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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Bryon Red Barn

To Whom it may concern,

I have been very disappointed in the City of London's approach and response to the Bryon Red Barn situation at 247 Halls Mill Rd.

In the past, it seems that the owner was going with the premise of demolition by neglect. Since the article in the London Free Press in Aug 2019, written by Megan Stacey, this owner has been persistent in physically dismantling this amazing part of Bryon's history. Even as I read the "Request for Demolition" notice I could hear saws and hammers from the barn. The owner of this property has disregarded any and all of the city's directives with regard to this property. I feel this approach and response style is setting a contrary precedent with regards to our city's legacy. If this is the owners action then what is the consequence ?

If this owner gets away with this blatant disrespect of city laws, I fear what comes when the next owner wants something the city is presumably guarding. I want to believe our city is taking guardianship of our heritage seriously, but I must say this situation challenges my confidence in this belief and our city's governing bodies.

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