



April 27, 2026

Thelma Lovette Morris, Historian
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Alpha Alpha Omega Chapter
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Via email: thelmal.morris@gmail.com

RE: Charter Location Historical Marker Placement

Dear Mrs. Morris:

Thank you for attending the April 1, 2026 Development Review Panel (DRP) Committee meeting to present your application for the placement of a historical marker.

The DRP Committee appreciated your presentation and efforts to memorialize the chartering location of the Alpha Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, originally chartered on April 21, 1927, at the former YWCA site located at 2044 Centre Avenue in Pittsburgh's Historic Hill District.

On behalf of the Hill District's DRP Committee and the Hill CDC as a Registered Community Organization (RCO), we offer this letter of input and affirmation to your project. The Hill CDC is an RCO for the Greater Hill District whose boundaries are defined by the Greater Hill District Master Plan (GHMP) and include the site of your project. Please keep the DRP updated on the project's progress, such as significant milestones, and any changes to the project. These updates should be emailed to the Hill CDC at policy@hilldistrict.org as early as information is available. Good luck on your project, and please let the Hill CDC know your anticipated date of installation, should your project be approved and advanced.

Sincerely,

Marimba Millions
President and CEO, Hill CDC

Cc:

City of Pittsburgh Mayor and Staff
City Council President Daniel Lavelle
City of Pittsburgh, Planning Department
Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission