HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: 

2. Historic name: 

3. Street or rural address: 7520 Railroad Street
   City Gilroy Zip 95020 County Santa Clara

4. Parcel number: 84100546

5. Present Owner: Eva Bevilacqua
   Address: Rt. 2 Box 626
   City Morgan Hill Zip 95037 Ownership is: Public Private X

6. Present Use: Residence Original use: Residence

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

This single story structure with pyramidal roof is sheathed in horizontal grooved board. A porch is supported by four slender columns braced with cut out decorative work. A center gable interrupts the roof and is decorated with a sun ray pattern.

8. Construction date:
   Estimated Factual 1903

9. Architect: Unknown

10. Builder: John E. White

11. Approx. property size (in feet):
    Frontage 50 Depth 137
    or approx. acreage

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

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Condition: Excellent ___ Good ___ Fair ___ Deteriorated ___ No longer in existence, X

Alterations: ________________________________

Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary) Open land ___ Scattered buildings ___ Densely built-up X
Residential X Industrial ___ Commercial X Other: ________________________________

Threats to site: None known X Private development ___ Zoning ___ Vandalism ___
Public Works project ___ Other: ________________________________

Is the structure: On its original site? X Moved? ______ Unknown? ______

Related features: ________________________________

SIGNIFICANCE

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

This attractive home on Railroad appears to have been developed by Mrs. I. Allemand. Later owners included F.L. Fredrick, Edgar Safstrom, Constible John White and in 1915, by George C. Wolf. It appears to have been rented most of its life.

Main theme of the historic resource: (If more than one is checked, number in order of importance.)
Architecture 1 Arts & Leisure ________________________________
Economic/Industrial ___ Exploration/Settlement ________________________________
Government ___ Military ________________________________
Religion ___ Social/Education ________________________________

Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates).
A Field Guide to American Houses
McAllister
Sanborn Map 1888, 1908
Gilroy Museum File
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