



LINCOLN SQUARE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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The Landmarks Preservation Commission
20 Vesey Street
New York, N.Y. 10007

Gentlemen:

Lincoln Square Community Council has represented our community for more than 20 years. We are not against appropriate development. On the contrary, we have sponsored the construction of various buildings in this community. Still in this instance, our Board of Directors, meeting in December 1983, passed the following resolution.

The Lincoln Square Community Council joins with Community Board #7, Federation of West Side Block Assn. and other community organizations to urge that the Landmarks Commission refuse permission to the New York Historical Society to construct an apartment building above their landmarked structure on Central Park West.

We will not take your time by repeating the many reasons we have taken this position. Many others have already done so in eloquent terms. Suffice it to say that we have seen absolutely no overriding need by the Historical Society to deface its Landmarked building at this time.

Very truly yours,

Roni Wattman
President