

## Review of: "Ancient Houses in Ben Tre City: A Multifaceted Approach to Preserve Artistic Architectural Heritage and Boost Local Tourism"

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The paper is showing an acceptable methodology to preserve ancient houses in Ben Tre City: A Multifaceted Approach to Preserve Artistic Architectural Heritage and Boost Local Tourism. However, the following comments should be considered.

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4. I suggest the following up-to-date references:

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