PONTIAC CITY HISTORIC DISTRICT

TUESDAY - DECEMBER 10, 2019 - 6:00 P.M. LION'S DEN - 1st FLOOR 47450 WOODWARD AVENUE - PONTIAC, MICHIGAN

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER:
- 2. ROLL CALL:
- 3. COMMUNICATIONS:
- 4. MINUTES FOR REVIEW: November 12, 2019 Minutes
- 5. HISTORIC DISTRICT REVIEW:
 - 5.1. HDC 19-37

Address 46 N Saginaw
Parcel Number 64-14-29-434-023
Applicant Blue Star Demolition

Historic District Downtown Pontiac Historic District Proposed Application Historic Façade Improvements

5.2. HDC 19-39

Address 402 W. Iroquois
Parcel Number 64-14-31-202-017

Applicant Grennan Construction

Historic District Seminole Hills Historic District Proposed Application Roof Repair and Replacement

- 6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
- 7. NEW BUSINESS:
- 8. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

1	PONTIAC CITY HISTORIC DISTRICT				
2	TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2019, 6:00 P.M.				
3	LION'S DEN, 1ST FLOOR				
4	47450 WOODWARD AVENUE, PONTIAC, MICHIGAN				
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7	BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Chair Rick David				
8	Comm. David Karazim				
9	Comm. Linda Porter				
10	Comm. Kathie Henk				
11	Comm. Ken Burch				
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13	FROM THE CITY: Donovan Smith, City Planner				
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16	ALSO PRESENT:				
17	Nicholas Somberg				
18	Shanti Turner				
19	Hosein Zadafshar				
20	Likwa Williams				
21	Ady Peleg				
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23	TRANSCRIPT PROVIDED BY:				
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1	Pontiac, Michigan
2	Tuesday, November 12, 2019
3	6:03 p.m.
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5	CHAIR DAVID: So I would call the
6	November 12th meeting of the Pontiac Historic District
7	Commission to order.
8	Roll call, please.
9	MR. SMITH: All right. Rick David?
10	CHAIR DAVID: Here.
11	MR. SMITH: Robert Karazim?
12	COMM. KARAZIM: Here.
13	MR. SMITH: Ken Burch?
14	COMM. BURCH: Here.
15	MR. SMITH: Kathie Henk?
16	And Linda Porter?
17	COMM. PORTER: Here.
18	MR. SMITH: All right. We have a quorum.
19	CHAIR DAVID: All right. Next, minutes from
20	last month's meeting. And they were in the packet
21	earlier today or earlier this week.
22	MR. SMITH: They were e-mailed, yes.
23	CHAIR DAVID: E-mailed. I would entertain a
24	motion to accept the minutes as shared.
25	COMM. PORTER: So moved.

Ţ	CHAIR DAVID: Linda Porter.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: Second.
3	CHAIR DAVID: Support by Robert.
4	MR. SMITH: Roll call.
5	CHAIR DAVID: All in favor or do you want
6	to do roll call?
7	MR. SMITH: I'll do a roll call. Rick David?
8	CHAIR DAVID: Yes.
9	MR. SMITH: Robert Karazim?
10	COMM. KARAZIM: No.
11	MR. SMITH: No to not here or no to the
12	minutes?
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Here.
14	MR. SMITH: Oh.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Yes.
16	MR. SMITH: Ken Burch?
17	COMM. BURCH: I'll abstain because I wasn't
18	here last time.
19	MR. SMITH: Kathie Henk?
20	And Linda Porter?
21	COMM. PORTER: Yes.
22	MR. SMITH: Okay.
23	CHAIR DAVID: So now we have $1, 2, 3, 4, 5$.
24	MR. SMITH: Yes.
25	CHAIR DAVID: Five applications. Do you want

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- 2 MR. SMITH: Actually, we're going to jump out 3 of order, just moving 5.3 up.
- 4 CHAIR DAVID: 5.3, first one?
- 5 MR. SMITH: Yes.

I always do, as a preamble, there are historic commissions all across the United States, like the one that you're sharing today. So New York City or Pontiac or whatever town, we're governed -- our rules are by -- the Department of Interior the United States Government has ten areas here that, well, we need to look at and Donovan, then, or people in the Planning Commission -- or Planning Department makes their recommendation based on -- on those ten rules, along with other things that needs to be done. And so that's one thing.

Then the other part is that we're very proud in Pontiac of our historic areas. You know the downtown area. Seminole Hills, people get mixed up between Indian Village and Seminole Hills. But Seminole Hills is, you know, Iriquois and Cherokee and streets on that side, not on the other side. And then the Modern Historic District off Perry, which was a General Motors development, originally. And then Fairgrove, those are some of the areas that we do.

1	And some people move into the areas. Real
2	estate people sell them and they don't tell them
3	exactly, Hey, you have some responsibility in those
4	areas, to if you're remodeling or making changes, to
5	reflect the Department of Interior and what we're
6	trying to do in our work. Amen.
7	MR. SMITH: Thank you.
8	CHAIR DAVID: Donovan, so share with us your
9	point of view and what we need to know on 5.3.
10	MR. SMITH: All right. So the case you have
11	is HDC 19-33 submitted by the Applicant
12	Nicholas Somberg. 601 North Perry is the property in
13	question. And the Applicant is requesting to change or
14	install windows and a door on the front facade of the
15	home.
16	So, in front of you, you do have pictures of
17	a picture from 2008 and then you have a picture of what
18	it is current. So the one with the really vibrant blue
19	background is current. And the other one, which you
20	see the actual windows in the home, is from 2008.
21	So the history to this site is the entire
22	front end of it is actually an add-on. And, if you
23	were to go into the home, the original facade is
24	actually on the inside of the home.

COMM. KARAZIM: So is this like an enclosed

1	porch?
2	MR. SMITH: Yes, it is a very enclosed porch.
3	So, technically, by definition, that porch, the windows
4	and those doors are not historic because they were
5	added on in front of the home.
6	So what the Applicant wants to do is he wants
7	to install vinyl windows, four vinyl windows, two, one
8	on each side of the door, and one on the far end, both
9	sides. And then he wants to install vinyl doors.
10	Correct?
11	MR. SOMBERG: Well, steel.
12	MR. SMITH: Steel doors.
13	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah, like a double French
14	door, where you can see where it's kind of got like a
15	half somebody put an interior door on the exterior.
16	So we'd like to get rid of all that and have a nice
17	double door and then have wood steps that go up and
18	like a little deck just before you enter and after the
19	cement steps that are existing.
20	CHAIR DAVID: Is this in the Modern Historic
21	District?
22	MR. SMITH: It is in the Historic District.
23	However, the reason why we brought it here is because
24	we would permit the installation of the vinyl windows
25	and the door because they're not historic windows

1	coming out. So, as much as it is a review, it's more
2	so also a communication and seeking any additional
3	input into rehab of his house.
4	COMM. BURCH: So it's basically
5	noncontributing, right?
6	MR. SMITH: Yeah, they're noncontributing.
7	COMM. BURCH: In the past, we don't even
8	CHAIR DAVID: So explain "noncontributing".
9	Would you explain "noncontributing" to the people here?
10	MR. SMITH: For the record, noncontributing
11	features are features of historic homes that do not
12	directly affect or are historic features of that home.
13	So this Board, what we do is we vote on changes to the
14	front facade, rear and sides as they relate to windows,
15	the exterior features, roofs, sidings.
16	So, because this addition was added on after
17	the fact and the installation of the windows were also
18	added on after the fact, they are noncontributing
19	non-historic windows.
20	CHAIR DAVID: Additional definition of that
21	is sometime there was an empty lot, the houses were
22	built in 1920 or '30 and this house came in in 1960;
23	that is a noncontributing, that's not part even
24	though it's in the historic district.
25	MR. SMITH: Correct.

T	CHAIR DAVID: Am I correct on that:
2	MR. SMITH: You are correct.
3	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah. Yeah, so that's the
4	other piece of it.
5	So your recommendation is?
6	MR. SMITH: We would be approving the
7	installation of the vinyl windows and front door as
8	proposed.
9	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Anything you'd want to
10	add beyond what was stated?
11	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah. So are you because I
12	see you have a couple pictures here of the sides as
13	well.
14	MR. SMITH: Yes.
15	MR. SOMBERG: And are you okay with us
16	replacing everything with more modern windows?
17	MR. SMITH: So regarding these windows, you
18	will likely have to take these back to the historic
19	features because these are part of the original home.
20	MR. SOMBERG: Okay. I probably should
21	have
22	MR. SMITH: Same for these windows and if you
23	look at your these up here.
24	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah.
25	MR. SMITH: So we are only discussing the

1	windows here because
2	CHAIR DAVID: But it is possible I'd note,
3	that Robert always tries to do this instead of going
4	back twice and paying twice
5	MR. SMITH: He would do it just the once.
6	CHAIR DAVID: you would pay just the one
7	time.
8	MR. SMITH: Yes.
9	CHAIR DAVID: But you know what I'm driving
10	at, Robert?
11	COMM. KARAZIM: Oh, too well, oh, Ricardo, my
12	friend.
13	MR. SOMBERG: Yes, I want to know about
14	those. And, also, if you look at the top, there's
15	actually a door that you can walk out onto the roof.
16	Now, I
17	COMM. BURCH: It's a balcony.
18	MR. SOMBERG: No, I mean, you know, we kind
19	of you know, I've stood out there. It's actually a
20	really nice view. I wouldn't mind, I mean, putting a
21	railing there and kind of making it
22	COMM. BURCH: I don't know if that's
23	MR. SOMBERG: Is it maybe for another
24	another time?
25	MR. SMITH: That would be. Let's go over it.

1	MR. SUMBERG: Team, It's delimitery not a
2	priority. It's a luxury thing, you know. But I think
3	people really enjoy being able to sit up there and
4	watch the cars.
5	MR. SMITH: If you submit the request, I'll
6	review it as such and we can give you a better
7	direction.
8	MR. SOMBERG: Okay. So I'm good on the
9	windows and the door.
10	MR. SMITH: Yes.
11	MR. SOMBERG: Okay. Cool.
12	CHAIR DAVID: So this is a what are your
13	plans for this house?
14	MR. SOMBERG: We've to make it clean,
15	safe
16	CHAIR DAVID: Yes?
17	MR. SOMBERG: restored and rent it out.
18	CHAIR DAVID: Yes.
19	MR. SOMBERG: But there's five units. We
20	just got rid of there was two squatters in there
21	that we just got rid of. We filled up about two
22	40-yard dumpsters full of stuff. So we're making a lot
23	of progress, cleaned up the yard significantly.
24	CHAIR DAVID: I haven't driven by. On either
25	side of the home, what do you see?

1	MR. SOMBERG: On either side?
2	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah.
3	MR. SOMBERG: There's a house to be
4	demolished right here.
5	CHAIR DAVID: Okay.
6	MR. SOMBERG: And I think next there's two in
7	a row to the left that I'd like to maybe look into.
8	And then, to the right, there's another home that's
9	occupied.
10	CHAIR DAVID: That's occupied?
11	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah.
12	CHAIR DAVID: And that is about where? Just
13	give me a geographic.
14	MR. SOMBERG: It's just across the street,
15	it's like on
16	CHAIR DAVID: What's
17	MR. SOMBERG: We're, like, north
18	COMM. BURCH: Right before Joslyn.
19	COMM. PORTER: You aren't that far from
20	Woodward, are you?
21	MR. SOMBERG: We're right see the dot? So
22	we're just north of Glenwood Avenue. We're, like,
23	right at Glenwood and Perry. We're right across from
24	like a PNC Bank.
25	CHAIR DAVID: I see where you are. Okay.

1	Well, great. So you so I would entertain a motion
2	to accept the
3	COMM. KARAZIM: I want to talk about this
4	just for a second.
5	CHAIR DAVID: Okay.
6	(Comm. Henk just entered the meeting.)
7	COMM. KARAZIM: You are clear that the
8	original house windows are to be brought back to real,
9	right, not the porch, the upper deck that we were
10	talking about the sides and all that stuff?
11	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah, well, that's what I I
12	mean, I'm okay with that.
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Okay.
14	MR. SOMBERG: But I thought we were going to
15	come back for you guys to actually tell me exactly what
16	to do.
17	MR. SMITH: We can.
18	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, like Rick was saying,
19	we'll include that in this. So the next time you come
20	in under advice, you're not having to do all that.
21	MR. SMITH: So pull the physical permit and,
22	at that time, we would review the windows he wants to
23	install.
24	COMM. KARAZIM: Let's also include that door
25	in the middle.

Τ.	MR. SOMBERG: Teall. Do we wallt to I gues
2	I would like a deciding on what like so what could
3	I I mean, so I could find something that looks very
4	similar.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, it should be in the
6	wood category, not under the vinyl category or not
7	under the steel category or not under the
8	MR. SOMBERG: Okay.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: It has to be in the wood
10	category. And, if you come up sizes, there's hundreds
11	of these laying around that's probably one of the ones
12	So let us know what size it is.
13	MR. SOMBERG: Okay. I might try to save it.
14	COMM. KARAZIM: Or save it.
15	MR. SOMBERG: Yeah. So am I correct that
16	you're saying every window in the building besides the
17	porch must be
18	COMM. KARAZIM: No, we're saying the ones
19	MR. SOMBERG: That face the road?
20	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah. Everything that faces
21	the road.
22	MR. SMITH: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.
23	COMM. KARAZIM: Technically, we're supposed
24	to with all the windows all the way around the
25	building. But right now we're just considering the

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            facade.
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                      MR. SOMBERG: So, like, Donovan, so like
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            these are on the side of the porch. Those are okay to
           be modern windows?
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                      COMM. KARAZIM: Yes.
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                      CHAIR DAVID: You're not on the corner.
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                      MR. SOMBERG: No.
                      MR. SMITH: So your sides and rears, just
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            submit the permit and we'll review it as such and you
           can use vinyl. On the first floor on the porch, you
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11
            can use vinyl.
                      MR. SOMBERG: Right. But all that stuff --
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                      MR. SMITH: Yes, has to be wood.
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                      COMM. KARAZIM: Think about that because, if
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            you're going to touch the aluminum siding, that brings
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            up a whole nother story.
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                      MR. SOMBERG: Right. Okay.
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                      CHAIR DAVID: All right. Cool.
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                      MR. SOMBERG: Thank you. I'll be in touch.
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            Can I keep this copy?
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                      CHAIR DAVID: Yeah. So I would entertain a
           motion. Would someone like to make a motion?
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                      COMM. KARAZIM: A motion to approve it as
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            described by Donovan.
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                      MR. SMITH: HDC 19-33.
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Τ	COMM. BURCH: Support.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: HDC 19-33.
3	CHAIR DAVID: Ken Burch supports.
4	Any further discussion?
5	All in favor?
6	COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
7	CHAIR DAVID: All opposed? Any abstentions
8	and the reason why?
9	Okay. So you're off and running.
10	MR. SOMBERG: Cool.
11	CHAIR DAVID: Thank you very much.
12	MR. SOMBERG: Thank you.
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Kathie is on the way,
14	Henk (jk.)
15	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Now, Donovan, do you
16	want to go back to the top or what?
17	MR. SMITH: Yes, we're going to go back to
18	the top.
19	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. So we're at oh, we're
20	at 344 West Iriquois. Have you
21	Welcome back.
22	MS. TURNER: Hello.
23	CHAIR DAVID: And your name, again, just for
24	the record.
25	MS. TURNER: Shanti Turner.

1	CHAIR DAVID: And you know all your friends
2	around the table?
3	MS. TURNER: Uh-huh.
4	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. So
5	MR. SMITH: And I would also like to welcome
6	Kathie.
7	CHAIR DAVID: I'm sorry?
8	Oh, yes, Kathie. Sure, sure, welcome Kathie.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: She's on her way (jk).
10	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah, she's on her way. So,
11	Donovan, what do we need to know since the last time we
12	discussed this?
13	MR. SMITH: So, since the last meeting, the
14	decision that was made from that meeting was that the
15	Applicant would need to come back and submit details
16	that show how the deck is being constructed that
17	complies with that was brought back to the house
18	and, ultimately, minimized in size.
19	So what the Applicant has submitted to us is
20	a revised drawing of just that. The deck is reduced to
21	the width of the home or the side of the home. So
22	it does not extend past the side face. She is
23	proposing to reduce the height of the fence from the
24	six-plus that it currently is, reducing it down to the
25	permitted four-foot fence, four-foot privacy fence.

Τ	Included on the second page is a side view
2	that does show the overall height of the deck and its
3	railings. So what will happen, if it is approved at
4	this Board, is she will submit these plans to the
5	Building Department. And then the Building Department
6	will make the determination if the plans comply with
7	their requirements.
8	COMM. BURCH: Donovan, you said the side
9	view. That's the top left?
10	MR. SMITH: The side is yes.
11	COMM. BURCH: Okay.
12	MR. SMITH: Yes.
13	CHAIR DAVID: And your recommendation, as the
14	Department, is what?
15	MR. SMITH: Approval as presented.
16	CHAIR DAVID: Is approval as presented.
17	Okay. So we know the discussion. Is there anything
18	you need to know from the last time and what they've
19	done?
20	So thank you very much for making this
21	presentation.
22	MS. TURNER: You're welcome.
23	CHAIR DAVID: And you hear the Department is
24	recommending to this Commission that it be approved as
25	submitted?

1	MS. TURNER: Okay.
2	CHAIR DAVID: But you have a responsibility
3	to do what next?
4	MR. SMITH: Submit for a building permit to
5	the Building Department.
6	CHAIR DAVID: A building permit to the
7	Building Department.
8	So, if I might, again, I'd entertain a motion
9	to to accept the motion is as read by Donovan.
10	COMM. BURCH: I'll make a motion to approve
11	as presented by Donovan.
12	CHAIR DAVID: Is there support for
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Second.
14	CHAIR DAVID: And Robert seconded it. Is
15	there any further discussion on this?
16	MS. TURNER: I just have a quick question.
17	You said submit a building permit. So like
18	COMM. KARAZIM: They want you that plan
19	that you gave us.
20	MS. TURNER: Like just submit this drawing?
21	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
22	MS. TURNER: Or, like, do I have to pay the
23	fee and everything again.
24	MR. SMITH: Yeah. No, you won't have to pay
25	it again. So, if you did a building permit before, we

Τ	would include it with that one. So we might make it
2	the revised building permit.
3	MS. TURNER: Okay.
4	MR. SMITH: But we can follow up tomorrow.
5	MS. TURNER: Okay.
6	MR. SMITH: And I'll let you know. Because
7	I'm just not looking at the system right now.
8	MS. TURNER: Okay. Would that be, like, a
9	time frame or whatnot because now with the snow
10	MR. SMITH: It's winter.
11	MS. TURNER: Yeah.
12	MR. SMITH: So it's a six-month permit. But
13	then, when you come back, if it's not done in six
14	months, we can give you an extension.
15	MS. TURNER: Okay.
16	COMM. KARAZIM: Thank you.
17	MS. TURNER: All right. Thank you.
18	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. So did we vote?
19	COMM. BURCH: No, we didn't vote.
20	MR. SMITH: We did not vote yet.
21	CHAIR DAVID: So all in favor of the motion?
22	COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
23	CHAIR DAVID: Opposed?
24	Any abstentions and the reason why?
25	MR. SMITH: So moved.

Τ	CHAIR DAVID: So moved. Thank you very much
2	MS. TURNER: Thank you.
3	MR. SMITH: Thank you, Shanti.
4	MS. TURNER: You guys have a good day.
5	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Next is 358 West
6	Iroquois, the new garage construction. Are the
7	whoever's doing that, are you here?
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I'm here.
9	CHAIR DAVID: Can you come up to the table,
10	please.
11	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Sure.
12	CHAIR DAVID: Or pull a chair up or whatever
13	MR. SMITH: There's a seat over here, too.
14	Give me one second, everybody.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: We've seen you here before,
16	haven't we?
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No.
18	COMM. KARAZIM: Okay.
19	MR. ZADAFSHAR: First time here.
20	CHAIR DAVID: So you heard what happens is
21	that Donovan will make a presentation and a
22	recommendation of the Department, then you have the
23	opportunity to make any comments about it.
24	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Okay.
25	CHAIR DAVID: And we react to it.

1	MR. ZADAFSHAR: All right.
2	CHAIR DAVID: So, Donovan, go ahead.
3	MR. SMITH: All right. So the case we have
4	now is HDC 19-32. And this is for 358 West Iroquois.
5	The Applicant, sometime early, I would say, August,
6	demolished the existing garage at 358 West Iroquois
7	COMM. BURCH: This was the existing.
8	MR. SMITH: That was the existing garage,
9	yes.
10	in plight that it was falling apart and
11	that it needs to come down. He did demolish the garage
12	without a permit. However, he has made application,
13	since then, to build a new garage in its place.
14	So what you have here is the other image that
15	shows as it is right now. So, because it's a historic
16	district and we're building new accessory structures
17	that are street-facing on his side yard, we need
18	approval.
19	In your packets are the plans he wishes to
20	submit to the Building Department that outline how he
21	wishes to construct it. As submitted, it does comply
22	with all setback size and Zoning Ordinance
23	requirements.
24	So it is up to this Board to either approve
2.5	the construction of the garage or to deny the

1	construction of the garage.
2	CHAIR DAVID: And your recommendation is?
3	MR. SMITH: Our recommendation is for
4	approval of the new construction of the garage as
5	presented.
6	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Because it fits all of
7	the
8	MR. SMITH: Zoning Ordinance and Historic
9	District requirements.
10	CHAIR DAVID: Any questions for Donovan,
11	first, before we move on?
12	COMM. BURCH: And it falls in line with the
13	house, with the home.
14	COMM. HENK: Well, what is it going to look
15	like?
16	MR. SMITH: So it should be
17	COMM. HENK: Is this it?
18	Oh, this is it here?
19	MR. SMITH: Yes.
20	COMM. HENK: Is that glass block?
21	MR. SMITH: No, that's the garage door and
22	the side door.
23	COMM. KARAZIM: Kathie?
24	COMM. HENK: One more page.
2.5	COMM. BURCH: What's the house look like?

1	MR. SMITH: There are no pictures of the
2	house. Might be my mistake of not including the house
3	in it.
4	CHAIR DAVID: When was the house built?
5	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I'm not sure when it was
6	built but it's like around 1960s that it was built.
7	CHAIR DAVID: 1960?
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yeah.
9	CHAIR DAVID: So is that in the Historic
10	District, is that another house that would be
11	considered noncontributing?
12	MR. SMITH: Let's see.
13	CHAIR DAVID: It doesn't say anything bad
14	about your home.
15	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No, no, that's fine.
16	CHAIR DAVID: It's just the rules.
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It's just the garage, the
18	garage was falling apart and it was unsafe to keep it.
19	MR. SMITH: This is actually across the
20	street.
21	MR. ZADAFSHAR: This is going to be exactly
22	the same garage, just
23	CHAIR DAVID: Oh, it's right there.
24	MR. SMITH: Is that stucco on the outside of
25	the home?

1	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The outside of the house is a
2	stucco, yes.
3	MR. SMITH: It's a white stucco, correct?
4	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I'm sorry?
5	MR. SMITH: A white stucco.
6	COMM. KARAZIM: Yes.
7	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
8	MR. SMITH: All the way around?
9	MR. ZADAFSHAR: All the way around.
10	MR. SMITH: Would the garage also be white?
11	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The garage would be white but
12	it would be the same as it was before. It wouldn't be
13	stucco.
14	MR. SMITH: It was stucco?
15	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It was not stucco.
16	MR. SMITH: It was not stucco?
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No.
18	COMM. KARAZIM: This house?
19	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Neither one of them. That
20	one right there.
21	COMM. BURCH: Is this the original garage or
22	was this built later?
23	MR. SMITH: I don't know if that was the
24	original garage.
25	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It was built later.

1	MR. SMITH: It was built later.
2	COMM. HENK: So are you going to do it white
3	and the same color roof?
4	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The same color roof as the
5	house but it would be white.
6	COMM. HENK: A white building and the same
7	colored roof?
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Do you have a picture do
10	you have a picture of the original garage?
11	Did it have the same hip on it as the main
12	roof?
13	MR. SMITH: This wasn't the original. This
14	was a rebuilt after the fact. But that is what is
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Because the house has the
16	hips.
17	MR. SMITH: And I believe the hip was not in
18	their submitted plans.
19	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
20	CHAIR DAVID: So, team, any thoughts on the
21	recommendation that Donovan is bringing forward?
22	COMM. KARAZIM: I I'd like to ask a couple
23	questions.
24	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Sure.
25	COMM. KARAZIM: Why could we get you to

1	match the house? Because that's what the original
2	would have been.
3	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I wouldn't do that because
4	stucco is not good for this environment.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: We're talking about the roof.
6	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Oh, you mean the pitch on the
7	roof?
8	MR. SMITH: Yeah, the hip.
9	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The pitch on the roof, I
10	could do that. Match the house or match what it was
11	before?
12	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, since you tore it down,
13	you have to match the house.
14	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I don't know how the house
15	going to look like. Is it if it's feasible or not,
16	I'm not sure.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: Could I borrow your pen?
18	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Can I
19	COMM. KARAZIM: The house has a roof that
20	looks like this.
21	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Oh, okay. I see what you're
22	saying.
23	COMM. KARAZIM: See the pan on the side?
24	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yeah.
25	COMM. KARAZIM: And see the pan on your front

1	porch?
2	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
3	COMM. KARAZIM: So your garage would have the
4	same thing.
5	MR. ZADAFSHAR: I wouldn't think I would do
6	that.
7	COMM. KARAZIM: You would?
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No, I would not. It's I'd
9	rather not have a garage done, making it really fancy
10	like that. It's pretty hard to build that.
11	COMM. KARAZIM: It's just trusses. It's
12	nothing different.
13	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Unfortunately, it's all cost
14	on everything.
15	MR. SMITH: Where are you getting the garage
16	from?
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Menards.
18	MR. SMITH: Menards?
19	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
20	MR. SMITH: You're doing a prefab?
21	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: What do you want to do, guys?
23	COMM. HENK: Do we just approve it?
24	CHAIR DAVID: So the issue is what do you
25	see the issue being, Robert?

1	COMM. KARAZIM: Technically, he's supposed to
2	build it the way it should have been, and then the
3	house and garage would have matched. It wouldn't have
4	been, you know, apples and oranges.
5	MR. SMITH: The challenge would be, without
6	pictorial reference, you necessarily can't hold him to
7	building it exactly that way because we don't exactly
8	know if it was constructed in that fashion.
9	And, seeing how this is a noncontributing
10	garage, it was built after the original garage was
11	constructed, this being the third iteration of it, we
12	can't force him to go back to what we assume is the
13	correct historic style of the accessory structure.
14	COMM. BURCH: I'm also looking at an aerial
15	view of the house and it looks like you can't really
16	put the garage with the house. You know what I mean?
17	It's like the garage is on the side street.
18	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It is on the side of the
19	street, yes.
20	COMM. HENK: So what when you see this
21	garage, are you seeing it from here; where are you
22	seeing it from?
23	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The from at that street
24	right there.
25	COMM. HENK: This street?

1	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No.	
2	COMM. HENK: This street?	
3	MR. ZADAFSHAR: There is a street over	here.
4	COMM. HENK: Okay.	
5	MR. ZADAFSHAR: And that's the front of	of the
6	house.	
7	COMM. HENK: This is Iriquois here.	
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: That's Iriquois.	
9	COMM. HENK: So you're on the corner?	
10	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.	
11	MR. SMITH: So it's on the side street	
12	COMM. HENK: And is the driveway on the	ne side?
13	MR. SMITH: Yes.	
14	COMM. HENK: Okay. And the pitch is t	his
15	way.	
16	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Pitches would be exact	lly the
17	same as	
18	COMM. HENK: So that's the front.	
19	MR. SMITH: Correct.	
20	COMM. HENK: So you're really not see	.ng]
21	hear what you're saying.	
22	MR. SMITH: What you see from the stre	et.
23	COMM. KARAZIM: I don't care. That's	the
24	rules. You know, let's make this	
25	CHAIR DAVID: So I would entertain a r	notion.

1	You heard the recommendation. You heard the
2	discussion. Is there I would entertain a motion.
3	COMM. KARAZIM: I'll I'll put in a motion.
4	Let's approve as designed except for I want you to
5	match the roof pitch.
6	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Similar to the the house?
7	COMM. KARAZIM: The pitch of the roof.
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Okay. Pitch of the roof to
9	be higher than what's
10	COMM. KARAZIM: Whatever the house is, the
11	garage is.
12	MR. SMITH: The design of the pitch of the
13	roof, he's asking that it match.
14	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Match the design of the
15	house?
16	COMM. KARAZIM: See this pitch right here?
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yeah.
18	MR. SMITH: Whatever your house pitch is.
19	COMM. BURCH: So is pitch is not that high?
20	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It's not high. It's almost
21	the same.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Whatever the house is.
23	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yeah, it's almost the same.
24	It's four do I have that? I don't have that in
25	front of me. It's actually

1	MR. SMITH: Your pitch is a
2	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It should be on the second or
3	third page of that.
4	MR. SMITH: One-and-a-half by four-inch
5	pitch?
6	COMM. KARAZIM: A 4/12; is that what you're
7	telling me?
8	MR. ZADAFSHAR: 4/12 makes sense.
9	MR. SMITH: 4/12?
10	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Yes.
11	COMM. HENK: Gable roof 6/12 pitch, it says
12	right here.
13	CHAIR DAVID: Are you saying Menards has
14	has different
15	MR. ZADAFSHAR: No, it's it is what comes,
16	the way it comes, yeah, with the pitch and everything.
17	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah.
18	MR. SMITH: Are you asking that the hit
19	matches or the pitch matches?
20	COMM. KARAZIM: Just the pitch.
21	MR. SMITH: Just the pitch.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
23	MR. SMITH: Okay.
24	MR. ZADAFSHAR: It is pretty much similar.
25	If you were to look at the what the picture of the

1	roof is.
2	MR. SMITH: Well
3	MR. ZADAFSHAR: From the existing house. It
4	cannot be exactly the same but it is very similar.
5	CHAIR DAVID: "Similar" meaning?
6	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Similar means it could be
7	like about maybe it's 6 by 12 right now, that is the
8	proposal.
9	MS. HENK: 6/12, yeah.
10	CHAIR DAVID: 6/12. It could be like maybe 5
11	or it could be 5 by 12 or something like that or
12	5 1/2 a half by 12. That could
13	MR. SMITH: But what we don't know
14	MR. ZADAFSHAR: We are very close but we are
15	not exact.
16	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah. Can you live with that,
17	Robert?
18	MR. SMITH: What's your motion?
19	COMM. KARAZIM: Motion is match the pitch of
20	the house. Accept it as-is but match the pitch of the
21	house.
22	MR. SMITH: But we don't know the pitch of
23	the house.
24	COMM. KARAZIM: Okay. Do you want to
25	postpone it until next month?

1	MR. SMITH: I would rather not.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: Then what do you want to do?
3	MR. SMITH: Approve it as-is.
4	COMM. KARAZIM: No.
5	CHAIR DAVID: Well, we can vote on the motion
6	and we can vote it down or up. So you heard the
7	discussion. So was there a second is to his motion?
8	No. So, if we don't hear a second, it would
9	die. Am I correct on that?
10	MR. SMITH: Yeah.
11	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Do I hear a second?
12	Okay. Thank you. Is there I would entertain a
13	motion, then, to react to Donovan's proposal.
14	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Okay. Thank you.
15	COMM. HENK: I think well, we didn't make
16	a motion.
17	MR. ZADAFSHAR: Oh, sorry.
18	COMM. HENK: I'll make a motion that we
19	should approve because we don't have a picture of what
20	it looked like before and we don't know what the pitch
21	of the roof is now. If it's only a half pitch off, I
22	mean, is it going to make that big of a difference if
23	it's on the backside of the house?
24	COMM. KARAZIM: Faces the street.
25	COMM. HENK: Well, that's true. But the

1	nouse race this way. So you have your pitch this way.
2	And the garage faces this way, so your pitch is this
3	way.
4	CHAIR DAVID: So
5	COMM. HENK: I don't know.
6	CHAIR DAVID: Did you make a motion?
7	COMM. HENK: I'll make a motion we approve.
8	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Is there support of that
9	motion?
10	COMM. PORTER: I'll support.
11	CHAIR DAVID: Linda supported. Any further
12	discussion on the motion, as presented by Kathie?
13	COMM. BURCH: She wants us to approve it, is
14	it?
15	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah.
16	COMM. BURCH: Okay.
17	CHAIR DAVID: Any further discussion?
18	COMM. BURCH: I have one question.
19	CHAIR DAVID: Yes.
20	COMM. BURCH: Is there anything in regards to
21	the garage that makes it similar to the house?
22	COMM. HENK: The color and the roof.
23	MR. ZADAFSHAR: The color of the roof, yes
24	and the
25	COMM. HENK: The white garage and the roof is

1	the same (COLOI.
2		COMM. BURCH: What about any of the
3	architect	ural features?
4		MR. ZADAFSHAR: There are no architectural
5	features.	It's just a simple garage with a white door
6	and	
7		CHAIR DAVID: Well, okay. Are we are we
8	ready for	so all in favor, indicate by saying "aye"
9		COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
10		MR. SMITH: I think we should do a roll call
11		CHAIR DAVID: Roll call. Do a roll call,
12	then.	
13		MR. SMITH: Rick David?
14		CHAIR DAVID: Aye.
15		MR. SMITH: Robert Karazim?
16		COMM. KARAZIM: No.
17		MR. SMITH: Ken Burch?
18		COMM. BURCH: No.
19		MR. SMITH: Kathie Henk?
20		COMM. HENK: Yes.
21		MR. SMITH: Linda Porter?
22		COMM. PORTER: Yes.
23		MR. SMITH: Passes. All right.
24	Congratula	ations.
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MR. ZADAFSHAR: All right. Thank you.

Τ.	CHAIR DAVID: Next IS 94 NOICH Glehwood. IS
2	that the next one?
3	MR. SMITH: Yes. 94 North Glenwood.
4	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. You're here?
5	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes, sir. And I just wanted
6	to make a correction. For the door replacement, it was
7	just actually that front picture window replacement, no
8	door replacement. I just wanted to make that
9	correction, please. Thank you.
10	COMM. HENK: Are you going to replace the
11	door at some point?
12	MR. WILLIAMS: No, ma'am. No, no, no.
13	COMM. HENK: I was going to say, you could
14	leave it.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: So the house is contributing
16	and it is not 1960s.
17	MR. SMITH: Oh. The one we just did?
18	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
19	COMM. BURCH: Was it more like the '20s?
20	MR. SMITH: I didn't say the house wasn't. I
21	said the garage. This iteration of the garage was not.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: That was a mistake. That was
23	a mistake.
24	MS. HENK: Whatever. If the original garage
25	had been if he had torn

Ţ	COMM. KARAZIM: It's up to nim to prove what
2	the original garage was or wasn't. He tore it down
3	without a permit. It's up to him to provide the
4	information, not for us to decide whether it was or
5	wasn't.
6	COMM. KARAZIM: He didn't tear the original
7	garage down.
8	COMM. HENK: Right. He didn't tear the
9	original garage down.
10	COMM. KARAZIM: It doesn't matter. The last
11	person just sat here. They tore the deck off. But, if
12	they left it on, they could have just rebuilt it. But,
13	no, we made them tear the whole thing down and rebuild
14	the whole thing because it didn't conform. And now we
15	just said okay, we don't care.
16	MS. HENK: No.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: We just did this. We just
18	did this.
19	COMM. HENK: If it had been the original
20	garage, we would have just did this. But it wasn't the
21	original garage.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: It doesn't matter. The
23	original garage would have been under rebuild or
24	replace but they removed it.

MR. SMITH: They didn't remove the original

1	garage.
2	COMM. HENK: No, he removed the second
3	generation garage.
4	MR. SMITH: He removed the second garage.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: It doesn't matter. If he had
6	left it, then that would have been a rebuild and we
7	could have rebuilt it the same way.
8	MR. SMITH: I'm not seeing it that way.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: I know you're not. But we
10	just did that with the deck right here. They did
11	they re they didn't rebuild the deck, they tore it
12	off.
13	MR. SMITH: Correct.
14	COMM. KARAZIM: And made it different, we
15	said no.
16	MR. SMITH: But they constructed it
17	COMM. KARAZIM: But, if they had left it
18	there, they could have rebuilt it.
19	COMM. BURCH: Well, one thing, we had this
20	in-service recently. And the lady that came down,
21	didn't she say something to the effect of if you're
22	going to build a structure and it's not attached to the
23	house, that you don't want to have it to, basically,
24	fool the public, like it was built.

MR. SMITH: A historic structure. Because it

1	misleads the historic homes.
2	COMM. BURCH: Exactly. Because, as years go
3	on, people may think it's historic and it is not.
4	MR. SMITH: Correct. So, if we would have
5	asked that it be wrapped in stucco and
6	COMM. BURCH: Right.
7	MR. SMITH: you know, required that it
8	matches the exact home, that would tell a misleading
9	story
10	COMM. BURCH: Right.
11	MR. SMITH: in how that garage got there
12	COMM. BURCH: Right.
13	MR. SMITH: So that was one of the reasons
14	why we wouldn't say you have to make it look historic.
15	COMM. BURCH: Right.
16	MR. SMITH: Because it is not historic.
17	COMM. BURCH: Because it's a separate
18	structure.
19	MR. SMITH: Yes.
20	CHAIR DAVID: Then I think we've had a good
21	discussion so we'll move on to. Okay. And so,
22	Donovan, if you would go through your information?
23	MR. SMITH: HDC 19-34. So you do have the
24	image in front of you, the Applicant is here. He
25	wishes to replace two windows correct me if I'm

1	wrong.
2	MR. WILLIAMS: So you said the one that we
3	needed to worry about was the one that was on the
4	front.
5	MR. SMITH: Yes.
6	MR. WILLIAMS: Facing the street. So that
7	would be that picture window that you guys have right
8	there.
9	MR. SMITH: To the left of the front door?
10	MR. WILLIAMS: Correct. Exactly, yes.
11	MR. SMITH: Then you have the glass block
12	window on the side, correct?
13	MR. WILLIAMS: That's in the rear side street
14	of the home, which is on that side street there right
15	off of Glenwood.
16	MR. SMITH: Now, the glass block was to be
17	replaced with another glass block?
18	MR. WILLIAMS: Correct, absolutely.
19	MR. SMITH: So that would be a like-for-like,
20	which we would permit.
21	MR. WILLIAMS: Okay.
22	MR. SMITH: And then on the front of the
23	home, he wants to replace the double hung
24	MR. WILLIAMS: Well, actually, I'm sorry.
25	It's a quarter half quarter slider that's on the front.

Τ	MR. SMITH: Correct.
2	MR. WILLIAMS: That's right there. And
3	that's what they had. That's the older vinyl window
4	that they had. So what we basically wanted to do, you
5	know, apples-for-apples.
6	MR. SMITH: And you're saying it is vinyl
7	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes, it is, correct. And I
8	did an up-close where you guys could get a better
9	MR. SMITH: Here's some more pictures.
10	CHAIR DAVID: Where is this in, what
11	where?
12	MR. SMITH: It's on the fringe of GM Modern
13	Housing.
14	COMM. BURCH: By the gas station?
15	MR. SMITH: If you make a left at that gas
16	station and you go up maybe two, three blocks.
17	COMM. BURCH: Stay to the right.
18	MR. WILLIAMS: Stay to the right, yes.
19	MR. SMITH: Yes. It's on the right.
20	MS. TURNER: And it's a corner house.
21	COMM. HENK: And it's in Modern Housing?
22	MR. SMITH: Our system says it's historic.
23	CHAIR DAVID: I don't know if it's a what
24	do you hear him saying, Kathie? So I'm going down
25	Perry.

1	COMM. BURCH: Turn left at the gas station.
2	MR. SMITH: At the gas station, make a left.
3	CHAIR DAVID: At the gas station, towards
4	Rundell or whatever?
5	MR. SMITH: Yeah.
6	CHAIR DAVID: The former police station,
7	right?
8	MR. SMITH: Yes. So past the police station
9	and still on the right.
10	CHAIR DAVID: Oh, okay. It's at the end of
11	Oliver-ish Place.
12	MR. SMITH: It's at the edge.
13	CHAIR DAVID: At the edge of it?
14	MR. SMITH: Yes.
15	CHAIR DAVID: That we walked around, I think,
16	there, Robert, in that area, probably.
17	Do you classify yourself in the Modern
18	Historic District.
19	MS. TURNER: Do I'm sorry. Do I classify?
20	Well, so here's the thing. I'm with OnSite
21	Solutions. So we're general contractors and we're
22	doing the work on behalf of Venture. So they've been
23	giving out the grants to homeowners in the Pontiac
24	community. So we've been kind of coming in. And I
25	work with Donovan and the Building Department, just to

1	pull permits. So this was kind of unknown to me, that
2	this was in the historic district. So I'm just trying
3	to
4	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah, I hear you. Thank you.
5	COMM. BURCH: But you're asking to replace it
6	with the same window?
7	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes, we'd like to
8	MR. SMITH: Vinyl for vinyl?
9	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes.
10	MR. SMITH: Would you maintain the
11	half-quarter pattern?
12	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes, absolutely. We're not
13	changing anything. Exactly. Because we want to keep
14	the same footprint.
15	CHAIR DAVID: And your recommendation,
16	Donovan?
17	MR. SMITH: Approval of the vinyl window
18	replacement. And he must maintain the quarter
19	half-quarter configuration in the window.
20	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. And you've made
21	additional comments. Is there anything else you'd like
22	to mention before we have a discussion here?
23	MR. WILLIAMS: No.
24	COMM. HENK: Is there another window?
25	MR. WILLIAMS: That window isn't getting

1	replaced.
2	COMM. HENK: Oh.
3	MR. WILLIAMS: No, ma'am. No, that was
4	just I took multiple shots, that's all.
5	COMM. HENK: Okay. So you're going to
6	replace this one but not that one?
7	MR. WILLIAMS: Correct.
8	COMM. HENK: Are they both going to look the
9	same when you replace them?
10	MR. WILLIAMS: Yes. Because she actually has
11	the whole home is all vinyl windows, the whole home.
12	COMM. HENK: But, I mean, the pattern of
13	this, this is the same as the pattern of this?
14	MR. WILLIAMS: These are all sliders. So
15	this is actually a smaller window excuse me reach.
16	But this is a smaller window than this one. Because
17	this is that main picture window in the front. So this
18	would be technically the largest window on the home.
19	But they all are sliders. Let me be clear on that.
20	And they all are vinyl, preexisting.
21	COMM. HENK: So they all have that half?
22	MR. WILLIAMS: They either have it's
23	either a half, you know, half and half or, with this
24	one in particular, it's a quarter half-quarter.
25	COMM. HENK: Got you.

1	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. So you've heard
2	Donovan's presentation and the comments from the
3	construction area. I'd entertain a motion on this
4	topic.
5	COMM. PORTER: I move that we approve as
6	Donovan suggested.
7	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Is there support for
8	that motion?
9	COMM. HENK: Okay support it. But I don't
10	really feel like it should be here. That's just my own
11	opinion.
12	MR. SMITH: It was another one of those
13	communication and reviews. So we would have approved
14	it as is put. But, because it was vinyl currently,
15	we're asking for approval. We're also letting you know
16	we're doing vinyl-for-vinyl.
17	COMM. HENK: Okay.
18	MR. SMITH: Because we don't do many
19	vinyl-for-vinyls. So, if I think it may cause an
20	issue, I try to bring it to share.
21	COMM. HENK: Okay.
22	MR. SMITH: But we can make a motion to make
23	the decision you want to make.
24	CHAIR DAVID: So we have a motion to support
25	the recommendation of the Planning Department.

1	MS. HENK: Support.
2	CHAIR DAVID: Any further discussion?
3	All in favor, indicate by saying "aye".
4	COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
5	CHAIR DAVID: Opposed?
6	Any abstentions and the reason why?
7	Okay.
8	COMM. HENK: Do you abstain, Robert?
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, I'm abstaining.
10	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. We're good.
11	MR. WILLIAMS: Okay. I appreciate your time,
12	everybody. Have a good evening.
13	CHAIR DAVID: Thanks a lot.
14	Linda, did you have a comment?
15	COMM. PORTER: Robert's abstaining. But why?
16	COMM. KARAZIM: We'll talk about it after the
17	meeting.
18	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. Next we have another
19	Modern Historic District home.
20	MR. PELEG: Hello.
21	CHAIR DAVID: Welcome.
22	MR. PELEG: Ady Peleg. Nice to meet
23	everybody.
24	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah, yeah, yeah. So this is
25	the oh, wow, this is going to take some work.

1	MR. SMITH: I'll cake the images back.
2	CHAIR DAVID: How long have you had this
3	home?
4	MR. PELEG: We've had this home since the
5	land auction.
6	CHAIR DAVID: The what auction?
7	MR. PELEG: The land auction.
8	CHAIR DAVID: Here in August?
9	MR. PELEG: No, not August.
10	CHAIR DAVID: Or October?
11	MR. PELEG: The July land auction.
12	CHAIR DAVID: July, yeah.
13	MR. PELEG: July of last year.
14	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah. Okay.
15	MR. SMITH: All right.
16	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. And so let's hear the
17	Planning Department's point of view.
18	MR. SMITH: All right. So case HDC 19-35,
19	149 Oliver submitted by Ady Peleg. He is requesting to
20	replace windows on the front side elevation and rear
21	elevations. The windows on the rear, the side and, if
22	you look at the image in front of you, the second floor
23	on the front, were replaced without permits and are
24	currently installed. So he is requesting to replace
25	the front two windows on the first floor However I

1	am also adding that the windows that he illegally
2	replaced on the second floor front facade be returned
3	back to wood windows.
4	COMM. BURCH: So the entire front would be
5	wood?
6	MR. SMITH: The entire front would be wood
7	windows. Even though he did replace the rear and sides
8	prior to this approval they would be permitted, going
9	from wood to vinyl. So that is the review. Our
10	recommendation is for approval with the condition that
11	the front windows be replaced with wood.
12	CHAIR DAVID: I didn't read the and it's
13	supported by what area of the Department of Interior?
14	Is there
15	MR. SMITH: Yes.
16	CHAIR DAVID: Kindly go through that.
17	MR. SMITH: Yeah.
18	COMM. HENK: Donovan, is that the
19	configuration of that original window, do we know?
20	COMM. KARAZIM: It would have been two
21	singles.
22	COMM. HENK: Two singles this way.
23	MR. PELEG: And just to say that I when I
24	did this, I wasn't aware that I had to get a permit.
25	So

1	COMM. BURCH: So this is considered two
2	singles, right?
3	COMM. HENK: No.
4	COMM. BURCH: It's not?
5	COMM. HENK: No. Two singles wouldn't open,
6	right?
7	COMM. KARAZIM: They were double-hungs.
8	COMM. BURCH: Two double-hungs?
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
10	COMM. HENK: Is that what that is?
11	COMM. KARAZIM: I can't tell.
12	MR. PELEG: Those are double-hungs.
13	COMM. HENK: So it would be the same look?
14	COMM. BURCH: Except would be wood. What
15	about any panes?
16	COMM. KARAZIM: I don't know. You can pull
17	it up on the pull it up and look down the street
18	because this is a very typical
19	MR. PELEG: Yeah. There's some other homes.
20	And I have to tell you that the only reason I wasn't
21	aware of this is because every home on that street has
22	vinyl windows, just like the home that we're working
23	on. So I would say that I was unaware. But, just
24	meaning, clearly, I didn't realize it's the entirety of
25	the keeping the historical.

1	MR. SMITH: I'm trying to find a similar one.
2	CHAIR DAVID: So you've heard the
3	recommendation of the Planning Department. Is there
4	I'd entertain a motion to react to that motion to
5	his recommendation.
6	MR. SMITH: That looks like almost the exact
7	same.
8	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, I can't tell, though,
9	about the windows.
10	MR. PELEG: Yeah, they're the same.
11	COMM. KARAZIM: I know some of them, the tops
12	were divided.
13	MR. SMITH: See if you can find another one.
14	COMM. HENK: Did you pull the original window
15	out?
16	Do you still have it?
17	MR. PELEG: I believe everything was trashed.
18	I'd be glad to bring it back to the condition that it
19	was. It's not a problem.
20	COMM. KARAZIM: Oh, cool.
21	CHAIR DAVID: You heard the comments, then?
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Was the top divided or was it
23	plain?
24	Did it have bars in the window or did it
25	MR. PELEG: No, it did not have bars.

1	COMM. KARAZIM: Just a big open glass?
2	MR. PELEG: It was actually very similar to
3	the porch windows.
4	MR. SMITH: I'm able to go back and get two,
5	three years back, a photo of the front of that home and
6	then he would have to match those windows.
7	MR. PELEG: Yeah, that's fine. I'd be glad
8	to.
9	CHAIR DAVID: Okay.
10	MR. SMITH: So I'll just reiterate the
11	recommendation.
12	CHAIR DAVID: Yes, please.
13	MR. SMITH: The recommendation is for
14	approval of replacement of rear and side vinyl windows.
15	The windows in the front elevation must maintain the
16	existing grid pattern and wood materials.
17	COMM. HENK: Of the original in this case?
18	MR. SMITH: Of the original, yes.
19	MR. PELEG: Yes. And then we'd have six
20	months as well to
21	MR. SMITH: Actually, that's the Building
22	Department. That's separate from this.
23	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. I'd entertain a
24	motion
25	COMM. HENK: That

1	CHAIR DAVID: to accept it as offered by
2	the Planning Department.
3	COMM. HENK: Yes.
4	CHAIR DAVID: Is there support for is
5	there support for that motion?
6	COMM. PORTER: I can.
7	CHAIR DAVID: Linda. Okay. Is there any
8	further discussion on the motion?
9	Okay. All in favor, say "aye".
10	COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
11	CHAIR DAVID: Opposed, say "nay".
12	Any abstentions and the reason why?
13	MR. SMITH: Okay. Thank you.
14	MR. PELEG: Thank you very much, everyone.
15	Have a good evening.
16	COMM. HENK: Thank you. Are you going to
17	replace that door?
18	MR. PELEG: The door?
19	COMM. HENK: Yeah.
20	MR. SMITH: The front door?
21	COMM. HENK: I'm just thinking, if he's here.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, that's supposed to be a
23	porch.
24	COMM. HENK: What was it, a screened
25	COMM. KARAZIM: A screened-in porch.

1	Actually, it wasn't even screened in.
2	MR. PELEG: We purchased the home this way.
3	CHAIR DAVID: Any plans for the home?
4	MR. PELEG: Yes, plans are to bring it back.
5	It will be to be painted in the springtime. I mean,
6	the facade you're seeing, you know, you have a lot of
7	the peeling paint. But just just bring it back to
8	good condition.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Here's the issue she's
10	talking about.
11	MR. PELEG: Yes.
12	COMM. KARAZIM: This is an open porch.
13	MR. PELEG: Yes.
14	COMM. KARAZIM: Somebody closed it. Are you
15	going to replace that door?
16	MR. PELEG: If if we need to. If I
17	just think, again, I'll take any suggestions.
18	MR. SMITH: Oh, I see what you're saying,
19	yeah.
20	MR. PELEG: So you want to keep an open
21	porch? Because there were windows here, so
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
23	MR. PELEG: Windows without a door is
24	COMM. HENK: I guess what I'm saying it
2.5	should instead of being just a like don't come in

1	the house through the door, it should be something that
2	looks more contributing to the house but
3	MR. PELEG: Or at least more fortified.
4	COMM. HENK: Well, the style of it is more
5	what because it would have been a wood door, right,
6	with lights in the top?
7	COMM. KARAZIM: There wouldn't have been a
8	door.
9	COMM. HENK: Oh, yeah, you're right.
10	COMM. KARAZIM: It would have been an open
11	porch.
12	COMM. HENK: Right.
13	MR. PELEG: But, anyways, to make the house
14	habitable.
15	CHAIR DAVID: And then are you going to be
16	renting it; is that what you're doing?
17	MR. PELEG: Yes.
18	CHAIR DAVID: Do you have an idea of how
19	what that percentage of rental versus owned
20	owner-occupied happens to be in that area?
21	MR. PELEG: I couldn't really tell you.
22	CHAIR DAVID: Hmm?
23	MR. PELEG: I would have no idea.
24	CHAIR DAVID: You know there's a group that
25	meets there monthly?

1	MR. PELEG: Yes, yes. The gentleman who has
2	the garden across the street; he's part of that group.
3	COMM. KARAZIM: Dayne, Dayne Thomas?
4	MR. PELEG: Dayne Thomas, yes.
5	CHAIR DAVID: So he's the champion of that
6	area.
7	MR. PELEG: Yes.
8	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. So
9	COMM. HENK: Just so you see what that's
10	what it looked like.
11	MR. PELEG: Yes. Yes, I'm very aware of
12	that. You're talking about the windows or the porch?
13	COMM. HENK: The porch.
14	COMM. KARAZIM: The porch.
15	MR. PELEG: Okay.
16	MR. SMITH: So someone added that door.
17	MR. PELEG: Right.
18	MR. SMITH: And those window panes.
19	MR. PELEG: Right.
20	CHAIR DAVID: You bought it for taxes?
21	MR. PELEG: Yes.
22	CHAIR DAVID: They have a what is it, a
23	three-year taxes that hadn't been paid; is that the
24	rule?

When does it go to auction?

1	MR. SMITH: After two years.
2	MR. PELEG: After two years, yes.
3	MR. SMITH: And it's on the third.
4	CHAIR DAVID: It's on the third.
5	MR. PELEG: Whose is this?
6	COMM. HENK: Donovan's. Sorry.
7	CHAIR DAVID: Thank you.
8	MR. PELEG: Very good. Have a good evening,
9	everyone.
10	COMM. KARAZIM: Thank you.
11	MR. PELEG: Yes.
12	MR. SMITH: I'll take any pictures back you
13	don't want.
14	CHAIR DAVID: Yeah, before we still have
15	the 6.1 and 6.2 and then we have comments. So let's go
16	to 6.1.
17	MR. SMITH: So 6.1 is only a communication.
18	The Kevadiya Building. I do not know how to spell his
19	name.
20	I can get it for you, though.
21	So you can have that. But he is working on
22	renovating the 100 North Saginaw Building.
23	COMM. BURCH: Which building is that?
24	MR. SMITH: The big, long red brick. That
25	building is downtown but it is not a historic building.

1	COMM. HENK: Right.
2	MR. SMITH: So he has made application to
3	replace the windows. So we're just communicating with
4	you, letting you know that that is happening but it is
5	in the a Historic District building.
6	COMM. HENK: So it was my understanding they
7	were trying to get it placed in a historic so they
8	could do tax credits; am I is that
9	COMM. KARAZIM: That would be Kyle, if Kyle's
10	doing the work.
11	COMM. HENK: If it's Kyle, right. No?
12	MR. SMITH: That hasn't just been
13	communicated to me, so I don't know. I don't know if
14	that
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Here's the caveat. Let me
16	tell you how Kyle works. He will get he will
17	replace the windows and then he'll apply for historic
18	designation.
19	COMM. HENK: Because he wants to put vinyl
20	windows in, right?
21	MR. SMITH: Yeah.
22	COMM. HENK: But the whole point of him
23	pulling that facade off is to put it back the way it
24	was. That's what he told everybody he was going to do
25	COMM. KARAZIM: So here here's where I'm

1	stuck again. And it could be nothing. But I'm
2	getting I think we're getting played. And I'll tell
3	you why. Because I talked to those people. On top
4	they had all the festoons that somebody carved off and
5	everything. And, suddenly, that subject disappeared.
6	MR. SMITH: When was this?
7	COMM. KARAZIM: Within the last three or four
8	months.
9	MR. SMITH: Really?
10	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
11	COMM. HENK: Well, the festoons were taken
12	off when they resurfaced the front.
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
14	MS. HENK: But you can see where they were.
15	MR. SMITH: Okay.
16	COMM. KARAZIM: So what's happening is
17	somebody is trying to rebuild it and then going for
18	historic tax credits is what's happening here.
19	MR. SMITH: Okay.
20	COMM. KARAZIM: So that's the issue I want to
21	deal with, not whether they put windows in or not.
22	What it's going to come down to is beg for forgiveness.
23	COMM. HENK: Yeah.
24	COMM. KARAZIM: And I have an issue with
25	that.

Τ.	MR. SMITH: 1 do, too.
2	COMM. HENK: And I actually talked to Joe who
3	is the construction manager for West. Because they
4	stopped work. They demoed it completely and then they
5	stopped work. And there's a mess over. So I called
6	Joe and asked him what was going on. And he said
7	there's an engineering problem and they had to have the
8	engineers come in and work it out before they could
9	start construction. I have a feeling it's the back
10	wall, the brick's falling off.
11	MR. SMITH: On the back?
12	COMM. HENK: Yeah. But I don't know that for
13	sure. He just said, once they get their engineering
14	and get the problem fixed, then they can start. And
15	somebody put a heating and cooling unit on the building
16	yesterday or today.
17	MR. SMITH: Really?
18	COMM. HENK: Yeah. I'm just saying.
19	Yesterday. I think it was yesterday.
20	CHAIR DAVID: On tax credit, where is it
21	stated on a tax credit? I thought it was not.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, there is.
23	CHAIR DAVID: They still exist, hmm?
24	MR. SMITH: Okay. I know this answer. Let's
25	see.

1	CHAIR DAVID: I thought there were some
2	changes during the last Governor's
3	MR. SMITH: There is a special situation
4	regarding historic tax credits and the exact details
5	are escaping me right now. There is something.
6	CHAIR DAVID: Some changeover the last
7	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, it doesn't matter right
8	now. What I'd like to, again, just reiterate that
9	same point. Somehow, in the paperwork, it has to say,
10	if this goes into a historic designation, that facade
11	has to be replaced or those windows have to be replaced
12	and blah, blah, blah and blah, blah, blah. And I don't
13	know how to do that.
14	COMM. HENK: Why can't if they're going to
15	re-do the windows, they have to do something with that
16	facade because it's a mess. Why can't they show us
17	what they're going to do?
18	MR. SMITH: I believe I have plans.
19	COMM. HENK: You do?
20	MR. SMITH: If you guys have a second. Do
21	you want to hang around?
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
23	MR. SMITH: I'll grab them.
24	COMM. HENK: If it just said they want to
25	replace the windows

1	COMM. NARAZIM: Well, I wall to talk about
2	that one house, that one thing, the garage. And here's
3	the deal: Based on the theory that the Board just
4	approved, I could go build one out of sticks and leaves
5	and balloons.
6	COMM. HENK: That's not apples-to-apples.
7	COMM. KARAZIM: It is, because we just
8	approved something that doesn't have anything to do
9	with anything.
10	COMM. HENK: Because he didn't tear down the
11	original garage. If he had torn down the original
12	garage, we would have had a foot to stand on. But he
13	tore down a second-generation garage that wasn't
14	contributing.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
16	COMM. HENK: That's why he made the
17	COMM. KARAZIM: Without a permit.
18	COMM. HENK: Right.
19	COMM. KARAZIM: And he got caught.
20	COMM. HENK: Right.
21	COMM. KARAZIM: And now he wants to put a new
22	one up. So we just said we don't care, put anything
23	you want up because he just handed a Menards package
24	number 46 B and he we said okay.

COMM. HENK: If -- I can see his point of

1	view, I can see your point of view. But, if that had
2	been the original garage he tore down, then I would say
3	yes. But was that the first, second garage, third
4	garage? We don't even know that.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: We just told a person who
6	tore down a porch that they can't build it the way they
7	tore it down.
8	COMM. HENK: Tore down a porch?
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah. The lady that was
10	here. She was back four or five times. She tore down
11	a porch and she wanted to build it a different way and
12	we said no, she had to conform to current historic
13	policies.
14	CHAIR DAVID: So
15	COMM. PORTER: Yeah. But that's
16	apples-to-oranges.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: Why isn't it
18	apples-to-apples?
19	CHAIR DAVID: Ken Burch, what is your point
20	of view in voting against the proposal?
21	COMM. BURCH: The reason why I voted against
22	it was I pictured it as if it was your home or my home
23	and if I wanted to build another garage on the
24	property, I thought that I should make some effort to
25	make it fit on the property.

Τ	COMM. HENK: But then you just said
2	COMM. BURCH: I know; that's what I came back
3	with.
4	COMM. HENK: Yeah.
5	COMM. BURCH: So I don't know how close
6	and that's why I voted no. Because I thought that you
7	should make some effort to make it conform, in some
8	form or fashion, to the historic district but not make
9	it look exactly like the house. But that was my
10	CHAIR DAVID: The pitch was going to be quite
11	close.
12	COMM. KARAZIM: No, it wasn't. How do you
13	even know that? He said it was going to be quite
14	close. Honest, it's going to be right on the money.
15	Prove him wrong.
16	CHAIR DAVID: Well, he made that statement
17	about a pitch being very close to the existing pitch.
18	Linda, what was your point of view?
19	COMM. PORTER: It was mainly because that
20	that was the second-generation garage and I don't know
21	what the original looked like.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, then it should have
23	been built like the second-generation garage and it
24	wasn't.
25	COMM. HENK: It was pretty damn close.

1	COMM. KARAZIM: No. The garage had a 10/12
2	pitch and this had a 6/12 pitch. There's a lot of
3	difference.
4	COMM. HENK: Yeah but the house didn't have a
5	pitch.
6	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, it did.
7	MS. HENK: No, it doesn't.
8	COMM. KARAZIM: You just cut off the ends.
9	MS. HENK: The house comes up and is flat.
10	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
11	COMM. HENK: The way it looks in the picture.
12	MR. SMITH: It's not flat but it's got a hip.
13	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, it's got a hip.
14	COMM. BURCH: The reason why I voted no, I
15	thought it would be nice if he built the roof and had
16	somebody like Ron here or somebody like that to try to
17	make it somewhat conform to the original house, not
18	exactly. But make it look like, "Hey, I made an effort
19	to make it look like it's part of the Historic
20	District."
21	COMM. KARAZIM: I agree.
22	COMM. BURCH: That's why. But I'm kind of
23	I'm not on a really good footing in regards to what the
24	lady that came to the in-service told us. Because she
25	said don't make it the same, exactly the same as the

1	house. Because you don't want to fool the public.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: She came and built a deck,
3	right, without a permit; sound familiar? So far it's
4	apples-to-apples.
5	COMM. BURCH: Right.
6	COMM. KARAZIM: She decided she's just going
7	to do whatever she wants.
8	COMM. BURCH: Right.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: And the Historic District
10	said no.
11	COMM. BURCH: Right.
12	COMM. KARAZIM: She says, "Well, that's what
13	was there."
14	We said, "We don't care what was there."
15	MR. SMITH: Which was not. We checked.
16	COMM. PORTER: It wasn't.
17	MR. SMITH: I fact checked that the next day.
18	So I went and looked up aerials on that property and I
19	was able to go back and I found pictures of from that
20	street. And I sent them to her and I said this home
21	never had a deck at that came anywhere near past the
22	side of the house. So, for her to demolish the
23	existing deck that did not go past the home, then to,
24	without permit, construct a deck that does go past the
25	home, that is out of compliance because it affects the

1	visual esthetics of the Historic District home because
2	it's also attached to the home.
3	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, we didn't get that
4	information when we were making those decisions.
5	MR. SMITH: We did not have it at that time.
6	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
7	MR. SMITH: Because she told us it was there
8	before.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Right.
10	MR. SMITH: And then the next day
11	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, he told us the pitch is
12	going to be the same.
13	MR. SMITH: That's different, though. That's
14	totally different.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: It isn't totally different.
16	The point is
17	MR. SMITH: I will say this, though: If the
18	deck was not the deck, if the garage was attached,
19	meaning it was a part of the historic fabric of the
20	existing home, I would have said yes. I probably would
21	have made him wrap it in stucco and match the existing
22	roof. So, but because it is detached, it is accessory.
23	CHAIR DAVID: Okay. But I
24	MR. SMITH: That's my perception.
25	CHAIR DAVID: Good discussion. Okay. What

1	do you have for us?
2	MR. SMITH: Okay. So everyone gather around
3	here. These are his elevations. Everybody want to
4	come to this side.
5	COMM. HENK: Just keep it there. We'll come
6	around.
7	MR. SMITH: Okay. So this is that elevation,
8	two proposed front elevations. It looks like he does
9	plan on pulling down that panel facade that's up now.
10	COMM. HENK: He's got it off already. That's
11	all off.
12	MR. SMITH: That's gone now?
13	COMM. HENK: That's gone.
14	MR. SMITH: Okay. So he's returning these
15	windows back.
16	COMM. BURCH: Okay.
17	COMM. HENK: The holes are there, blocked in.
18	MR. SMITH: Behind these panels?
19	COMM. HENK: Yeah, exactly.
20	COMM. BURCH: Got you.
21	COMM. HENK: But that's gone now. So you're
22	just seeing the blocked-in hole.
23	COMM. KARAZIM: Is there a note on what that
24	is?
25	MR. SMITH: I didn't see a window schedule in

1	here.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: Not the window. This is
3	something above the window.
4	COMM. PORTER: Yes, decorative.
5	MR. SMITH: The decorative piece?
6	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah.
7	COMM. PORTER: Yeah.
8	MR. SMITH: It doesn't call it out.
9	COMM. HENK: It says, "Stucco details",
10	what's that?
11	MR. SMITH: Where is he putting stucco?
12	COMM. HENK: I don't know. I have a feeling
13	they're going to pull that block off the back and
14	stucco it.
15	MR. SMITH: What's over here?
16	COMM. HENK: That's the rear. What does that
17	say? "Stucco". So you know what? They're not going
18	to stucco, they're going to put that crap up there.
19	MR. SMITH: Dryvit?
20	MR. SMITH: EIFS?
21	MS. HENK: Dryvit.
22	MR. SMITH: EIFS?
23	MS. HENK: I'll bet you.
24	MR. SMITH: I don't think Building would let
25	them.

1	COMM. KARAZIM: I guess we don't have any say
2	in
3	COMM. HENK: It might be in here. So they're
4	putting a lot of windows in the back of that building.
5	Wow. Is there any way I'll talk to Kyle about it.
6	MR. SMITH: Maybe in architectural details.
7	COMM. HENK: D1 and 2.
8	MR. SMITH: Maybe. Interior walls. Let's
9	see.
10	MS. HENK: There is no D2.
11	MR. SMITH: D2 is not.
12	COMM. HENK: Oh, there. It's backwards.
13	Well, that's just not the right detail.
14	MR. SMITH: It doesn't have a schedule in
15	here.
16	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, there isn't a detail.
17	I'd love to see detail on the front facade.
18	COMM. HENK: Yes.
19	COMM. KARAZIM: The front facade was done one
20	way and they've got a drawing that looks the same but
21	they didn't say what it is.
22	COMM. HENK: But it's a fake drawing, like
23	it's fake, over the
24	COMM. KARAZIM: So we don't know if that's
25	what they're really going to do or not.

1	COMM. HENK: They give you a little bit too
2	much.
3	MR. SMITH: Too much. They've give us an
4	entirely different project.
5	COMM. HENK: Yeah. Oh, here. It starts back
6	up again. One page is not is some other project.
7	MR. SMITH: It's a gas station in Warren.
8	Not my Department.
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Well, that's a long hose. So
10	can you there's nothing we can do, right? We have
11	to just sit here and watch them do it?
12	MR. SMITH: I would say there is not much you
13	can do. But, if you would like to make a
14	COMM. KARAZIM: You're the Planner.
15	MR. SMITH: a recommendation, I could make
16	sure it is noted and delivered to the property owner.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: You mean like a motion?
18	MR. SMITH: Yeah.
19	COMM. KARAZIM: All right. I'm going to
20	let's do a motion. Everybody agree with doing a
21	motion?
22	MR. SMITH: I'm not sure how binding that
23	would be.
24	COMM. HENK: I have a couple more questions
25	first.

Ţ	COMM. BURCH: Can we do a motion if it isn't
2	on the agenda?
3	COMM. HENK: It is on the agenda.
4	MR. SMITH: It is. It was a communication.
5	COMM. HENK: It was a communication but what
6	are they replacing it with?
7	MR. SMITH: Whatever the type of windows
8	they're going to actually put in.
9	COMM. HENK: White vinyl windows?
10	COMM. KARAZIM: They can't put vinyl on that
11	size of a window. It would have to be probably
12	aluminum.
13	MR. SMITH: I think I did see aluminum in the
14	details.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah, vinyl's for small
16	things.
17	COMM. HENK: Right, aluminum frames.
18	MR. SMITH: Yeah, windows, one-inch inflated
19	glass, set aluminum frames.
20	COMM. HENK: Would they be silver, then?
21	MR. SMITH: That, I don't know. They didn't
22	give us a detail.
23	MS. HENK: Gypsum panels.
24	MR. SMITH: C7.
25	COMM. HENK: Here. That's the back. So they

1	are going to put that crap on there.
2	COMM. KARAZIM: Gypsum isn't Dryvit, that's
3	foam.
4	COMM. HENK: That's what I'm saying.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: Yeah. But this says gypsum.
6	They make it like that stuff that you put in your
7	shower before you tile it.
8	COMM. HENK: Yes?
9	COMM. KARAZIM: Like exterior gypsum. That's
10	what it sounds like they're doing.
11	COMM. HENK: Is it the stuff that's on the
12	front of the Cunningham's building, that every time
13	somebody walks by it, a piece of it comes off.
14	MR. SMITH: That's probably EIFS.
15	COMM. KARAZIM: Probably EIFS.
16	MR. SMITH: Or Dryvit, one.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: I'd sure like to see a detail
18	on this.
19	MS. HENK: Yeah, that would really be nice.
20	COMM. BURCH: I'm not sure what we can do.
21	Maybe we can I don't know, on a communication, if
22	it's not up for review. Because isn't the public
23	supposed to be on notice of what we're reviewing?
24	Because this is communication, we're just talking.
25	MR. SMITH: It's also not a historic

Τ	district.
2	COMM. BURCH: Okay.
3	MR. SMITH: So it's not like anything you say
4	is binding because it's outside of the district. More
5	so, you're asking me to share a communication to the
6	owner.
7	COMM. BURCH: Got you.
8	COMM. KARAZIM: Are you okay with that?
9	COMM. BURCH: Oh, yeah. I was just curious.
10	COMM. KARAZIM: No, you're right on the
11	money, there's not shit we can do. But what I would
12	like to try is make them think that possibly we can.
13	COMM. HENK: Right.
14	MR. SMITH: What I can do
15	COMM. KARAZIM: We have the Kenny Burch at
16	our table. Remember that. The Kenny Burch.
17	MR. SMITH: So it may not be a motion, it
18	just may be what would you like me to relate back to
19	the developer?
20	COMM. KARAZIM: We want to see detail.
21	COMM. HENK: Yeah.
22	COMM. KARAZIM: Historic District wants to
23	see detail. And that's going to tell them whether or
24	not, if they say, "Yes", we know what they're doing.
25	If they say, "No", we know what they're doing, right?

1	COMM. HENK: When Frank bricked this building
2	to begin with years ago, 30 years ago, he bricked over
3	the south pier of my building. I'm missing a pier.
4	It's under their brick. I want it back.
5	COMM. KARAZIM: You're talking about the
6	parapet wall?
7	COMM. HENK. No. I have limestone pier on
8	10. It's got a pier and a pier. And that pier is
9	under his brick. I can see it. Because he started
10	pulling it off.
11	COMM. KARAZIM: Oh, really?
12	COMM. HENK: No, you could see it from a
13	sideways view. When he pulled some of the brick off,
14	it's under there. Because I always looked at that
15	building and said, "Where's my other pier?" It's
16	completely gone under his brick.
17	COMM. KARAZIM: It was probably a Kyle
18	project and he got a tax credit for it.
19	MR. SMITH: All right. And, then, so I got
20	everyone's comments.
21	COMM. KARAZIM: You didn't put that down, did
22	you?
23	MR. SMITH: And then, last, the last item on
24	this agenda, the very last page in your packet is the
25	proposed 2020 meeting schedule.

1	COMM. PORTER: It says "2019".
2	MR. SMITH: Does it say "2019"?
3	Do they all say "2019"?
4	COMMISSIONERS: Yes.
5	MR. SMITH: Okay. So what I will do is I
6	will bring it back next month but it will be the dates
7	are the same, I just didn't change the year, I guess.
8	COMM. KARAZIM: But it was the same as the
9	year before so we can just approve it as-is, right?
10	CHAIR DAVID: Anything else?
11	MR. SMITH: No.
12	COMM. KARAZIM: Motion to
13	COMM. HENK: Adjourn?
14	COMM. KARAZIM: Adjourn.
15	CHAIR DAVID: All in favor, second?
16	COMMISSIONERS: Aye.
17	(Meeting was concluded at 7:11 p.m.)
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3	I, Mona Storm, do hereby certify that I
4	have recorded stenographically the proceedings had
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6	place hereinbefore set forth. I do further certify
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CITY OF PONTIAC Department of Building Safety & Planning

Mayor Deirdre Waterman

TO:

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

FROM:

DONOVAN O. SMITH - CITY PLANNER

DIVISION OF PLANNING

SUBJECT:

HDC 19-37

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMIS

46 N Saginaw

PIN: 64-14-29-434-023

DATE: 12/9/2019

The Planning Department is in receipt of a Historic District Application from Blue Star Demolition, regarding the above address 46 N Saginaw. The applicant has requested to restore the front façade of the property, and repair the front elevation to the original façade design. Per the requirements of the Historic District Commission and the review criteria, the applicant is required to submit application and plan details of the proposed improvements to the Planning Division for technical review.

Currently the front façade of the property is covered on two sides with glass panels. The applicant has proposed to remove the glass panels, and to restore the historical façade. The applicant has provided historical photographs that detail the design and conditions of four vertical windows located behind the existing glass and historical facade. The applicant has made petition to remove the glass panel windows on the front and side elevation and restore the brick and existing historical windows and frames. Pursuant to the requirements of the Historic District Commission, a technical review was conducted of submitted petition.

Review Criteria -

The historic district commission is required to review any plans and/or building elevations affecting the exterior appearance of a historic site or any proposed or existing structure located within a historic district. No permit for new construction, alteration, repair, moving, or demolition for such work may be granted until the commission has approved such plans and/or elevations in consideration of the ordinance guidelines provided in Section 74-55 (b) (1)-(11) of the Pontiac's Municipal Code. The code also allows the commission to utilize the U.S. Secretary of the Interior's Standard's for Rehabilitation as review criteria.

It is important to note these guidelines permit the historic district to consider any other factor, including aesthetic, which it deems pertinent" [see Section 74-55 (b) (4)]. The historic district commission must either approve or deny the plans. Afterwards, the approved plans must be transmitted to the building safety division and/or planning commission, as may be applicable.

In addition to the information submitted and the provided technical review, the following criteria must be considered to determine if the proposed improvements complies with the following U.S. Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation;

74-55 (b)(I) "historical or architectural value and significance of the structure...and its relationship to the historical value of the surrounding area"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u>- The removal of non-contributing windows will improve the architectural value of the property of those in the surrounding area.

74-55 (b)(2) "relationship of the exterior architectural features"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u> – The proposed removal of glass panels on the front façade would maintain the relationship of exterior architectural features.

74-55 (b)(3) "general compatibility of exterior design"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u> - The proposed restoration will preserve the historic features and further contribute to the historic character of the district.

74-55 (b)(5) "avoid, where possible, the removal or alteration of any historic building materials" - <u>Does Meet Standard</u> - No historic building materials are to be proposed to be removed, only the removal of the non-historic glass panels is considered in this technical review.

74-55 (b) {11) "alteration will be done in such a manner as to not impair the essential form and integrity of the structure" <u>Does Meet Standard</u> – The proposed removal would not impair the historic form and appearance of this building or others in the area.

Recommendation -

The Planning Division is recommending to the Historic District Commission that a Certificate of Appropriateness for the restoration of the historic façade will be determined at a later date with the submission of additional information, and that a Certificate of Appropriateness be issued for the removal of front façade exterior glass panels and the following conditions;

- 1. The applicant must provide to the Historic District Commission details for the restoration and repair of the materials and work behind the existing windows after exterior glass is removed.
- 2. Any restoration and repairs of historic materials must be approved by the Historic District Commission
- 3. Existing conditions and features on the front façade of the structure must be replaced with similar materials and maintain historical value and appearance.
- 4. Restoration work must maintain the historic brick quoins on the corner edges, roof cornices, maintain 4x4 mullion and mutin grid, and vertical pilasters, as referenced in photo,
- 5. Building Department permits will be required per the Historic District Commission Approval.

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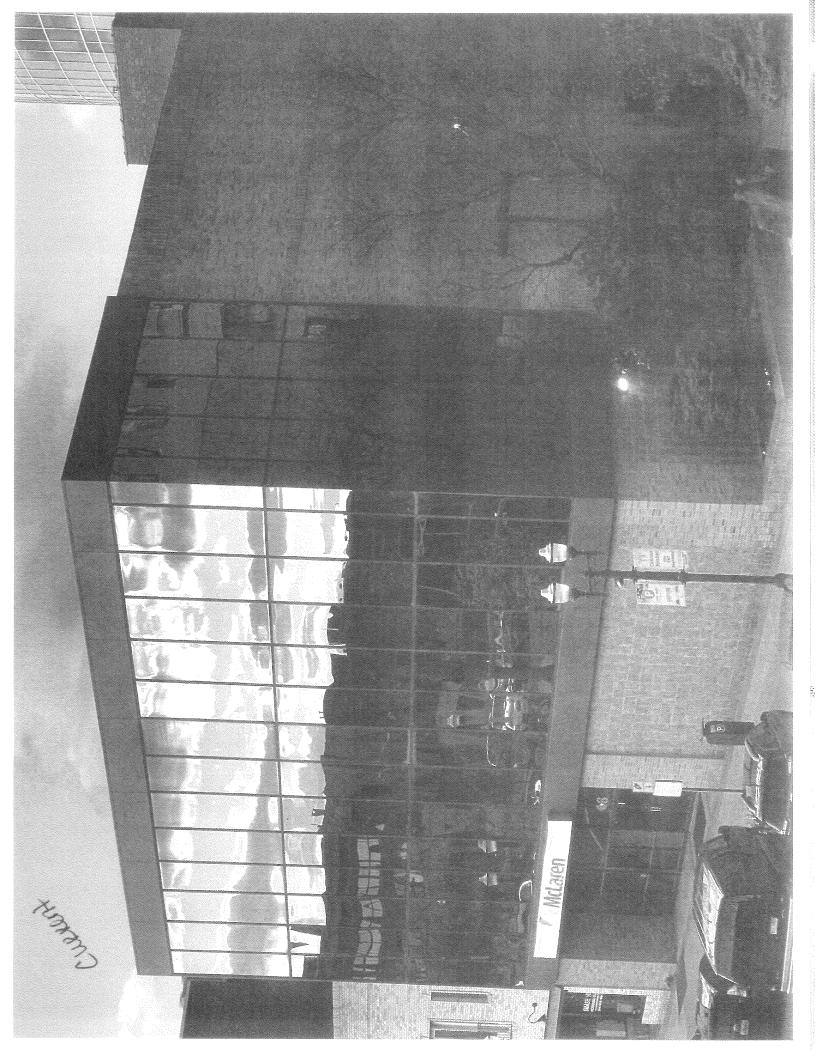
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City of Pontiac

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	Blue Star Demolition			
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Project and Property Information

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Exterior Alterations, Additions, New Construction, and/or Signs require:
Scale drawings showing, all exterior elevations visible from a public street and to be affected by
intended work are required when there are:
o Any changes in dimensions, material, or detailing.
O Any new additions or sighs to any building.
 Consideration of signs also requires provision of: A sample of proposed style of lettering and colors.
 A description of frame and installation
Repairs:
 Any repairs using original dimensions, type of material and details would both require a scale drawing; only a written description is needed.
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State of Michigan
County of Oakland
On thisday of, A.D., 20, before me personally appeared the above named person, who being duly sworn, stated he/she has read the foregoing application, by him/her signed, and know the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his/her own knowledge, except as to the matters
therein stated to be upon information and belief and so as to those matters he/she believes it to be true.

Notary Public, Oakland County, Michigan My Commission Expires:



CITY OF PONTIAC Department of Building Safety & Planning

Mayor Deirdre Waterman

TO:

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

FROM:

DONOVAN O. SMITH - CITY PLANNER

DIVISION OF PLANNING

SUBJECT:

HDC 19-39

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMIS

402 W. Iroquois

PIN: 64-14-31-202-016

DATE: 12/9/2019

The Planning Department is in receipt of a Historic District Application (HDC 19-39) from Grennan Construction on behalf of the property owner Jeffrey Salton, regarding the above address 402 W. Iroquois. The applicant has requested to remove and replace the flat roof EDPM lining and the following associated improvements;

- 1. Strip Rear Flat porch roof and shingle skirting to underlying wood.
- 2. Replace bad wood, flashings, and wood trims.
- 3. Install new aluminum flashing at flat roof and house junctions.
- 4. Install drip edge and flashings on three sides.
- 5. Install flat roof rubber membrane and flat roof shingle.
- 6. Install all necessary counter flashing.
- 7. Install new shingle skirting around perimeter of flat roof, three sides of chalk and seal flashing.
- 8. Install Chimney Saddle and 2nd Story Chimney.
- 9. Install Ice guard as needed in both valleys.
- 10. Install step flashing and counter flashing as needed.

The applicant has made petition to conduct the outlined building improvements to the exterior of the home located at 402 W. Iroquois. Pursuant to the requirements of the Historic District Commission, a technical review was conducted based on information submitted in the applicant's petition.

Review Criteria -

The historic district commission is required to review any plans and/or building elevations affecting the exterior appearance of a historic site or any proposed or existing structure located with a historic district. No permit for new construction, alteration, repair, moving, or demolition for such work may be granted until the commission has approved such plans and/or elevations in consideration of the ordinance guidelines provided in Section 74-55 (b) (1)-(11) of the Pontiac's Municipal Code. The code also allows the commission to utilize the U.S. Secretary of the Interior's Standard's for Rehabilitation as review criteria.

It is important to note these guidelines permit the historic district to consider any other factor, including aesthetic, which it deems pertinent" [see Section 74-55 (b) (4)]. The historic district commission must either approve or deny the plans. Afterwards, the approved plans must be transmitted to the building safety division and/or planning commission, as may be applicable.

In addition to the information submitted and the provided technical review, the following criteria must be considered to determine if the proposed improvements complies with the following U.S. Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation;

74-55 (b)(I) "historical or architectural value and significance of the structure...and its relationship to the historical value of the surrounding area"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u>- The proposed work does not impact the architectural value and significance of the structure

74-55 (b)(2) "relationship of the exterior architectural features"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u> – The proposed repair and installation of the improvements would not take away from the architectural, historical material and design features of the historic building.

74-55 (b)(3) "general compatibility of exterior design"

<u>Does Meet Standard</u> - The proposed repairs and installation are compatible with the existing exterior design.

74-55 (b)(5) "avoid, where possible, the removal or alteration of any historic building materials" - <u>Does Meet Standard</u> – None of the proposed building improvements requires the removal or alteration of historic materials that do not constitute as repairs to materials.

74-55 (b) {11) "alteration will be done in such a manner as to not impair the essential form and integrity of the structure" <u>Does Meet Standard</u> – The proposed removal, installation, and replacement would not impair the historic form and appearance of this building or others in the area.

Recommendation -

The Planning Division is recommending to the Historic District Commission that a Certificate of Appropriateness be issued for the proposed residential improvements for HDC 19-39, the following improvements are recommended for Historic District Commission Certificate of Appropriateness approval;

- 1. Strip Rear Flat porch roof and shingle skirting to underlying wood.
- 2. Replace bad wood, flashings, and wood trims.
- 3. Install new aluminum flashing at flat roof and house junctions.
- 4. Install drip edge and flashings on three sides.
- 5. Install flat roof rubber membrane and flat roof shingle.
- 6. Install all necessary counter flashing.
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- 8. Install Chimney Saddle
- 9. Install Ice guard as needed in both valleys.
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Mayor Deirdre Waterman

Date: December 2nd, 2020

To: Historic District Commissioners

From: Donovan Smith

City Planner

Re: Historic District Commission 2020 – Regular Meeting Schedule

Recommended Motion:

Move to adopt the following Historic District Commission regular meeting schedule for January through December 2020, on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00PM:

January 14, 2020

February 11, 2020

March 10, 2020

April 14, 2020

May 12, 2020

June 9, 2020

July 14, 2020

August 11, 2020

September 8, 2020

October 13, 2020

November 10, 2020

December 8, 2020