IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: ________________
2. Historic name: ________________
3. Street or rural address: 7740 Eigleberry Street
   City _____________ Zip ___________ County ___________
4. Parcel number: ________________
5. Present Owner: Eileen Douglas
   Address: 831 Third Street
   City _____________ Zip ___________
   Ownership is: Public _______ Private ___ X
6. Present Use: Residence
   Original use: Residence

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

   A wide, low gable dominates this bungalow style house that also features
   exposed rafters and support brackets. The stucco siding is interrupted by a
   wood slat vent in the gable and has wood trim on most of the corners. The
   veranda porch is supported by elephantine columns and has a solid half-
   enclosure.

8. Construction date:
   Estimated _______ Factual 1924
9. Architect ________________ Unknown
10. Builder ________________ Unknown
11. Approx. property size (in feet):
    Frontage _______ Depth _______
    or approx. acreage _______
12. Date(s) of enclosure photograph(s)
    Mar. 1986

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13. Condition: Excellent ___ Good ___ Fair ___ Deteriorated ___ No longer in existence ___

14. Alterations: ________________________________

15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary) Open land ___ Scattered buildings ___ Densely built-up ___ Residential ___ 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.)

The varied bungalow styles were readily accepted and adopted into the Gilroy home collection for their many attributes. A pleasant home that featured overhanging eaves providing protection from the summer sun was an important consideration since most were first occupied in the summer months. Recessed porches allowed a place to sit and watch neighborhood activities from a protected vantage point. Ornament and detailing was straightforward reflecting the style of the structure itself. Well suited to the needs of a growing population, the significance to this survey is in the number of homes and variety of styles that remain relatively in their original condition. These create streetscapes that are important because of the unity of the whole more than the special qualities of any individual structure.

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). 

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McAlister
Sanborn Map 1888, 1908

22. Date form prepared ___________ April 1986
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Locational sketch map (draw and label site and surrounding streets, roads, and prominent landmarks): 

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