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Mayor Gregor Robertson and Vancouver City Council Vancouver City Hall 453 W. 12<sup>th</sup> Ave. Vancouver, BC, V5Y 1V4

Dear Mayor and Members of Council:

Re: 3345 Collingwood St. Vancouver, Evans Residence. Heritage designation and HRA.

Heritage Vancouver wishes to express its support for the proposal to relocate on site, retain, conserve and designate the Evans house. The Heritage value of the house has been assessed and confirmed. For all of its long life until recently the house remained in the ownership of the Evans family. The support of the proposal by the Vancouver Heritage Commission is noted. Increased density would be minimal, and wholly justified in support of conservation and protection through designation. The alternative, new housing on five 33ft lots, would not only be bland, but result in the loss of a recognised Heritage resource which contributes materially to the texture and variety of North Dunbar.

Council support for the Report and the project is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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