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RE:

Notice of demolition at 1218 Artisan Drive, Madison, WI 53704

Gentlemen:

Our law firm represents Ms. Stasia Hargis, the owner of a residence located at 1218 Artisan Drive, Madison, which sustained significant fire damage on June 16, 2012, and must be demolished. Ms. Hargis intends to rebuild her home on that site. Unfortunately, we are in the midst of a dispute with the insurer, State Farm, concerning coverage for the loss, which has delayed Ms. Hargis' plans to immediately rebuild.

Once the controversy is resolved with the insurer or Ms. Hargis is able to secure alternate financing, she will rebuild a residence on the property. In the interim, Ms. Hargis intends to proceed with the appropriate demolition and razing of the property.

The City of Madison requires demolition permit applicants to provide advance notice to the district alder and neighborhood association. Please accept this Notice that Ms. Hargis will submit an application for a demolition permit to the City of Madison Plan Commission in thirty (30) days.

Feel free to contact me directly should you have any questions or concerns. We appreciate your cooperation during this process. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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