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I would like to offer my comments in regard to the inappropriate roof replacement by the Santander Bank on Main Street in Vineyard Haven. This landmark building is one of the outstanding monuments to Vineyard history and because the roof was such a large part of the architectural integrity of this historic landmark, it is especially important to maintain the exact roof in making this repair.

I hope that the MVC will be able to require Santander to restore the original style roof. It would be nice if you could also get them to replace the garish red plastic signs that mar the front of the building as well.

This building deserves your help and protection.

Renee Balter
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