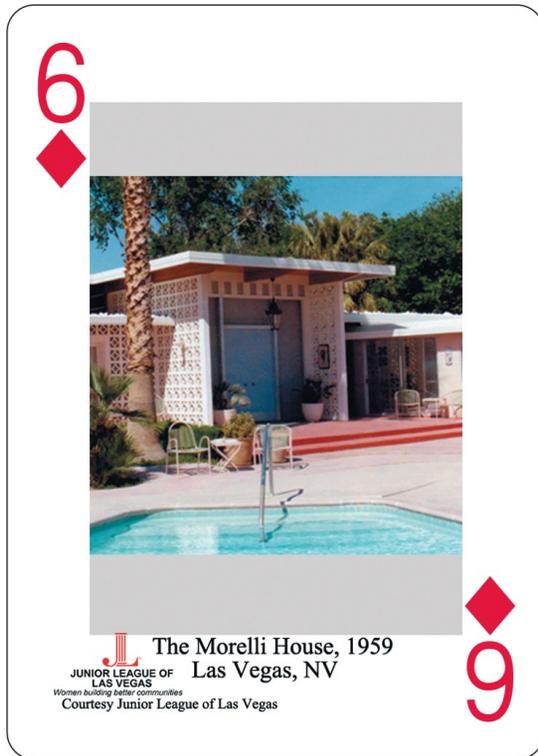


The Antonio Morelli House Clark County



The Morelli House, a classic example of mid-century residential architecture, is listed on three historic Registries: the City of Las Vegas, the State Register, and the National Register of Historic Places. In 1959 Antonio Morelli, conductor of the Sands Hotel Copa Showroom Orchestra, built his modernistic home overlooking the world-class Desert Inn Golf Course at 52 Country Club Drive.

The Junior League of Las Vegas rescued the Morelli House in 2001 when it was slated for demolition to make way for the Wynn Resort. The League relocated it to 861 E. Bridger Avenue in the Downtown historic district. This preservation project saved a piece of Las Vegas history for the community where brick and mortar representations of the past are often the unfortunate casualties of progress.

The Morelli House stands as a permanent gift to Las Vegas from the Junior League. As part of the historic preservation project's ongoing mission to provide a sense of community identity and to share the mid-century legacy that the Morelli House represents, the Junior League offers the public opportunities to tour the House, presents interpretive programs, and creates educational materials related to the House and its history.

For more information on the Morelli House visit:

www.morellihouse.org

