# Advisory Design Panel - Shaughnessy

NOTES

FEBRUARY 7, 2013

4:00PM

VANCOUVER CITY HALL

MEETING CALLED BY	Chair, Robert Miranda
NOTE TAKER	M.Cloghesy
TIMEKEEPER	Chair
ATTENDEES	Erica Shapiro Robert Miranda Linda Collins Alastair Munro Michael Kluckner Katherine Reichert Kerri-lee Watson Ben Ling Clinton Cuddington

## Agenda topics

#### PANEL HOUSEKEEPING

TIM POTTER

#### DISCUSSION

- Welcome to Michael Kluckner. Brief overview of his history.
- 2 members have left. Sandra Kelly and Mik Ball are not members of First Shaughnessy.
- Comments on minutes from previous meeting
- Donald Luxton introduction
- Discussion over adjustment to reflect members that should not have been on the panel
- Updates on upcoming projects (Tim)
- Comments regarding writing down comments when speaking to applications. Should be done in camera

#### PROJECT UPDATES

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DISCUSSION		
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ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

#### APPLICATION #

1927 HOSMER

DISCUSSION

#### Background given by Planning Department

- Renovation to post date house
- Ron Thom building

- Accentuate mid-century modern
- Simplicity, clean lines and materials-wood and metal
- Sophisticated landscape
- Home nestled in landscape
- Modest garage
- Protected entrance
- Maintain as many existing features
- Reuse as much as possible

#### Application presentation given by Bill Harris, Forma Design

Gather around model to discuss

- Landscape bold and simple, intentional
- Reduced non-permeable area
- 12' grade change from front to rear
- Privacy issues with neighbours

#### Questions:

- Q: why are trees in pots versus on ground? A: due to Eng. Department ROW and need for drama
- Indiana limestone, wood black window, paving dark grey, custom concrete caps

Q: A lot of mid century houses have strong chimney element. Should it be increased? Lift a little?

#### Tim's comments:

• Applicant team has come into city numerous times

#### Comments from panel members:

Kerri lee Watson

- Nailed style
- Should it have been built in the first place?

Katherine Reichert

- Commend all sustainable bits
- Concern over streetscape, make sure it ties in with older homes

#### Michael Kluckner

• Comment over chimney, in support

#### Clinton Cuddington

- Likes reuse of site, try to reuse more materials
- Shaughnessy is to harbour the period of what was built
- Delicate dance as this isn't a rebuild, it is all a rebuild
- Landscape is greatest concern
- Doesn't like the fortification approach
- Horizontal mullion not at eye level

Alastair Munro in support Linda Collins, also

Layering, streetscape concerns, strength of spine Neutra architectural style, Palm Springs

#### Mass higher, but not necessary wider

CONCLUSIONS

#### Panel supports application with comments from panel.

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#### APPLICATION #

#### 1389 MATTHEWS

#### TIM POTTER

DISCUSSION

- Contemporary house with traditional detailing
- High pitched roof, robust details; Tudor revival
- West coast with Asian influences
- Strong street edge, fence and filigree landscaping, open back
- Previous time at DP, red brick and lack of presence at street
- Keeping with brick
- Landscape-need to work around the existing trees to be retained
- Foundation planting, traditional back yard
- Pool access, is that what designers want to do? Questions over depth of sunken area

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#### Background given by planning dept

- A lot of attention went into modifications from last application from a year ago
- There is a lot of latitude on how to approach this
- Brick is questioned, peaked roofs a concern, pool well a concern

#### Application presentation given

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Linda-supportive lan-supported Clinton-builderly quality, not surfacing, well considered. Issue over back pool pit. In support over process

Michael

- Big Kitsilano craftsman stretched over lot
- Cat slide roof of Kerrisdale 1920
- Issue over 2 top dormers , fake as they are in double storey living room. Not authentic. Too much of a Tudor. Single roofline or shed roof.

#### Katherine

- Happy to see existing trees retained
- Style compliments large size of house
- Finds well interrupts organic flow

#### Kerri-lee

- Glad to see landscape retained
- Use of dark wood and brick is west coast
- Responded well to intention of guidelines
- Questions 2 dormers, busy feel
- New take on traditional design

#### Robert

• Basil Spence architecture -"over cooked" - this design a bit overdone

#### Panel supports application with comments from panel.

• Review double dormers, rear landscape at pool edge

Generally support for the project				
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# End of meeting at 6:15

OBSERVERS	
RESOURCE PERSONS	
SPECIAL NOTES	