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I support Packard's Hill neighborhood submission for historic district designation and strongly encourage City Council to sustain the continued and reasonable use of historic districts to recognize and protect neighborhoods with both character and history. As former president and current vice-president of the Humboldt Street Neighborhood Association and resident within the Humboldt and Park Avenue Historic District, I have experienced first hand the importance of and benefits of the Historic District designation. Sustain the historic character of neighborhoods in Denver is one of the many aspects that make Denver a great place to live. These historic designations protect the value and quality of architecture, structures and overall fabric of a neighborhood and help people make a more significant investment in their community.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter on behalf of the Packard's Hill Historic District submission.

Regards,

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