1057 Page Street



Significance: Medium **Parcel ID:** 040185000

Date of Construction: 1928 Original Owner: William F. Monroe **Architect:** Unknown

Builder: Unknown

Building History:

This two-bay, one-story, frame house with aluminum siding was built around 1928. The current dwelling has a gabled, asphalt shingle roof and paired central interior brick chimneys. Across the façade is a twobay, shed roof porch with a parged concrete foundation, battered piers, and wrought iron railings. The front-facing windows are 1/1 vinyl sash. The front of the lot has a concrete walkway leading from Page Street to the central entrance. Hedge plantings line the porch area and there is a privet hedge along the Page Street side.

Ownership History:

C.W. Allen, Trustee sold the property to Charles L. Brooks on Dec. 3, 1907(City 19 – 114). Charles L. Brooks and wife Sallie B. Brooks sold it to William F. Monroe in 1928(City 61 – 112). In 1978, William I. Carter bought the property (City 398 - 200).

Social History:

William Monroe, an African American laborer, lived in the house with his family from 1928 until 1978.

Statement of Significance:

This 20th century single-family dwelling was owned and inhabited by the Monroe family for fifty years. While, some of the original fabric of the house has been replaced with modern materials, the site holds social and community significance. The original house is similar in appearance to neighboring 1055 Page Street.