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## Landmarks Commission Agenda Item #2

I am a neighbor of this proposed project. It is located in my backyard. I have attended numerous meetings about it. Quite frankly, the current design is the worst. It is a sophomoric attempt to fake appropriate massing within the historic rhythm of the neighborhood. I don't want trivial visual tricks that only work on paper. I want the developer to truly comply with the intent and language of the Third Lake Ridge.

I applaud the Landmarks Commission for previously rejecting this project. I concur that demolition of the existing structure and development of the surface parking lot is appropriate. The problem is the current proposal does NOT fit mid-block. It might work on a corner on the north side of Willy St.

Let us not be worn down by the process but instead use this as an opportunity to get something that could be an award winning modern buildings that fits the context.

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