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Advisory Committee on Heritage (LACH)
Attention: Committee Secretary, and K. Gonyou - Heritage Planner

Re: Request for Demolition of Heritage Resource property at 1656 Hyde Park Road, London, Ontario

To All Concerned and Involved Regarding the Heritage Resource Property at 1656 Hyde Park Road, London, Ontario

My name is Lucia Castellanos, and I am a Registered Nurse, now for 31 years, and I live in San Jose California, USA.

I am immensely grateful to social-media to being alerted to the ALARMING proposal (and short notice) to demolish the beautiful 19th century House at 1656 Hyde ParK Road. This house is a DIAMOND for your City's Heritage. Did you know that once there was a little boy that lived and grew up in this house. It was his first home in which he lived in with his family. His father tended the property's magnificent gardens, cherry trees, apple trees, and wonderful garage (which is now sadly demolished.) He relished sitting on the gorgeous porch with his sibling and his dog, and he would watch his Father on Sundays take the entire day to care for the lush gardens on the property. This little boy was always very special, and his heart was so full of Love, for he knew God from a very young age, and knew of God's Love inherent in all of God's Creation.

This Heritage Home is a place that your city ought to conserve with Pride and Utmost Respect and Honor, for this little boy that I speak of, has now become a World Renowned International Singer and Song Writer, whose songs of finding one's self-love to be so crucial given today's climate of horrific world catastrophic events, and world tragedies. His music has touched many hearts from dualistic thinking and acting, to a whole new way of being as ONE with others in the world. (I for one have been transformed in my heart, after my PTSD after my Father's suicide of 26 years ago, and feel I have a new life worth living after hearing one of his song's that literally cracked my heart open to allow healing to occur.)

His Music is Expanding Love to all corners of the World - I DO NEED TO MAKE YOU AWARE OF HOW MUCH HIS WORK - HIS MUSIC IS REACHING / TOUCHING PEOPLE IN ALL CORNERS OF THE WORLD.

Here is a partial list of the top 26 Countries and areas world-wide where his music has been sought and is being listened to:

Canada

**United States** 

Paraguay

New Zealand

Qatar

Switzerland

Spain

Singapore

Germany

Indonesia

Kuwait

Russian Federation

Belgium

Egypt

Australia

France

Pakistan

Malaysia

Norway

Portugal

India

Netherlands

Mexico

Sweden

United Kingdom

Cyprus

As a Registered Nurse, I believe in Preventative Health - encompassing health on the human level, to health of all life on our planet Earth . As a Human Species, we have created a quagmire of our living situations worldwide - wars, poverty, disease, destruction of the planet, pollution, extinction of animal species ..... the list is long.

I have faith that we still have time to reverse all of this, but it all has to start within ourselves first. The little boy who always loved differently through the Grace of A Higher Power is Paul Luftenegger. And through his work, he is making us all aware, of what I call One Health, which includes Individual Health, Population Health, and Ecosystem Health.

When we learn to love ourselves, then that love spreads outward to others, and to all of Life around us. We are in a Time of Big Changes, Big Changes for the Better for I have Faith that we will leave the world a Better Place for our children and our childrens' children for them to live in Peace, in Good Health, and "Know that life is such a gift .... Life is such a miracle ... To encourage people to dream their biggest dreams and unfold their biggest dreams from their souls and their hearts" as Paul Luftenegger is doing, and as I have learned through Paul Luftenegger's music and songs, to Expand Peace and Loving Kindness. This is deeply healing and transformational.

1656 Hyde Park Road, London Ontario is as special as is the Banting House where Dr. Frederick Banting conceived the idea for research that lead to the discovery of insulin that became a life saving therapy worldwide for diabetes. Banting House is known as the "Birthplace of Insulin." I doubt that it would ever be considered to be demolished.

Please consider 1656 Hyde Park Road as "The Birth Place of where a New Humanity Began through Paul Luftenegger's Peace and Loving Kindness music."

I highly recommend to the committee to listen to Paul Luftenegger's music, starting with the song "My Heart" from his album "Love Expanding Love."

Aside from writing music, and producing albums, he has been on various radio interview shows, and on TV News. He has a website called **beekindness.com** 

He recently released a new album in collaboration with an author named Anita Moorjani who wrote a book titled "Dying to be Me" which is now selling and translated in 47 languages. His new collaborative album is titled "The Miracle of You." I also recommend both the book and the collaborative album to your committee.

So you have a Diamond Native Son who is an Ambassador of Peace and Loving Kindness for the ENTIRE World who grew up at 1656 Hyde Park Road.

Accolades behoove your city for your Native Son, Ambassador of Peace and Loving Kindness, and the preservation of his childhood home at 1656 Hyde Park Road, London, Ontario, Canada, would gift your city one of the highest honors in this changing world of today.

Perhaps the 19th century house itself at 1656 Hyde Park Road can be moved to a more prestigious location.

There is a single photo of the house on the internet that does not do this house justice, for I could see large hot tubs displayed outside of the house. Is the building now being used for business purposes of selling hot tubs?

I thank you in advance for your time and for taking into consideration my voice in this highly important matter.

I live in California and I am not able to travel to attend the meeting on April 25, 2016. I give permission for my letter (as my public voice / opinion) to be read OUT LOUD please to the public in attendance by the committee secretary or by Josh Morgan, or other representative on my behalf.

Respectfully Submitted with Warm Regards,

Lucia Castellanos, R.N.