

Memo

To: Village Board

Fr: Trevor Fuller, Planning and Zoning Administrator

Re: APPROVAL TO PROCEED WITH THE CLG GRANT PROCESS TO NOMINATE THE MIRAMAR DRIVE RESIDENTIAL HISTORIC DISTRICT AND TWO INDIVIDUALLY ELIGIBLE LISTINGS TO THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES

Date: July 2, 2015

On April 22nd, the village invited residents from the Miramar Drive Residential Historic District and two individually eligible listings to learn the benefits of listing on the National Register of Historic Places. Daina Penkiunas, from the Wisconsin Historical Society, was there to answer any questions.

Of the 28 households that were sent invitations, 13 were in attendance at the meeting. Residents in attendance were asked to voice any concerns or reasons of contempt with proceeding to list their homes to the National Register – staff has received none to date. Staff has received a lot of positive feedback from the residents in attendance, as well as from those who could not make the meeting. Based on the apparent buy-in from residents, the historic preservation committee made the recommendation to proceed with the Certified Local Government (CLG) grant process.

The Village Board is asked to approve staff to proceed with the CLG grant process – to draft a letter of intent and solicit estimates from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and Legacy Architecture for performing the work to nominate the Miramar Drive Residential Historic District and two individually eligible listings, 3430 Langlade Road and 2568 S. Webster Avenue, to the National Register of Historic Places.