## **Maura Jones**

Subject:

RE: Let to Mayor and Council from neighbourhood interested in becoming and HCA

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Attention:

Maura Jones

**Deputy Director of Corporate Services** 

District of Oak Bay mjones@oakbay.ca

October 4, 2016

To Mayor and Council,

We are residents in the area bordered by York Place, San Carlos Avenue, Beach Drive, Oak Bay Avenue, and including Prospect Place, one of the most picturesque and historically significant residential neighbourhoods in Oak Bay.

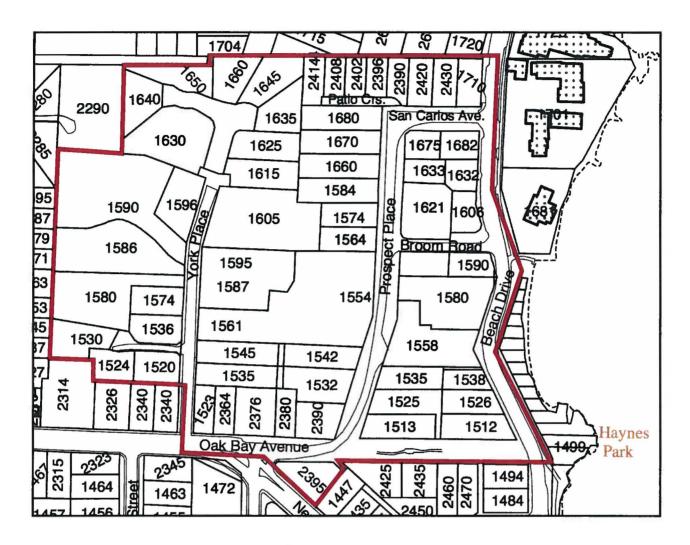
We request Oak Bay Council to consider this area becoming a Heritage Conservation Area and direct staff to investigate this. A map of the area is enclosed. Our goal is to provide long-term protection and thoughtfully managed change to this distinctive area of heritage character, valuable to all residents of Oak Bay and those who visit our community.

We appreciate—after meeting with each of you in the last month, as well as with senior staff and with the Oak Bay Heritage Foundation and the Oak Bay Heritage Commission—that we are at the initial stages of a process. We have held three neighbourhood meetings over the last six weeks, and at the most recent there was a strong endorsement among the 30 people present to make this request to Council.

We therefore ask this correspondence be included on the agenda for the October 11, 2016 Council meeting and that we have the opportunity to make a short presentation and provide more details at this or the subsequent meeting.

Yours truly,

Michael J. Prince, Karen Wallace-Prince, Ken and Barb Grant, and neighbours



## **Proposed Heritage Conservation Area**

York Place, Prospect Place, Oak Bay Avenue, San Carlos Avenue, and Beach Drive