Architectural Survey Form Other DHR ID: No Data

Property Information

Property Names

Name Explanation Name

Function/Location House, 1026 Grady Avenue

Property Evaluation Status

DHR ID: 104-5843

Property Addresses

Current - 1026 Grady Avenue

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:

2016: This property was surveyed in 2012-2016 by City of Charlottesville Neighborhood Development Services. The front of the lot has a concrete walkway leads from the driveway to the side entrance. The driveway is on the east side of the house, concrete paved, and leading from the street to the former garage.

Surveyor Assessment:

2016: Ownership History

J.F. Bell purchased the land in from John West in the 1890s (City 75 – 61). The land was willed to Raymond Lee Bell in 1959 (City 213 – 16). Bell owned the property until 1977 (City 351 – 171).

Social History

A number of renters lived in the house including Cab Presto and his family in 1959.

Statement of Significance

The design of the house is typical of other minimal ranch houses in Charlottesville from the mid-century. The original materials have mostly been replaced.

2020: This property 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.

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:ca 1959Date Source:Local Records

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

Historic Context(s): Domestic
Other ID Number: No Data
Architectural Style: Ranch
Form: No Data

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Number of Stories: 1.0

Condition: Remodeled

Threats to Resource: None Known

Architectural Description:

2016: This three-bay, one-story, brick minimal ranch house was built around 1959. There was a major renovation in 2003. The current dwelling has a front-facing gable –on – gable, asphalt shingle roof and a central interior brick chimney. The front-facing gable has a triangular louvered vent and aluminum siding. There is a recessed front entrance, overhanging eaves, and a projecting hipped roof bay on the east side of the house with a central door flanked by large sidelights with single panes (a former garage, converted into living space). There is a front facing bay window with two 1/1 vinyl sash lights flanking a central fixed light. There is a concrete patio with metal post and rail railing spanning the central bay, in front of the bay window and a concrete and metal rail wheelchair ramp leading from this driveway into the recessed side entrance. There is a cross-gable projecting bay on the east side of the house with aluminum siding in the gable.

Exterior Components

 Component
 Component Type
 Material
 Material Treatment

 Structural System and Exterior Treatment
 Masonry
 Brick
 Stretcher Bond

 Exercise Treatment
 Asphalt
 No Data

Roof Cross Gable Asphalt No Data
Chimneys Interior Central Brick Strecther Bond
Windows Double-hung Vinyl No Data

Secondary Resource Information

Historic District Information

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

CRM Events

Event Type: Survey:Phase I/Reconnaissance

Project Review File Number: No Data
Investigator: Erin Que

Organization/Company: The 106 Group Ltd.

Photographic Media:DigitalSurvey Date:2/5/2020Dhr Library Report Number:No Data

Project Staff/Notes:

Erin Que, Principal Investigator and Sr. Architectural Historian

Holly Good, Architectural Historian Saleh Miller, Sr. Architectural Historian

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Property Notes:

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