

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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HABS _____ HAER _____ Loc _____ SHL No. _____ NR Status U
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B _____ D _____

IDENTIFICATION

1. Common name: _____
2. Historic name: _____
3. Street or rural address: 7581 Hanna Street
City Gilroy Zip 95020 County Santa Clara
4. Parcel number: 79901938
5. Present Owner: _____ Address: _____
City _____ Zip _____ Ownership is: Public _____ Private X
6. Present Use: apartments Original use: Residence

DESCRIPTION

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

The site consists of a cluster of small cottages designed in a loosely defined bungalow style iwth some craftsman detail. The builing form an elongated "U" shape which faces Hanna Street. Fenestration is mult-paned and both rectangular and round arched in shape. Individually, the structures are not extremely interesting, but taken collectively, they form a unique bungalow court: the precursor of the garden apartment. Landscape is simple, but mature and helps blend the complex unobtrusively into its neighborhood of single family houses.



8. Construction date: Estimated 1920 Factual _____
9. Architect Unknown
10. Builder Unknown
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
Frontage 70 Depth 120
or approx. acreage _____
12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)
Mar. 1986

13. Condition: Excellent ___ Good X Fair ___ Deteriorated ___ No longer in existence ___
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 X Private development ___ Zoning ___ Vandalism ___
Public Works project ___ Other: _____
17. Is the structure: On its original site? X Moved? ___ Unknown? ___
18. Related features: Tailored landscaping

SIGNIFICANCE

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

The site is significant due to its distinctive architectural form. The building type is not frequently found in the city and, as such, it represents a unique feature in the architectural heritage of the city.

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

21. Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates).

A Field Guide to American Houses
McAlister

Sanborn Map 1888,1908

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Locational sketch map (draw and label site and surrounding streets, roads, and prominent landmarks):

