### 5.0 Glossary

### **City Centre District Contemporary Design Terms:**



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#### Market District Traditional Design Terms:



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#### Terms:

**Bulkhead/Kick Plate:** A protective plate located below display windows to protect against damage.

**Columns:** Vertical pillars or posts that either support building weight or act as purely decoration.

**Cornice:** Ornamental horizontal moulding that projects out from the façade – often at the top of a building or top of a storefront.

**Expression Line:** Horizontal elements on the façade (cornice and frieze) used to differentiate between upper and lower floors.

**Fenestration:** The design and placement of windows in a building.

**Frieze:** A horizontal band which runs above doorways and windows and below the cornice. The frieze often forms the background for store signs.

**Glass Etching:** Words or symbols carved or frosted into glass display windows.

**Keystone:** The central stone in the curve of an arch or vault.

**Lintel:** The piece of structure over a door or window opening, which supports the weight of the wall above it. Lintels often project out from the façade to create ornamental decoration.

**Picture/Display Window:** A large, usually single-paned window.

Pilaster: A projecting flat column built into the face of a wall.

**Quoin:** Dressed stones at the corners of buildings.

**Sill:** The piece of the structure under a window or door opening

**Transom Window:** A window set above a door or larger window.