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To: HDC
Subject: Comment about the demolition project on 415 W Washington street

Dear commissioners

As you might know, that site that is proposed for demolition has been a historic roosting site for Chimney swifts. At this season, about 1,500 Chimney swifts are roosting every night at that location. I would strongly recommend finding a solution to preserve that roosting site, either by preserving the chimney or by including an alternate roosting site in the design of the new building.

If you decide otherwise, please make sure that the building is being demolished outside of the chimney swift breeding season (May-October)

Let me know if you have any question,

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