TOWN OF PALM BEACH

Information for Town Council Meeting on: February 10, 2021

To: Mayor and Town Council

Via: Kirk Blouin, Town Manager

From: Wayne Bergman, Director of Planning, Zoning & Building

Re: Landmark Designation of 127 Root Trail

Date: January 26, 2021

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends ratification of the property known as 127 Root Trail as a Town Landmark.

LANDMARKS PRESERVATION COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION

At the Public Hearing for Designation held January 20, 2021 meeting of the Landmarks Preservation Commission, the Commission voted (7-0) to recommend to the Town Council that the above mentioned property be designated as a landmark. In accordance with Section 54-164(a)(11) of Chapter 54 of the Town of Palm Beach Code of Ordinances, the Town Council shall hold a public hearing within ninety (90) days of the final decision of the Landmarks Commission to consider ratification of the Commission's recommendation.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The property meets the following criteria for designation as a landmark of the Town of Palm Beach:

Sec. 54-161 (1) Exemplifies or reflects the broad cultural, political, economic or

social history of the nation, state, county or town; and,

Sec. 54-161 (3) Embodies distinguishing characteristics of an architectural type or is

a specimen inherently valuable for the study of a period, style,

method of construction or use of indigenous materials or

craftsmanship, and,

OWNER CONSENT

The property owners, Catherine and David Brooker, were properly notified of the hearing before the Landmarks Preservation Commission. The owners are fully supported the designation.

TOWN ATTORNEY REVIEW

Please be advised that the Town Attorney has reviewed Resolution No. 017-2021 relating to 127 Root Trail and has approved it as to legal form and sufficiency.

Attachments

cc: Murphy Stillings, LLC