

Milwaukee Historic Preservation Commission Staff Report

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HPC meeting date: 2/8/2022 Ald. Nik Kovac District: 3 Staff reviewer: Carlen Hatala

PTS #41877

Property 2577 N. DOWNER AV. Downer Avenue Commercial Historic District

Owner/Applicant CSFB 2006-C4 N DOWNER AVE LL Patera LLC

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Proposal Applicant to remove existing first floor masonry and storefront windows on north half

of building. New storefronts to mimic originals. New cladding to match original either

Vitrolite or marble veneer.

Staff comments Architect has used original drawings to bring back traditional storefront design.

Plans indicate Vitrolite was specified for bulkheads. A 1953 photo at MPL shows

Vitrolite above first story up to second story beltcourse.

Recommendation Recommend HPC Approval

Conditions Marble or Vitrolite sample to be approved by staff. Brick sample to be reviewed by

staff. Storefronts must be clear glass.

Previous HPC action

Previous Council action