**IDENTIFICATION**

1. Common name: _______________________

2. Historic name: **White Rental House**

3. Street or rural address: **7470 Railroad Street**
   City: **Gilroy** Zip: **95020** County: **Santa Clara**

4. Parcel number: **84100628**

5. Present Owner: **Emilio Orsetti**
   Address: **930 Buena Vista Ave**
   City: **Gilroy** Zip: **95020** Ownership is: Public ______ Private **x**

6. Present Use: **Residence**
   Original use: **Residence**

**DESCRIPTION**

7a. Architectural style: **Neo-classic Rowhouse**

7b. Briefly describe the present **physical appearance** of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:

7470 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 **40** Depth **137**
    or approx. acreage

12. **Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)**
    **Mar. 1986**
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.