August 25, 2011

John Dickert
Mayor, City of Racine
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Dear John,

This letter is a request that the city investigate the expansion of the Southside National Register Historic District as recommended in the city publication <u>Architectural and Historical Survey of the City of Racine</u>, and that the matter be referred to the Landmarks Commission for consideration.

It seems that the Wisconsin Historical Society might grant me their historical designation if my home was within a recognized historical district. This status would provide homeowners within this area a better chance of qualifying for historical renovation tax credits, state and federal.

We look forward to your assistance on this matter.

Best regards/

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CC: Greg Helding, President, Common Council