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Case File 15-0666

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Dear Honorable City Council,

Case File: 15-0666 Joy A. Ross 7566 Woodlake Ave Westhills, CA 91304

I spoke with Sharon Gin yesterday and she says our case is scheduled on July 28th and the final decision going to Council is on August 4th.

I have not been able to speak with anyone in Lambert Giessinger's office being they are on summer recess.

Again as property owner Joy A. Ross is "adamantly opposed" to the designation of her family home being a Historical Cultural Monument.

I have read the website preservation.lacity.org and there is NO benefit for her as a property owner. It does the opposite as causing a needless hardship on a elderly woman with progressive dementia. No representative visited the inside of her home they merely walked around the perimeter as a "Peeping Tom" taking photos up to Joy's bedroom window. While the exterior is 1927 the interior is 1980's and continuously needing handicap accessibility of handrails, stairwell chair to 2nd floor, rails in shower and at toilets. More adaptations will need to be added and we are not willing to ask permission or go through a process.

I am POA for my mother and am unable to make the July 28th meeting as I will be in Toronto, Canada that day moving furniture for my son going to College.

Hannah, I need to know how aggressive I must get to have this designation denied. Do I need to hire an attorney to file a lawsuit against the individual who filed this application against the property owners knowledge or will? Is this a long lawsuit that drags out and burdens my mother financially? Should I contact the ADA and get their help? Is correspondence enough as Property Owner to say we disapprove?

A Property Owner should have quiet enjoyment and has rights. This designation takes away my mother and our family rights.

Please Advise,
Jill Ross Meer POA for Joy A. Ross