RESOLUTION NO. 03-96

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS DESIGNATING A HISTORICAL LANDMARK

WHEREAS, by virtue of its adoption of Ordinance No. 78-16, the City Council of the City of Los Altos did establish a procedure for the designation and preservation of historical landmarks within the City of Los Altos; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with that ordinance, the Historical Commission has made positive findings under section 2-8.104 (c) With regard to the property at (APN 189-11-075), 965 Berry Avenue Based on data furnished and incorporated herein as exhibit "A"; the property located at 965 Berry is landmark eligible and has a ranking of 95 on the City's Historic Resources Inventory (HRI). This large simple farmhouse belongs to a now rare style of home. Cyrus P. Berry, a Civil War veteran, inherited 80 acres in Los Altos from the Emerson brothers. Berry served in the California State Legislature in 1897 representing the Los Altos area. The home rates 30 points for architecture; 30 for the history of the owners; 15 points for environment; 10 for age and 10 for historic integrity in the construction; and

WHEREAS, the City Council concurs with the decision of the Historical Commission in this regard;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Los Altos does hereby determine that the subject property is designated as a historical landmark and is subject to the terms and conditions outlined in Ordinance No. 78-16

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution duly passed and adopted by the city council of the city of Los Altos on the 12th day of NOVEMBER, 2003 by the following roll call vote:

AYES:

Moss, La Poll, Becker, Lear, Casto

NOES:

None

ABSENT:

None

Kris Casto, Mayor

Susan Kitchens, City Clerk