AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE "JOHN JAMISON HOUSE" AND THE
LAND ASSOCIATED THEREWITH AS HISTORIC PROPERTY, AT 802 PROVIDENCE ROAD, IN THE
CITY OF CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, AND RECORDED ON PARCEL NUMBER 155-051-06 IN
THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY TAX OFFICE.

WHEREAS, all of the prerequisites to the adoption of this ordinance prescribed
in Part 3B, Article 19, Chapter 160A, as amended, of the General Statutes of North
Carolina have been met; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Charlotte, North Carolina, has taken into full
consideration all statements and information presented at the joint public hearing
held with the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Historic Properties Commission on the
26th
day of October, 1981, on the question of designating the property
known as the "John Jamison House" as historic property; and

WHEREAS, the house is the oldest house which survives in Myers Park, the
elegant streetcar suburb designed by John Nolen; and

WHEREAS, the "John Jamison House" is the only dwelling of rusticated granite
construction in the original section of Myers Park; and

WHEREAS, John M. Jamison, the original owner, was a hotelier of regional
importance; and

WHEREAS, the grounds of the "John Jamison House" retain their original
ambience; and

WHEREAS, the property known as the "John Jamison House" is vested in fee
simple to Mutual Savings and Loan Association.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of Charlotte, North Carolina:

1. That the property known as the "John Jamison House" and the land associated
therewith, is hereby designated as historic property pursuant to Part 3B, Article 19,
Chapter 160A, of the General Statutes of North Carolina. For purposes of description
only, the location of said property is noted as being situated on a tract of
property at 802 Providence Road, in Charlotte, North Carolina, as recorded on Parcel
Number 155-051-06 in the Tax Office of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.
2. That said designated property may be materially altered, restored, moved, or demolished only following the issuance of a Certificate of Appropriateness by the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Historic Properties Commission. An Application for a Certificate of Appropriateness authorizing the demolition of said property may not be denied. However, the effective date of such a Certificate may be delayed in accordance with Chapter 160A, Article 19, Part 3B, and amendments thereto and hereinafter adopted.

3. That nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to prevent or delay the ordinary maintenance or repair of any architectural feature in or on said property that does not involve a change of design, material, or outer appearance thereof, nor to prevent or delay the making of emergency repairs, nor to prevent or delay the construction, reconstruction, alteration, restoration, demolition, or removal of any such feature when a building inspector or similar official certifies to the Commission that such action is required for the public safety because of an unsafe condition. Nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the property owner from making any use of this property not prohibited by other statutes, ordinances, or regulations.

4. That a suitable sign may be posted indicating that said property has been designated as historic property and containing any other appropriate information. If the owner consents, the sign shall be placed on said property. If the owner objects, the sign shall be placed on a nearby public right-of-way.

5. That the owners and occupants of the property known as the "John Jamison House" be given the notice of this ordinance as required by applicable law, and that copies of this ordinance be filed and indexed in the offices of the City Clerk, Building Inspection Department, Mecklenburg County Register of Deeds, and the Tax Supervisor, as required by applicable law.
5. That which is designated as historic property shall be subject to Chapter 160A, Article 19, Part 38, and any amendments to it and any amendments hereinafter adopted.

Approved as to form:

Henry W. Chandler, Jr.
City Attorney

CERTIFICATION

I, Ruth Armstrong, City Clerk of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of an Ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, in regular session convened on the 26th day of October, 1981, the reference having been made in Minute Book 77, and is recorded in full in Ordinance Book 31, at Pages 59-61.

WITNESS my hand and the corporate seal of the City of Charlotte, North Carolina, this the 28th day of October, 1981.

Ruth Armstrong, City Clerk