State of California — The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: ____________________________

2. Historic name: White REntal House

3. Street or rural address: 108 Martin Street
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95080 County: Santa Clara

4. Parcel number: 84100628

5. Present Owner: Unknown Address: ____________________________
   City ____________________________ Zip: ________ Ownership is: Public ________ Private X

6. Present Use: Residence Original use: Residence

DESCRIPTION
7a. Architectural style: Neoclassic
7b. Briefly describe the present physical appearance of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:

108 sits on concrete sill and has been a rental all its life. Fish-scale shingles cover the front gable. It has classical front porch supports, an enclosed screened back porch, and a fireplace. This rectangular formed structure has a hipped roof intersected with a front facing gable. Single story with sloping porch roof, the supports of which are paired columns. The porch banister is turned wood with a cap. Horizontal board sheathes the structure.

8. Construction date:
   Estimated ________ Factual 1902

9. Architect: Unknown

10. Builder: Unknown

11. Approx. property size (in feet)
    Frontage 48 Depth 140
    or approx. acreage

12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)
    May 1986

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13. Condition: Excellent __ Good __ X Fair __ Deteriorated __ No longer in existence __
   rear porch enclosed

14. Alterations: ____________________________

15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary) Open land __ Scattered buildings __ Densely built-up __ X
   Residential __ X Industrial __ Commercial __ Other: ____________________

16. Threats to site: None known __ Private development __ Zoning __ Vandalism __
   Public Works project __ Other: ____________________

17. Is the structure: On its original site? __ Moved? __ Unknown? __

18. Related features: ________________________

SIGNIFICANCE
19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)

This house is one of three houses built in 1902-1903 for rental purposes. All three are of very similar construction. Although the ownership has changed several times, all three houses have remained together and each time have been sold as a unit. They are typical of this turn-of-the-century construction in Gilroy.