

HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

HABS _____ HAER _____ Loc _____ SHL No. _____ NR Status 6
 UTM: A 10/627004/4096939 C _____
 B _____ D _____

IDENTIFICATION

1. Common name: _____
2. Historic name: _____
3. Street or rural address: 7746 Church Street
 City Gilroy Zip 95020 County Santa Clara
4. Parcel number: 79900343
5. Present Owner: Phillip Velasco Address: 7257 Rosanna Street
 City Gilroy Zip 95020 Ownership is: Public _____ Private X
6. Present Use: Residence Original use: Residence

DESCRIPTION

bungalow

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

This small bungalow has a medium gable roof with exposed rafters and support brackets. It has clapboard siding, a wood slat vent above the door and windows facing the street decorated with rows of small panes located above the regular glass. The small portico has a gable and is supported by square wood columns with a wooden railing.



8. Construction date:
 Estimated 1905 Factual _____
9. Architect _____

 _____Unknown
10. Builder _____

 _____Unknown
11. Approx. property size (in feet)
 Frontage 50 Depth 96
 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: _____

SIGNIFICANCE

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

This block contains a number of small bungalows that show by their functional design that they are the next generation, beyond the pioneer, of modest homes for the hard working people who came to work in the canning and supportive industry of the 1920's. This structure contributes to the streetscape of this block and more importantly to the socio-economic history of Gilroy.

20. 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 _____

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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