City of Jacksonville Landmark Designation Report

1349 Market Street North

LM-24-01 February 28, 2024



Application Prepared By:

House of Leaf & Bean, LLC 224 Bowles Street Jacksonville, Florida 32266

Property Owner:

House of Leaf & Bean, LLC 224 Bowles Street Jacksonville, Florida 32266

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I. Planning and Development Department – Findings,Conclusions, and Recommendation

REPORT OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT APPLICATION FOR DESIGNATION AS A CITY OF JACKSONVILLE LANDMARK

LM-24-01 1349 Market Street North Jacksonville, Florida 32206

GENERAL LOCATION: East side of Market Street North, corner of Market

Street North and 4th Street East in the Springfield

Historic District

Prepared in accordance with the JACKSONVILLE ORDINANCE CODE, SECTION 307.104, the Jacksonville Planning and Development Department hereby forwards to the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission, its "Findings, Conclusions and Recommendations" on the Landmark Designation, <u>LM-24-01</u>, sponsored by the property owner. The owner of the property is:

House of Leaf & Bean, LLC 224 Bowles Street Jacksonville, Florida 32266

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

- (A) Consistent with the JACKSONVILLE ORDINANCE CODE, SECTION 307.104(d), the Planning and Development Department determined that the application for designation of the property at 1349 Market Street North as a Landmark was complete.
- (B) As required, the Planning and Development Department had signs posted in front of the property being considered for designation, as well as sent notices by U.S. Mail to each owner of real property within three hundred and fifty (350) feet of the proposed landmark. Notice of the public hearing on the designation of the property at 1349 Market Street North as a Landmark was published in the *Jacksonville Daily Record*. Proof of publication is attached to this report.
- (C) Once designated, any activity affecting the exterior of the building and site of the proposed landmark at 1349 Market Street North will require a Certificate of Appropriateness (COA). All proposed work will be reviewed for consistency with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings. The review of most routine work scopes including repairs, maintenance, alterations of previously altered features, small additions and size-limited new construction that would not impact significant historic elements or would not be readily street visible can be processed by the Historic Preservation

Section (HPS) of the Jacksonville Planning and Development Department, but certain activities like alterations, additions, new construction, relocation and demolition that would be visible from the public right-of way, as well as any work the HPS determines to be potentially in conflict with the *Secretary of the Interior Standards*, will require review by the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission.

The purpose of the historic designation of this site is to provide protection to the commercial structure at 1349 Market Street North and not to discourage or prohibit the future development of the site. The review of work through the COA process is to preserve the historic character, architectural features and materials of this significant structure, as well as, to ensure any future development of the site is compatible with and sensitive to this primary historic resource.

(D) In preparing the application, the Planning and Development Department has found the application to meet two of the seven criteria. The two criteria include the following;

A. Its value as a significant reminder of the cultural, historical, architectural, or archaeological heritage of the City, state or nation.

The subject property is significant because it is located in Springfield, which is one of the oldest subdivisions in the City of Jacksonville and contains a large collection of historic residential buildings with a wide variety of architectural styles. The Springfield Subdivision was platted in 1882 by the Springfield Company and was incorporated into the City of Jacksonville in 1887. The neighborhood expanded in 1909 with the development of the North Springfield and New Springfield subdivisions. It wasn't until 1987 that the Springfield Historic District was listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The City of Jacksonville designated Springfield as a City of Jacksonville Historic District in 1992.

There are over 1,800 contributing buildings in Springfield. These buildings were constructed between 1880 and 1940, and include varying architectural styles that were popular between the 1880s and the 1930s. Springfield contains 1,890 structures built before 1940 and retaining enough of their original physical character to embody adequately a similar sense of time, place and historic association.

The subject property located at 1349 Market Street North consists of a one-story Masonry Vernacular-style commercial structure. This structure is characterized by its rectangular shape, brick exterior, fixed glass storefront, and flat roof with a parapet. In Springfield, most Masonry Vernacular buildings are small apartments or commercial buildings built within the 1900-1930 period. This block of Market Street North contains a mixture of Masonry Vernacular, Frame Vernacular, Gothic Revival, and Frame Vernacular structure styles. These architectural varieties found on this block, and other architectural varieties found throughout other blocks of Springfield, are character-defining styles of the District. Architectural styles that are noticeably different from adjacent and neighboring structures are the basis of the Eclectic movement in American architectural history¹.

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¹ A Field Guide to American Houses by Virginia & Lee McAlester. 1986. Page 319.

B. Its location is the site of a significant local, state or national event.

It is the determination of the Planning and Development Department that the subject property at 1349 Market Street North does not meet this landmark criterion.

C. It is identified with a person or persons who significantly contributed to the development of the City, state or nation.

It is the determination of the Planning and Development Department that the subject property at 1349 Market Street North does not meet this landmark criterion.

D. It is identified as the work of a master builder, designer, or architect whose individual work has influenced the development of the City, state or nation.

It is the determination of the Planning and Development Department that the subject property at 1349 Market Street North does not meet this landmark criterion.

E. Its value as a building is recognized for the quality of its architecture, and it retains sufficient elements showing its architectural significance.

It is the determination of the Planning and Development Department that the subject property at 1349 Market Street North does not meet this landmark criterion.

F. It has distinguishing characteristics of an architectural style valuable for the study of a period, method of construction, or use of indigenous materials.

It is the determination of the Planning and Development Department that the subject property at 1349 Market Street North does not meet this landmark criterion.

G. Its suitability for preservation or restoration.

In utilizing this criterion, it has been the practice of the Planning and Development Department to evaluate proposed landmarks based on evidence of significant exterior alterations that have negatively impacted character-defining features, as well as represent alterations difficult, costly, or impossible to reverse. Further, the degree and nature of any exterior deterioration, as well as the evidence of long term and potentially ongoing neglect are also a factor in evaluating potential landmarks for their suitability for preservation or restoration. Not having any evidence of significant exterior deterioration, the structure has been well maintained over the years. There are no records on file for any major alterations that have occurred to the original building. The only exterior alterations on file for the building include brick repair and glass window and door work.

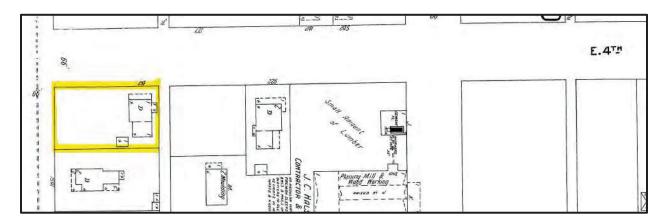
RECOMMENDATION

In reviewing the application, the Planning and Development Department has found the application to meet two of the seven criteria. Based on the findings of this report, the Jacksonville Planning and Development Department recommends that the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission <u>APPROVE</u> the designation of 1349 Market Street North <u>(LM-24-01)</u> as a City of Jacksonville Landmark.

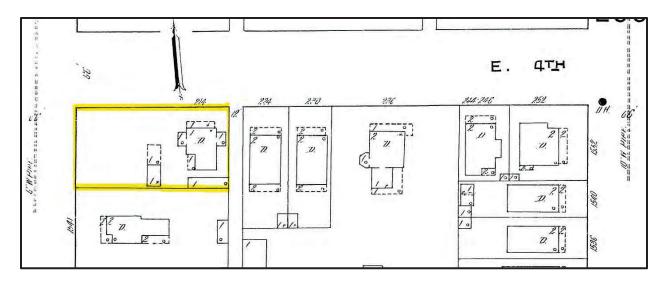
Aerial Map of 1349 Market Street North



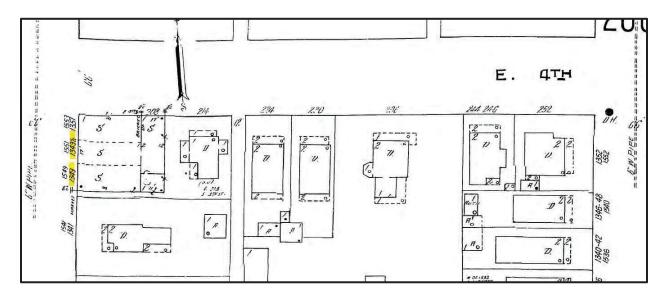
Jacksonville Sanborn Map 1903, Sheet 43



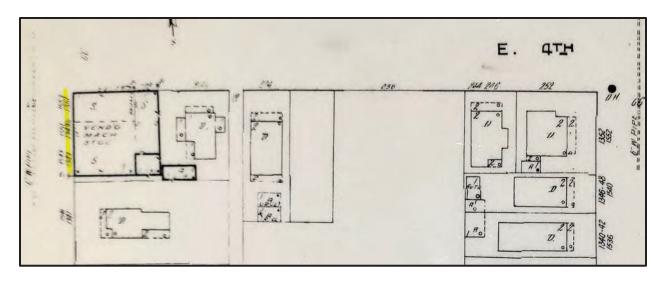
Jacksonville Sanborn Map 1913, Volume 2, Sheet 194



Jacksonville Sanborn Map 1913-May 1951, Volume 2, Sheet 194



Jacksonville Sanborn Map 1972, Volume 2, Sheet 194



Public Notice Sign Posted on Subject Property February 2, 2024



Exterior Photographs of Subject Property





Photo 1: Western elevation.



Photo 2: Partial southern elevation with wood fence to the right.



Photo 3: Partial eastern elevation – similar across entire elevation. Located along property line possibly.



Photo 4: Partial northern elevation.



Photo 5: Partial northern elevation.



Photo 6: Damaged/missing brick masonry along south elevation.

224 BOWLES ST NEPTUNE BEACH, FL 32266 **Primary Site Address** 1349 MARKET ST 2 Jacksonville FL 32206

Official Record Book/Page 20047-01536

1349 MARKET ST

Property Detail				
RE#	070948-0000			
Tax District	USD1			
Property Use 1692 Shopping Ctr/Nbhd				
# of Buildings	1			
Legal Desc.	For full legal description see Land & Legal section below			
Subdivision 01188 SRINGFELD S/D BLK 3,5,9 ,				
Total Area	4109			
Characteristics <u>Historic Designation</u>				

The sale of this property may result in higher property taxes. For more information go to $\underline{\text{Save}}$ Our Homes and our Property Tax Estimator . 'In Progress' property values, exemptions and other supporting information on this page are part of the working tax roll and are subject to change. Certified values listed in the Value Summary are those certified in October, but may include any official changes made after certification Learn how the Property Appraiser's Office values property.

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Value Description	2023 Certified	2024 In Progress
Value Method	Income	Income
Total Building Value	\$0.00	\$0.00
Extra Feature Value	\$0.00	\$0.00
Land Value (Market)	\$24,430.00	\$24,430.00
<u>Land Value (Agric.)</u>	\$0.00	\$0.00
Just (Market) Value	\$323,800.00	\$321,100.00
Assessed Value	\$263,120.00	\$289,432.00
Cap Diff/Portability Amt	\$60,680.00 / \$0.00	\$31,668.00 / \$0.00
<u>Exemptions</u>	\$0.00	See below
Taxable Value	\$263,120.00	See below



Taxable Values and Exemptions — In Progress In the Interest of Exemptions of Interest Interes

County/Municipal Taxable Value No applicable exemptions

SJRWMD/FIND Taxable Value No applicable exemptions

School Taxable Value No applicable exemptions

Sales History 5	
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Book/Page	Sale Date	Sale Price	Deed Instrument Type Code	Qualified/Unqualified	Vacant/Improved
20047-01536	10/29/2021	\$317,500.00	SW - Special Warranty	Qualified	Improved
<u>18007-00407</u>	5/31/2017	\$202,000.00	SW - Special Warranty	Qualified	Improved
<u>16274-00646</u>	3/1/2013	\$100.00	CT - Certificate of Title	Unqualified	Improved
<u>10669-01075</u>	9/18/2002	\$75,000.00	WD - Warranty Deed	Qualified	Improved
<u>06798-00394</u>	11/20/1989	\$25,000.00	WD - Warranty Deed	Unqualified	Improved
<u>06795-00950</u>	11/14/1989	\$100.00	QC - Quit Claim	Unqualified	Improved
<u>05930-02180</u>	3/5/1985	\$100.00	QC - Quit Claim	Unqualified	Improved
<u>05891-01762</u>	12/13/1984	\$70,000.00	QC - Quit Claim	Unqualified	Improved
<u>05451-00253</u>	10/1/1981	\$8,000.00	WD - Warranty Deed	Unqualified	Improved

Extra Features

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LN	Feature Code	Feature Description	Bldg.	Length	Width	Total Units	Value
1	FWDC1	Fence Wood	1	0	0	70.00	\$342.00
2	PVCC1	Paving Concrete	1	0	0	280.00	\$531.00

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	LN	<u>Code</u>	Use Description	Zoning Assessment	Front	Depth	Category	Land Units	<u>Land Type</u>	Land Value
ı	1	1000	COMMERCIAL	CN-S	0.00	0.00	Common	4,886.00	Square Footage	\$24,430.00

	<u>Legal</u>				
LN Legal Description					
	1	2-4 37-2S-26E			
	2	SPRINGFIELD			
	3	W 70FT LOT 6 BLK 14			

Buildings

Building 1 Building 1 Site Address 1349 MARKET ST Unit 2 Jacksonville FL 32206

Building Type	1602 - SHOP CTR NBHD	
Year Built	1926	
Building Value	\$106,856.00	

<u>Type</u>	Gross Area	Heated Area	Effective Area
Base Area	4397	4397	4397
Total	4397	4397	4397

Element	Code	Detail
Exterior Wall	20	20 Face Brick
Roof Struct	4	4 Wood Truss
Roofing Cover	4	4 Built Up/T&G
Interior Wall	3	3 Plastered
Int Flooring	11	11 Cer Clay Tile
Int Flooring	5	5 Asphalt tile
Heating Fuel	4	4 Electric
Heating Type	4	4 Forced-Ducted
Air Cond	3	3 Central
Ceiling Wall Finish	6	6 NS Ceil Wall Fin
Comm Htg & AC	1	1 Not Zoned



Element	Code	Detail
Stories	1.000	
Baths	6.000	
Rooms / Units	5.000	
Avg Story Height	14.000	

3 C-Masonry

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2023 Notice of Proposed Property Taxes Notice (TRIM Notice)

Taxing District	Assessed Value	Exemptions	Taxable Valu	e Last Year	Proposed	Rolled-back
Gen Govt Ex B&B	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$263,120.00	\$2,707.00	\$2,977.70	\$2,722.11
Urban Service Dist1	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Public Schools: By State Law	\$323,800.00	\$0.00	\$323,800.00	\$774.05	\$1,030.66	\$950.09
By Local Board	\$323,800.00	\$0.00	\$323,800.00	\$537.72	\$727.90	\$660.03
FL Inland Navigation Dist.	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$263,120.00	\$7.65	\$7.58	\$7.58
Water Mgmt Dist. SJRWMD	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$263,120.00	\$47.22	\$47.18	\$47.18
School Board Voted	\$323,800.00	\$0.00	\$323,800.00	\$0.00	\$323.80	\$0.00
Urb Ser Dist1 Voted	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$263,120.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
			Totals	\$4,073.64	\$5,114.82	\$4,386.99
Description	Just Value	Assessed Value		Exemptions	Taxable V	alue
Last Year	\$239,200.00	\$239,200.00		\$0.00	\$239,200.0	0

Current Ye	ar \$323,800.00	\$263,12
2023 TRIM Property Re	ord Card (PRC)	

This PRC reflects property details and values at the time of the original mailing of the Notices of Proposed Property Taxes (TRIM Notices) in August.

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Property Record Card (PRC)

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• To obtain a historic Property Record Card (PRC) from the Property Appraiser's Office, submit your request here:



\$263,120.00

More Information
ontact Us | Parcel Tax Record | GIS Map | Map this property on Google Maps | City Fees Record

Doc # 2021323614, OR BK 20047 Page 1536, Number Pages: 2, Recorded 12/07/2021 02:47 PM, JODY PHILLIPS CLERK CIRCUIT COURT DUVAL COUNTY RECORDING \$18.50 DEED DOC ST \$2222.50

This Instrument Prepared by & Return To: River City Title 11512 Lake Mead Avenue #606 Jacksonville, FL 32256

Parcel Number: 070948-0000

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Special Warranty Deed

THIS SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED (this "Deed") is made as of this 29th day of October, 2021 between The Holdings Group LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company, whose mailing address is 2350 Coral Way #401, Miami, FL 33145 ("Grantor"), to House of Leaf & Bean, LLC, a Florida limited liability company whose mailing address is 224 Bowles Street, Neptune Beach, Florida 32266 ("Grantee").

WITNESSETH:

THAT Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00), and other good and valuable consideration paid to Grantor by Grantee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, by these presents does grant, bargain, sell and convey to Grantee, and Grantee's successors and assigns forever, all the right, title, and interest in and to that certain real property (the "Property") located and situated in Duval County, Florida and fully described as follows:

The West 70 feet of Lot 6, Block 14, Springfield, according to map or plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 4, of the public records of Duval County, Florida.

TOGETHER with all improvements, easements, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging to or in any way appertaining to the Property.

SUBJECT to taxes for 2021 and subsequent years, not yet due and payable; covenants, restrictions, easements, reservations and limitations of record, if any, without intention of creation of or reimposing same.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same in fee simple forever.

GRANTOR hereby specially warrants the title to the Property and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons claiming by, through, or under Grantor, but none other.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has duly executed this instrument as of the date first written above.

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GRANTOR:

The Holdings Group LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company

By:

Sylvia Perez, Manager

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or () online notarization this Act day of 1000, 2021 by Sylvia Perez Manager of The Holdings Group LLC, a FL Limited Liability Company, on behalf of the Limited Liability Company.

Signature of Motary Public

Print, Type/Stamp Name of Notary

Personally known: Sylver Factor OR Produced Identification:

Type of Identification Produced:_

Notary Public State of Florida

Jose Luis iglesias

My Commission HH 053872
Expires 10/14/2024

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Detail by Entity Name

Florida Limited Liability Company HOUSE OF LEAF & BEAN, LLC

Filing Information

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 L21000275713

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 87-1263971

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 06/14/2021

 Effective Date
 06/08/2021

State FL

Status ACTIVE

Principal Address

14474 BEACH BLVD JACKSONVILLE, FL 32250

Mailing Address

14474 BEACH BLVD JACKSONVILLE, FL 32250

Registered Agent Name & Address

RAITI, WENXIA 224 BOWLES ST NEPTUNE BEACH, FL 32266

Authorized Person(s) Detail

Name & Address

Title MGR

RAITI, WENXIA 224 BOWLES ST NEPTUNE BEACH, FL 32266

Title AMBR

ATLANTIC INDUSTRIES LLC 40 E. MAIN ST. 1118 NEWARK, DE 19711

Annual Reports

Report Year Filed Date

 2022
 03/15/2022

 2023
 04/10/2023

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 06/14/2021 -- Florida Limited Liability
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Florida Department of State, Division of Corporations

II. Designation Application



REQUEST FOR LOCAL DESIGNATION OF LANDMARK OR LANDMARK SITE

City of Jacksonville Historic Preservation

1. PROPERTY INFORMATION	
Historic Name: 1349 Market St.	Designation: (check all applicable)
Other Names:	Residential Commercial Institutional Public
FMSF Number:(if known)	☐ Industrial ☐ Archaeologic ☐ Cemetery ☐ Other: ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
2 LOCATION	
Street name & number: 1349 Market St. N.	
	Zip Code: 32206
State: FL Co	
Real estate number(s): 070948-0000	
3. HISTORICAL INFORMATION	
representative of the Georgia commercial	constrction and tall facade capped with parapets, is I or "boom-town" vernacular. This is in keeping with to the late 1920's N. Florida was in a land boom.
Present use: Vacant at the time of purchase, currently	being rehabilitated, to be leased out for retail use.
are 4 retail storefronts, 3 face Market St, had tall glass windows topped with transc windows introducing a modernist/industria building was severely dilapidated, with least	and conditions): ding w/all brick walls and a parapet roofline. There 1 faces 4th St. The 2 street facing facades oringally ome windows. An exposed I-bream sites atop the all element. At the time of purchase (2021), the aking walls and roof, broken storefront winds, all and a colony of ferns on the SW corner.

4. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE		
The following is a list of the cultural, historical, architectural applicable local designation criteria outlined in section 3		
Mark "x" in any applicable boxes for the criteria to qualithow it is applicable. If more space is needed please use a landmark on each sheet.	fy for a landmark, using the space to the right to specify a continuation sheet and write the name of the potential	
Its value as a significant reminder of the cultural, historical, architectural, or archaeological heritage of the city, state, or nation	,,,,,	
Its location is the site of a significant local, state, or national event.		
It is identified with a person or persons who significantly contributed to the development of the city, state, or nation		
It is identified as the work of a master builder, designer, or architect, whose individual work has influenced the development of the city, state, or nation.		
Its value as a building is recognized for the quality of its architecture, and it retains sufficient elements showing its architectural significance.		
It has distinguishing characteristics of an architectural style valuable for the study of a period, method of construction, or use of indigenous materials	The building is an excelent representation of the Georgia commerical archictectural style or "boom-town" style. The triangular overhang corner entrance and modernist I-beam elements add distinctive character.	
✓ Its suitability for preservation of restoration	Although in poor condition when acquired, the brick facade & walls were restorable.	

5. REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS A minimum of five (5) labeled (with location and description) photographs of the site Area map showing property location Any available historic and or existing drawings such as elevations, floor plans, diagrams, etc. Legal Description SPONSORSHIP STATEMENT

I am aware of the proposal for designation of the subject property or properties listed above as a City of Jacksonville landmark or landmark site and am aware of the procedures for review of the proposal by the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission and the Jacksonville City Council. I understand that I will be notified of the date and place of any public meetings at which the proposal will be considered by the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission and the City Council. I am also aware that if designated, any construction activities affecting the subject properties including alterations, new construction, demolition and relocation, will require a consistency review through an application for a Certification of

Signature of property owner:		Date:
Printed name: Joh and Wen hall /	Phone numbe	r: <u>(412</u>) 983-6012
Email: jmr.30303@gmail.com, peacewen@hotma	ail.com	
Address: 224 Bowles St.	City: Neptune Beach	_{Zip:} 32266
Signature of applicant (if different from property owner):		Date:
representatives need to provide a signed and notarized letter from the	ne property owner(s) identifying them a	s their official agent.)
Printed name:	Phone number:	_()
Email:		
Address:	City:	Zip:
Sponsorship other than the owner		
Sponsorship other than the owner Consistent with Jacksonville Ordinance Code 307.104(a), landmark or landmark site is being sponsored by:		
Consistent with Jacksonville Ordinance Code 307.104(a),		

POSITION AFFIDAVIT FOR LOCAL DESIGNATION OF LANDMARK OR LANDMARK SITE

City of Jacksonville Historic Preservation

Uistoria Nama 1349 Marke	et St Other Names: 349 Market St. N. City: Jacksonville	
Historic Name:	Other Names: 349 Market St. N	·
Zip Code: Duval	c:t Jacksonville	State: FL
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Real Estate Number(s):	948-0000	
DECLARATION OF SUPPORT O	OR OPPOSITION	
In accordance with Section 30	07.104(i)(1-7). Ordinance Code. the	Commission shall determine whether,
		site, does or does not meet the criteria
		s an objection regarding local landmark
		er of the subject property does not
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I do not annose my n	roperty being nominated for local la	andmark status
I hereby object to my	property being nominated for loca	l landmark status.
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Date: 1/13/2024	3	
STATE OF FLORIDA		
COUNTY OF DUVAL		
Sworn to and subscribed and	acknowledged before me by means	s of [X] physical presence or [_] online
notarization, this 13th day	of January 2024, by J	onathan Raiti
	ne or who has produced Flocidor	
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as identification and who too	k an oath.	
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LUKE GILLIAM MY COMMISSION # HH 3527	(Signature of NOTARY P	JBLIC)
EXPIRES: January 23, 2027	Like Gilliam	
world.	(Printed name of NOTAF	RY PUBLIC)
	State of Florida at Large	
	My commission expires:	0467 6061

1349 Market St. N - Supplemental Information

About 1349 Market St. N.

1349 Market St. N. is a single-story, free-standing corner retail building with four separate units. All four exterior walls are brick finishing with the parapet roof line. The three street-facing facades have tall glass windows with transom windows. The design is typical of the Georgia Commercial style and representative of the post WWI boom town architecture in Jacksonville. An exposed I-beam sits atop with windows introducing an industrial/ modernist element into the traditional retail store front style. There are four retail storefronts, three facing Market St. N and one facing 4th St.

Condition at the Time of Purchase

The condition at the time of purchase in 2021 was severe dilapidation with water penetrating the roof and walls and the SW corner wall home to a colony of ferns running from the top of the windows up to the roof. Several of the plate glass store front windows were broken. All of the transom windows were covered over with plywood. The building appears to have been vacant for over a decade, possibly closer to two. (see 2019 google map view).

Preservation and Landmark Rationale

According to Duval County, the building was constructed in 1926. It is one of few commercial freestanding all-brick buildings in Springfield. According to the Springfield historic preservation guidelines, at the time of the establishment on the national historic register, there were 1,784 buildings 50 years or older, of which only 48 were commercial. Furthermore, out of the total 1,595 were wood construction and just 201 masonry construction. The brick used in both this building and the neighboring church indicate that these were likely made with the same materials, providing a continuity of style on the street.

Although a simple "E-shaped" layout with three units running East West and one running North-South, the entrance to one retail store is set on the corner of Market and 4th under a triangular overhang, a feature which is representative of the Georgia commercial style, but now rare, as few buildings like this from the time survived the great fire. The back unit contains a large industrial sized fan built into the wall used to increase air flow and ventilation when the unit was occupied by a dry cleaner.

1349 Market St.'s age, construction, architectural style, and unique features make it rare neighborhood retail building worthy of preservation for enjoyment by current and future generations.

Historic Uses of the Property

Historic records indicate the earliest and most consistent usage has been as a neighborhood grocery. According to the City of Jacksonville and insurance records prior tenants include Mack Sundries, Korey's Sundries, Bacharas Superette, A. J. Davis Mercantile Co., Market Street Sundries, and Bilal Saleem Product Market. These tenants occupied various store fronts in the building on the Market St side from the 1920's to the late 1990's. Over the years the building has also been home to Tessie's beauty shop, the Monroe Amusement company. The 4th street unit housed a dry cleaner and multiple wash'n folds. According to past and present neighborhood residents the building also housed a cafe and signage remaining in the premises indicated a sandwich shop called The Native was likely the last tenant. We think the building's heritage as a near century-old neighborhood hub is worthy of preserving and sustaining.

About Georgia Style Commercial Buildings

The Georgia style covers both retail and office spaces. An early design, it was commonly found between 1880 and the 1950s. Picture the old, rural general stores with the barn-like wooden siding with a front-gabled or front parapet entryway, or the suburban corner stores with a bright red brick exterior. Symmetrical with an entrance flanked by large windows, the Georgia style commercial buildings are easy to recognize. Sometimes they stand alone; other times they are connected to other buildings as part of a commercial strip that lines a city's streets.

In the early 1900s, architects began to stretch the Georgia style into a multi-story retail-and-office setting. Although taller than the traditional Georgian commercial design, it still carries the same grand entryway recognizable from the street.

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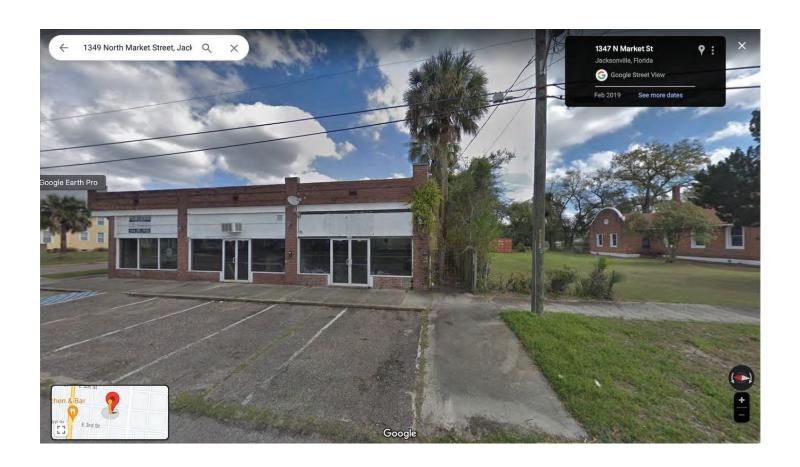
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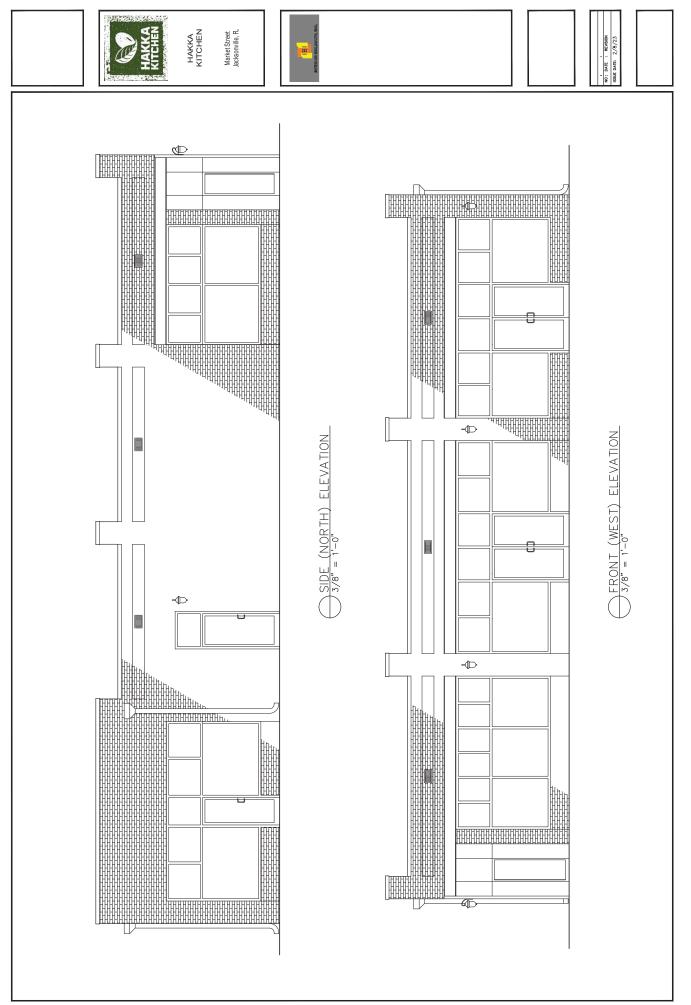
1349 Market St. N. - Legal Description

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2	SPRINGFIELD
3	W 70FT LOT 6 BLK 14

1349 Market St. N. - Area Map







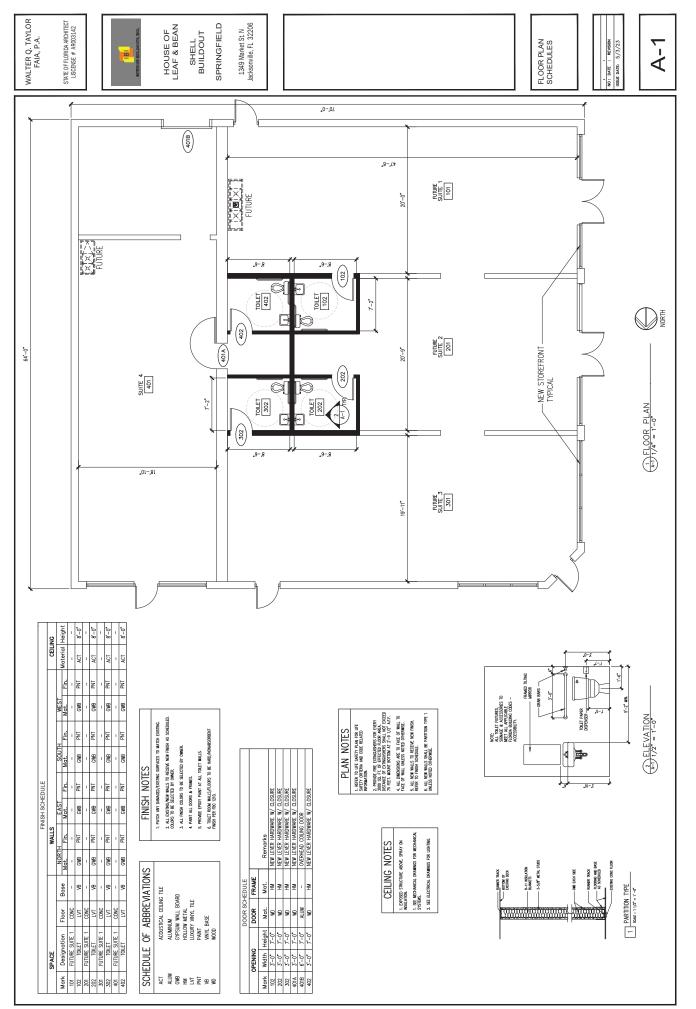




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October 27, 2023

Mr. Andrew Waber

National Register of Historic Places

Florida State Division of Historical Resources

R.A. Gray Building

500 South Bronough Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0250

Dear Mr. Waber,

I am writing this letter to wholeheartedly support the application of 1349 Market Street North, to the National Register of Historic Places with the Florida State Division of Historical Resources. This cherished property has earned its rightful place on the National Register of Historic Places. and its significance within the tapestry of Jacksonville's Historic Springfield history is valuable.

Preservation efforts are essential to preserving the powerful testament to the collective history of Jacksonville that grew out of the great fire of 1901, which consumed 400 blocks of the Downtown and ravaged our pre-1900 architecture. This building demonstrates the beautiful blend of early 20th century styles found in commercial design, with a focus on Georgia Commercial style. Thank you for your dedication to historical sites, and for considering the importance of the 1349 Market Street application.

Respectfully,

Jinmy Peluso

Council Member



Facilitating positive change in the Springfield Historic District since 1974.

SPRINGFIELD PRESERVATION AND REVITALIZATION

January 18, 2024

Dear Mr. Waber,

Springfield Preservation and Revitalization (SPAR) offers this letter of support for the property at 1349 Market Street to be included in the National Register of Historic Places.

The building at 1349 Market Street is located within the Springfield Historic District and was built in 1926 based on the Duval County Property Assessors records. It contributes to the historic character of the Springfield community. Its use of the Georgian Revival style, in particular, represents a significant architectural contribution to the neighborhood. Furthermore, the owners have met the rigorous requirements of the City of Jacksonville Historic Preservation Certificate of Appropriateness process (see COA-23-28819).

Historical preservation efforts are essential to protecting the unique character of our communities. Springfield, specifically, has suffered from significant disinvestment and demolition of historic structures due to inadequate preservation protections prior to the neighborhood's inclusion as a historic district. Continuing the work of preservation is essential to revitalizing the Springfield neighborhood.

Springfield Preservation and Revitalization appreciates the opportunity to be a part of the continued preservation, revitalization, and strategic growth of our historic neighborhood.

Sincerely,

Michael Haskins, Executive Director Springfield Preservation and Revitalization 1321 N Main Street Jacksonville, FL 32206

Office: 904-353-7727

Email: executivedirector@sparcouncil.org

III. Legal Description and Location Map

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This Instrument Prepared by & Return To: River City Title 11512 Lake Mead Avenue #606 Jacksonville, FL 32256

Parcel Number: 070948-0000

(Space Above This Line For Recording Data)

Special Warranty Deed

THIS SPECIAL WARRANTY DEED (this "Deed") is made as of this 29th day of October, 2021 between The Holdings Group LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company, whose mailing address is 2350 Coral Way #401, Miami, FL 33145 ("Grantor"), to House of Leaf & Bean, LLC, a Florida limited liability company whose mailing address is 224 Bowles Street, Neptune Beach, Florida 32266 ("Grantee").

WITNESSETH:

THAT Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00), and other good and valuable consideration paid to Grantor by Grantee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, by these presents does grant, bargain, sell and convey to Grantee, and Grantee's successors and assigns forever, all the right, title, and interest in and to that certain real property (the "Property") located and situated in Duval County, Florida and fully described as follows:

The West 70 feet of Lot 6, Block 14, Springfield, according to map or plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 4, of the public records of Duval County, Florida.

TOGETHER with all improvements, easements, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging to or in any way appertaining to the Property.

SUBJECT to taxes for 2021 and subsequent years, not yet due and payable; covenants, restrictions, easements, reservations and limitations of record, if any, without intention of creation of or reimposing same.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same in fee simple forever.

GRANTOR hereby specially warrants the title to the Property and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons claiming by, through, or under Grantor, but none other.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantor has duly executed this instrument as of the date first written above.

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GRANTOR:

The Holdings Group LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company

By:

Sylvia Perez, Manager

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF DUVAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or () online notarization this Act day of 1000, 2021 by Sylvia Perez Manager of The Holdings Group LLC, a FL Limited Liability Company, on behalf of the Limited Liability Company.

Signature of Motary Public Print, Type/Stamp Name of Notary

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> Page 2 of 2 On File

IV. Proof of Public Notice



STATE OF FLORIDA,

S.S.

COUNTY OF DUVAL,

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Nichol Stringer, who on oath says that she is the Publisher's Representative of the JACKSONVILLE DAILY RECORD, a weekly newspaper published at Jacksonville, in Duval County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice of Public Hearing on Application to Designate a City of Jacksonville Historic Landmark

in the matter of LM-24-01 1349 N Market Street

in the Court, was published in said newspaper by print in the issues of $\frac{2}{15/24}$.

Affiant further says that the JACKSONVILLE DAILY RECORD complies with all legal requirements for publication in Chapter 50, Florida Statutes.

*This notice was published on both jaxdailyrecord.com and floridapublicnotices.com.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of February, 2024 by Nichol Stringer who is personally known to me.

RHONDA L. FISHER Notary Public, State of Florida My Comm. Expires 09/16/2024 Commission No. HH43566

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PROOF OF PUBLICATION DUVAL COUNTY

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LM-24-01
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Jack C. Demetree, III
Chairman
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Public Notice Sign Posted



V. List of Property Owners Located within 350 Feet of the Proposed Landmark

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