

# **VIRGINIA** HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION

File no. 104-71 Negative no(s). 5060 (13

**SURVEY FORM** 

County/Town/City Charlottesville, Va. Street address or route number 1252 Wertland

USGS Quad Charlottesville, East, Va

Original owner

Original use

Present owner

Present owner address

Present use commercial

Acreage

Common name Red Gate Interiors

Date or period o. 1920 Architect/builder/craftsmen

Source of name Source of date

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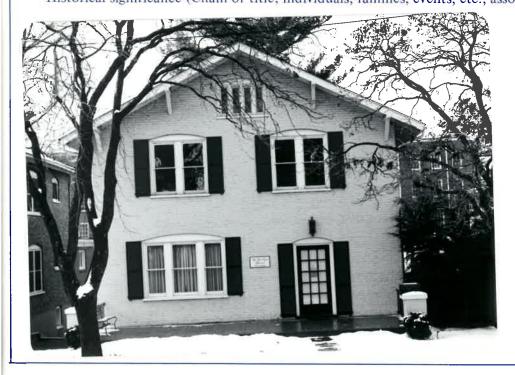
Should be investigated for possible register potential? yes \_\_\_\_ no X

Architectural description (Note significant features of plan, structural system and interior and exterior decoration, taking care to point out aspects not visible or clear from photographs. Explain nature and period of all alterations and additions. List any outbuildings and their approximate ages, cemeteries, etc.)

> brick (stretcher bond).  $2\frac{1}{2}$  story. gable roof with asphalt shingles. 2 bay. Federal Rev. c. 1920. brackets under gable. West bay entrance. 1st story: triple  $1/1 \mathrm{DHS}$ , door with blinds, 2nd story: double 1/1 with blinds,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  story: vertical 4-paned fixed window, all openings have segmental arches. 1 interior chimney.

Interior inspected?

Historical significance (Chain of title; individuals, families, events, etc., associated with the property.)



STREET ADDRESS:

1252 Wertland Street

MAP & PARCEL

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**VDHR FILE NUMBER:** 

104-0136-0020

**CITY FILE NUMBER:** 

PRESENT ZONING:

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**ORIGINAL OWNER:** 

**ORIGINAL USE:** 

Residence

PRESENT USE:

Residential Rental Property

PRESENT OWNER:

Wertland, LLC P. O. Box 3344

ADDRESS:

Charlottesville, VA 22903

**HISTORIC NAME:** 

DATE/PERIOD: STYLE:

c.1925 Vernacular

**HEIGHT IN STORIES:** 

2 Stories

DIMENSIONS AND LAND AREA: 48' x 145' (7,105 sq. ft.)

**CONDITION:** 

SURVEYOR:

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RECONNAISSANCE LEVEL SURVEY REPORT

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORIC RESOURCE RECONNAISSANCE SURVEY FORM

Reviewed by Margaret Peters

DHR Idenfication Number: 104-0136-0020

Other DHR Number: Property Date(s) 1920 ca

PROPERTY NAMES EXPLANATION

House (1252 Wertland St.) Function/Location

The Red Gate Interiors Current

County/Independent City: Charlottesville

State: Virginia

Magisterial District: N/A Tax Parcel: 10-24

USGS Quad Map Name: CHARLOTTESVILLE EAST

UTMs of Boundary:

Center UTM:

Restrict location and UTM data? N

ADDRESSES

Number Thoroughfare Name Explanation

1252 - Wertland St.

Vicinity: Town/Village/Hamlet:

Name of National Register Historic District:

Wertland Street Historic District Name of DHR Eligible Historic District:

Name of Local Historic District:

Physical Character of General Surroundings: City

Site Description/Notable Landscape Features:

Residential/built up, lot slopes to rear.

Ownership: Private NR Resource Type: Building

WUZITS

Seq. # # of Wuzit Types Historic?

1.0 1 Single Dwelling Historic

TOTAL: 1

Historic: 1
Non-Historic: 0

# PRIMARY RESOURCE EXTERIOR COMPONENT DESCRIPTION

Material Treatment Material Comp Type/Form Component Stretcher Bond Brick 0 Masonry Structural System Shingle O Gable: front Asphalt Roof O Sash, double-hung 1/1 Wood Window(s) Poured Concrete 0 Masonry Foundation

### INDIVIDUAL RESOURCE INFORMATION

WUZIT: Single Dwelling SEOUENCE NUMBER: 1.0

Primary Resource? Yes

Estimated Date of Construction: 1920 ca

Source of Date: Written Data

Architectural Style: Bungalow/Craftsman

Description:

Unusual combination of foursquare form with gable-front roof. Roof has deep overhag supported by Craftsman brackets and with shaped rafter tails in the eaves. Other features include segmental-arched door and window openings, a brick flue, and an integral two-story ell with a gable roof and a one-story gabled porch with turned posts and square balusters.

Condition: Good

Threats to Resource: None Known

Additions/Alterations Description:

What appears to have been a one-story Craftsman porch has been removed leaving brick porch column bases and a masonry floor.

Number of Stories:

Interior Plan Type:

Accessed?

Interior Description:

Relationship of Secondary Resources to Property:

DHR Historic Context: Architecture/Community Planning

Domestic

Significance Statement:

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### GRAPHIC DOCUMENTATION

Medium	Medium ID #	Frames	Date
B&W 35mm Photos	14704	8 -	3/ /1996
B&W 35mm Photos	14704	10 -	3/ /1996

### BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA

Bibliographic Record Type: Report 1.0 Author: City of Charlottesville Dept. of Community Devt. Citation Abbreviation:

Historic Resources of Charlottesville, Virginia

Notes:

#### CULTURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT EVENTS

Date: / /1996

Cultural Resource Management Event: Reconnaissance Survey Organization or Person: J. Daniel Pezzoni, Preservation Con

ID # Associated with Event: CRM Event Notes or Comments:

#### MAILING ADDRESS

Honorif:

First : Virginia Ho\ilton R.

Last : Grasty

Suffix : Title :

Company: Red Gate Interiors

Address: PO Box 3077

City : Charlottesville State: VA

Zip : 22902- Country: USA Phone/extension: 804-984-1008

Individual Category Codes:

Mailing Address Notes:

Surveyor's Notes:

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