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My name is James Barr. I am the owner of the property at 4110 Ave H. <u>I am in favor</u> of the applicant's request.

I'm an Architect and have practiced for 41 years in Austin. I've lived at this address for 25 years. More than half of my time in practice has been in Historic Preservation, both on my own and working for Bell, Klein and Hoffman, Sheffelman and Nix, Page Southerland Page, The Barr Company and Travis County Facilities Management Department. I believe that in order for Hyde Park Neighborhood to flourish we must allow and even encourage additions, remodels and, where appropriate, allow demolition/replacement. There are certainly exceptions for some of the structures that have social or physical historic significance.

Sincerely, James Barr

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