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December 16, 2019

John T. Caterino
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Town of Greece
1 Vince Tofany Boulevard
Greece, New York 14612

Re: School #5

Mr. Caterino,

I am in receipt of your correspondence dated December 5, 2019 and offer the following response. The Greece Central School District also values historic resources and is sensitive to the fact that there may be some residents who have some sense of ownership to our School #5, as you suggest. While it is true that the building is structurally sound for the most part, and that it is still occupied by a handful of buildings and grounds and professional learning staff, the building is in need of significant upgrades/repairs which played a significant part in our decision not to include it in our plans for our new Transportation and Support Services Facility project. Furthermore, significant changes have occurred to the building over the past 50 or so years which have affected the historical significance of the building and were a factor in the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation rendering the opinion that our project "will have no impact on archeological and/or historic resources listed in or eligible for New York State and National Registers of Historic Places." (See attachment) Changes to the building include window replacement and other exterior modification as well as interior modifications, which have left virtually no interior space in its original condition. I would like to include that most of these changes were made many years ago.

That being said, and with the District being sensitive to try to preserve certain architecturally significant aspects of the building, we will be incorporating the cornerstone of the existing building into the front facade of the new building and are also giving careful consideration to the front entry decorative fascia and how we might preserve and repurpose some of these architectural details. See photos attached.

I trust this response satisfies your inquiry as to our thought process in deciding not to include School #5 in our plans.

Sincerely,

Louis P. Bianchi, AIA
Senior Architect

cc: Romeo Colilli, Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Support Services
Kathleen Graupman, Superintendent of Schools



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March 20, 2019

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Re: SED
Greece Central School District: Support Services Facility
1790 Latta Rd , Greece, Monroe County , NY
19PR01438

Dear Mrs. Russell:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the project in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (Section 14.09 of the New York Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the OPRHP and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include potential environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project. Such impacts must be considered as part of the environmental review of the project pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (New York Environmental Conservation Law Article 8) and its implementing regulations (6 NYCRR Part 617).

Based upon this review, it is the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation's opinion that your project will have no impact on archaeological and/or historic resources listed in or eligible for the New York State and National Registers of Historic Places.

If further correspondence is required regarding this project, please be sure to refer to the OPRHP Project Review (PR) number noted above.

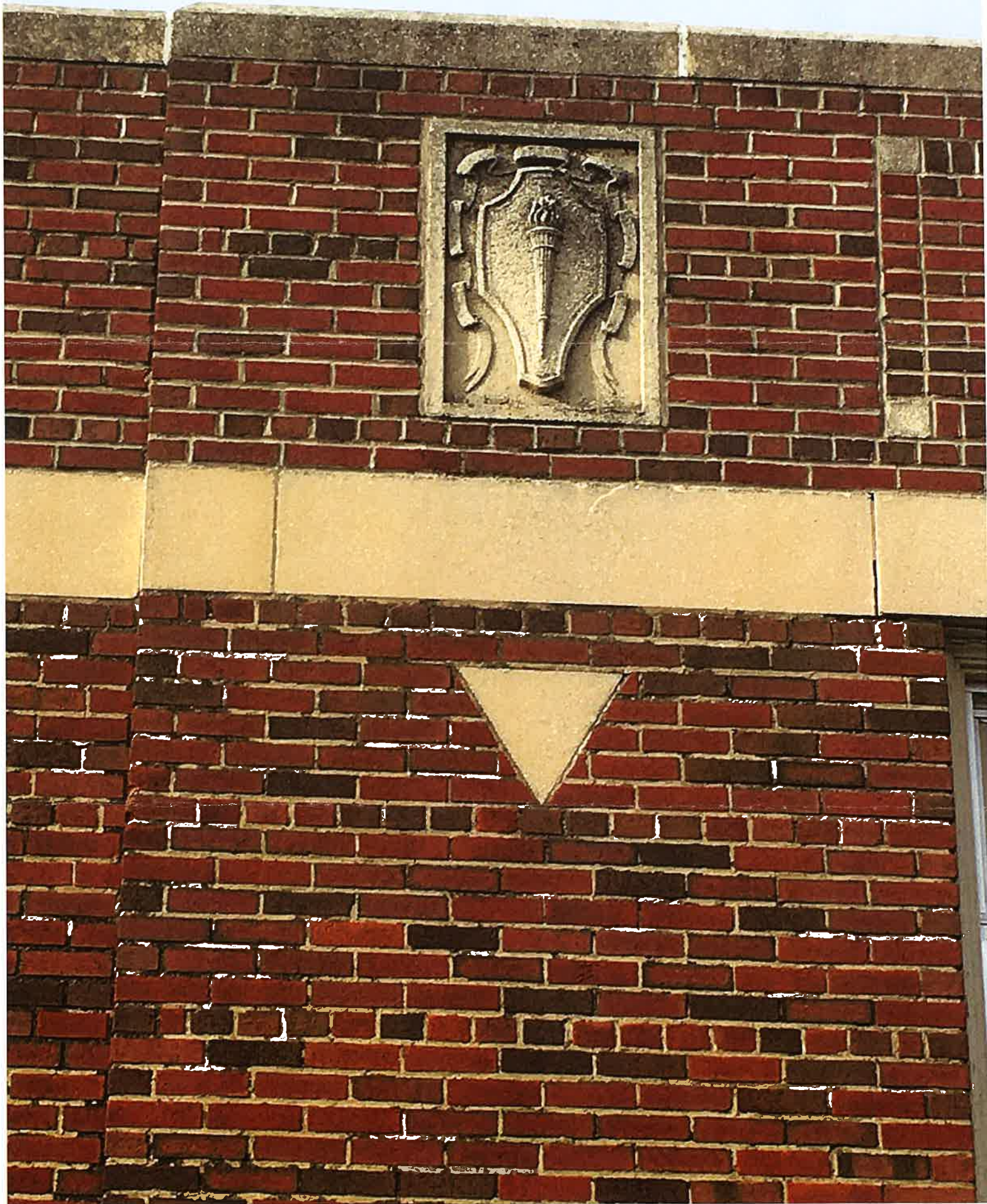
Sincerely,

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