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Mr. Adrian Praetzellis
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Dear Mr. Praetzellis:

First I must restate how relieved and happy we are here that an effort is being made to preserve John Medica's Castles and Garden - California State Landmark #939. The Medica site is one of the most important in Northern California and we are impressed that the new owner is concerned about a sensitive and careful development of the property.

Enclosed is the map of the property, that some SPACES members drew, with the castles, sculptures, paths, arches, etc. identified. Also included is another map and some notes on a meeting with John and Francis Media - July 21, 1982.

I hope that some of the ideas we talked about to make the site an important public asset can be of some use to you. John's local friends can also be of some help..

SPACES has other information in our archives and some old photographs of the site if needed. Please keep me informed of your progress. I had hoped to make one more photographic shooting of the site, so if anything radical is to take place - please alert me.

My best.

Sincerely,

Seymour Rosen
Director

cc: California State Office of Historic Preservation