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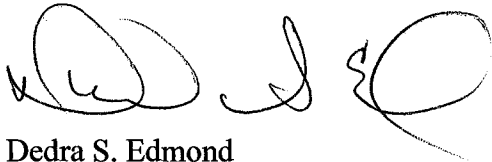
I am writing this in accordance with the letter I received from the City Clerk to protest the charges of the demolition of my property at 418 Jackson Avenue. The property consisted of my Grandparent's first home, 5 studio apartments, and the building that our family business, Johnson's Malt Shop, operated from.

I believe that the \$12,974.25 in charges pose the threat of the City's confiscation of the property. I know that if I'm unable to pay such a huge amount of money, the land will be lost.

Before the demolition, Devin Smith told me, Catherine Duncan of the Ward 5 Chamber of Commerce, and James Gray that he had control of the property. The demolition went forth and not one brick was saved. The lot is empty.

This extremely stressful ordeal has affected me both mentally and physically. I'm now faced with the possibility that the property that has been in my family for over 60 years could be just taken away by the City of Las Vegas. I'm asking that I be allowed to retain ownership of the property and its future use.

Sincerely,



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