Architectural Survey Form

DHR ID: 104-5656 Other DHR ID: No Data

Property Information

Property Names

Name Explanation Name

Function/Location House, 507 10th Street NW

Property Evaluation Status

Property Addresses

Current - 507 10th Street NW

County/Independent City(s): Charlottesville (Ind. City)

Incorporated Town(s):No DataZip Code(s):22903Magisterial District(s):No DataTax Parcel(s):No Data

USGS Quad(s): CHARLOTTESVILLE EAST

Additional Property Information

Architecture Setting: Urban
Acreage: No Data

Site Description:

January 2020: This two-story house sits on the corner of Grady Avenue and 10th Street NW at the large intersection where Grady Avenue becomes Preston Avenue. There is a dilapidated fieldstone wall running along the Grady Avenue property line (southeast) and around the east of the building. At the northwest end, this wall becomes a concrete-and-stone retaining wall. There is a large amount of dense vegetation (trees, vines, and bushes) throughout the property and covering much of the retaining walls, making visibility difficult. The Grady Avenue/10th Street NW/Preston Avenue intersection was changed dramatically in the 1970s as part of Charlottesville's urban renewal changes throughout the city. This property contains a house, with a shed and secondary dwelling to the west.

Surveyor Assessment:

January 2020: This house was built in 1910, according to Charlottesville City Property Records (City of Charlottesville GIS Viewer 2020). While it was not surveyed in 1913 by the Sanborn Insurance Company, it has the same footprint in the 1920, 1929, and 1950 Sanborn Maps (Sanborn Map Company 1913; Sanborn Map Company 1920; Sanborn Map Company 1929; Sanborn Map Company 1950). Sometime between 1950 and 1994, the porch was extended to wrap around the north side of the house, and the space within the original L-Plan, the northwest corner, seen on the Sanborn Maps, was infilled with a one-story shed roof addition to create the square plan seen today (USGS 1994; USGS 2017; Sanborn Map Company 1950). The house is identified as Magnolia House, a night club, by Google Maps, but it is still used as a residence when they are not hosting music events (Google.com 2020).

This property retains good integrity of location and setting. The changes to Preston Avenue in the 1970s have affected the setting of the house. The integrity of design, materials, and workmanship have been compromised with changes in the porch as well as the infilled addition. This property retains good integrity of feeling and association. The changes to Preston Avenue and other effects of urban renewal affects the feeling of the building. Overall, this property retains fair integrity.

This property is recommended as not individually eligible for listing in the NRHP due to a lack of historical significance. However, it is located in the potential 10th & Page Historic District, which is recommended as potentially eligible for listing in the NRHP. Further study is recommended to determine if the 10th & Page Historic District is eligible for listing in the NRHP under Criterion A in the areas of Ethnic Heritage, Community Planning and Development, and Social History, and under Criterion C in the area of Architecture. This property includes one contributing primary resource, one contributing secondary resources, and one non-contributing secondary resource.

Surveyor Recommendation: Recommended Not Eligible

Ownership

Ownership Category Ownership Entity

Private No Data

Primary Resource Information

Resource Category:DomesticResource Type:Single DwellingNR Resource Type:BuildingDate of Construction:1910Date Source:Local Records

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Historic Time Period: Reconstruction and Growth (1866 - 1916)

Historic Context(s): Domestic
Other ID Number: No Data
Architectural Style: Vernacular
Form: Square
Number of Stories: 2.0
Condition: Good
Threats to Resource: None Known

Architectural Description:

January 2020: This two-story house is clad in stucco and has a cross-hipped roof covered in standing seam metal. There are two interior brick chimneys on the ridgeline of the first cross, one to the southeast and the other to the northwest. The southeast (front) facade features a full-length, one-story, open porch that wraps around to the northeast side of the house. This porch has a hipped roof clad in asphalt shingles that is supported by tapered square wood columns set on brick piers, and is accessed by concrete stairs. The northwest (rear) elevation features a secondary entrance on the first story covered by a hipped roof portico supported by square wood columns and covered in asphalt shingles. This elevation also has several boarded-up windows on the first story. The southeast elevation features another secondary entrance on the first story covered by a shed roof portico supported by square wood brackets and clad in asphalt shingles. Visible fenestration includes two-over-one, double-hung, wood windows with metal storm windows; fixed one-light windows; six-over-one, double-hung, wood windows; two-over-two, double-hung, wood windows; a single-leaf wood door with one window, a transom, and two side lights; and single-leaf wood doors.

Exterior Components

ComponentComponent TypeMaterialMaterial TreatmentChimneysInterior CentralBrickAmerican/Common BondFoundationNot VisibleNo DataNo Data

Porch 1-Story Full-Width Wood Columns/Posts on Piers

Structural System and Wood Frame Unknown Stuccoed
Exterior Treatment
Windows Double bung Wood No Data

Windows Double-hung Wood No Data Roof Hipped Metal No Data

Secondary Resource Information

Secondary Resource #1

Resource Category: Domestic

Resource Type: Secondary Dwelling

NR Resource Type: Building

Date of Construction: 1956

Date Source: Local Records

Historic Time Period: The New Dominion (1946 - 1991)

Historic Context(s): Domestic
Other ID Number: No Data

Architectural Style: No discernible style

Form: No Data
Number of Stories: 1.0
Condition: Good
Threats to Resource: None Known

Architectural Description:

January 2020: This property has a large secondary dwelling to the west of the property. It is constructed of concrete block and has a side-gabled roof covered with asphalt shingles. The north elevation has a vinyl clad addition with a shed roof. Visible fenestration includes six-light, fixed, wood windows; one-over-one, fixed, wood windows; and six-over-six, double-hung, vinyl, windows. This also has a shed to the north which is clad in vertical plywood siding and has a shed roof. Visible fenestration includes a single leaf plywood door.

Exterior Components

Material Treatment Component Component Type Material Solid/Continuous Foundation Concrete Block Structural System and Masonry Concrete Block **Exterior Treatment** No Data Windows Double-hung Vinyl Asphalt Roof Side Gable No Data

Secondary Resource #2

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Resource Category: Domestic Resource Type: Shed NR Resource Type: Building ca 2000 **Date of Construction: Date Source:** Map

Historic Time Period: Post Cold War (1992 - Present)

Historic Context(s): Domestic Other ID Number: No Data

No discernible style **Architectural Style:**

No Data **Number of Stories:** 1.0 **Condition:** Poor Threats to Resource: None Known

Architectural Description:

January 2020: This shed is to the north of the house, clad in vertical plywood siding, and has a shed roof. Visible fenestration includes a singleleaf, plywood door.

Exterior Components

Material Treatment Component Component Type Material Structural System and Wood Frame Plywood/Particle Board Vertical Board **Exterior Treatment**

Roof Shed Unknown No Data

Historic District Information

Historic District Name: No Data **Local Historic District Name:** No Data No Data **Historic District Significance:**

CRM Events

Event Type: Survey:Phase I/Reconnaissance

Project Review File Number: No Data Investigator: Erin Que

The 106 Group Ltd. Organization/Company:

Photographic Media: Digital **Survey Date:** 2/5/2020 **Dhr Library Report Number:** No Data

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Property Notes:

No Data

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