

# UPTOWN PLANNERS

October 25, 2022

Tim Hutter, Chairperson  
City of San Diego Historical Resources Board  
1222 First Ave, 4<sup>th</sup> Fl  
San Diego, CA 92101

**Re: HRB October 27, 2022 Agenda  
Item 6: 3780-3786 Fifth Ave (#1453, LGBTQ Community/Albert Bell Building)  
Project #1049650**

Dear Chair Hutter,

On October 4, the Uptown Planners Community Planning Group board discussed presentations made by the project applicant to our Historic Resources Committee on October 1, to redevelop this site.

After discussion at both meetings, during which we were assured by applicant that they would continue working with community representatives to mitigate the proposed loss of this historically designated property with specific measures, such as interpretive displays, QR Code-accessible video and public art, Uptown Planners voted to endorse the current process for the disposition of this historic resource.

Thank you for your consideration.

All best,



Mat Wahlstrom  
Chair, Uptown Planners

cc: Andrew Settle, Kalonymus Development Partners  
Bruce Coons, Save Our Heritage Organisation  
Charles Kaminski, San Diego LGBTQ Historic Sites Project