

Cook County Chicago Adaptive Reuse and Rehabilitation, Humboldt Park United Methodist Church 2120-2128 N. Mozart St. SHPO Log #008041723

May 5, 2023

Kevin Laberge City of Chicago, Illinois Department of Assets, Information and Services Bureau of Environmental, Health & Safety Management 30 N. LaSalle St., Suite 300 Chicago, IL 60602-2575

Dear Mr. Laberge:

Thank you for requesting comments from our office concerning the possible effects of your project on cultural resources. Our comments are required by Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, and its implementing regulations, 36 CFR 800: "Protection of Historic Properties." We concur that project site is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion C.

Also, we concur that the proposal to rehabilitate these buildings constitutes an adverse effect as defined in 36 CFR 800.5.

You should continue to work with this office to develop a plan to mitigate this adverse effect. Please note that the rehabilitation of these buildings must not be initiated prior to the resolution of the disposition of these historic properties.

Please contact CJ Wallace, Cultural Resources Coordinator, at 217/785-5027 or at <u>Carol.Wallace@illinois.gov</u> with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Carey L. Mayer, AIA Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer