

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Being the historic residence of Hollywood's biggest icons in film, television, modelling and fashion this house should be protected under heritage just as the Hollywood sign, the walk of fame and other landmarks in Hollywood are protected from demolition. This is not a newly built house. This is the house of Marilyn Monroe! The woman who stole the hearts of people around the world for many decades and remains one of the most noticeable faces in film, art and fashion to this very day. People come from all across the world to this very day to visit iconic and historical Hollywood landmarks including the grave of Marilyn Monroe, her hand prints at the Chinese Theatre, her most iconic pieces of fashion at Ripley's Believe It Or Not, Madame Tussauds and the Hollywood Museum. There is not one souvenir shop on Hollywood Blvd that doesn't have something without Marilyn Monroe on it. I feel that destroying any of her legacy is destroying Hollywood and the tourism of Hollywood itself and it is extremely disrespectful to film and television icons such as Marilyn Monroe who is someone who has played a big role in making Hollywood what Hollywood is today. I think it should stay and stand safe from demolition or any major changes without council approval due to its history. It's easier for people today to gain finances to buy these places of historic significance with TikTok videos of doing dumb things or taking their clothes off but back in the time of Marilyn these houses which retailed from as low as \$75,000 required hard work and that didn't come easy being a woman in Hollywood in those days where we were subjected to sexism, inequality based on their gender and to have what Marilyn had was a fight because even in films she was underpaid by some studios. Don't disrespect the woman who made Hollywood what it is today.