

AGENDA # 7

City of Madison, Wisconsin

REPORT OF: LANDMARKS COMMISSION

PRESENTED: June 6, 2016

TITLE: Buildings Proposed for Demolition –
2016
- 418 Division Street
- 711 East Johnson Street
- 707 East Johnson Street
- 308 North Blair Street

REFERRED:

REREFERRED:

REPORTED BACK:

AUTHOR: Amy Scanlon, Secretary

ADOPTED: June 6, 2016 **POF:**

DATED: June 6, 2016

ID NUMBER: 41270

Members present were: Stuart Levitan, Chair; Anna V. Andrzejewski, Vice Chair; Erica Fox Gehrig, Lon Hill, David WJ McLean, and Christina Slattery

SUMMARY:

Robert Klebba, registering in opposition and wishing to speak. Klebba provided a letter from the Neighborhood Council related to the proposed demolition of the buildings at 707 and 711 E Johnson.

The Commission discussed the historic value of the two houses on East Johnson and decided that the houses had historic value related to their vernacular context; however they wanted to add language to their regular motion to explain that they don't have enough information to determine significance.

The Commission generally discussed the historic value of the building at 318 N Blair.

ACTION:

A motion was made by Andrzejewski, seconded by Gehrig, to recommend to the Plan Commission that the Commission finds that the buildings at 707 and 711 E Johnson Street have historic value related to the vernacular context of Madison's built environment, and that the Commission does not have enough information and therefore cannot determine if the buildings are historically, architecturally or culturally significant. The motion passed by a voice vote.

A motion was made by Andrzejewski, seconded by Gehrig, to recommend to the Plan Commission that the Commission finds that the buildings at 318 N Blair Street has historic value related to the vernacular context of Madison's built environment, and that the Commission does not have enough information and therefore cannot determine if the building is historically, architecturally or culturally significant. The motion passed by a voice vote.

A motion was made by Slattery, seconded by Andrzejewski, to recommend to the Plan Commission that the Commission finds that the building at 418 Division Street has no known historic value. The motion passed by a voice vote.