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Notre Dame des Canadiens Update

Worcester, MA – The one-year demolition delay on Notre Dame des Canadiens expired last weekend. Although still under the eminent treat of demolition, the structure remains standing and several significant transactions recently occurred

1. Preservation Worcester and the Re-Imagine Notre Dame Committee were able to locate a qualified developer who made a bona fide offer on the structure. The offer was submitted to Leggat-McCall on April 7th. The developer is seeking to restore and re-purpose the building with exciting amenities that support downtown development.
2. On April 14th, Leggat-McCall informed the qualified developer that it is not able to negotiate with the developer because a P&S was signed with an unknown potential buyer. Leggat-McCall offered to pass along the developer's significant offer to the unidentified buyer. It is not known whether the buyer plans to re-purpose or demolish the building.

Preservation Worcester is a private, not-for-profit membership organization dedicated to the preservation of the buildings and sites that represent the culture, history and architecture of Worcester. The Society, comprised of concerned citizens, believes that promoting the cause of preservation and good urban design will encourage community pride in our cultural and architectural heritage as well as continued use of Worcester's valuable resources. Preservation Worcester works with neighborhood groups, developers, city departments, schools and state and local historical commissions to support revitalization of unique and irreplaceable buildings and their neighborhoods.

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