



Department of Economic and
Community Development

State Historic Preservation Office

May 6, 2016

Mr. Francis H. Henkels
Chair, Westport Historic District Commission
110 Myrtle Ave., Room 108
Westport, CT 06880

Re: 60 Compo Rd. South Study Report
Westport, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Henkels:

I am pleased to inform you that at its May 4, 2016 meeting, the Historic Preservation Council voted unanimously to recommend approval of the Westport Historic District Commission's study report for the proposed historic property known as Golden Shadows Mansion on the parcel known as 60 Compo Road South. The Council had the following comments:

While interesting and informative, information pertaining to the interior of the properties as well as objects, illustrations and paintings are not pertinent to the report as these are not addressed in the enabling statutes for historic districts and properties. In addition, because the entire parcel will be subject to review by the Westport Historic District Commission, information about the carriage house along with photographs must be added to the report.

The council commends the study committee on its excellent report, and encourages the ongoing efforts of the Westport Historic District Commission to protect and preserve the Town of Westport's irreplaceable historic and architectural heritage.

If you would, please provide me with the additional information recommended by the Council and please keep me informed of the progress of this designation. In the meantime if you have any questions regarding this notification, please feel free to contact me at (860) 256-2756.

Sincerely,

Mary Dunne
Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

Cc: Carol Leahy, Town of Westport CLG Coordinator and HDC staff administrator
Helen Garten, Chair, HDC Subcommittee

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