



Southwest Seattle Historical Society

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Chainqui Development
3601 Fremont Ave. North #314
Seattle, WA 98103

Dear Sir,

On behalf of our organization, we are writing to you about the 90-year-old structure at 1123 Harbor Ave. S.W. , facing Seattle's Elliott Bay from historic West Seattle. This tiny home sits upon land that you recently purchased and whose sale closed on Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2019.

We consider this uniquely charming structure – built from beach stones and known for decades as “Eva’s Stone House” – an irreplaceable part of Seattle history that deserves preservation. We have an opportunity to work together to save this one-of-a-kind building.

Working with a local preservationist and entrepreneur, John Bennett (www.johnbennettproperties.com), we have a proposal for the stone house. We would like to facilitate the moving of the house, intact, to a nearby beach site where it could be preserved and displayed for generations to come.

For this to occur, we seek to work with you on scheduling and logistical details that would fold into whatever development plans you may have for the site. In this scenario, we would gladly promote your crucial role in making this key act of preservation a reality.

To this end, we seek a meeting with you or your representatives to begin an orderly process for saving this Seattle treasure.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

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