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Subject: DA2020/1489 - 'Oaklands' Warriewood

To Whom It May Concern,

As a former resident who was lucky enough to grow up in the wonderful 'Oaklands' Homestead, I am deeply saddened by the degradation and neglect of the property.

This is an iconic farmhouse and landmark, which can be seen in the distance from the top of Vineyard Street. It's a reminder of the Northern Beaches' farming history.

In 1994 the community rallied to help save the house and surrounding farm sheds from the bushfires. Not a flame touched the walls.

There has always been an abundance of diverse native wildlife enjoying the peaceful area, including Powerful Owls.

I wholeheartedly reject the proposed demolition of this property.

The developers have an opportunity, that some people would dream of, to refurbish and revitalise this historic house into something glorious.

I hope for the best.

Tom Cutting