

# Staff Report

PLANNING DIVISION COMMUNITY & NEIGHBORHOODS

**To:** Salt Lake City Historic Landmark Commission

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**Date:** November 2, 2017

**Re:** Petition PLNHLC2017-00677 Demolition of a Contributing Structure

#### DEMOLITION OF A CONTRIBUTING STRUCTURE IN A LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICT

**PROPERTY ADDRESS:** 50 S 700 East Street (formerly 46 S 700 East Street)

**PARCEL IDENTIFICATION:** 16-05-101-015 (formerly 16-05-101-005)

**HISTORIC DISTRICT:** Central City Historic District

**ZONING DISTRICTS:** RMF-35 Moderate Density Multi-Family Residential District, and

H Historic Preservation Overlay District

MASTER PLAN: Medium Density Residential (15-30 dwelling units per acre), Central Community

Master Plan

**REQUEST:** Søren Simonsen, project architect, on behalf of The Other Side Holdings LLC, property owner, is requesting approval to demolish a vacant residential building located at approximately 46 S 700 East Street. The building is a contributing structure in the Central City Historic District.



Street View of Subject Property (September 2017)

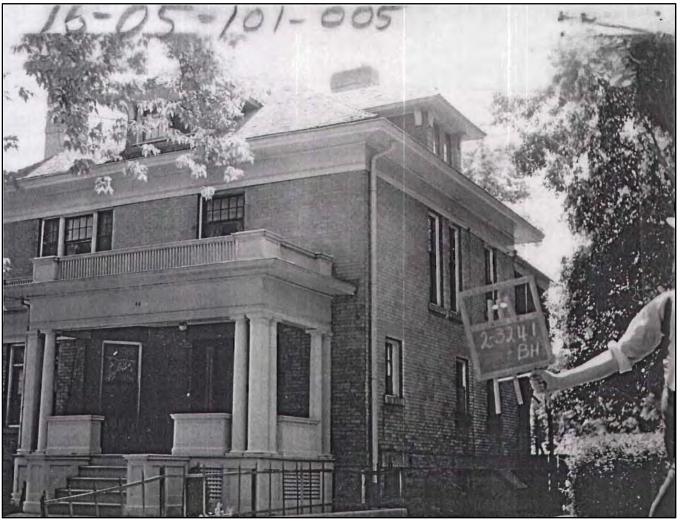
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#### RECOMMENDATION:

It is the opinion of Planning Division staff that only two (2) of the seven (7) standards for demolition have been met, with the findings for Economic Hardship yet to be determined (see Exhibit H – Analysis of Standards). Therefore, staff recommends the Historic Landmark Commission deny the request for demolition. However, the applicant may choose to apply for Economic Hardship as prescribed in City Code 21A.34.020.K at any time.

#### BACKGROUND AND PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

According to City records, the existing building was constructed in circa 1905. Since construction, the property has been the subject of numerous permits, inspections, and complaints (see Exhibit C – Property History).



Historic Photograph of Subject Property (date unknown)

In 1980, an architectural survey of the Central City Historic District was conducted by Architects Planners Alliance (APA), an independent consultant. The boundaries of the Central City Historic District, which includes the subject property, was described as:

... beginning 165 south of South Temple Street to the north side of 900 South; the west side of 700 East to the east side of 500 East.

The 1980 survey described the principal building on the subject property as a 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  story masonry "box" structure with a "hip roof and bracketed eves." Although the 1980 survey assumed the original use was "single-family," it surmised the structure was "probably a rental unit built by Isabella Armstrong and family." The survey also concluded the building was in "good" condition and had "minor alterations."

In 1994 the structure was resurveyed by Lisa Miller, an independent research consultant, who described the residence as a "foursquare," and rated it a "B"—or "contributing" structure—in the Central City Local Historic District.

A third survey, which was conducted in 2013, again concluded the structure was "eligible contributing"—even though it was "abandoned" and "collapsing" (see Exhibit E - Reconnaissance Level Surveys).

According to City records, the property has been damaged by a series of fires that occurred in 1981, 1992, and 2005. Due to the fires, and subsequent weather damage, the City required the building to be boarded by prior property owners. According to the Salt Lake County Recorder the current property owner, The Other Side Holdings LLC, acquired the property on or before January 21, 2016 (see Exhibit C – Property History).

On November 4, 2016, the applicant submitted a letter to Orion Goff, Salt Lake City Building Official, and requested the building be deemed "an imminent hazard to public safety," which determination would allow the City to issue a demolition permit without prior approval from the Historic Landmark Commission as per the following City Code:

#### 21A.34.020: H Historic Preservation Overlay District

Q. Exceptions of Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition of Hazardous Structures: A hazardous structure shall be exempt from the provisions governing demolition if the building official determines, in writing, that the building currently is an imminent hazard to public safety. Hazardous structures demolished under this section shall comply with subsection P of this section. Prior to the issuance of a demolition permit, the building official shall notify the planning director of the decision.

The applicant's request was based on the following claims (see Exhibit A - Applicant Information):

- The structural collapse of walls or roof, either in whole or in part, which pose a risk to an adjacent structure, adjacent property or a public right of way
- The structure poses a danger to any individual entering the property
- The structure poses danger or risk of fire

In response, the Building Official determined the structure was *not* an imminent hazard—as the building has remained standing in its present condition for at least 12 years—and denied the request citing it was inconsistent with the "intent" statement of the following City Code (see Exhibit B – Building Official Letter):

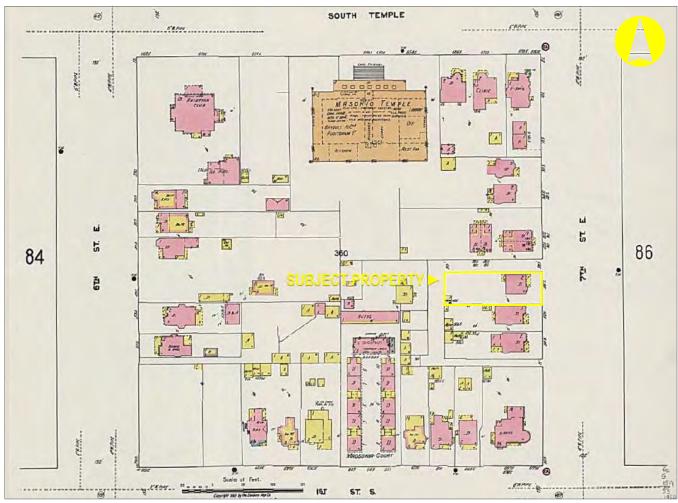
#### 18.64.005 Purpose and Intent (of Demolition chapter in Title 18 Buildings and Construction)

- B. A primary intent of the city council with respect to this chapter is to avoid demolition, or partial demolition, of buildings in a manner that disrupts the character and development pattern of established neighborhood and business areas. Accordingly, the council finds that it is in the public interest to:
  - 1. Require existing buildings to be maintained in a habitable condition until replaced by new construction, except as otherwise permitted by this code;
  - 2. Avoid demolition of existing structures until a complete building permit application is submitted for new construction, except as otherwise provided in this chapter; and
  - 3. Avoid creation of vacant demolition sites with minimal or no landscaping or other improvements.

Subsequently, the applicant filed an appeal of the administrative decision, but the City has not heard the request because the City does not have a current "Board of Appeals" for Title 18 Building and Construction Code—which deficiency will be remedied by the City as soon as feasible.

Also of note, on September 6, 2017, the property owner recorded a Quit Claim Deed that consolidated 46 S, 50 S, and 54 S 700 East into one parcel. According to the Salt Lake County Recorder, the new address is 50 S 700 East, and the parcel identification number is 16-05-101-005. As such, the property in its current form contains multiple buildings on approximately 0.50 of an acre (see Exhibit C – Property History).

#### **CONTEXT – CENTRAL CITY HISTORIC DISTRICT**



Sanborn Map of Subject Property (1950)



Aerial View of Subject Property (2015)

As evident in the previous maps, and noted within Exhibit A - Applicant Information, several buildings located northward from the subject property were demolished to construct a parking lot for the Salt Lake Masonic Temple, which building fronts South Temple Street.

The Salt Lake City Community Preservation Plan adopted on October 23, 2012, specifically addresses the Central City Historic District and provides a succinct description of this local historic district, of which the subject property is a part (see Exhibit D – Historic District Map, and Exhibit F - Reconnaissance Level Survey Map).

The Central City Historic District was designated as a local historic district in 1991. Two blocks wide and nine blocks long, the district is occupied by one of the City's oldest residential neighborhoods. While the northern edge of the district close to South Temple Street is occupied by larger homes and more upscale apartment buildings, the remainder holds modest brick cottages and bungalows that for many decades attracted working-class occupants. On its south end, the district abuts Liberty Park.

Both 500 East and 700 East are major north-south thoroughfares lined with both houses and commercial enterprises. A residential parkway is located along 600 East. Bisecting the district is 400 South, a primary east-west commercial and transportation corridor. . . While the district still contains numerous historic homes, it has experienced significant attrition of its historic building stock, particularly along its perimeters and major thoroughfares. The majority of these changes have taken place in the area between the north edge of the district and 500 South. The four square blocks between 300 South and 500 South have been so heavily impacted in recent decades by teardowns and modern commercial infill that they contain very little in the way of historic resources. Because of its central location in the City and its placement along several major transportation corridor, the district has been subjected to substantial amount of historically insensitive commercial development in recent decades, resulting in negative impact to its integrity. This has resulted in a historic district that has effectively been split in two, with a substantial loss of integrity of the northern blocks and greater integrity to the south . . .

The status of the district in now questionable and further attrition may merit its removal from historic district standing. Some may argue that it has already reached this point and that other controls are needed to protect the diminishing number of historic resources that remain there. One possible approach might be to consider boundary realignments that divide the district and create two new districts: Central City North and Central City South Historic Districts (emphasis added).

It is the opinion of staff that the erosion of historic structures through demolition—and inappropriate redevelopment—within the Central City Historic District is a concern as expressed in adopted preservation policies and goals (see Exhibit G - Master Plan Policies).

#### **KEY ISSUES:**

Issue 1 – Demolition Standard: The applicant requests demolition approval under City Code 21A.34.020.Q:

Exceptions of Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition of Hazardous Structures: A hazardous structure shall be exempt from the provisions governing demolition if the building official determines, in writing, that the building currently is an imminent hazard to public safety. Hazardous structures demolished under this section shall comply with subsection P of this section. Prior to the issuance of a demolition permit, the building official shall notify the planning director of the decision.

However, as has already been discussed, the Building Official previously decided, in writing, that the building is *not* an imminent hazard to public safety (see Exhibit B – Building Official Letter). As such, the Historic Landmark Commission may not make a determination to demolish a "hazardous structure" under this provision. Rather, the Commission's decision must be based on the demolition process for the H Historic Preservation Overlay District discussed in Exhibit H – Analysis of Standards.

Issue 2 — Historic Integrity: As stated in *A Preservation Handbook for Historic Properties & Districts in Salt Lake City*, which the Salt Lake City Council adopted, the concept of historic "integrity" is described as:

In addition to being historically significant, a property also must have integrity. To have integrity a sufficient percentage of the structure or site must date from the period of significance. The majority of the site's

features or the building's structural system and materials should date from the period of significance, and its character-defining features also should remain intact. These may include architectural details, such as dormers and porches, ornamental brackets and moldings and materials, as well as the overall mass and form of the building. It is these elements that allow a building or district to be identified as representing a particular point or period in the history of the city. (part 1, page 3.3)

While it is evident that fire, weather, and vandalism has destroyed the entire roof structure, a rear addition, and many of the windows, most of the original building form and masonry structure—which is a character-defining feature—appears to be firmly intact. The Commission should also note that the structure is in its original location and setting, which also contributes toward historic integrity.

In response to the proposed demolition, Planning Division staff contacted Cory Jensen, National Register Coordinator and Architectural Historian for the Utah State Historic Preservation Office, shared the following comments:

Our assessment is that the house still retains enough historic integrity to be considered contributing in the SLC East Side National Register Historic District<sup>1</sup>. Although it has suffered major interior and some exterior damage from a fire, it still retains character-defining features and enough historical integrity to be considered contributing. It could qualify for historic preservation tax credits for rehabilitation.

#### However, contrary to Mr. Jensen's opinion, the applicant has claimed:

The physical integrity of the structure and site have greatly deteriorated as a result of a fire and subsequent weather damage. In fact, the structure may already be subject to loss of its contributing status, since so many of the character-defining elements of the building are destroyed beyond repair. To make the building habitable would constitute substantial "reconstruction" rather than "preservation," and reconstruction is not a prevailing goal of the Historic Overlay Zone (see page 37 of Exhibit A - Applicant Information).

While it is clear that the entire roof structure and portions of the building will require reconstruction, other repairs to the building would constitute rehabilitation, not reconstruction. Furthermore, reconstruction of missing architectural or character-defining elements is consistent with preservation techniques when warranted, as evidenced by the following City Code:

21A.34.020.G. Standards for Certificate of Appropriateness for Alteration of a Landmark Site or Contributing Structure Including New Construction of an Accessory Structure: In considering an application for a certificate of appropriateness for alteration of a landmark site or contributing structure, the historic landmark commission, or the planning director, for administrative decisions, shall find that the project substantially complies with all of the following general standards that pertain to the application and that the decision is in the best interest of the city:

6. Deteriorated architectural features shall be repaired rather than replaced wherever feasible. In the event replacement is necessary, the new material should match the material being replaced in composition, design, texture and other visual qualities. Repair or replacement of missing architectural features should be based on accurate duplications of features, substantiated by historic, physical or pictorial evidence rather than on conjectural designs or the availability of different architectural elements from other structures or objects (emphasis added);

Based on the 2013 Central City Standard Reconnaissance Level Survey, Mr. Jensen's comments, and City Code, it is the opinion of Planning Division staff that if the applicant restored the subject property—consistent with adopted design guidelines—it would remain a contributing structure within the local historic district.

Issue 3 – Further Loss of Historic Resources: Although the proposal encompasses a single building, it follows several demolitions on the northern half of the block face—as illustrated in the 1950 Sanborn Fire Insurance Map shown on page four of this report—that occurred before the City established the local historic district on May 14, 1991. While the structure proposed for demolition is not architecturally significant, it is part of the development "story" of the district and contributes to the historic integrity and composition of the Central City neighborhood.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The SLC East Side National Register Historic District encompasses the Central City Historic District.

Essentially, the loss of the contributing structure would diminish the number of historic resources that form the district.

#### **NEXT STEPS:**

If the Historic Landmark Commission finds that at least six of the seven standards are met, the Commission shall approve the certificate of appropriateness for demolition. If the demolition request is approved by the Commission, the applicant would also need the Commission's approval of the proposed landscape plan, which is intended as an interim land use prior to redevelopment (see Exhibit A - Applicant Information).

If the Commission finds that two or less of the standards are met, the Commission shall deny the certificate of appropriateness for demolition. If the project is denied, the applicant could choose to file an application for Economic Hardship.

If the Commission finds that three, four or five of the standards are met, the Commission may defer a decision for up to one year during which time the applicant must conduct a bona fide effort to preserve the site, or the applicant could choose to file an application for Economic Hardship. If there is a finding of Economic Hardship, the applicant could demolish the structure without conducting a bona fide effort.

#### **EXHIBITS**:

- A. Applicant Information
- B Building Official's Letter
- C. Property History
- D. Historic District Map
- E. Reconnaissance Level Surveys
- F. Reconnaissance Level Survey Map
- G. Master Plan Policies
- H. Analysis of Standards
- I. Public Process & Comments

### EXHIBIT A: APPLICANT INFORMATION





# **HP: Demolition**

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### SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS 1. Pre-submittal Meeting Recommended A pre-submittal meeting for all demolition requests involving historic landmarks and properties located within locally designated historic districts should be scheduled prior to submitting this application. To request a pre-submittal meeting please contact the Planning Counter either by email, zoning@slcgov.com, or by calling (801) 535-7700 Project Description (please attach additional sheet) Written description of your proposal with explanation of why the demolition is necessary 3. Show Integrity of the Structure Historic photographs of existing building(s) (contact the Salt Lake County Archives at (385) 468-0820 for historic photographs) Current photographs of each side of the building. Interior photographs which help indicate the structural condition should be submitted as well 4. Show Streetscape Condition Photographs showing the streetscape and surrounding contributing and noncontributing structures 5. Show Threat to Public Health and Safety If the reason for the demolition is threat to Public Health and Safety, the building official will need to determine, in writing, that the building currently is an imminent hazard to public safety 6. Show No Willful Neglect Evidence of regular maintenance and repairs Evidence of diligent soliciting and retaining tenants Evidence that the structure was secure and boarded if vacant 7. Additional Applications/Bond n/a Submit application for Economic Hardship if the demolition is required to rectify a condition of "economic hardship" n/a Submit application for New Construction for Postdemolition/Reuse Plan or Landscape Bond → Please note that additional information may be required by the project planner to ensure adequate information is provided for staff analysis. All information required for staff analysis will be copied and made public, including professional architectural or engineering drawings, for the purposes of public review by any interested party. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED ✓ I acknowledge that Salt Lake City requires the items above to be submitted before my application can be

processed. I understand that Planning will not accept my application unless all of the following items are

included in the submittal package.



June 1, 2017

To Whom It May Concern:

I am the CEO of The Other Side Academy, which is the owner of the property of  $667 \pm 100 \, \text{S}$ ,  $46 \, \text{S}$   $700 \, \text{E}$ ,  $50 \, \text{S}$   $700 \, \text{E}$ , and  $56 \, \text{S}$   $700 \, \text{E}$ .

I hereby give Soren Simonson and his firm, Community Studio, the authority to represent The Other Side Academy regarding all matters with Salt Lake City relating to building permits, occupancy permits, zoning issues, demolition, lot consolidation, land use, and any other issues related to these properties.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Respectfully,

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## Attachment A

Letter of Background & Supplemental Information

October 16, 2017

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RE: Request for Emergency Demolition of a Contributing Structure in a Historic District

46 South 700 East

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Dear Michael and Salt Lake Historic Landmarks Commission:

I am writing on behalf of The Other Side Academy to request the immediate emergency demolition of a collapsed and hazardous structure located at 46 South 700 East. The building is noted as a contributing structure in the Central City Historic District, but was significantly destroyed by fire several years ago. This and several adjacent properties, including the historic Armstrong Mansion, were recently purchased by The Other Side Academy, which is preserving several of these historic structures for adaptive use as a Group Home for a vocational and life skills adult education center and residences.

We previously applied for Emergency Demolition in early November, 2016, according to the provisions of the Emergency Demolition ordinance of the Salt Lake City Municipal Code. While we believe that this is the most appropriate tool to address this collapsed and hazardous building in its current condition, our initial request was denied. No justification for the denial was provided relative to the warrants described in the ordinance. We appealed that administrative decision on December 2, 2016, and have an active Appeal pending since that time.

Based on subsequent communication from the Community & Neighborhood Development Director, Mike Reberg, on June 7, 2017, (see attachment B) indicating that the City has made little or no progress appointing the standing Board of Appeals, I am submitting this application at the Director's recommendation for your consideration through the Historic Landmark Commission process. Given the serious hazardous condition of the property, and the risk this structure poses to people on this site daily, we are pursuing both the administrative Appeal and Historic Landmark Commission remedies for demolition simultaneously, and hope to take immediate action to demolish the structure through whichever process is the most expeditious. The Director's letter implies that, given the state of the property, the Historic Landmark Commission process can be expeditious for a building in this condition.

#### Risks and Hazards that Warrant Emergency Demolition

This request is made with respect to provisions of the Salt Lake City Code, Chapter 21A.34.020, Section Q, which states:

"A hazardous structure shall be exempt from the provisions governing demolition if the building official determines, in writing, that the building currently is an

#### imminent hazard to public safety."

There is no definition of a hazardous or dangerous structure in the zoning ordinance, so we really on the definition contained in another section of the Salt Lake City Code, Chapter 18.48 Dangerous Buildings, Article III Emergency Demolition, which definition appears relevant to this hazardous structure:

"If the building official determines that the walls or roof of a building or structure are collapsing, either in whole or in part, or in imminent danger of collapsing in such a way as to fall on other structures, property or public rights of way, or create a danger to persons who may enter the property, or create a danger of fire, the building official may seek an order that the building should be demolished pursuant to this article (Ord. 90-94 § 1, 1994)."

From my analysis of the ordinance, an Emergency Demolition is warranted by any of three distinct criteria:

- The structural collapse of walls or roof, either in whole or in part, which pose a risk to an
  adjacent structure, adjacent property or a public right of way
- The structure poses a danger to any individual entering the property
- · The structure poses danger or risk of fire

Based on the findings described below, this property meets all three of these criteria. Other factors outlined below make the demolition of this structure only more important, necessary and urgent.

#### Structural Collapse

The structure is a former residence, and was severely damaged by fire many years ago, prior to the property being purchased by The Other Side Academy. The building is very clearly "collapsing, either in whole or in part." The roof of the structure has entirely collapsed and caved in, and portions of roof structure dangle in the air inside and outside the perimeter walls. The interior walls and floors of the structure are also collapsed and completely unstable. During high wind conditions large pieces of the structure have recently blown off the building onto the ground nearby. The size and weight of falling debris from this building are enough to severely injure if not kill someone. The entire structure is exposed to the elements, and there is significant ongoing water damage and rot occurring to the structure, in addition to fire damage.

While the building is sufficiently setback from the street and sidewalk to not pose a danger to collapsing onto the public right-of-way, its close proximity to an adjacent structure to the south, and its proximity to a private active driveway to the north owned by another entity, present a very real risk for collapse onto adjacent structures and properties.

The Academy is in the process of renovating and occupying the adjacent building to the south as a dining hall and meeting facility in the very near future, and the collapsing structure will create a heightened risk to both the neighboring structure and the occupants in and around it, when it is occupied i the near future.

#### Danger of Entry

The property is a life and safety risk for anyone entering. The roof and interior floor and walls have collapsed and the entire structure is highly unstable. Even approaching the building is highly risky, due to the damaged roof structure extending beyond the exterior walls. The Other Side Academy,

in consultation with professionals including architects, hazardous abatement specialists, engineers and building contractors, is advised to stay away from the building due to risk of life and safety. Even routine building maintenance and repair is no longer possible without considerable risk.

The danger by entry is not limited to the collapsing condition of the structure. An added consequence of the fire is the hazardous presence of asbestos throughout the structure, Asbestos-containing materials present in the structure have become fractured and scattered as a result of the fire. Any disturbance of the structure or entry into the structure is considered unsafe from a hazardous materials concern as well. The hazardous material abatement specialists recommend removal of the entire structure as the best means to abate the hazardous materials. A copy of the environmental report of hazardous materials is provided as Attachment C, with recommendations highlighted.

#### Danger of Fire

The structure has already been severely damaged by fire, as has the adjacent building to the south, which serve as a clear indication of the risk of fire. Although the property is secured by fencing and boarding, there are compounding circumstances that continue to prolong the risk of another fire. Fencing and boarding are often little deterrent to the large and growing homeless population in downtown Salt Lake City, and there is ample evidence of unauthorized entry to this and other nearby vacant properties, despite efforts to prevent such unauthorized entry. The Other Side Academy currently provides a 24-hour patrol watch of its properties and other vacant properties nearby to help further deter criminal activity.

The combination of circumstances including evidence of unauthorized entry, the structure being filled with highly flammable and exposed wood and charred debris, evidence of drug use that alters an individual's behavior and rational thinking, the extreme difficulty of exiting a building with no lighting and with windows and exits boarded, large piles of highly flammable debris, and the damage to ceiling and floor finishes that might otherwise protect the structure from further collapse in the event of a fire compound the danger. This building poses a high risk and danger from fire, both to anyone inside or outside the building, as well as to neighboring buildings and properties.

In numerous meetings with the City Fire Marshall regarding this and adjacent properties, it has been communicated explicitly that this building is a high risk of fire, and presents a high level of concern to the Fire Department. I believe the Fire Department would support its immediate demolition as a fire prevention strategy to address the fire hazard both to anyone near this building, and to reduce the risk to adjacent, occupied historic structures.

We have also reviewed the State of Utah's Uniform Code for the Abatement of Dangerous Buildings, which contains similar definitions and requires the demolition of a building in this condition under the State Code.

Either of these reference standards for hazardous buildings require approval of the local Building Official, Orion Goff. Given the condition of the property, we urge the Building Official to apply these city and state standards and a warrant the demolition of this hazardous structure, with the advice and consent of the Historic Landmark Commission.

#### Supplemental Information to the Application for Demolition

#### Pre-Submittal Meeting

The Other Side Academy has held numerous meetings with the Community & Neighborhood Development Department, Planning Division, and Building Division directors and staff to discuss the demolition of this structure. We believe we have met the intent of the Pre-Submittal Meeting. Additional documentation of the dates and discussion at various meetings can be provided upon request.

#### Project Description

The project description and summary of conditions that warrant demolition are provided in the narrative above.

#### Integrity of the Structure

Photos of the historic structure and current conditions are provided as Attachments D and E.

#### Streetscape Condition

Documentation of the streetscape condition and evidence of changes to the streetscape over time are provided as Attachment F.

#### Threat to Public Health and Safety

The description of the threat to public health and safety is provided in the narrative above.

#### Evidence of No Willful Neglect

The Other Side Academy purchased the subject property on January 20, 2016. The property at the time was in much the same condition as it remains at present. The present condition is not the result of willful neglect or damage as a result of any action or inaction by the present owner.

Due to the condition of the structure and the risk of being on, in or around the structure, no maintenance is possible to the structure. The condition of the structure in its present condition is unsafe, is not habitable, and requires immediate removal of the damaged and hazardous portions of the building. The best option to address the blight and hazards of the building at present is to remove it entirely, which is the purpose of this petition.

Due to the condition of the structure, the building is not habitable and no tenants can be secured.

The Other Side Academy maintains boarding of the building, and has secured the perimeter of the property with temporary fencing. The heightened state of homelessness, and a rampant drug and opioid crisis in Salt Lake City, puts constant pressure on keeping the property secure. Fencing and boards on this and other neighboring properties are often removed, with evidence of frequent unauthorized entry. The Other Side Academy has further instituted a 24-hour surveillance program with patrols of the property at all hours of the day and night, seeking to mitigate this risk and minimize unauthorized access to this and other neighboring vacant properties.

#### Additional Applications/Bond

The interim reuse plan for this property is being coordinated through a separate permitting process. The property was recently combined through a lot consolidation with the adjacent properties at 50 South and 54 South 700 East, and an active plan review for the Middle House renovation of the

adjacent structure, at 50 South 700 East (permit log number 2017-05437) in in process. The reuse of the area of the subject structure is incorporated into the renovation and site development plans for the Middle House.

We are seeking to immediately remedy the existing hazardous condition of the building through demolition pursuant to the Emergency Demolition provisions of the city code. We are therefore not pursuing economic hardship or other redevelopment plans to replace the structure at this time.

#### Policy and Economic Impediments to Reconstruction

The intent of the Historic Overlay District is to preserve structures that are largely intact, and are habitable or can be made habitable through reasonable preservation and remodeling techniques. So much of this structure is damaged beyond repair—including portions of exterior walls, chimney, porches, windows, doors, eaves, roof, dormers, and other character-defining features and details—that the structure would require substantial reconstruction, both inside and outside, to become habitable. Reconstruction is not the policy intent of the Historic Preservation Plan and ordinances, and can often lead to a false sense of history.

The costs to abate the hazardous conditions while retaining any salvageable portion of the existing structure are not practical or reasonable. As a nonprofit entity, the typical preservation incentives of state or federal historic preservation tax credits are not available to the Owner. The City has offered no incentives for preservation of the structure. Even if such financial incentives were available for preservation to The Other Side Academy or another owner, it is questionable whether they would be applicable given the extent of reconstruction that would be required. These financial incentives are typically available for restoration and preservation, not for new construction or reconstruction.

It is the intent of The Other Side Academy to explore long-term redevelopment and reuse of the site once the immediate hazards and blight have been remediated and removed. The primary purpose of The Other Side Academy is to provide a safe, healthy and risk-free environment for the education and healing of its vocational and life-skills program participants and residents. This structure in its current state is a hazard to residents of the property, and puts other adjacent historic properties, which can and are being preserved, at risk.

#### Additional Criteria and Justification to Warrant Demolition

Though this petition is based on a warrant for demolition under Section Q of Historic Overlay Zone, we have also applied the criteria under Section L, Standards For Approval Of A Certification of Appropriateness For Demolition (see Attachment G), which may also warrant demolition. Our reservation with applying these standards is that the condition of the building warrants demolition under the hazardous conditions, and our concern with establishing precedent for these Standards to be otherwise used in inappropriate ways that jeopardize future preservation efforts. We offer these as a reference, but not our primary consideration for a Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition of an Contributing Structure.

#### Summary

Based on these findings, evidence, and analysis of the impacts on the historic district, we believe that the structure at 46 South 700 East is an imminent hazard, will not have a significant negative impact on the historic district, and should be declared by Salt Lake City as to warrant and approved by the Historic Landmarks Commission for immediate emergency demolition.

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Sincerely,

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# **Attachment B**

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Soren.

Mayor Biskupski asked me to respond to an email you recently sent her. I have copied your email below for your reference.

We continue to work on finding members for the Board of Appeals, Building Services has sent names to the Mayor's office. I believe one was submitted to the council and another was given a thumbs down during informal conversations between mayor and council staffs. Others have declined the opportunity. We are submitting new group of names to the Mayor. This board has always been a challenging board to fill, but we continue to work on it. You mentioned that you are pursuing a more traditional demolition process through the HLC as well. That is great. Have you submitted the appropriate information to the Planning Division? If so I have not been informed of your application. That avenue has been available to TOSA since that group purchased the property almost two years ago and certainly been on everyone's radar since you made the request for emergency demolition seven months ago.

You may have heard the Historic Landmark Commission recently approved the demolition of two historic structures. The time between the applicant's submittal and action by the HLC was only a few months. It is possible that a quick submission by you might have had this issue resolved through more traditional means by now. I encourage you to submit an application as soon as possible if you haven't already.

I will keep you informed on out progress with the Board of Appeals.

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Mayor Biskupski -

It will be seven months next week since we submitted a request regarding the demolition and abatement of a dangerous and collapsing building at 46 South 700 East. The petition to demolish this building meets all three "warrants" that apply to Emergency Demolitions in the municipal code. This building is a blight and a hazard. There is no rationale reason why it should remain, partially collapsed, with large pieces of roof structure dangling in the air. Portions of the collapsed structure, large enough to kill someone, have been blown off in recent wind storms.

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It will also be six months next week since we submitted an Appeal to the administrative determination rejecting the Emergency Demolition. It is the latter that I am writing about today.

My last communication from the City on this matter (see below) is from February. This and prior communications sounded as though the Board of Appeals was being actively re-constituted. I have been communicating with the council office as well over the past month, but indications are that they have not received any Board recommendations at this point.

Board appointments are a function of the Mayor's Office. The property owner and the neighborhood want and need your help. I believe you have the full support of the community in getting this building demolished, using whatever process is most expedient. At this point, that appears to be the Appeals process.

Even some of the most active historic preservationists in Salt Lake concur that this building is not a candidate for preservation at this point. If you were to give some direction to the Department or Division director, I'm sure they could expedite the Emergency Demolition, and avoid the Appeal altogether. If not, then it is imperative that the Board of Appeals be fully staff and functioning as soon as possible.

Can you please give me an update on the Board of Appeals appointments? Six months is not a reasonable time to wait for what should be a standing board of the City. It sounds like the process of getting the Board appointed has not even started. Any assistance will be greatly appreciated. The Council has suggested that they can help expedite recommendations for this Board from you. I suggested several names for Board members to the Division Director back in January. I am happy to suggest additional recommendations for appointments to this Board to you if it will be helpful.

We are pursuing an alternate HLC demolition process at this point as well. I received some input from the Planning Division in late March, indicating that the City may be no longer be enforcing the "bona-fide preservation effort" in the current city code that requires a one-year waiting period for demolitions of historic structures. I know the Planning Division is also pursuing some changes to the city code for demolitions in historic districts, along with other historic preservation policies. I have no idea how that may affect our petition using that alternate path. I know that applications are often not processed while ordinance changes are pending, and that this petition would be impacted by such an ordinance change. This route for demolition may be a viable alternate, but is still many months away from resolution in the best case scenario.

I believe that given the condition of the property, lives are at risk. I respectfully request that you make this a high priority.

Thank you -

## Attachment C

Environmental Hazard Report



## **Limited Asbestos Survey**

### The Other Side Academy 46 S. 700 E. Salt Lake City, Utah 84102



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#### Limited Asbestos Inspection The Other Side Academy

#### A. Introduction

Asbestos bulk sampling was conducted for The Other Side Academy, whose property is located at 46 S. 700 E. Salt Lake City, UT. The results of that survey are listed in the following summary table as well as on the laboratory analysis that is included in this inspection survey. This inspection was completed for the given property to assist in the demolition and/or remodel of the areas listed on this survey. Darrell Byers is a state accredited asbestos inspector, ASB-5101. Aerolite Consulting LLC is a certified asbestos company, ASBC-520.

#### B. Bulk Sample Summary

Sampling was conducted on 03-19-2016 and samples were analyzed by Pro-Lab.

Walls are listed as A,B,C, or D. Wall "A" is the wall closest to the road at the front of the building and walls B,C, & D are in order clockwise around each room. Possible Asbestos Containing Building Material shall be listed on report as "Possible ACBM". Regulated Asbestos Containing Material shall be listed on report as "RACM".

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Sample #	Possible ACBM	ACBM Location	Analysis	Sample Results	RACM	Count	Quantity
P-1	Plaster	Upstairs South Room Wall	PLM	None Detected	No		2200sf
DW-1	Drywall System	Upstairs North Room Wall	PLM	None Detected	No		780sf
SCT-1	Spray On Ceiling Texture	Family Room Ceiling	PLM	5% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		900sf
SCT-2	Spray On Ceiling Texture	Living Room Ceiling	PLM	5% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		900sf
SCT-3	Spray On Ceiling Texture	Entry Ceiling	PLM	5% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		900sf
sv	SV Sheet Vinyl Kitchen Floor PLM		PLM	None Detected	No		150sf
CV	Cove Base	Kitchen Hallway	PLM	PLM None Detected			35sf
P-2	Plaster	Entry Wall	PLM	None Detected	No		2200si
P-3	Plaster	Living Room Wall	PLM	None Detected	No		2200st
DW-2	Drywall System	Basement Landing	PLM	Less than 1% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		780sf

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Sample #	Possible ACBM	ACBM Location	Analysis	Sample Results	RACM	Point Count	Quantity
DW-3	Drywall System	Basement Room Wall	PLM	None Detected	No		780sf
DT	Duct Tape	Basement Utility (HVAC Ducts)	PLM	80% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		100sf
VT	Vinyl Tile	Basement Floor	PLM	5% Chrysotile Asbestos	Yes		250sf

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#### C. Summary

State regulations and Federal OSHA requirements state that any and all asbestos containing materials (ACM) be removed by properly trained and certified professionals. Abatement is necessary for materials which are or may become friable during the demolition, renovation, or remodel.

1. The samples taken of the spray on ceiling texture, drywall system in the basement landing, duct tape and the vinyl tile in the basement floor were positive for asbestos and should only be removed or disturbed by trained asbestos professionals.

2. The overall condition of the building is not safe, the roof is caved in and most of the cellings (including the spray on ceiling texture (RACM)) have fallen contaminating the structure. There are several areas of the building where suspect asbestos containing material could not be sampled and should be assumed to contain asbestos. The entire structure should be assumed to contain asbestos and other hazardous materials and should be demolished accordingly.

#### D. Additional Considerations:

i. Point Count Analysis:

PLM analysis (polarized light microscopy) is a visual estimation of asbestos in the materials sampled. If samples taken are listed on this report as containing less than 1% asbestos they are still considered to contain regulated levels of asbestos unless additional Point Count Analysis is performed by the designated laboratory. Point Counting is a more specific, yet random counting of asbestos fibers and is required by the EPA prior to labeling any asbestos material as non-regulated.

#### ii. OSHA:

a. Although the EPA and, in turn, the State's Division of Air Quality do not consider materials that contain less than 1% asbestos to be RACM (Regulated Asbestos Containing Material), there are still OSHA regulations in place to protect workers as they come in contact with these asbestos materials. Reviewing these regulations prior to demolition/renovation is recommended to ensure compliance.

Aerolite Consulting LLC has performed this asbestos survey to identify the existence and condition of possible asbestos containing materials. Aerolite Consulting LLC has completed this survey in a reasonable and professional manner to identify any suspect materials that are friable or may become friable if disturbed during any proceeding demolitions, renovations, or remodels. Sampling was performed in a limited and selective manner to minimize damage to the building structure. There is always a possibility for potential SACM (suspect asbestos containing materials) not identified or sampled during the survey. These SACM may be covered or hidden by floors, walls, ceilings, and possibly other areas not accessible during the survey. Although there is a low possibility of additional SACM being present in the building, it is always prudent for the contractor providing the demolition, renovation, or remodel to be aware of this possibility and to take appropriate actions if additional SACM are discovered. If additional SACM are uncovered, it is recommended that appropriate precautions be taken which may include but are not limited to additional sampling. Contact Aerolite Consulting LLC if any SACM that were not sampled are discovered. Note: This survey is a limited asbestos inspection and only includes and applies to the areas and materials listed.

Darrell Byers

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# AEROLITE LEADERS IN TESTING INSPECTIONS AND ENERGY



Sample P-1



Sample DW-1



Sample SCT-1



Sample SCT-2



Sample SCT-3



Sample SV



Sample CV



Sample P-2



Sample P-3

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Sample DW-3



Sample DT



Sample VT

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The Utah Division of Air Quality certifies that
Aerolite Consulting LLC
is hereby certified as an asbestos company in
accordance with the provisions of Utah Administrative
Code R307-801

Certification number ASBC-520

Expiration date 12/31/16

Director, Utah Division of Air Quality

DAQA-003-15

December 14, 2015

Jonathan Brockbank Aerolite Consulting, LLC 1162 W 1325 S Springville, UT 84663

Mr. Brockbank:

Re: Utah Asbestos Company Certification Card

The Utah Division of Air Quality (DAQ) has received your Certification Application for Asbestos Company and we are pleased to inform you that your application has been approved. Your new Asbestos company certification card is enclosed with this letter and this card is the sole method of Asbestos company certification documentation that you will receive from the DAQ. Please check the information on your asbestos company certification card carefully and please confirm that the company name and certification expiration date are correct.

Please be aware that your company is certified to perform asbestos projects in accordance with applicable state and federal rules and the use of Utah certified individuals is mandatory. Also, your certification may be revoked or suspended if the Utah certified individual or company are found to be in violation of the asbestos certification and work practices standards found in Utah Administrative Code R307-801 or the National Emission Standard for Asbestos found in Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations Part 61 Subpart M.

If you have any questions about this letter or the enclosed asbestos company certification card, please contact Lisa Haroutunian at (801) 536-4007 or at Iharoutunian a utah.gov.

Sincerely.

Robert W. Ford, Manager

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THE OTHER SIDE ACADEMY

46 S 700 E SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84102

3/19/2016 Samples

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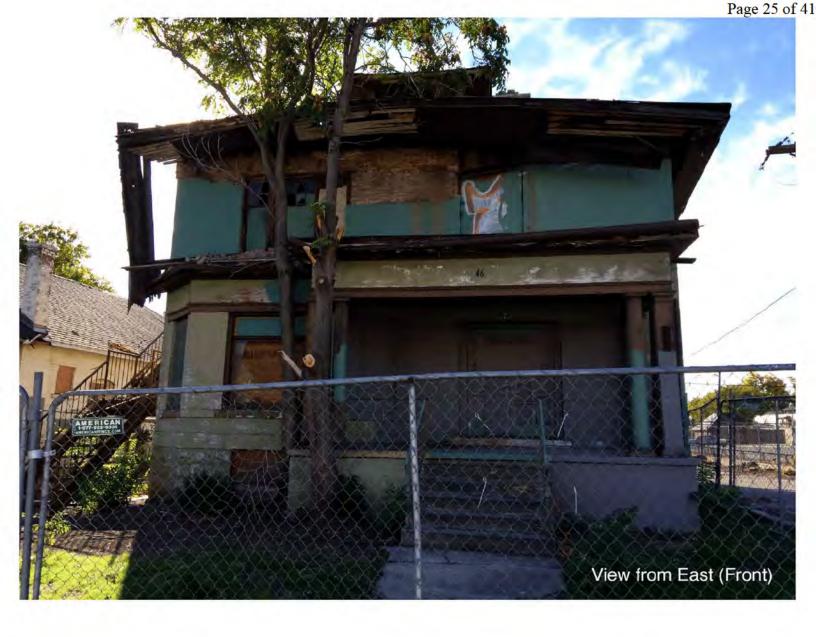
# **Attachment D**

Historic Building Photos



## Attachment E

Existing Building Photos









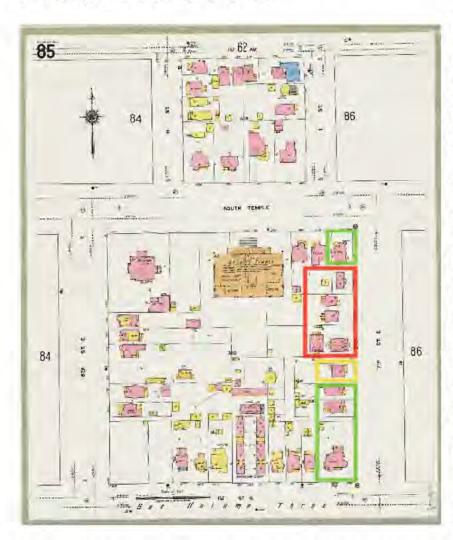




# Attachment F

Streetscape Condition

The subject structure is located mid-block on the west side of 700 East between South Temple and 100 South. The block face was historically a mix of interspersed, single- and small multi-family structures. The 1950 Sanborn Map below shows the density and mix of residential structures that once occupied this block face of 700 East.



The subject property is highlighted in yellow on the map to the left. The other remaining structures on the block face are highlighted in green, 5 of the 10 historic structures on the block face have been previously demolished, highlighted in red. All of the previously demolished structures were replaced by parking lots, either for the Masonic Temple, or for the Anniversary Inn, both of which face South Temple.

It is apparent that the precedent for preservation gives deference to South Temple and 100 South street frontages, with 700 East evolving more as a street of utility, perhaps due to its later classification as a state highway and major arterial street.

Because many of the structures on the street are already demolished, the

demolition of the subject structure wll have very little impact on the historic character and quality of this specific block face. Also, considering that the block faces of 700 East further south are already a mix of historic and contemporary structures and parking lots, incorporating a wide range of architectural styles, there will be little or no impact to the historic district as a whole resulting from this demolition.

The blighted and hazardous condition of the subject structure in its present condition has a significant negative impact on the streetscape. Whether the property reuse is landscaping, which is anticipated as the interim use, or the structure is eventually replaced by a new structure, which is the anticipated long-term use, the net effect will be an overall improvement to the block from its presently blighted condition. The design guidelines for new construction sufficiently address compatibility of a new structure in a way that will not negatively impact the streetscape long-term.

### Images of Existing Streetscape Conditions

667 East 100 South - Armstrong Mansion



54 South 700 East



50 South 700 East



46 South 700 East - Subject Property



#### 22-38 South 700 East - Parking Lots

Adjacent to the proposed demolition site, this large parking lot of the Masonic Temple covers roughly 2.5 acres, as pictured in the photo and Figure 1 below. Further north is a second, smaller parking lot for the Anniversary Inn Bed & Breakfast. Historically, these lots included both single and multi-family dwellings. The removal of historic buildings for these parking lots substantially altered the streetscape and block face in this portion of the Historic District.



Figure 1: Parking lot footprint in historical district.



678 East South Temple - Anniversary Inn



# **Attachment G**

Analysis of Standards for Demolition

## Application and Analysis of Standards For Approval Of A Certificate Of Appropriateness For Demolition:

 The physical integrity of the site as defined in subsection C15b of this section is no longer evident

The physical integrity of the structure and site have greatly deteriorated as a result of a fire and subsequent weather damage. In fact, the structure may already be subject to loss of its contributing status, since so many of the character-defining elements of the building are destroyed beyond repair. To make the building habitable would constitute substantial "reconstruction" rather than "preservation", and reconstruction is not a prevailing goal of the Historic Overlay Zone.

 The streetscape within the context of the H historic preservation overlay district would not be negatively affected

The historic streetscape has already significantly eroded (see Attachment F), with nearly half of the historic structures on the block face previously demolished and replaced by a large parking lot. This is a similar pattern along much of 700 East, at the edge of this historic district. Given the adjacency of this structure to the large parking lot, the overall streetscape would not be negatively affected.

c. The demolition would not adversely affect the H historic preservation overlay district due to the surrounding noncontributing structures

There are several contributing structures to the south of the subject building. However, as noted above, the prior historic structures to the north have been previously demolished. The pattern of historic structures in this district, especially on 700 East, are clusters of historic buildings rather than a contiguous block of historic structures. As such, the overall character of the historic district would not be adversely affected.

d. The base zoning of the site is incompatible with reuse of the structure

The base zoning is RMF-35. The historic structure was built as a single-family residence. Although some single-family structures have been subdivided into apartments in this district over the years, the lot utilization and scale of the building as a single family structure is not ideal in its compatibility with the base zoning.

e. The reuse plan is consistent with the standards outlined in subsection H of this section

The temporary reuse plan is consistent with standards of the overlay zoning and base zoning. The temporary interim use is as open yard space. The eventual reuse of the site by The Other Side Academy is for group home or transitional housing consistent with their own mission and other priority goals for Salt Lake City. A new structure can be easily designed and developed as an infill site consistent with the standards for compatibility.

- f. The site has not suffered from willful neglect, as evidenced by the following:
  - Willful or negligent acts by the owner that deteriorates the structure

The property was purchased by The Other Side Academy in January 2016. The property was already badly damaged, partially collapsed, and severely eroded by weather. There has been no willful neglect by the present owner, and they have made attempts to secure the site from

unlawful entry, vandalism and vagrancy, which have been prevalent in other vacant structures in the area. The most appropriate action to prevent further neglect of the site and deterioration of the neighborhood character is to demolish the structure and improve the property as proposed.

2. Failure to perform normal maintenance and repairs,

The structure is too badly damaged, and it is not possible to maintain and repair the structure in its collapsed and deteriorated condition.

3. Failure to diligently solicit and retain tenants, and

The building is not habitable, and soliciting tenants is not possible.

4. Failure to secure and board the structure if vacant; and

The property has been secured with temporary fencing and boarded by the current owner, The Other Side Academy. They also patrol the property on a 24-hour basis to prevent further vandalism, vagrancy or unlawful entry and other detrimental activity.

g. The denial of a certificate of appropriateness for demolition would cause an "economic hardship" as defined and determined pursuant to the provisions of subsection K of this section.

Though the current owner has not conducted a rigorous "economic hardship" analysis and verification, the costs for demolition and replacement of the collapsed portions of the building, remediation of asbestos throughout the structure, removal of biological waste (human feces, etc.), and drug paraphernalia, the estimated costs to do so would exceed the value of the property. The owner is also a nonprofit organization, a non-taxable entity, and would not benefit from typical preservation incentives such as tax credits. The City has offered no incentives for preservation. If required, the owner could provide evidence to substantiate "economic hardship." However, do to so would simply prolong the detrimental impacts of not demolishing the building immediately.

#### Conclusion

From this limited analysis, we believe that there is compelling argument that 6 of the 7 criteria are met:

- a) integrity of site meets standard
- b) streetscape meets standard
- c) impact on district meets standard
- d) base zoning meets standard
- e) proposed site plan meets standard
- f) no willful neglect meets standard
- g) economic hardship not sufficiently evaluated, but likely meets standard

Demolition by these standards may be justified. However, we believe that the most appropriate justification for demolition of the structure is Section Q of the Historic Overlay Zone, for reasons of removing a hazardous structure.

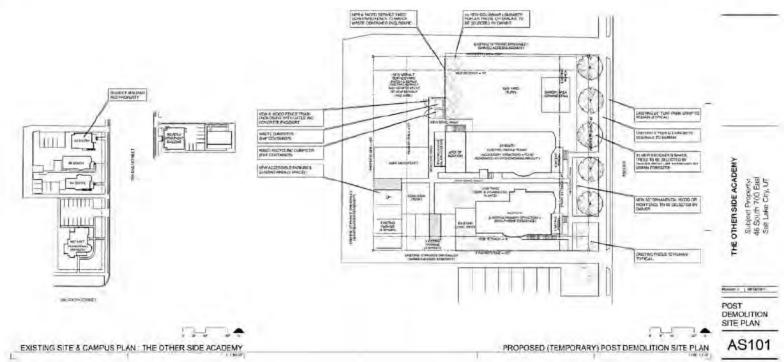
A drawn-out process to establish "economic hardship" and a "bonafide preservation effort" would be detrimental to broader preservation efforts in Salt Lake City when the justification for

and outcome of demolition is certain. Leaving this building standing any longer than absolutely necessary puts lives at risk.

# **Attachment H**

Proposed Site Plan (Interim Post Demolition Reuse Plan)





## EXHIBIT B: BUILDING OFFICIAL LETTER



Soren Simonsen Community Studio Impact Hub Salt Lake 150 S. State, First Floor Salt Lake City, UT 84152 Soren@communitystudio.us 801-706-1055

RE: Request From The Other Side Academy for Emergency Demolition at 46 South 700 East and 647 East 100 South

#### Dear Soren:

I am writing in response to your November 4, 2016 letter regarding your request for emergency demolition at the properties located at approximately 46 South 700 East and 647 East 100 South (collectively, the "Properties"). I discussed your request with the Fire Marshal, Ryan Mellor, and Community and Neighborhoods Director, Mike Reberg, at length. Joel Paterson, Greg Mikolash, and I personally inspected the structures located on the Properties as well. Based upon those conversations, in-person observation of the structures, and relevant information regarding the Properties, I have determined that emergency demolition is not the appropriate path forward. I have included the facts and relevant sections of City Code below to provide some context for this decision.

#### Background

Both properties have been boarded for some time and are closed to occupancy. The following is the boarding history of each property:

#### 46 S 700 E

- HAZ2001-105014 (06/07/2001) was opened by Nole Walkingshaw and is currently being monitored by Phillip Booth. The building has been inspected regularly as Vacant/Secured.
- HAZ2001-105106 (08/10/2001) was opened by Alan Michelsen verified boarded as of 09/12/2001.

#### 647 E 100 S

• HAZ2014-01070 (05/08/2014) opened in conjunction with HAZ2014-01030, Boarding (05/06/2014), Buildings confirmed boarded as of 11/06/2014. Currently being monitored by Phillip Booth. The building has been inspected regularly as Vacant/Secured.



Information regarding calls for service over the last two years to the Police and Fire Department is provided below:

#### 46 S 700 E

- Police: One call since 8/30/2014; "Trespass."
- Fire: One call since 2014; "Sick Person."

#### 647 E 100 S

- Police: Three calls since 3/20/2014; "Larceny, Trespass."
- Fire: One call since 10/14/14; Gas leak.

#### City Code

As you are aware, it has been the City's policy, especially on contributing structures in local historic districts, to seriously consider the City Council's Purpose and Intent Statements, memorialized in the current City Code, when making determinations on what conditions rise to the level of authorizing an "emergency demolition." The Purpose and Intent section regarding demolition states:

A primary intent of the city council with respect to this chapter is to avoid demolition, or partial demolition, of buildings in a manner that disrupts the character and development pattern of established neighborhood and business areas. Accordingly, the council finds that it is in the public interest to:

- 1. Require existing buildings to be maintained in a habitable condition until replaced by new construction, except as otherwise permitted by this code;
- 2. Avoid demolition of existing structures until a complete building permit application is submitted for new construction, except as otherwise provided in this chapter; and
- 3. Avoid creation of vacant demolition sites with minimal or no landscaping or other improvements.

See City Code 18.64.005(B).

Nonetheless, a building may be demolished pursuant to City Code 18.64 (Demolition) in compliance with City Code 21A.34.020 (Historic Overlay District) when relevant, or under exigent circumstances, pursuant to City Code 18.48 (Emergency Demolition). The emergency demolition standard is set forth under ordinance as:

If the building official determines that the walls or roof of a building or structure are collapsing, either in whole or in part, or in imminent danger of collapsing in such a way as to fall on other structures, property or public rights of way, or create a danger to persons who may enter the property, or create a danger of fire, the building official may seek an order that the building should be demolished pursuant to this article.



In their current condition, I do not believe that either of the structures rise(s) to the level of "collapsing," or are in imminent danger of collapsing in such a way as to fall on other occupied structures or into the public right of way. Both structures are boarded and have been boarded for several years. It should be noted that it is the responsibility of the building owner to avoid "demolition by neglect" as described under City Code 18.64.045, by securing and maintaining the buildings under current onsite conditions. This being the case, we are formally denying your request for "emergency demolition" under current site conditions. Should site conditions significantly change, I would be happy to re-evaluate the onsite conditions.

Moreover, if you would like to move forward with the demolition process pursuant to City Code 21A.34.020, or other processes for which one can apply for demolition of these structures, I would recommend that you meet with staff in the Planning Division at Salt Lake City to determine the most expedient path forward in the process.

I wish you and your client continued success as you pursue your pathway to code compliant re-use of existing structures on these sites, or demolition, if later permitted through a different process under City Code. I will do everything within my authority to help you succeed with your project.

Respectfully,

Orion Goff, Chief Building Official

Director of Building Services and Civil Enforcement

Salt Lake City Corporation

Cc:

## EXHIBIT C: PROPERTY HISTORY

### **46 S 700 East Street History**

#### **Summary**

According to City records, the subject property has been damaged by three separate fires in 1980, 1992, and 2005. Since 1929, the City has issued eight building permits, three plumbing permits, 13 electrical permits, and four boarding permits. The City has responded to 43 complaints of graffiti and has a record of 9 additional complaints or violations. The City has also processed one special exception (approved), one certificate of appropriateness (unknown), one emergency demolition (appealed), and one subdivision (approved).

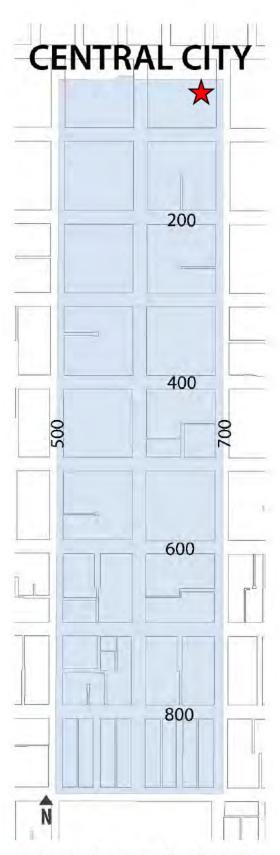
#### Records

Date Opened	Type, number, and description
October 15, 1929	Building Permit No. 44935. Owner identified as Mr. McCrystal $-$ Wm. B. Hesterman (Commercial building)
October 16, 1929	Power and Heat Permit No. 6842-5406
October 2, 1930	Electrical Permit No. 5556
<b>December 4, 1933</b>	Electrical Permit No. 2777
December 23, 1933	Electrical Permit No. 6823
November 10, 1934	Electrical Permit No. 8188
April 18, 1938	Electrical Permit No. 39826
January 20, 1941	Electrical Permit No. 18334
August 20, 1942	Building Permit No. 35155
October 16, 1942	Electrical Permit No. 35213
December 12, 1942	Electrical Permit No. 3523
June 6, 1956	Building Permit No. 9491 (Garage)
October 8, 1969	Building Permit No. 23314 (Remodel residence)
November 10, 1969	Plumbing Permit No. 23547
April 6, 1978	Building Permit No. 7814 (Code compliance inspection)
January 22, 1980	Electrical Permit No. 24434 (Repair wiring)
July 16, 1980	Salt Lake City Architectural Survey conducted by Architects Planners Alliance
November 2, 1981	Building Permit No. 12096 (Repair fire damage to mental hospital. Owner identified as Clyde Harvey)
November 4, 1981	Electrical Permit No. 12149 (Remodel miscellaneous wiring of fire damage)
May 9, 1983	Board of Adjustment No. 21607 (Special exception for adult residential treatment center at 46, 50, and 54 S 700 East in an R-6 Residential District)
<b>December 7, 1983</b>	Building Permit No. 25903 (Add fire escape to health facility)
May 13, 1987	Building Permit No. 76538 (2,025 ft² interior remodel of healthcare facility)
May 20, 1987	Plumbing Permit No. 76728 (Install one water heater in health facility)
May 20, 1987	Plumbing Permit No. 76752 (Install electric water heater)
July 22, 1987	Electrical Permit No. 78692 (Electrical repairs)
February 6, 1991	Community Action Team No. HLC CAT-1991 (Inspect property for violent transients, rooms papered with pornography, needles)

May 14, 1991 Central City Local Historic District established by Ordinance 32 of 1991 April 14, 1992 Fire Inspection No. 10840 (Fire inspection; structural damage to roof, rear addition and kitchen area. Will need to completely remove rear addition. Complete plans required for roof and rear addition, if rebuilt) Boarding Permit No. 71107 (Annual permit to board) August 31, 1992 January 1994 Central City Local Historic District Reconnaissance Level Survey conducted by Lisa Miller, Research Consultant Address Flag No. 14708 (Remodel without permit. Contractor unknown) August 17, 1994 National Park Certification of Central City Historic District August 22, 1996 **December 3, 1996** Address Flag No. 5001417 (Penalties for boarding without permit) Address Flag No. 5003058 (Penalties for boarding without permit, which February 25, 1999 include late fees and mitigation fees, total \$2,390.00) July 1, 1999 Boarding Permit No. 141627 (Annual permit to board) March 27, 2001 Boarding Permit No. 5004974 (Annual permit to board) August 9, 2001 Complaint No. HAZ2001-105014 (Request to replace missing boards) August 10, 2001 Complaint No. HAZ2001-105106 (Follow up boarding status) June 11, 2002 Boarding Permit No. 160591 (Annual permit to board) Fire Incident No. 11305 November 3, 2005 December 3, 2007 Certificate of Appropriateness No. PLN2007-226121 (Property owner identified as Overland Development Corporation) Complaint No. HAZ2008-191063 (Weed abatement) May 21, 2008 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2010-01264 February 9, 2010 March 12, 2010 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2010-02858 August 3, 2010 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2010-07811 August 31, 2010 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2010-08822 November 19, 2010 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2010-11806 February 4, 2011 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-01625 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-03206 March 11, 2011 March 18, 2011 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-03468 May 6, 2011 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-05428 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-06024 June 9, 2011 **November 8, 2011** Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-13961 December 1, 2011 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-14309 December 20, 2011 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2011-15085 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-00851 January 18, 2012 April 16, 2012 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-05987 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-09284 June 18, 2012 July 13, 2012 Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-10162

<b>September 25, 2012</b>	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-13049
October 9, 2012	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-13573
October 25, 2012	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-14311
November 27, 2012	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-15759
December 12, 2012	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2012-16455
February 27, 2013	$Complaint \ No.\ HAZ2013-00226\ (Abatement\ boarding\ permit.\ Property\ owneridentified\ as\ Northcliffe\ III\ LLC)$
April 25, 2013	Central City Standard Reconnaissance-Level Survey Report (revised final) published by Certus Environmental Solutions, LLC
February 12, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-01870
March 10, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-02758
April 7, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-03755
May 27, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-05590
September 2, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-08237
September 2, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-08249
October 21, 2014	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2014-09993
January 8, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-00281
March 16, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-02490
July 9, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-06202
July 13, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-06275
July 27, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-06760
August 7, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-06996
August 26, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-07614
October 28, 2015	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2015-09549
January 21, 2016	The Other Side Holdings, LLC records deed to acquire property
March 15, 2016	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2016-02571
May 4, 2016	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2016-04296
November 30, 2016	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2016-09207
December 23, 2016	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2016-09724
December 31, 2016	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2016-10086
April 13, 2017	Graffiti Removal No. GRF2017-02856
April 24, 2017	Appeal No. PLNAPP2017-00308 (Appeal administrative decision to deny emergency demolition request. Case pending)
June 2, 2017	Subdivision No. PLNSUB2017-00421 (Lot consolidation of 46, 50, and 54 S 700 East into one parcel recorded September 7, 2017)
August 23, 2017	Complaint No. HAZ2017-02804 (House is falling down. Very dangerous, unsightly blight. Owner needs to repair building)

## EXHIBIT D: HISTORIC DISTRICT MAP



★ Approximate Project Location

## EXHIBIT E: RECONNAISANCE LEVEL SURVEYS

Surveyor	APA		
Date	116/80		

Plat No. B Block No. \_ 60

### Salt Lake City Architectural Survey

Lot No.

Salt Lake City Planning Commission Structure/Site Information Form

Street Add	dress: 46	South 700 E	Census Tract	Census Tract/9			
Name of S	tructure:		Own	ership: Public Private			
υ		Construction Date or	Period: 04. 1905				
Original U	se: single	e family					
Original U  Present Us  X Single Fa  Multi Fa  Public  Commer	amily mily	Park Industrial Agricultural	_ Vacant _ Religious _ Other				
Building C Excellen Good Deterior	it	_ Site _ Ruins	Integrity: Unaltered  Minor Alterati Major Alterati	ions			
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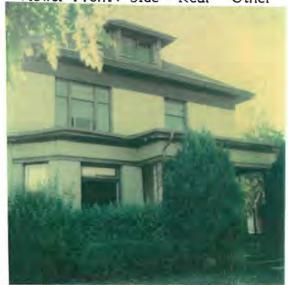
Title Abstracts

Documentation

Photography:

Date of Photographs: 1980

Views: Front / Side Rear Other



Architect/Builder (if known):

**Building Materials:** 

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Description of Physical Appearance & Significant Architectural Features:

Building Type/Style:

Number of Stories:

(Include additions, alterations, ancillary structures, and landscaping if applicable)

### UTAH STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE STRUCTURE/SITE INFORMATION FORM

IDENTIFICATION	_ Public State _	Private Public Local Public Federal ict (if applicable): 674 6	The state of the s	s. 5-101-005	
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E/STATUS N	Original Use: Single  Property Category building structure site object	function  valuation  eligible/ potentially eligible ineligible out-of-period	ent Use:  Condition Excellent Sood fair deteriorated ruins	Alterations none minor major moved demolished	
ATION &	Photo Dateslides: _prints:1989 _ historic:	Drawings and Plans measured floorplan site sketch map original plans availab	_ other:	can Building Survey	
DOCUMENTATION	Research Sources abstract of title plat records/map tax card & photo building permit sewer permit Sanborn maps obituary index	city directories census records biographical encyclope newspapers city/county histories personal interviews Utah State Historical	edias BYU I U of USU I LDS (	Library Library U Library Library Genealogical Library Church Archives	

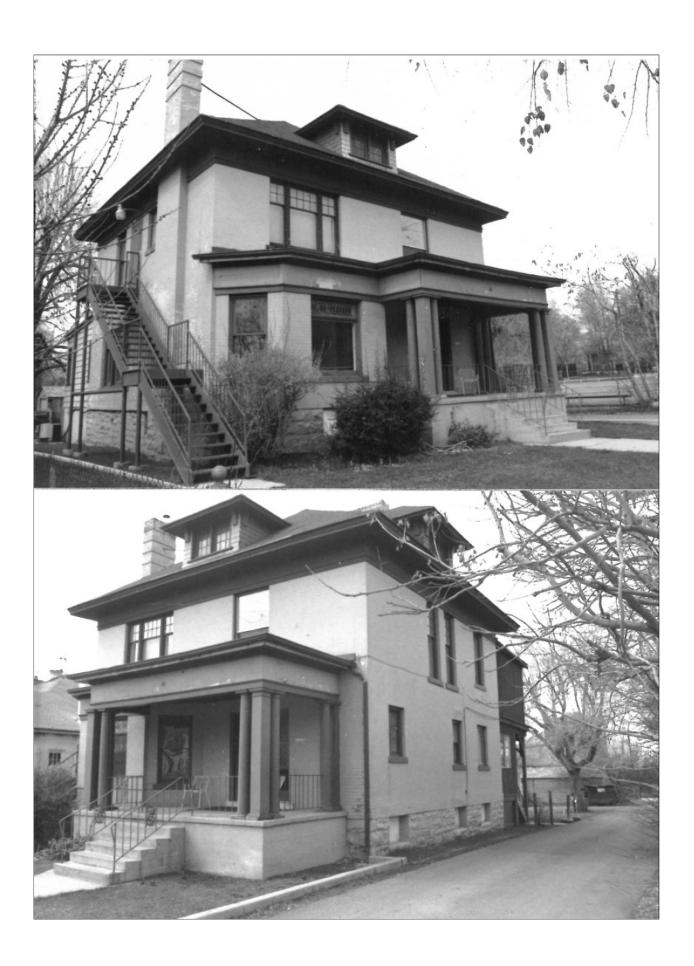
BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES (books, records, interviews, photos, maps, etc.)

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Architect/Builder:

Date of Construction:

Write a chronological history of the property, focusing primarily on the original or principal owners & significant events.



### 700 EAST STREET WEST SIDE 1 of 3

KODAK SOS2 TMX

KODAK 5052 TMX

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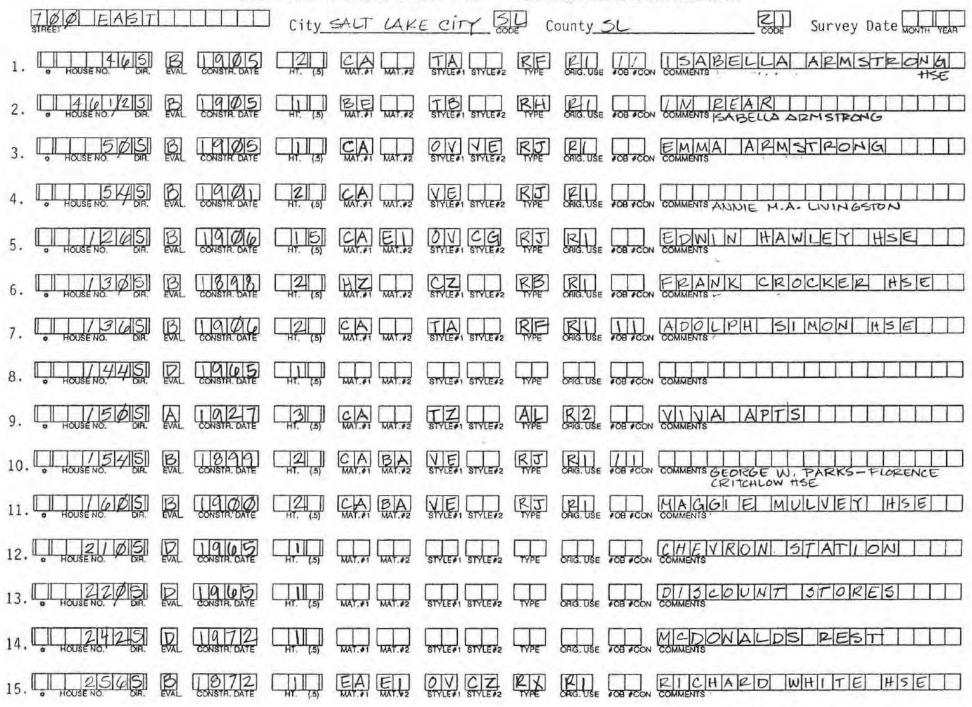








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SURVEYOR LISA MILLER

(Form updated 7-93)





ADDRESS	RATING	DATE	HGHT	TYPE	STYLE	MATERIALS	USE	OBS	NOTES
46 S 700 EAST	EC	1905	2	FOURSQUARE (BOX)	ARTS & CRAFTS	REGIJLAR BRICK	SINGLE DWELLING	1 CON	ABANDONED; COLLAPSING
?48 S 700 EAST	EC	1905	1	CENTRAL BLK W/ PROJ BAYS	VICTORIAN ECLECTIC	REGULAR BRICK	SINGLE DWELLING		IN REAR
54 S 700 EAST	EC	1901	2	CENTRAL BLK W/ PROJ BAYS	VICTORIAN ECLECTIC	REGULAR BRICK	SINGLE DWELLING	0	
126 S 700 EAST	EC	1906	1.5	CENTRAL BLK W/ PROJ BAYS	GREEK REVIVAL	ALUM./VINYL SIDING REGULAR BRICK	SINGLE DWELLING	0	
130 S 700 EAST	EC	1871	2	RECTANGULAR BLOCK	CLASSICAL: OTHER	ADOBE: OTHER/UNDEF STUCCO/PLASTER SHINGLE SIDING	SINGLE DWELLING	1 NON	RESEARCH SUGGESTS HOUSE WAS ORIG. SMALLER (SALTBOX AT REAR)
144 S 700 EAST	EC	1965	1	OTHER COMMMERCIAL/PUBLIC	POST-WWII: OTHER	STONE VENEER STRIATED BRICK	OFFICE	0	
150 S 700 EAST	ES	1927	3.5	DBL-LOADED CORRIDOR APT.	20TH C.: OTHER	MULTI-COLOR BRICK REGULAR BRICK	MULTIPLE DWELLING	0	APTS
154 S 700 EAST	EC.	1899	2	CENTRAL BLK W/ PROJ BAYS	VICTORIAN ECLECTIC	REGULAR BRICK SHINGLE SIDING	SINGLE DWELLING	1 CON	
160 S 700 EAST	EC	1900	2	CENTRAL BLK W/ PROJ BAYS	VICTORIAN ECLECTIC	REGULAR BRICK SHINGLE SIDING	SINGLE DWELLING	0	
?204 S 700 EAST	OP	1980	1	SERVICE STATION	LATE 20TH C.: OTHER	SYNTHETIC STUCCO ALUM./VINYL SIDING	GAS	0	CHEVRON
210 S 700 EAST	NC	1965	1	SUPERMARKET	LATE 20TH C.: OTHER	SYNTHETIC STUCCO BRICK: OTHER	GROCERY	0	SPROUTS

## EXHIBIT F: RECONNAISANCE LEVEL SURVEY MAP

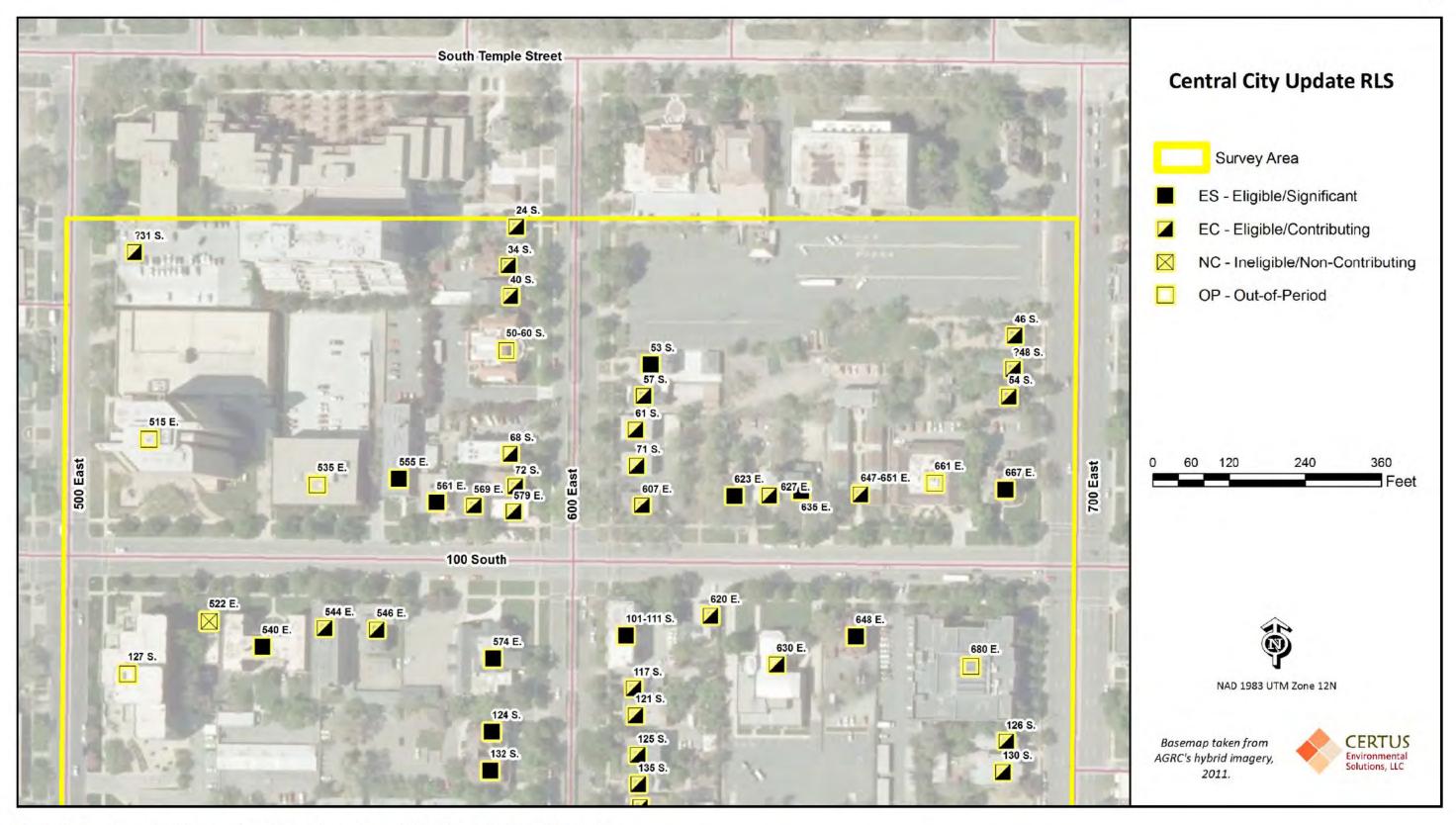


Figure 3. Location of buildings and eligibility ratings, Central City Historic District (Map 1 of 8).

## EXHIBIT G: MASTER PLAN POLICIES

While a discussion of adopted master plan policies is relevant to the demolition request by providing background and contextual information, it is important to note that master plans are not relevant to the demolition standards, and the Historic Landmark Commission should not use information contained within city master plans as the basis for finding whether a demolition standard has been satisfied or not. That said, the following quotes are from various master plans that provide policy information related to the applicant's demolition request:

#### Plan Salt Lake (2015)

• **Preservation Initiatives** – Preserve and enhance neighborhood and district character. Balance preservation with flexibility for change and growth (page 33, *Plan Salt Lake*).

#### **Salt Lake City Community Preservation Plan (2012)**

**Policy 3.3g:** Ensure that underlying zoning is supportive of preservation policies for the area in which historic or character preservation is proposed. (Page III-26)

**Policy 3.3k**: Support modification of existing historic resources to allow for changes in use that will encourage the use of the structure for housing or other appropriate uses in historic districts in an effort to ensure preservation of the structure. (Page III-26)

#### **Central Community Master Plan (2005)**

CENTRAL COMMUNITY NEIGHBORHOODS

#### Central City neighborhood planning area

100 S
100 S
300 S
500 S
700 S
900 S

Central City Neighborhood

Historic and neighborhood description

Geographic description

The Central City neighborhood is located between 200 East and 700 East from South Temple to 900 South. It is adjacent to the Central Business District and is traversed by major streets in both east-west and north-south directions. Due to its central location between the University of Utah and the Central Business District, a lot of vehicular traffic travels through the neighborhood. The boundaries encompass a variety of residential and business uses ranging from single-family dwellings to high-density apartment units, offices and businesses.

This area is made up of two distinct neighborhoods: East Downtown (north of 400 South) and Central City (south of 400 South). The Central City Historic District, located between 500 and 700 East from South Temple to 900 South (roughly) was designated locally in 1991. It is also a National Register historic district.

Like much of the Central Community, this area owes its early development pattern to a varied version of the "Plat of the City of Zion," the plan devised by L.D.S. Church founder Joseph Smith. This plan consisted of ten-acre blocks separated by streets 132 feet wide. The blocks themselves were divided into eight lots of 1.25 acres each, enough to accommodate a family and agricultural needs of everyday

living, such as a vegetable garden, fruit trees and a few livestock and chickens. Events during the 1870's modified the development pattern of the ten-acre blocks.

One of the difficult design problems of the ten-acre blocks in the Central City neighborhood is that the "local" streets are 132 feet wide. These wide streets make it difficult to provide a sense of neighborhood

between residents living across the street from one another. The wide streets provide access for through

traffic and several have two travel lanes in each direction, oftentimes with a continuous left turn lane. Other streets, such as 700 South, have large park strips with cutback angled parking to narrow the driving area of the street which helps to encourage slower traffic.

The 400 South corridor became a major thoroughfare between the Central Business District and the University of Utah and a major entry into the Central Business District. Retail strip commercial land uses developed along this thoroughfare. The 500 and 600 South one-way couplets developed with the interstate construction and encourage large volumes of traffic isolating the two neighborhoods.

<u>East Downtown neighborhood</u>. East Downtown is the residential center closest to the Central Business District. Historically, this area contained the largest number of apartments and rooming houses in the City and has been identified as the medium to high density housing area in all planning efforts. Historic apartment buildings, large tree lined streets and center street medians were characteristic of East Downtown. The historic apartment buildings, ranging from 12 to 30 units, were constructed from 1905 to 1930. Many of the historic apartments in East Downtown are eligible for federal and state rehabilitation tax credits because they are either eligible to be listed individually on the National Register or are located in the Central City National Register Historic District.

Because of its proximity to Downtown, its less expensive land and its attractive setting with landscaped park strips and wide tree-lined streets, the area has been under pressure to change from its original medium and high-density residential character to commercial/office use. Some of the older original apartment buildings and most of the single-family residential units have been replaced with commercial office structures. The accelerated rate of erosion and demolition of housing units threatens the residential viability and character of the area.

Since the 1990s, the City has refocused office development within or west of the Central Business District. This has taken pressure off the East Downtown neighborhood for non-residential development. In addition, the City adopted a residential mixed-use zoning district that encourages the development of new higher density residential development.

<u>Central City neighborhood</u>. The Central City Neighborhood conforms to the general history of the City. The neighborhood character is by single-family homes and apartment complexes in ten-acre blocks divided up by alleys, interior court streets, commercial strips, and civic centers. The carving up of the ten-acre blocks with inner-block streets is still apparent, but many of these small streets have been absorbed by parking lots, so that the only evidence of them is a street sign. Several large businesses were located in this neighborhood including Troy Laundry at 431 South 600 East (demolished) and the Utah Light and Railway Company, now Trolley Square, built on what had been the Tenth Ward farm.

Central City began to change shortly after the turn of the century. Many of the area's affluent residents moved out to newer neighborhoods and as a result, the construction of large, fashionable homes in Central City declined. Its proximity to the congestion of the Downtown and nearby industries contributed to the transition of the area to a residential neighborhood with lower-income families and people in transient stages of their lives. Consequently, the neighborhood has a concentration of renters. An increase in speculative activity caused large older houses to be divided into apartments, converted to businesses or demolished.

Land use conflicts, specifically the adverse impacts of commercial and business expansion into the Central City residential neighborhood, became a major concern. Many homes were abandoned during the Depression and the neighborhood became stigmatized as a deteriorating area. By the end of World War II, the population of the area had begun a steady decline and the majority of those residents remaining were elderly or individuals with low incomes. Several schools closed during the 1950s. Office buildings and other commercial development encroached and Central City lost much of its physical association with both its early roots and its early twentieth century development. The fact that it never developed as a fashionable neighborhood has preserved one of its greatest assets: its eclectic architectural character. In the 1960s, federal rehabilitation funds were used in Central City to start the long struggle to revitalize the area. One example of the reinvestment was the construction of the Central City Community center in 1968-1969.

When the blocks were cut up in the beginning of the 1900s, small interior courts were developed with streets which are very narrow and do not allow parking. Many of the residential structures were built with small front yard setbacks and no curb, gutter, sidewalk or off-street parking. This has created parking problems and a lack of open space for the residents. To address this issue, several "block redesign" projects were undertaken between the late 1970s and the early 1990s. In many instances, streets were reconstructed and interior courts were connected to improve circulation. Several of these interior courts have City-owned residential parking lots for use by the residents and their guests. In addition, some small mini-parks have been developed to provide residents with needed open space.

#### Demographic profile

In the 2000 Census, the Central City neighborhood had 9,327 residents. This is a 14 percent increase from 1990 when the population was 8,180. The number of school age children decreased by three percent from 1,509 in 1990 to 1,460 in 2000. The number of residents 65 years or older increased by 15 percent with 1,269 seniors in 1990 and 1,460 in 2000. Between 1990 and 2000, an additional 200 housing units were built in the area. Of the 5,291 units, 714 or 13 percent are owner occupied. This percentage has stayed the same since 1990. In 2000, approximately 13 percent of the housing units were vacant. This rate is down from 19 percent in 1990.

Issues within the Central City neighborhood

#### Residential

- Encourage the expansion of the housing stock in ways that are compatible with the historic character
  of the neighborhood.
- Discourage demolition or loss of housing and the deterioration in the condition of housing units. (italics added)
- Provide more three and four bedroom housing units and public recreational amenities, especially for children.
- Ensure that land-use policies reflect a respect for the eclectic architectural character so that this area
  does not remain as just an interim zone between Downtown and more desirable neighborhoods to
  the east and north.
- Ensure that historic preservation is the priority in this area. (italics added)
- Place special emphasis on buffers, transition zones, or insulation to minimize negative impacts from incompatible uses. (page 5, Central Community Master Plan)

#### HISTORIC PRESERVATION

#### **Demolitions in Historic Districts in the Central City Community**

Three locally-designated historic districts are located in the Central City Community: University, South Temple and Central City. Of these three districts, *Central City faces the most intense development pressure and has consequently experienced the highest number of demolitions since its designation in 1991* (emphasis added). The majority of the demolitions have occurred in the four blocks located on the 400 South commercial corridor. Fourteen contributing structures have been approved for demolition for the Emigration Court multifamily residential development and 14 structures (7 contributing) have been demolished for the Fred Meyer shopping center development. A total of 52 structures have either been demolished or approved for demolition.

Most of the demolitions in Central City have occurred as a result of low intensity development on land that is zoned for high-density residential development or automobile-oriented commercial development. Although the zoning rewrite in 1995 downzoned much of the property in the Central City Historic District, the neighborhoods east of Downtown had been zoned for high-density uses for decades, resulting in patterns of assemblage and land-banking with absentee landlords. *The City strengthened its historic preservation demolition ordinance as part of the zoning rewrite in 1995, requiring owners to show economic hardship before the Historic Landmark Commission can approve the demolition* (emphasis added). Even with this requirement it has been difficult for preservationists to deter demolitions. Both the zoning of properties within historic districts and the economic hardship ordinance need to be

evaluated to encourage adaptive reuse rather than demolition of structures. (page 17, Central Community Master Plan)

#### **Historic Preservation goals**

Preserve the community's architectural heritage, historically significant sites and historic neighborhoods.

Ensure that development is compatible with the existing architectural character and scale of surrounding properties in historic districts.

Goals for individual districts

In addition to the global goals, there are specific goals which address the different characteristics of the individual districts.

The goal for the Central City Historic District is stated in Design Guidelines for Residential Historic Districts in Salt Lake City, Central City Historic District, July 1, 1996, p. 174. "The most significant feature of this district is its overall scale and simple character of buildings as a group, as a part of the streetscape. As a result, the primary goal is to preserve the general, modest character of each block as a whole, as seen from the street. Because the overall street character is the greatest concern, more flexibility in other areas, particularly renovation details should be allowed. (page 18, Central Community Master Plan)

## EXHIBIT H: ANALYSIS OF STANDARDS

#### 21A.34.020: H HISTORIC PRESERVATION OVERLAY DISTRICT:

- A. Purpose Statement: In order to contribute to the welfare, prosperity and education of the people of Salt Lake City, the purpose of the H - Historic Preservation Overlay District is to:
  - 1. Provide the means to protect and preserve areas of the city and individual structures and sites having historic, architectural or cultural significance;
  - Encourage new development, redevelopment and the subdivision of lots in historic districts that is compatible with the character of existing development of historic districts or individual landmarks;
  - 3. Abate the destruction and demolition of historic structures;
  - Implement adopted plans of the city related to historic preservation;
  - Foster civic pride in the history of Salt Lake City;
  - Protect and enhance the attraction of the city's historic landmarks and districts for tourists and visitors;
  - 7. Foster economic development consistent with historic preservation; and
  - 8. Encourage social, economic and environmental sustainability.
- L. Standards for Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition of a Contributing Structure in an H Historic Preservation Overlay District: In considering an application for a certificate of appropriateness for demolition of a contributing structure, the Historic Landmark Commission shall determine whether the project substantially complies with the following standards:
  - 1. Standards for Approval of a Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition:

Standard	Finding	Rationale
1. The physical integrity of the site as defined in subsection C15b of this section is no longer evident. (Subsection C15b reads, "Physical integrity in terms of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling and association as defined by the National Park Service for the National Register of Historic Places.")	Not compliant	Although the subject property has been damaged by fire, weather, and vandalism, the physical integrity of the subject site and structure is evident in terms of location, design, setting, and materials. The 2013 Central City Standard Reconnaissance Level Survey rates the structure as "EC" or "Eligible Contributing. This indicates the physical integrity of the site and structure is sufficiently intact and contributes to the historic fabric of the Central City Historic District.  Furthermore, Cory Jensen, National Register Coordinator and Architectural Historian for the Utah State Historic Preservation Office, reassessed the subject property and determined " that the house still retains enough historic integrity to be considered contributing in the SLC East Side National Register Historic District. Although it has suffered major interior and some exterior damage from a fire, it still retains character-defining features and enough historical integrity to be considered contributing. It could qualify for historic preservation tax credits for rehabilitation."

2. The streetscape within the context of the H historic preservation overlay district would not be negatively affected	Not compliant	According to current reconnaissance level surveys, the 700 East "block face" between South Temple and 100 South contains five buildings, one parking lot, and one vacant parcel with minimal frontage that provides access to a midblock parcel behind the subject property (see aerial view on page 4 of staff report). One building is rated "significant contributing," one is rated "eligible significant," and three are rated "eligible contributing." Two of the buildings, the Armstrong Mansion (occupied by The Other Side Academy) and the Kahn Mansion (occupied by the Anniversary Inn) are listed as national and local historic sites.  If the City approved demolition of the subject property, 4 of 6—or 60%of existing lots on the block face would contribute to "the streetscape within the context of the H Historic Preservation Overlay District." However, only 188 of 660 lineal feet—or 29%—of the block face would be fronted by a contributing structure. Therefore, Planning Division staff finds the streetscape within the context of the overlay district would be negatively affected.
3. The demolition would not adversely affect the H historic preservation overlay district due to the surrounding noncontributing structures	Not compliant	Parcels located north and west of the subject property are vacant and therefore noncontributing. The building located immediately south of the proposed demolition site is a contributing structure and is being remodeled by the property owner into a dining hall, with a commercial kitchen, and gathering space.  Although two of three sides of the subject property abuts vacant parcels, Planning Division staff finds that any demolition of contributing structures on the block face will have a detrimental impact on both the block face and overlay district. While the existing block face has been altered by previous demolitions, and construction of a surface level parking lot, further demolition of contributing structures is not warranted based on past actions.
4. The base zoning of the site is incompatible with reuse of the structure	Not compliant	While changing the base zone may improve reuse or redevelopment of the property, the existing structure could be reused—and added upon—to develop a use that is permitted within the current zoning district.

5. The reuse plan is consistent with the standards outlined in subsection H of this section	Compliant	Open space is a permitted use in both the RMF 35 District and H Historic Preservation Overlay District. If approved, the proposed landscape plan would be reviewed for compliance by Building Services (see Exhibit A – Applicant Information).
6. The site has not suffered from willful neglect, as evidenced by the following:  (1) Willful or negligent acts by the owner that deteriorates the structure,  (2) Failure to perform normal maintenance and repairs,  (3) Failure to diligently solicit and retain tenants, and  (4) Failure to secure and board the structure if vacant	Compliant	(1) Planning Division staff agrees that the current levels of property damage have not been caused by "willful or negligent acts by the (current) owner."  (2) Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary 11 <sup>th</sup> Edition defines normal as "occurring naturally." Staff finds that—due to extensive fire and weather damage—the requisite "maintenance and repairs" are not normal. However, it should also be noted that the current owner has not submitted any requests to the City to maintain or repair the damaged structure since acquiring the property approximately 13 months ago.  (3) Staff acknowledges that due to the present condition of the building the owner is unable to "diligently solicit and retain tenants."  (4) A boarding permit, which is subject to the payment of an annual fee, has been issued for the subject property (see City Code 18.48.180 Yearly Fees).
7. The denial of a certificate of appropriateness for demolition would cause an "economic hardship" as defined and determined pursuant to the provisions of subsection K of this section	Undetermined	Whereas the applicant has not submitted information to address an "economic hardship" claim, Planning Division staff is unable to determine a finding for this standard.  If the City denies the request for a Certificate of Appropriateness to demolish the structure, the applicant may pursue a determination of economic hardship as outlined in City Code 21A34.020.K. The applicant may pursue this process once a decision is made regarding the proposed demolition.

- Historic Landmark Commission Determination of Compliance with Standards of Approval: The Historic Landmark Commission shall make a decision based upon compliance with the requisite number of standards as set forth below.
  - a. Approval of Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition: Upon making findings that at least six (6) of the standards are met, the HLC shall approve the Certificate of Appropriateness for demolition.

- b. Denial of Certificate of Appropriateness for Demolition: Upon making findings that two (2) or less of the standards are met, the HLC shall deny the Certificate of Appropriateness for demolition.
- c. Deferral of Decision for Up To One Year: Upon making findings that three (3) to five (5) of the standards are met, the HLC shall defer a decision for up to one year during which the applicant must conduct a bona fide effort to preserve the site pursuant to subsection 21A.34.020M of the Salt Lake City Zoning Ordinance.

## EXHIBIT I: PUBLIC PROCESS & COMMENTS

#### **Notice to Community Council included:**

• A copy of the application was emailed to all applicable community council district chairs on September 1, 2017. Community Councils were invited to review the proposal and make a comment on or before October 16, 2017.

#### Notice of application for the proposal included:

• Notice of application was mailed to all property owners and residents located within 300 feet of the subject property on September 5, 2017.

#### Notice of Open House for the proposal included:

• Notice of a September 21, 2017, Open House meeting was mailed to all property owners and residents located within 300 feet of the subject property on September 12, 2017.

#### Notice of public hearing for the proposal included:

- Public hearing notice mailed on October 19, 2017.
- Public hearing notice posted on the property on October 19, 2017.
- Meeting agenda posted on the Planning Division and Utah Public Meeting Notice websites on October 19, 2017.

#### **Public Comment:**

In response to the Open House meeting held September 21, 2017, Planning Division staff received 31 handwritten comments, which all favored the proposed demolition.

Before publication of the Historic Landmark Commission staff report, staff also received 21 emails, which all favored the proposed demolition.

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#### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

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Name:	Kevin Angle
Address:	667 E. 100 S.
	Zip Code
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	there has been people that would there to step homeless use drugs.
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tall d	own any day while pear are
is ve	me in there and do bad things.

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Address:	667	E	100					
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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	MARLIN BECKSTEMB
Address:	667 E 100 8. SCC Utal
	Zip Code 84182
Phone:	E-mail
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comm	unity in need the
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Name:	Kari Begaye
Address:	667 east 100 South
	Salt Lake City, utah
	Zip Code_84102
Phone:	E-mail_
Comments:	I am a resident at the other Side Academy
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our pr	raram and save many more 11 uls
but i	t will help clean up the nieghborhoo
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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Cierra Beika
Address:	667 E. 100 S.
	Sout Lake City. UT
_	Zip Code 84102
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	I am currently a student at the
Other.	Side Academy. I believe The house
	property should be demolished it is
not con	tributing to the community in any way
shape	or form. It is also a safety hazard to
The stu	idents who live hear the property as
	any vagrants seeking shelter

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## The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	(Juen Berriel
Address:	10107 E 100 S-
	Sout Lake city. UT Zip Code 8410Z
Phone:	E-mail_
Comments	: The green house, front is an our property
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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	lony Burnham
Address:	667 E 100 Soull
	Zip Code 84103
Phone:	Nouc E-mail
Comments:	The house is a hazard is
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	apart has already caught
	Fire due to homelers living in
iT as	nd trying To stay warm
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The	house or even die IF
	Try To stay inside iT
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Name:	Marisa 1	lamphoe 11	
Address:	(dot E 100	S.	
	SLC	Zip Code <u>É</u>	4102
Phone:		E-mail	
Comments:	1 hue at the	the Armstrong Mai	nsion I believe unsufe, \$HIS
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		ademy.	

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## The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	BOB CARNEY
Address:	667 E 100 S SCC, UT
	Zip Code_ 8410Z
Phone:	E-mail
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	A DANGER TO THE COMMWITY,
THE	POOF AT ANY TIME COULD
Come	Erashing Down. I Think
THE	community would BE BETTER
Sevu	ED TO GET NO OF THIS
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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Leo Castleton
Address:	667 E 1005. SLL 4T
	Zip Code 84WZ
Phone:	E-mail
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The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name: Line Cardesier

Address: 667 F 100 S SN/T LAKE

Zip Code 84102

Phone: E-mail

Comments:

I live Next Dook To The House

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THAT IT CAN BE US ROR SOMILLED

Soot IT IS NOT A SAVE PLACE

Right Now Butt it can Be,

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

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Name:	Helli Clark
Address:	GG7E100S Sulkelaice City Utah
	Zip Code 84102
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	I live at the other Side Acesemy
	been there For Smouths and
	believe the Changes I have made
and i	want room for Students to
get 0	that been given to me I
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need-	s to Come Cown Thanks
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#### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Diego Corley
Address:	667 = 100.5
Phone:	Salt Lak City UT zip Code 84162  E-mail
Comments	building in han and M+ in
fallin Im	all forward to making it into
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Caus	>.

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	1051 DIXOU
Address:	667E 1005 SLC, UTB410Z
	Zip Code
Phone:	il
es fo	This house in historic Sicalling down & is a nazard to one wear it. We are Trying canup the area & help more be who suffer with drugs & help more half to be taken down.

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	DAVE DUROCHOV
Address:	667E1005-
	SCC UT
	Zip Code 8410Z
Phone:	E-mail DAVED Theo thersille acoul

Comments: This building has been varant for 15 years,

It is literally collapsing in an itself, and the

floors are coving in as well. There are vegetar homdes,

vagrants and drug addicts taking up refuge in it.

It has suffered a number of firer and will

Probably fall pray to others. Not only is it an

eye sort, but more importantly it is a danger

to himan like. I feel strongly that the building

should come down. Thank you

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#### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Jess Groentzer
Address:	667 E. 1005. SLC, UT 84102
	Zip Code
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:  Her  and	Homeless people have lived e, they begue drug paraphenila hurt tuenselves. It is about to
15	some one inside when is does
colla	pse we are trying to save lives
Not	hisk them or harm them.

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## The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Ward Greenwalt
Address:	667 € 1005
	Zip Code 2008 8410.
Phone:	E-mail receptions the otherside acad
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	I down The roof is falling in the horse
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Son	cone.

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Jordan Hosman
Address:	GG7 East 100 South
	Salt Lake City, UT
	Zip Code 84102
Phone:	E-mail
Comments	: i would love to see this old dilapidated house demolished
	to keep adding to a positive influence to our community.
	d abondoned buildings become literal havens for drug use
	e homeless. chonisally The Other Side acadamy works to
14	se homeless and drug dependent individuals a may out
	vires! Yet they're been barred from expanding and bulging
these dise	infranchised under the protection of "Historic" laws Help
	the community

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Hilary Kelson
Address:	Q07 E. 100 S.
	Salt Lake City UT
	Zip Code 8402
Phone:	E-mail_
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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Alex Kunz
Address:	667 E. 1008. SLC. UT.
	Zip Code <u>84102</u>
Phone:	E-mail
Took 0	The green house should be tern down.  In around when a gust of wind  fown a wall. It could be turn down
and,	have apartments built in its place that
would b	be used to save more lives, or it can
Stand	as is and possibly cotable and
Kill ,	one of the homeless who sneak in
to US	& drugs.

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### The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Kenzie Mathews
Address:	667 E - 100 C
	Galt Lake city, ut 84062
	Zip Code 8406 Z
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	I believe that the grein house
	be taken down It is a hazard for
fires, -	the root is cavening in & it attracks
the vie	ry thing we are trying hear the
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Name:	Eric Morgan
Address:	667 E 100 S
	Salt Lake City UT zip Code 84102
Phone:	E-mail
Comments: Visualy growth	That property is not only unsafe and horrible to look at a it's impending the of a cumunity of people that are
trying to	to montion solve homeless and crime
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governen	1.

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Name:	CHANN NELSON
Address:	667E 100S
	SLC UT 84102
	Zip Code
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	THIS BUILDING IS FLAT OUT DANGEROUS ON MANY LEVELS
	MANY REASONS. FIRST OF ALL, THE ROOF HAS ALREADY
	AND FALLEN ON OUR SRIVEWAY WHERE WE FREQUENT.
	- IT IS FILLED WITH DENG PARAPHENELIA AND HOMELESSNESS.
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	AT THE OTHER SIDE ACADEMY. PLEASE ALLOW US TO BENTIFY
	UNITY AS WELL AS CONTINUE TO MAKE AND HEEP THIS AREA OF
	nunity SAFE. THANK YOU

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# The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:

Guy Wayman Vielsen

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Address:	667 E 1005
	SLC, UT
	Zip Code_84102
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	I live next to this house that is being
reques	ted to tear down. It is an eyesore
and a	smudge on an otherwise beautiful landscape,
	a refuge for vagrants and a haven for
	and drug use. It is biologicaly
danger	ous and physically unsafe, It has
no h	istoric value and is only a severe
liabili	ty to our neighborhood, Tear it Down!

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# The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	KAMREN	NIELSEN				
Address:	667 €	1065.				
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# The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	Tony howney
Address:	2361 Berkeley St.
	SCC Zip Code 84(09
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	Please invite owners to contact me. I own
property	y in the immediate vicinity.

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# The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	VISA Spercer
Address:	667 e 100 couth
	Su Ut
	Zip Code 8410Z
Phone:	E-mail_
Comments:	I am a current student at the others de
Academ	y. I have been the 7 months to this
day. I	Semplition of the proposed property is impuration
to the	growth our population. It is a shame to turn
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not ha	wing an open bed. With this demolition we
could be	use many more students, in turn sowing
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# The Other Side Academy Demolition Request

Name:	TIM STAY
Address:	435 S.660 W
Phone:	E-mail
Comments:	I WOLK AT THE OTHER SIDE ACADEMY
ANDI	HAVE TO WALK NEXT TO OR ON THE PROPERTY
ON AR	EGULAR BASIS. I WORRY ABOUT ADDITIONAL
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IN511	DE THE BUILDING. I WORRY ABOUT THE
this issue. You comments via Michael Malo	e your contact information so we can notify you of other meetings or hearings on u may submit this sheet before the end of the Open House, or you can provide your a e-mail at <a href="mailto:michael.maloy@slcgov.com">michael.maloy@slcgov.com</a> or via mail at the following address: by Senior Planner, Salt Lake City Planning Division, PO Box 145480, Salt Lake 14-5480. <a href="Please provide your comments by November 1, 2017.">Please provide your comments by November 1, 2017.</a>
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OTHER BUILDINGS NEXT TO IT FROM UAGRANTS WHO GETTE BREAKIN TO LIVE AND WHO START FIRES TO KEEP WARM, PLEASE APPRING THE DEMOLITION.

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Name:	Rodney Thomas
Address:	667 e. 100 s. sic ut
	Zip Code_ 84/02
Phone:	E-mail
	I feel as though this house is
not ti	uly contributing to the commanity.
And -	I feel that the building is very wasafe
Last y	ear I was doing rounds on the property
and c	one of the walls nearly fell on me.

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Name:	Gregory Youngblood
Address:	667 = 100 5 Salt Lake Cites
	Zip Code 84 102
Phone:	_E-mail
	I am writting in support removing the old ran down house
	has been a place for homeless
	already been an fire and will.  I really hope no-one will
be	in there when it comes down
plea	rse Help

From: Shirene Saddler <shirene@avenuescourtyard.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 06, 2017 5:11 PM

To: Maloy, Michael

**Subject:** The other side academy - case #PLNPCM2017-00677

PLEASE!!!!!! Let them tear down the structure. It is an eyesore and a danger.

Shirene Saddler

The Avenues Courtyard Assisted Living

From:

H Scott

Sent:

Tuesday, September 12, 2017 5:50 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

The Other Side Academy Demolition at approximately 46 S 700 East

Request: A request to demolish a contributing building in a local historic district.

Application Number: PLNHLC2017-00677

Dear Michael,

This application is requesting permission to demolish the building referenced in this application. I would like to add my support to this request. The building is an eyesore and no one should expect that it will ever again be a positive contribution to the historic district. With this in mind I hope that the planning commission will give permission for demolition.

Sincerely,

H. Scott Rosenbush 1027 N. Terrace Hills Dr., SLC 801-355-2312

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H. Scott Rosenbush

From:

Dorothy Larson

Sent:

Sunday, October 08, 2017 7:00 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

The Other Side Academy

Follow Up Flag:

Flag for follow up

Flag Status:

Flagged

To Michael Maloy, Senior Planner for Salt Lake City

Dear Mr. Maloy,

I recently learned about the efforts of Tim Stay and The Other Side Academy to tear down a derelict property on 700 East so they can construct additional housing for their clients. The property has been vacant for 15 years, and is not salvageable. Apparently they are having a hard time getting a permit to demolish the current building because there are no members of the Appeals Board that approves such things.

Please do what you can to remove any roadblocks or red tape standing between this amazing, restorative organization, which fills a need generally unmet in our society, and their ability to serve and rehabilitate even more of their clients.

Thank you.

**Dorothy Larson** 

9710 S. Ruskin Circle, Sandy UT 84092

From:

Indira Gutierrez <indira.gutierrez@biochem.utah.edu>

Sent:

Monday, October 09, 2017 12:48 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

FW: Help Us Tear Down This Dangerous Eyesore So We Can Save More People!

Dear Senior Planner for Salt Lake City,

Please help this excellent organization restore that eyesore of a building! It would greatly improve the area that house is in, and the community would be very appreciative!

Thank you,

#### **Indira Gutierrez**

Executive Secretary
Sundquist/Hill Laboratories
801.213.6920 | C: 385.216.3716

#### Department of Biochemistry

15 North Medical Drive East Rm 3520
Salt Lake City, UT 84112
indira.gutierrez@biochem.utah.edu

HEALTH

From: The Other Side Academy <tim@theothersideacademy.com>

Date: Monday, October 9, 2017 at 12:09 PM

To: Indira Gutierrez <indira.gutierrez@biochem.utah.edu>

Subject: Help Us Tear Down This Dangerous Eyesore So We Can Save More People!

From: Virginia Lee

**Sent:** Monday, October 09, 2017 1:29 PM

To: Maloy, Michael

Subject: I Support Demotition of the Burned-Out Structure at 46 South 700 East

Categories: Red Category

Dear Mr. Maloy,

I support work of The Other Side Academy to rehabilitate male and female drug users using a treatment model based on San Francisco's successful Delancey Project.

The Other Side has expanded over the past several years to treat an increasing number of drug users. Its program revenues now sustain its operational expenses.

My former next-door-neighbor Ben Winchester has been part of a group within Salt Lake City that works to preserve our heritage through our architecture and buildings, in part through the creation of local historic districts.

The building at 46 South 700 East is not the sort of structure Winchester's group advocates to preserve. The cost to renovate this collapsing building is too high, even if it were feasible. With the instability of the some of the walls, combined with the requirement to gut the inside structure, restoration would be very difficult and prohibitively expensive.

Kudos to The Other Side for its work restoring and preserving the Armstrong Mansion, an historic structure worth preserving.

The lives of additional drug users are vastly more worth restoring and preserving than the burned-out structure at 46 South 700 East.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter. Please contact me if I can answer any question.

Respectfully,

Virginia Lee, Esq. 1458 Princeton Avenue Salt Lake City, Utah 84105

From: Steve Glover <steven\_glover@byu.edu>
Sent: Monday, October 09, 2017 1:46 PM

To: Maloy, Michael

**Subject:** FW: Help Us Tear Down This Dangerous Eyesore So We Can Save More People!

Categories: Red Category

Dear Mr. Maloy,

I recently had the opportunity to speak to the participants at The Other Side Academy. Before the event, I walked the property and viewed the home pictured below.

I wholeheartedly support what TOSA is doing for the community and I encourage you to support their efforts to elevate and improve the block they are on and help Salt Lake City with a number of current problems, including the issues with homelessness, drug abuse, etc. Also on the same block as TOSA and the home pictured below (which appears to qualify as both dangerous and in eminent state of collapse) is a large old apartment building that is broken down, windows broken out, home for drug deals and other mischief. The block is dangerous and an eyesore to the city. TOSA will improve the properties and the community. As one small example, TOSA participants cleared a spot previously covered in weeds and debride and planted a lovely garden.

TOSA is an amazing program and if you haven't been to the facility, please go visit. It is one of only 2-3 programs in the Nation having this kind of wonderful success. I am surprised that SLC government doesn't more closely partner with TOSA and then take advantage of all the positive press it will provide. It is clear SLC has suffered from lots of negative press due to the Rio Grand round up and other issues by Gateway. Why not embrace a wonderful thing and help positively turn the situation around? TOSA has demonstrated results over the last 2 years, and is based on Delancy Street in San Francisco that has multiple decades of success. It doesn't appear any of the other programs Salt Lake City, the county or the state, have been all that successful. And they do it WITHOUT city or state funding!!!

It is a win, win, win for the city, the neighborhood and the participants.

Whatever you can do to let a great thing bless Utah and SLC, I highly encourage you to do so.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Steve

Steven M. Glover | CPA, Ph.D., K. Fred Skousen Professor Associate Dean | BYU Marriott School of Business 730 TNRB | Brigham Young University | Provo, UT 84602 glover@byu.edu | 801-422-6080

From: The Other Side Academy <tim@theothersideacademy.com>

**Date:** Monday, October 9, 2017 at 12:06 PM **To:** Steve Glover <steven\_glover@byu.edu>

Subject: Help Us Tear Down This Dangerous Eyesore So We Can Save More People!

From:

Aimee Winder Newton < ANewton@slco.org>

Sent:

Monday, October 09, 2017 3:16 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

The Other Side Academy demolition

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#### Hi Michael!

I would like to submit feedback on the proposal for The Other Side Academy to demo the building on 46 S. 700 E. I have personally been by that building and believe it is a safety hazard. I am also thrilled with the good work that TOSA is doing in the community. It would be great if they had space for another 60-70 people to get off the streets and out of our already overcrowded jail.

Thank you!

Aimee

Aimee Winder Newton Salt Lake County Council Member, District 3

From:

Laurel INGHAM

Sent:

Monday, October 09, 2017 5:56 PM

To:

Malov, Michael

Subject:

Fw: 46 South 700 East

Mr. Maloy -

As a friend and an advocate for The Other Side Academy as well as a concerned citizen of Salt Lake City, I am struggling to understand the hold up on making a sound and actual decision vs. no action at all that would assist the city at **NO COST** to help with the current homeless and substance abuse issue that has reached a boiling point.

The Other Side Academy has a proven track record of success and is ready to roll and ONLY needs permission to tear this eyesore and danger to community down.

I would ask is there any historic value left in this pile of rubbish? The roof and the walls have collapsed and are in danger of fully falling down and could potentially harm people who are squatting there or those around it. In addition, there has been one fire and without any fire suppression, it is basically a giant tinder box. It is foolish to think that another major fire would not occur with many vagrants breaking in on a regular basis and then build fires inside to keep warm.

Mr Maloy, is the building not a giant health hazard with the human waste and drug paraphernalia everywhere? Is there some kind of health department loop hole to help with the determination to tear it down because it truly should be condemned.

In addition, I am certain all the surrounding neighbors would be over-joyed to see this parcel re-built to the standard they are held to. By allowing this structure to continue to sit vacant, it will also attract vagrants, drug addicts and criminal elements.

Please take action ASAP to allow The Other Side Academy to move forward and help with City with a solid solution to reduce homelessness and substance abuse.

I look forward to hearing from you regarding the steps you plan to take and in a timeline that doesn't take an additional 10 Months.

Thank you,

Laurel Ingham

From:

H Scott

Sent:

Monday, October 09, 2017 7:05 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

Comments for the Historic Landmarks Commission

Dear Sir,

Please pass along to the Historic Landmarks Commission my opinion regarding the building at 46 South 700 East. This building is not only an eye sore but poses hazards to the public. While it may be located in a Historic District it's value as a contributing structure has long ago vanished. I urge the Commission to allow this structure to be demolished.

Thank you,

Scott Rosenbush 1027 N. Terrace Hills Dr., SLC, UT 84103

H. Scott Rosenbush

From: Lynn Anderson

Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2017 12:59 AM

To: Maloy, Michael

Subject: TOSA

Categories: Red Category

Dear Mr. Maloy,

I have followed closely the program at TOSA and the great work they are doing to rehabilitate past criminals. I have attended a number of functions and have been impressed with the the progress of the students. I strongly believe they are doing well because they are being treated with respect and are learning the rewards of working hard. There is a wonderful bond of loving friendship and support between the residents and the staff.

I am writing today to encourage the tear-down of the building owned by TOSA which appears to be beyond repair. It is my hope that this will be done soon so that more students can benefit from this unique and outstanding program. There are so many more in need of a successful rehabilitation program. Please lend your support.

Sincere thanks, Lynn Anderson Provo, UT

From: Lauren Singer Katz

Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2017 10:46 AM

To: Maloy, Michael

Subject: Demolition of Collapsed Buildings at 46 S 700 E

Hello.

To whom this may concern I am writing in to support The Other Side Academy in their

quest to have the building at 46 S 700 E torn down so they can expand their campus and build a beautiful housing facility that will house another 60-70 students. After fire and a decade of neglect and abandonment, there is little to preserve beyond 4 crumbling walls. Anything of historic value has been destroyed on the inside by fire and smoke and any of the original charm of the outside has been stripped away and lost over the years.

I work at Even Stevens Sandwiches and The Other Side Academy has been a partner of ours for several years now. We can greatly attest to the value and services they provide to our community. To let this property continue to stand in the way of change and actually devalue the neighborhood is a travesty. The Other Side Academy is completely self-sustaining and is gung-ho on taking on this demolition and rebuild on their own without tax payer or government help. This is a win-win for the city and for people in the community who's property value would increase with this eye-sore gone. It is also a huge win for the potential clients who would benefit from their wonderful programs.

Please consider their request and not stand in the way of making change in SLC! We want our downtown to be beautiful and thriving, not a fire hazard that is bringing down the property value of it's neighbors.

Thank you, Lauren

From: Jesselie Anderson

Sent: Tuesday, October 10, 2017 12:10 PM

To: Maloy, Michael

Subject: The Other Side Academy

I strongly support the Other Side Academy's request to demolish the building they own on 7<sup>th</sup> East. I hope that you will make an exception and allow them to demolish and rebuild on the existing site. I have watched the great work that the Other Side Academy does and would like to see them offer their program to even more people. We have used their moving company, purchased from their food truck and supported their thrift store which are all great businesses. Thank you for your consideration.

Jesselie Anderson 1326 Third Avenue Salt Lake City, Utah 84103

From:

Mike Rener <mrener@arbinger.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, October 10, 2017 12:34 PM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

46 S 700 E in Salt Lake City

Michael,

As a citizen of Salt Lake, I am in favor of taking down the building at 46 S 700 E and allowing The Other Side Academy to help expand their program. I have seen firsthand the transformation that they can make in the lives of those they touch—in the program, the customers they serve and the community members they interact with. I don't think a similar transformation is possible with the house at 46 S due the state it's in. Rather than preserving any historical element (if there is any), I would be in favor of helping shift the futures of more people entering TOSA's program.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you for your consideration.

Mike Rener

#### MIKE RENER

Director, Organizational Services | Arbinger Institute | P 801-447-9244

From:	Erika Gerber
Sent:	Tuesday, October 10, 2017 2:00 PM
To:	Maloy, Michael
Subject:	Collapsing Building located at 46 S 700 E in Salt Lake City
Hello Mr. Maloy,	
	a request for you to consider allowing The Other Side Academy to remove the building in Salt Lake City and build a housing facility to help their non-profit efforts.
	ambles and is an eyesore/danger for the community. The Other Side Academy does have been honored to see how they are transforming lives and the community for the
I would like to see th this endeavor.	e building torn down and the TOSA housing facility built. I hope you will assist them in
Thank you for your c	consideration.
Erika	

From:

sara day

Sent:

Tuesday, October 10, 2017 10:36 AM

To:

Maloy, Michael

Subject:

Demolition of Collapsed Buildings at 46 S 700 E

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I am a co-founder of Even Stevens Sandwiches and The Other Side Academy has been a partner of ours for several years now. We can greatly attest to the value and services they provide to our community. To let this property continue to stand in the way of change and actually devalue the neighborhood is a travesty. The Other Side Academy is completely self-sustaining and is gung-ho on taking on this demolition and rebuild on their own without tax payer or government help. This is a win-win for the city and for people in the community who's property value would increase with this eye-sore gone. It is also a huge win for the potential clients who would benefit from their wonderful programs.

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Thank you,

-Sara

Sara Day / Cause Director

/801.755.0882

**Even Stevens Sandwiches** 

From: Katherine Dupree <kdupree@evenstevens.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, October 10, 2017 11:27 AM

To: Maloy, Michael Subject: TOSA property

#### Hello,

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I am Cause Coordinator at Even Stevens Sandwiches and The Other Side Academy has been a partner of ours for several years now. We can greatly attest to the value and services they provide to our community. To let this property continue to stand in the way of change and actually devalue the neighborhood is a travesty. The Other Side Academy is completely self-sustaining and is gung-ho on taking on this demolition and rebuild on their own without tax payer or government help. This is a win-win for the city and for people in the community whose property value would increase with this eye-sore gone. It is also a huge win for the potential clients who would benefit from their wonderful programs.

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Thank you,



Katherine Dupree | Cause Coordinator

kdupree@evenstevens.com 208.360.3299

**Even Stevens Sandwiches** 

evenstevens.com

From:

Rikard Pearson <rikard@ingrouphospitality.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, October 10, 2017 10:08 AM

To:

Maloy, Michael; tim@theothersideacademy.com

Subject:

The Otherside Academy 46 S 700 E

## Dear Michael Maloy,

I am writing you today to voice my opinion about the Otherside Academy's intent to redevelop 46 So 700 E. I support demolition of the existing structure and new construction that will support the efforts of Otherside Academy. I owned a duplex on J Street for 25 years. I also was with the company who built Parklane Senior Apartments on 100 I have also been an avid jogger and marathon runner. I am an artist and designer so the value of our historic places is important to me. In an earthquake zone all too often old structures can not be restored without unrecoverably large investments. In many cases they should still be preserved and in some cases the asset is damaged beyond preservation. I have been very familiar with the area and observed the condition of this property closely for 30 years. 46 So 700 E has been a dangerous eyesore for too long. The Otherside Academy have proven to be good neighbors and have improved the area surrounding their Armstrong Mansion headquarters. They have tackled problems in small but significant ways. We need more organizations with the ability to put their plans into action. Please give them your support in their immediate plans for this property and their future plans as well.

Sincerely,

Rikard H Pearson General Manager Hampton Inn & Suites Salt Lake City-University/Foothill 1345 S Foothill Dr, SLC, UT 84108 p:801-583-3500 f: 801-583-3505

From:

Craig Case

Sent:

Thursday, October 12, 2017 2:03 PM

To: Cc: Maloy, Michael Joseph Grenny

Subject:

The Other Side Academy Expansion

## Dear Michael,

I am writing to let you know of my complete support of the Other Side Academy and the incredible good work they are doing in Salt Lake City. I have a son who has been in and out of jail more than once and go to the Davis County jail two times a week to work with the inmates. Most of them desperately want to become responsible people, but they need some help - exactly the kind of help that TOSA provides. Having spoken to the students at TOSA, and experienced the difference such a program makes in their lives, expanding the size of the facility makes complete sense. Please get rid of the eye sore and let them use the property for such good work.

## Sincerely,

Craig Case

cell:

From: Andrea Dominguez

Sent: Thursday, October 12, 2017 2:08 PM

To: Maloy, Michael

Subject: 46 S 700 E Salt Lake City

Please allow this building to be demolished. This is not only an eye sore but a safety hazard. Let this land be put to better use!



## **Andrea Dominguez**

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From:

Marcia Anderson

Sent:

Thursday, October 19, 2017 9:41 AM

To: Cc: Maloy, Michael Marcia Anderson

Subject:

Demolition of property

My husband and I own property on 700 east and Markea Ave (between 200 east and 300 east ) in SL. Every day for 6 years now when we walk or drive past this property in question next to "the other side academy" we've asked ourselves... "when will they tear this down??!" These old (and that is the only thing that makes them in any way shape or form "historic") shells of a hangout frequented by druggies and all that always brings with it related to disease, danger, and overall detriment to the well-being of the neighborhood NEEDED to come down years ago! Please look past some out-lived preservation of historic structure clause on the city books and let the Other Side Academy proceed ahead with their excellent program of rebuilding lives! Let the Academy build new structures there that ADD to our community! The old owners, Stana and Scott Kjar who ran the Armstrong Mansion as a B& B there for years and a law office before that surely share my same consensus! Scott and Stana are good friends of mine. Even though they do live in Centerville, they certainly still do care about this area of 7th east. So many of us do!! Please listen to us!

For the good of our entire 7th east neighborhood and surrounding area ....let Other Side Academy move on with their generous plans to demolish this ugly blite and rebuild. For goodness sakes, you are looking a gift horse in the mouth all of us in the area would so love this to happen! I think I may even be speaking here for the entire SL 12th ward! this unsettling to say the least to know those old wooden shells harbor such unsafe conditions! Please put the well-being and the desires of the law abiding citizens in our area ahead of some outdated specification about historic preservation written someplace. Please.

Thank you for your attention.

Most sincerely, Marcia and Daniel Anderson. 676 Markea Ave. SLC

By the way, have you noticed how immaculately well-kept and landscaped Other Side Academy keeps all their grounds on their property! It is so refreshing as a neighbor to see that every day! Bravo to them. Of course the new housing they are proposing to build would be maintained and landscaped the same way. . What a positive addition to our surrounding neighborhoods!

My husband just read my lengthy &comments in this email and simply said "tell them to hurry up! The sooner demolition begins the better!"

Sent from my iPhone

How To Remove Eye Bags & Lip Lines Fast (Watch) Fit Mom Daily http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3141/59e8c786c30dc47860718st01vuc

From:

Sent: Thursday, October 19, 2017 3:41 PM

To: Subject: Maloy, Michael Demolish building

### Dear Michael:

You have my full support to make the all improvements, which includes demolition of the existing building.

Thanks,

Dan Anderson 676 E Markea Ave, Unit 8 SLC, Utah

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Memory Repair Protocol http://thirdpartyoffers.juno.com/TGL3142/59e91bfc806ff1bfc326cst01vuc

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