

684 Hillpine Drive, N. E.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30306  
February 23, 1967

Honorable Ivan Allen, Mayor  
City of Atlanta  
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mayor Allen:

As you know Atlanta was saddened by the recent death of Mr. Wilbur Kurtz, Sr., who had been so outstanding in our City's history and it occurred to me what a wonderful tribute to his memory if the City could obtain the little strip of woods on Monroe Drive, which is up for re-zoning now, Petition Z-66-260-B, and convert this into a "Confederate Memorial Park."

Our Alderman, Hon. Richard C. Freeman, has fought so hard to try and keep this property from being re-zoned for apartments and before it becomes a losing battle I humbly ask that you toss this idea around and I'm sure there are hundreds of people willing and ready to contribute to a memorial to Mr. Kurtz.

Unfortunately, the City refused to accept this property years ago when it was offered as a park area, and I am under the impression that there is very little money tied up in it now. It would be most fitting as a "Confederate Memorial" as I understand the Civil War was fought hard in this vicinity and even today trenches can be found testifying to the battle.

If there is any spark of interest on your part, I hope you will act promptly, as this matter will be decided by the Zoning Committee very soon.

Respectfully,

*Mrs. Chas. E. Clark*

Mrs. Chas. E. Clark

cc: Hon. Richard C. Freeman  
1650 Sussex Road, N. E.  
Atlanta, Georgia