

**From:** [William Glenn](#)  
**To:** [Bryant Hammond](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Seppala house  
**Date:** Thursday, July 27, 2023 4:38:51 AM

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Bryant,

I appreciate your response and apologize for the delayed response.

Once we secure sufficient funding I will give you a more exact timeline. It would be great that the city would help find a resting placing for the project. I would prefer to move the building prior to the renovations so the chance of damage would be less. Maybe we could work out a deal where the city could see the funds available and the schedule. That detail can be worked out. As of right now, I think it would start next summer. A small possibility yet this year. I will stay in contact with you on our progress as we move forward. Looking forward to working with you. Bill Glenn CFM

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> On Jun 23, 2023, at 3:16 PM, Bryant Hammond <BHammond@nomealaska.org> wrote:

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> Hi Bill,

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> This letter went before the Council on June 12th. The Council would like to see a plan and a timeline. Are you saying the rehab will occur at the landfill, prior to the move? When will the rehab happen and how long do you expect it to take? When do you think it will be ready to move to its new home? Have you spoken to anyone at SHPO yet about the preservation?

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> This has been a long time in the making (see attached) with little to no communication from Mr. Lenharr. I think the feeling around the table (my personal read on the situation) is that this project will peter out and the structure will disintegrate and be forgotten.

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> So, I will now ask you for recommendations. I don't see the City putting up any funds for this. I see a remodel permit being required before you start. I potentially see the City finding space to display the structure, though don't see that discussion occurring until its loaded and ready to move into town.

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> What's your plan; How do you want to proceed? You're driving this bus.

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> Bryant

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: William Glenn <billglennclimber@gmail.com>

> Sent: Monday, May 22, 2023 7:42 AM

> To: Bryant Hammond <BHammond@nomealaska.org>

> Subject: Seppala house

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> Briant,

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> I am writing today following our conversation from last week regarding the Seppala house. During our conversation I explained that I am working with Urtha and have been tasked to work on finding a l solution for a permanent location and repair for the house. I understand the the house is in a dump and is in need of a facelift and a place to stay. That being said the historical value of the house to "Nome" is probably the reason Nome is still going strong.

> My first direction which you gave an insight to , is Nome has no plans to restore the house and make it a landmark. Please let me know what if any what part the city would like to be involved. I am approaching this from an historic landmark perspective and would look into contacting the State of Alaska and put the building on the historic register. When this is accomplished we will pursue further funding to have the building renovated and put

on a permanent location. There has already been some funding set aside, but we are looking to get this moving at a faster pace and have resolve quickly.

> Please let us know if you have any recommendations on what the city would like as we look forward to working with you as this project moves forward.

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> Sincerely, Bill Glenn

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