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Subject: 172 Central Avenue

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Dear Members of Council,

I am in favour of supporting the staff recommendation to designate 172 Central Avenue as a heritage property.

I have lived in the area for over 40 years and have been saddened to see many older homes either demolished or left in disrepair.

There is definitely a documented historical value to 172 Central and its place in the neighbourhood. It also appears that a fair bit of research has gone into determining that it can be repaired.

As the engineer's report states that the house is repairable, along with the historical value, I believe it is worth designating and saving. I am happy to see that there are also provincial grant programs which can assist with the cost of restoring heritage homes such as this.

Yours truly,

Carol Hunter 600 Talbot Street London, ON