

July 22, 2022

City of San Diego Historical Resources Board Chair McCullough and fellow Board Members 1122 First Avenue San Diego, California 92101

RE: Historical Resources Board Meeting--July 28, 2022; Item #-05; Joseph E Jessop House

Chair McCullough and Board Members,

HLLK Architects would like to express our support for the historical designation of the property located at 414 La Crescentia. HLLK takes no issue with Staff's Report to the Historical Resources Board (HRB Report Number HRB 22-026, Joseph E. Jessop House) or Staff's recommendation that the San Diego Historic Resources Board designate the Joseph E. Jessop as a historical resource under HRB Criterion B.

HLLK would note, that since our involvement with the property in late 2020, that we have worked closely Development Services Staff, primarily with their former planner, Emma Haggerty, to design any alterations within the guidelines of the Secretary of the Interior Standards. The priority of our design was keeping the house to its 1929 - 1970 period of significance.

HLLK takes no issue with Staff's evaluation of the Property under the City's Guidelines and limiting the Property's designation criteria to HRB Criterion B (Person), and not designating the Property under either HRB Criterion C (Tudor Revival) nor HRB Criterion D (Notable Work of a Master, Ralph L. Frank and/or Henry C. Brawner).

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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