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Subject: 89 Wilson Ave

My name is Chris Horley, I live in the upper unit of [89 Wilson Avenue](#). I live there with my girlfriend, Katie, and our cat, Toulouse. Over the past several weeks we have been unable to live in our home due to the stop work order issued by the city of London. We have been forced to find alternate living arrangements with various friends and relatives.

The renovations that should have been completed at this point have come to a complete stand still. The conditions of our home previous to these proposed renovations was very much less than ideal. The shower was not even large enough for someone of average height to comfortably stand in. I have lived there for four years, and have had to double over every time I have wanted to shower. The ceiling in the kitchen and bathroom were very steeply slanted, making life very inconvenient.

Since construction began we have had several building inspectors here, and have actually learned that there are many more problems with our apartment than we could have imagined. Several aspects are not up to current building codes. These things make our home unsafe to live in and unsafe for the tenant below us, who happens to be my sister (Daniella).

These conditions demand immediate attention and action. We want our home and our lives back. Please find a way to quickly determine if [89 Wilson Ave](#) is indeed a heritage home, and if it is not then please allow us the necessary permits we need to turn this house back into a home. I do not believe that what we have asked is an outrageous or unattainable goal. Please consider how difficult this has been for us.

We love Blackfriars,

Chris Horley and Katie Norman