



THE COMMITTEE TO PRESERVE THE UPPER WEST SIDE

**Testimony of LANDMARK WEST!
Certificate of Appropriateness Committee
Before the Landmarks Preservation Commission
930 West End Avenue
January 16, 2018**

LANDMARK WEST! is a not-for-profit community organization committed to the preservation of the architectural heritage of the Upper West Side.

The Certificate of Appropriateness Committee wishes to comment on 930 West End Avenue, a Renaissance Revival style flats building designed by Henry Anderson and built in 1898. The application is to install a barrier-free access ramp.

The LANDMARK WEST! Certificate of Appropriateness Committee feels very strongly that our landmarks (and city) should be made accessible and appreciates the applicant's efforts to accommodate all New Yorkers. We believe this is a strong proposal. The ramp proposed is benign and utilitarian, a welcoming addition providing accessibility to all, and easily reversible in the future.

The LANDMARK WEST! Certificate of Appropriateness Committee believes this proposal compliments the landmark, and we recommends approval of this application.