ADDRESS OF PROPERTY 1513 Kennon Street, Plaza Midwood Local Historic District HDC 2012-058

SUMMARY OF REQUEST Restoration of Relocated House

OWNER Magnolia Properties of Charlotte

APPLICANT Magnolia Properties of Charlotte

Details of Proposed Request

In May of this year, the Historic District Commission approved the relocation of a house from Seventh Street, where it was slated for demolition, to a vacant lot in the Plaza Midwood Local Historic District. At that time, the HDC also required that the Applicant fully document the existing structure before the brick veneer was removed to accommodate the moving of the structure. HDC Staff has received this documentation, as well as a site plan and architectural renderings of the house. The structure has now been relocated to its new site on Kennon Street. At the July 2012 HDC meeting, the Commission requested full elevations of the restored house and deferred the application for one month. The plans are attached.

Current Status and Context of Property

This site is a vacant lot on Kennon Avenue. It is the last lot in the Plaza Midwood Local Historic District along Kennon Street near the intersection with Hawthorne Lane. The block consists primarily of homes of similar scale to the proposed relocated house, and range in vintage from the 1920's to the 1990's.

Relevant HDC Design Guidelines

New Construction

Relevant Secretary of Interior's Standards for Historic Rehabilitation

(As cited in the Charlotte Zoning Ordinance Section 10.210)

- (i) New additions, exterior alterations, or related new construction shall not destroy historic materials that characterize the property. The new work shall be differentiated from the old and shall be compatible with the massing, size, scale, and architectural features to protect the historic integrity of the property and its environment.
- (j) New additions and adjacent or new construction shall be undertaken in such a manner that if removed in the future, the essential form and integrity of the historic property and its environment would be unimpaired.













