
10 ISLAND ST-PROPOSED HOME

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Christina

Just checking your pulse on 10 Island St ?

The neighborhood is in an uproar over the architect's rendition of the proposed home. A soaring 38 foot STUCCO structure totally out of character for our charming early 20th century style era. It is totally illogical to build a home which from the second floor up will look directly into trees. This house will literally have 8-9 feet on either side, barely off the road and no back yard. Mark my words all the trees which exist and there are 9 in a cluster will suddenly become diseased and then cut down. This is the equivalent of a plus size trying to fit into a petite. These people have no idea of the animosity that has been developing because the City of Portland is simply greedy for tax revenue and disguising itself as wanting to provide housing opportunity. If that were truly the case then the city would have had a lottery style opportunity for people of low to moderate incomes who otherwise could never afford a home to take advantage of the rezoning. Again as you well know I could go on and on. Please share the status of the building permit review.

Sincerely

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