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DHR ID: 104-5760 Other DHR ID: No Data

# **Property Information**

**Property Names** 

Name Explanation Name

Function/Location House, 208 8th Street NW

**Property Evaluation Status** 

**Property Addresses** 

Current - 208 8th 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 is located on the east side of 8th Street NW, halfway between Page Street and Hardy Drive. There is a gravel driveway to the northeast of this house, and a low, concrete wall along the front (northwest) property line. The rear of the property features large, deciduous trees, and there is a shed to the southeast. This property consists of a house and a shed.

#### **Surveyor Assessment:**

January 2020: According to Charlottesville City Property Records, this house was constructed in 1925 (City of Charlottesville GIS Viewer 2020). This is supported by the Sanborn Maps, since the house does not appear on the 1920 Sanborn Map but is evident on both the 1929 and 1950 Maps (Sanborn Map Company 1920; Sanborn Map Company 1929; Sanborn Map Company 1950). However, in both of these maps the house is described as a one-story dwelling and was expanded to the two-story building seen today at an unknown date. The rear of the building was expanded with multiple additions sometime between 1950 and 1963 (Sanborn Map Company 1950; NETR 1963). The current shed was built c. 2000 (City of Charlottesville GIS Viewer 2020). The buildings to either side of this residence on 8th Street were all demolished c. 2012 (USGS 2011; USGS 2013). There is now a community garden to the northeast.

This property retains good integrity of location. The integrity of setting has been compromised by the demolition of the buildings to either side of the house. The integrity of design, materials, and workmanship has been compromised by replacement windows and replacement cladding. This property retains good integrity of feeling and association. 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 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:1925

Date Source: Local Records

**Historic Time Period:** World War I to World War II (1917 - 1945)

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

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Architectural Style: Vernacular

Form: Rectangular

Number of Stories: 2.0

Condition: Good

Threats to Resource: None Known

#### **Architectural Description:**

January 2020: This two-story house rests on a parged concrete foundation, is clad in asbestos siding, and has a front-gabled roof covered in asphalt shingles. The front (northwest) facing façade features a partial-width, screened porch with a front-gabled roof that has long eaves and visible eave brackets. The main entrance for this house is in the center of this façade. There is a one-story, front-gabled wing on the southeast elevation. There is an exterior brick chimney on the southeast elevation of the two-story portion of the house that extends into the one-story section. The southeast elevation of the one-story, front-gabled wing features a shed roof awning in the south half that is covered with standing seam metal. In the north half, there is a half-width, shed-roof addition that is clad in vertical wood siding. The roof of this addition is covered with asphalt shingles. Visible fenestration includes one-over-one, double-hung, vinyl windows; metal and wood paneled screened openings; a single-leaf wood door with six lights; and a metal screen door.

### **Exterior Components**

Component Component Type Material **Material Treatment** Chimneys Exterior Front/Back Brick Strecther Bond Foundation Solid/Continuous Concrete Stuccoed/Parged 1-Story Partial Width Porch Wood Screened/Enclosed Structural System and Wood Frame Asbestos Siding

Exterior Treatment
Windows Double-hung Vinyl No Data
Roof Front Gable Asphalt No Data

# **Secondary Resource Information**

## Secondary Resource #1

Resource Category:DomesticResource Type:ShedNR Resource Type:BuildingDate of Construction:ca 2000Date Source:Map

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

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

Architectural Style: No discernible style

Form: Square
Number of Stories: 1.0
Condition: Good
Threats to Resource: None Known

# **Architectural Description:**

January 2020: There is a shed to the southeast of this house. It is one-story, clad in vertical wood siding, and has a front-gabled roof covered in asphalt shingles. Visible fenestration includes a single-leaf, wood door; a one-over-one, double-hung, vinyl window; and a fixed, six-light, wood window.

## **Exterior Components**

ComponentComponent TypeMaterialMaterial TreatmentStructural System and<br/>Exterior TreatmentWood FrameWoodVertical BoardWindowsDouble-hungVinylNo Data

# **Historic District Information**

Historic District Name:No DataLocal Historic District Name:No DataHistoric District Significance:No Data

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### **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

**Project Staff/Notes:** 

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