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TO

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council City Hall, Room 400 100 North Holliday Street DATE:

July 12, 2023

On July 11, 2023, The Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation held a briefing on the issue of BGE installation of exterior gas regulators in local historic districts. The commission heard a report from staff regarding the safety, legal, and historic preservation issues. This report has been provided to you and will be summarized at the informational hearing today.

At the conclusion of the briefing the Commission agreed to schedule a special hearing on the issue in the near future, most likely mid-August. At this special hearing, the Commission will hear testimony from BGE, Public Service Commission and stakeholders. Staff will also present information on what other large cities historic preservation commissions are doing. At the end of this hearing, the Commission will make decisions on the best course forward.

Thank you