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Good Afternoon Members of the HPB (bcc'd)

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From: L M <lauramochi65@gmail.com>
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Dear Miami Beach Historic Preservation Board,

I am PLEADING with you to please vote YES to Designate 93 Palm Avenue a historical landmark.

For what purpose and why, must everything be torn down these days?

This is a non-political, historic landmark deeply intertwined with our 20th century American history/culture.

It is no different than the fascinating, bygone era of Jesse James and our 19th century historical period of the Wild West being tamed.

How amazing would it have been today, if we were able to preserve a home or town from that period and not some replicated, commercial tourist trap?

While you may not see the relevance of preserving this home to display and

tell the rich history of this area, I am sure, a hundred or two hundred years into the future will dictate an entirely different opinion and outlook.

Please, you have a chance to permanently save a real piece of our country's amazing and unique history. I BEG of you, don't let this opportunity fade into obscurity.

Sincerely,
Laura Mochi

...descendant of Ester Mochi, wife of Antonio Meucci, (true inventor of the telephone, who was too poor to pay the patent fee, see Congressional book of Congress: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-resolution/269/text>); they opened up their home and hosted of Giuseppe Garibaldi, (who led the unification of Italy as we know today), while he was exiled in the USA for several years before doing so. Their humble home has thankfully been landmarked and preserved. <https://www.garibaldimeuccimuseum.com/>