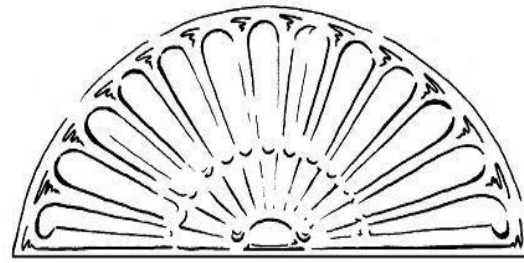


The civic block is comprised of four contiguous parcels, forming an unbroken block of historic structures which are the core of downtown East Point ...and they are endangered.

By saving this block we preserve our past and enhance our future.

By honoring our past, we recognize where we came from, and accept our history's beauty along with its ugliness.

By embracing our history, we give our city integrity and we send a message that our past and our present can mesh to form one truly diverse and vibrant community.



**EAST POINT
PRESERVATION ALLIANCE**

The East Point Preservation Alliance (EPPA) is committed to preserving the historical architecture and character of Downtown East Point, GA, including our City Hall, City Auditorium, New Deal Library, and our War Memorial to East Point Citizens, Victory Park.

EPPA is a non-politically aligned coalition of East Point Citizens, East Point property owners, East Point business owners, East Point Schools' Alumni, and former East Point residents.

The City of East Point, Georgia is a naturally occurring mixed-use City Center. The history and character that has been created by generations of urban growth should be preserved to maintain the original small-town feel of our City. Rather than destroying what we already have in place, we should be adding to its tapestry.

Join us on FaceBook or visit
preserveeastpoint.org.

**East Point
Historic
Civic Block**

**City
Auditorium**

**City
Hall**

**City Library
Victory
Park**

"...a city without old buildings is like a man without a memory."

-Graeme Shankland, British planner



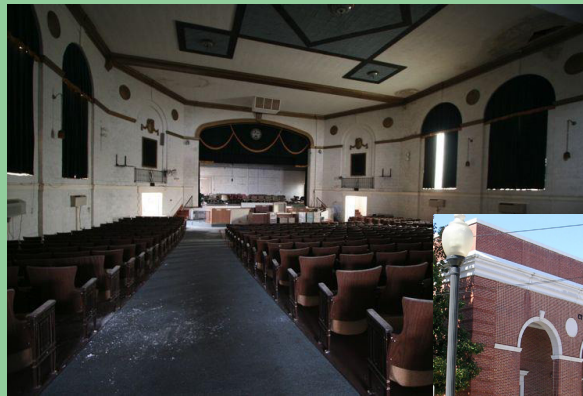
City Hall

Built in 1931 and financed with public bonds, East Point's City Hall is the City's most iconic structure. With its white-columned porch and clock tower, City Hall reflects a mix of the antebellum and Federal Revival styles popular at the time.

It houses the old Council Chambers where countless public meetings were held, shaping the destiny of East Point.

It's difficult to imagine East Point with out this distinct building yet its future is not sure.

City Auditorium



Auditorium, interior detail.



Also built in 1931, City Auditorium features Palladian windows, decorative swags and medallions along the walls. The large stage is suitable for a variety of uses.

The Auditorium has been witness to decades of City gatherings, musical performances, theatrical productions, high school graduations, and other precious moments in the life of the City.

Sadly, most of the damage the Auditorium has suffered has been the result of an unrepaired roof. The City has made no attempt to prevent further damage. Even the use of a simple tarp has not been deployed.

City Library & Victory Park



Library, interior detail.

The old City Library has been abandoned since the 1990's. This lovely and historic structure bears a brass plaque attesting to its 1939 construction as part of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works (FEAPW).

Most of the Library's original features remain intact, including the dark wood bookcases, shelving, and fireplace mantels. Numerous Art Deco-style lighting fixtures grace the building's common rooms as well.

The library sits at the entrance to Victory Park - a park dedicated to East Point citizens who have given their lives in service to our country. It is a peaceful, public space which features magnificent magnolias, period lighting, park benches and a unique old armory.