RESOLUTION NO. 2021-05-PR-***

A RESOLUTION OF THE PRESERVATION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH APPROVING A HISTORIC LANDMARK DESIGNATION FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 224 AVENUE C PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 4, TITLE 10 OF THE REDONDO BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, an application has been filed to designate an historic landmark pursuant to Chapter 4, Title 10 of the Municipal Code for property located at 224 Avenue C; and

WHEREAS, notice of the time and place of the public hearing was given according to the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2021, the Preservation Commission of the City of Redondo Beach held a public hearing to consider this application, at which time all interested parties were given an opportunity to be heard and to present evidence.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PRESERVATION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH DOES HEREBY FIND AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The residence and garage meet the minimum eligibility requirement for landmark designation by being at least 50 years old in that factual evidence indicates that the buildings were constructed in 1931 and are currently 90 years old.

SECTION 2. The buildings embody distinctive characteristics of a style, type, period, or method of construction, and is a valuable example of the use of indigenous materials or craftsmanship in that the building is a representative example of the Spanish Colonial style of architecture that was popular in California in the early 1900's.

SECTION 3. This property reflects special elements of the City's cultural, social, and economic history. The residential structure was constructed on the property in 1931 during a time when Redondo Beach was a thriving resort with a growing residential community for working men and their families. This structure served as a home for working and middle class families who served the community. This property is representative of the early period of growth and development in Redondo Beach.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PRESERVATION COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Based on the findings contained herein, the Preservation Commission hereby approves the designation of the residence and garage at 224 Avenue C as a historic landmark with the following condition:

 The owners shall replace the newer window on the west elevation of the house, the newer window at the garage, and the sectional garage door with historically accurate openings. The stucco around the west elevation window on the house shall also be repaired. The owners shall work with staff regarding the final design of the openings and obtain the appropriate permits.

SECTION 2. This historic landmark designation makes the property eligible for a Mills Act Contract which will be subsequently prepared and forwarded to the City Council for review and approval.

FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Preservation Commission forward a copy of this resolution to the City Council and all appropriate City departments and any other interested governmental and civic agencies. PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of May, 2021

Preservation Commission Chair City of Redondo Beach

The foregoing resolution was duly passed, approved and adopted by the Preservation Commission of the City of Redondo Beach at a regular meeting held on May 5th, 2021 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney's Office