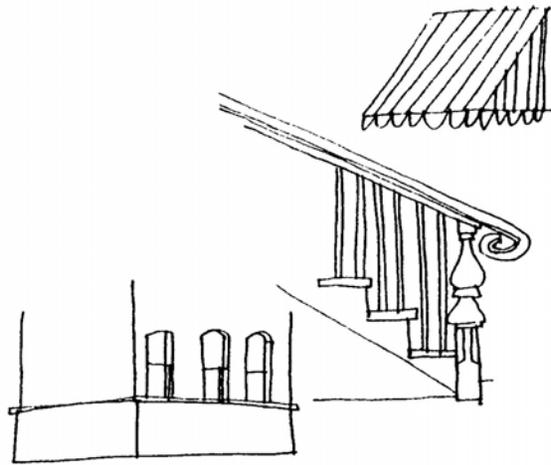


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awning

a roof-like covering of canvas or the like, often adjustable, over a window, door, etc., to provide protection against the sun, rain, and wind.

balustrade

a railing consisting of a handrail on small supporting columns called balusters.

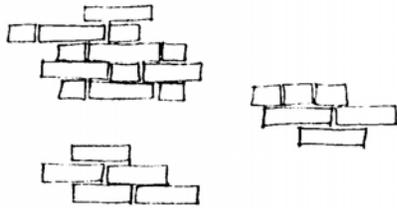
belt course
or string course

in masonry construction, a horizontal range of brick or stone, extending across the facade of structures and in some instances encircling such features as pillars or engaged columns.



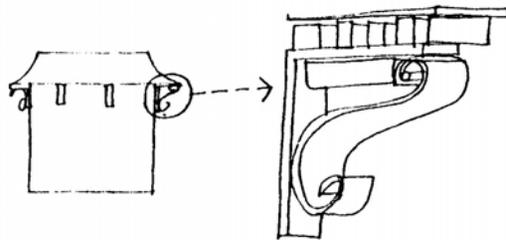
board and batten

a type of wall cladding for woodframe houses, closely spaced, applied boards or sheets of plywood, the joints of which are covered by narrow wood strips.



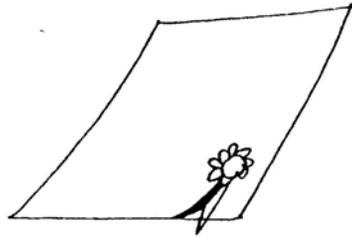
bond

the arrangement of masonry units to provide strength and stability through a setting pattern by lapping units over one another as in brick walks.



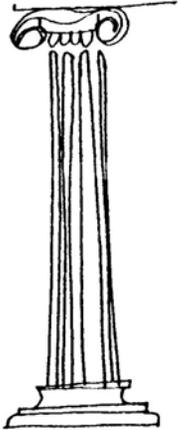
brackets

a small projection, usually with carved ornamentation which supports or appears to support a projecting cornice or lintel.



certificate of appropriateness

in south bend and st. joseph county, this is a permit given by the historic preservation commission stating that they have reviewed the plans for construction, reconstruction, alteration, demolition or moving of any exterior feature of any building, structure or site designated as a landmark, or in an historic district, and the plans show the change will not adversely affect the architectural integrity of the building, nor the buildings surrounding it.



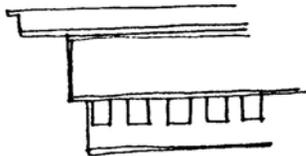
column

in structures, a relatively long, slender structural compression member such as a post, pillar, or strut, usually vertical and supporting a load.



cornice

the upper member of a classical entablature, usually found at the top of a building, marking the roofline.



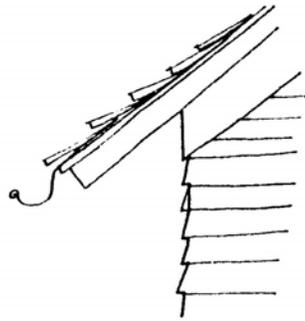
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a block-like projection forming a moulding, especially under cornices.

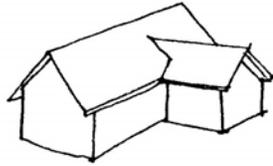


dormer

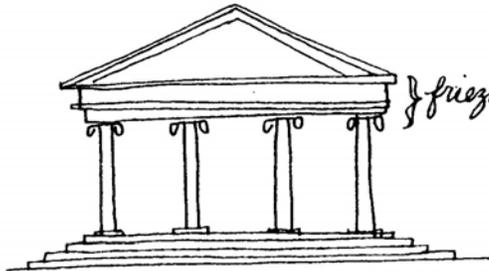
a structure with a roof of its own that projects vertically from a sloping roof, often housing a window or ventilating louver.



eaves



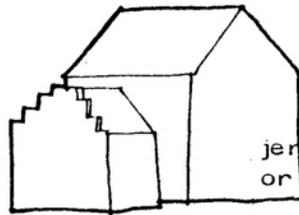
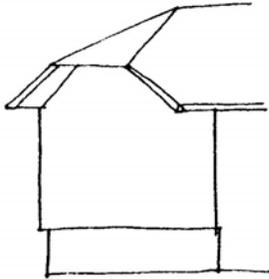
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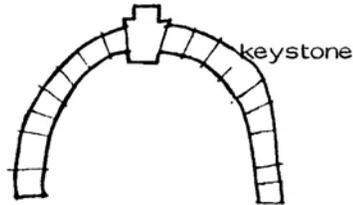
entablature

frieze

gable



jerkinhead
or hipped gable



keystone

the underpart of that part of a sloping roof which overhangs a wall.

a secondary wing or extension of a building at right angles to its principal dimensions.

in classical architecture, the horizontal group of members immediately above the column capitals consisting of an architrave, frieze, and cornice.

the middle section of an entablature, often covered with sculptured decorations.

the triangular upper portion of a wall at the end of a double-sloping roof. It normally has straight sides, but there are variants, such as a step or corbie gable which has stepped edges. Also see Jerkinhead.

the end of a roof when it is formed into a shape intermediate between a gable and a hip; the gable rises about halfway to the ridge, resulting in a truncated shape and the roof inclines backward from this level.

the wedge-shaped piece at the top of an arch.

land use

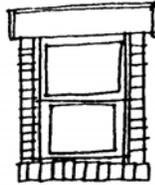
a term generally referring to the use of "police power" techniques to control and guide land-use development. In actual use, the term normally refers to zoning, subdivision regulations and official maps.

landmark



a building, structure, object, area or site of historical and/or aesthetic significance. Many landmarks are given local, state, and national recognition: local landmarks officially designated by historic preservation commissions and city planning commissions; state landmarks officially designated by State Historic Preservation Officers; national landmarks officially designated by the Secretary of the Interior.

lintel



a horizontal beam over an opening which carries the load of the structure above.

local historic district

an area that has a special character or special historical interest or aesthetic interest representing one or more architectural styles or periods that constitutes a district section of the city or county. (1) a local district receives, in South Bend and St. Joseph County, Indiana, an "Historic Preservation Zoning" classification, and before the construction, reconstruction, alteration, demolition, or moving of any exterior



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feature of any building, structure, or site, in the District, the Historic Preservation Commission shall issue a Certificate of Appropriateness.

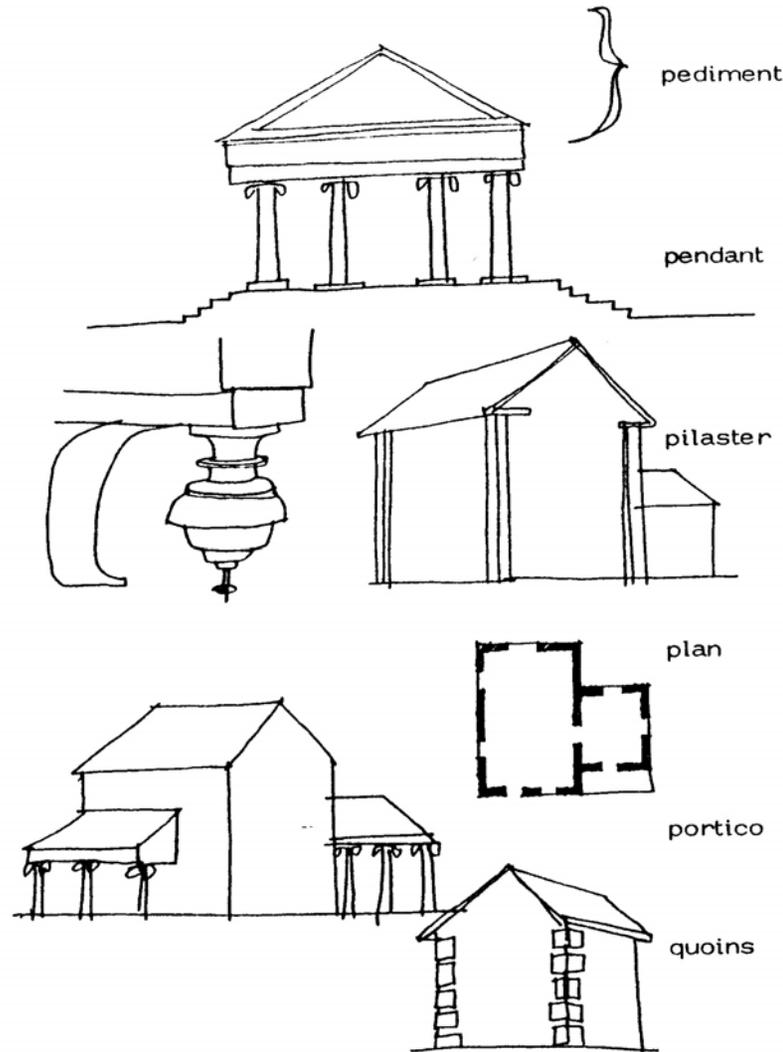
(2) Regulations of local historical districts vary from city to city.

a decorative band or strip of material with a profile. Generally used on cornices and as trim at window or door openings.

those structures, sites, buildings, districts, or objects nationally significant in American History, architecture, archeology or culture, and recognized as such by the Secretary of the Interior.

an historic district listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

the official list of Nation's cultural resources worthy of preservation. The Historic Preservation Act of 1966 states: "The Secretary of the Interior is authorized to expand and maintain a national register of districts, sites, buildings, structures and objects significant in American History, architecture, archeology and culture, hereinafter referred to as the National Register."



the triangular gable end of the roof above the horizontal cornice, especially in classic architecture; a similar form used as decoration over a door, window, portico, etc.

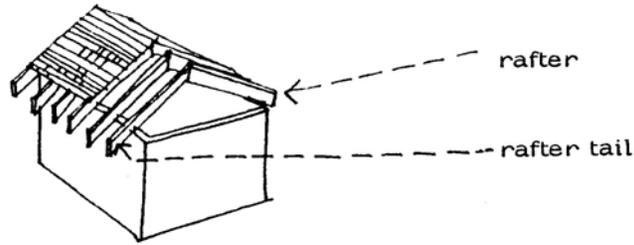
a suspended feature or hanging ornament often used in the vaults of Gothic architecture or as wall and eave decoration for American Eclectic architecture.

a flat-faced or half round column which appears as if embedded in the surrounding wall and which slightly projects from it. A decorative feature that imitates engaged piers but is not a structural element.

a two-dimensional graphic representation of the design, location and dimensions of the project, of parts thereof, seen in a horizontal plan viewed from above.

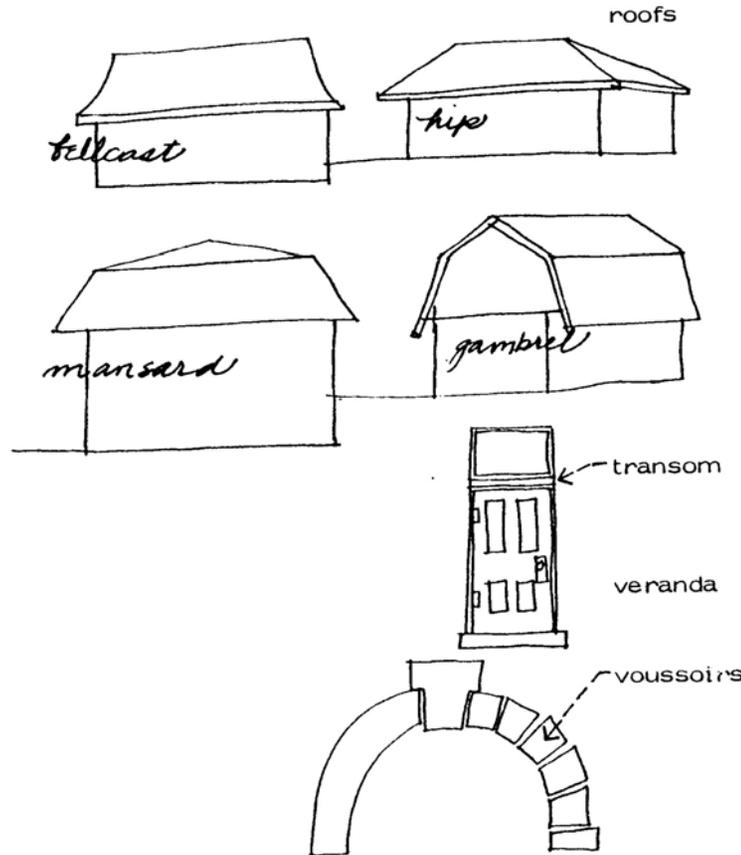
a porch or covered walk consisting of a roof supported by columns; a colonnaded porch.

corner stones of a wall emphasized by size, more formal cutting, more conspicuous jointing or a difference in texture.



one of a series of inclined members to which a roof covering is fixed.

the part of the rafter that overhangs the wall and visible from the exterior of the structure.



bellcast roof is constructed with curved timber trusses and horizontal tie-beams connected by light diagonal lattices of wood.

hipped roof has sloped, rather than vertical ends.

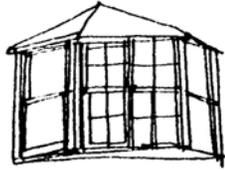
mansard roof which has a double slope, on all four sides, the lower slope being much steeper than the upper.

gambrel - a roof which has a double slope on each of two sides.

a horizontal cross-bar of stone or wood above a window, over a door, or between a door and the window above it.

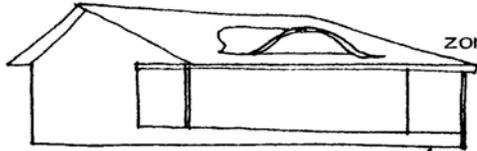
a covered porch or balcony, extending along the outside of a building.

a brick or wedge-shaped stone forming one of the units of an arch.



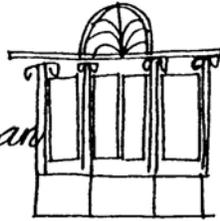
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bay



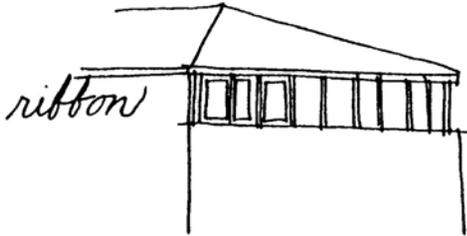
zoning

eyebrow



palladian

local landmarks in south bend, indiana



ribbon

local landmarks in st. joseph county, indiana

an opening in an external wall to admit light and usually air, as done in historic buildings with bays, eyebrows, palladians, and ribbons.

a "police power" measure, enacted primarily by general purpose units of local governments in which the community is divided into districts or zones within which permitted and special uses are established as are regulations governing lot size, building bulk, placement and other development standards. Requirements vary from district to district, but they must be uniform within districts.

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leeper-kline house	113 north shore
firehouse #6	701 portage ave
firehouse #7	803 notre dame
union station	

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