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Trustees, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite 790 N. Van Buren Milwaukee, WI 53202

RE: Resolution relating to the permanent historic designation of the Wisconsin Consistory Building, a/k/a the Humphrey Scottish Rite Masonic Center at 790 N. Van Buren Street, in the 4th Aldermanic District.

Dear Property Owner:

An application was recently submitted to the Historic Preservation Commission for the above permanent historic designation.

A public hearing has been scheduled for Monday, May 9, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. in City Hall, 200 East Wells Street, Room 301-B to determine whether or not the proposed designation satisfies the criteria for historic designation in accordance with Section 320-21 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and to consider your application.

A copy of the submitted application has been included with this letter and a written description was provided along with the application that details the historical significance of the site. I have also attached a copy of a newsletter which details what this means for the property in terms of obtaining city permits. You may submit a written statement to: Linda Elmer, Office of the City Clerk, 200 East Wells Street, Room 205, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202. If you wish to file your statement via e-mail, they must be sent to both jowcza@milwaukee.gov and lelmer@milwaukee.gov. You will be sent an e-mail notification that your objections were received within 24 hours. If you do not receive this notification, please contact City Clerk Jim Owczarski at (414) 286-2998. You or a representative may also speak at this hearing.

Any recommendation related to the historic designation made by the Commission shall be forwarded to the Milwaukee Common Council and you or a representative will also have an opportunity to speak at this meeting, as well as submit a written statement if this is done.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed designation, please call Carlen Hatala of the Historic Preservation staff at (414) 286-5722.

Sincerely,



