

LANDMARKS COMMISSION MEETING REPORT

October 6, 2025



Agenda Item #: 15

Project Title: 1601 N Sherman Avenue and 1610 Ruskin Street - Consideration of a demolition permit to demolish an institutional building (District 12)

Legistar File ID #: 89839

Prepared By: Heather Bailey, Preservation Planner

Members: Present: Richard Arnesen, Ald. John Duncan, Molly Harris, Katie Kaliszewski, Jacob Morrison, and Maurice Taylor
Excused: Edna Ely-Ledesma

Summary

This item was approved as a consent item with the finding that all applicable standards are adequately addressed and with all the staff recommendations contained in the report.

Action

A motion was made by Arnesen, seconded by Duncan, to recommend a finding of (c) no known historic value. However, the human burial site (Sugar Bush Mound Group, DA-0060, BDA-0329) on the property will need to secure a Request to Disturb before beginning ground-disturbing work. This site is significant to the Ho-Chunk people. The motion passed by voice vote/other.