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MEMORANDUM

TO : Joe Perrin, Chairman, Atlanta
Civic Design Commission

FROM : Ivan Allen, Jr.

As you know, Mr. Samuel Inman Cooper's architectural firm has received the contract from the City of Atlanta for the renovation of the Aldermanic chambers.

I would like to suggest to the Atlanta Civic Design Commission that you recommend an appropriate display area in the chambers for the many portraits of former mayors which are now hanging on the first floor and in some of the committee rooms.

May I also suggest that consideration be given to the renovation of these portraits, which may not be artistically well done in your opinion, but are an important part of the city's history.

Further thought may also be given to having portraits commissioned of those mayor's not presently painted.

I would appreciate receiving your views on these subjects.

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