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I support the overarching goals of HB 2138. However, I believe that you should remove Section 22 (1) (f) of HB 2138, which would repeal demolition review for homes listed in the National Register of Historic Places. The repeal of demolition review would lead to fewer affordable houses and would lead to lower housing density. This result would be the opposite of what the bill is trying to achieve.