Kautz, Kara

From:

Karelia Carbonell <karelia.m.carbonell@gmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, October 21, 2020 2:58 PM

To:

Kautz, Kara

Subject:

Re: FROM KARELIA-- Letters of support for 603 Minorca

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OKAY. NOW I SEE THAT THEY USED AN INCORRECT EMAIL ADDRESS. CAN YOU PLEASE UPLOAD IT NOW? THANK YOU. K

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From: Carlos Castiglione <a sucar36@aol.com>

To: karakautz@coralgables.com < karakautz@coralgables.com >

Sent: Sat, Sep 12, 2020 5:45 am

City of Coral Gables Historic Preservation Board **Kara Kautz** - Interim Preservation Officer

Subject: 603 Minorca Avenue

Re: Case File COA (SP) 2020-008

An application for the issuance of a Special Certificate of Appropriateness for 603 Minorca Avenue

My husband and I have been long residents of Coral Gables and want to let the Board know we are opposed

to moving the historic house. Moving the nearly 100-year-old house risks damaging it, no matter who suggests

theoretically that it can be done.

The nice double lot showcases the classic Coral Gables cottage and its coral-rock foundation. Moving it from

its original site compromises its historic value and reduces the aesthetic appearance of the property, which

is prominently visible from both Minorca and Segovia.

Allowing the lot to be subdivided and building a large two-story house next door to the historic house should

not be allowed. Such a development would be out of proportion with homes nearby, eliminate the little green

space there is and create more congestion.

Sincerely,

Susana Goni & Carlos Castiglione

On Wed, Oct 21, 2020 at 2:54 PM Kautz, Kara < KKautz@coralgables.com > wrote:

I don't have anything from them.

Kara Kautz