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DHR ID: 104-5920 Other DHR ID: No Data

# **Property Information**

**Property Names** 

Name Explanation Name

Function/Location House, 1201 Rosser Avenue East

**Property Evaluation Status** 

**Property Addresses** 

Current - 1201 Rosser Avenue East

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 one-story house is located on the north side of Rosser Avenue East, near a dead end, at the corner of Rosser Avenue East and 12th Street NW. There are box hedges in the front of the property, and large trees dotted throughout the rear of the lot. The south and east edges of the property are bounded by concrete block retaining walls. The site slopes to the south, and the basement of the building is partially exposed. This property consists of a house.

#### **Surveyor Assessment:**

January 2020: According to City of Charlottesville Property Records, this house was constructed in 1957 (City of Charlottesville GIS Viewer 2020). This is supported through aerial photographs, as the house does not appear on the 1950 Sanborn Map (Sanborn Map Company 1950; NETR 1963). The front porch was enclosed in the early 2000s but has since been opened (Google.com 2008; City of Charlottesville GIS Viewer 2020).

This property retains excellent integrity of location and setting. The integrity of design, materials, and workmanship have been mildly compromised by replacement windows and porch changes. This property retains excellent integrity of feeling and association. Overall, this property retains good 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.

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:1957

Date Source: Local Records

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

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

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

### **Architectural Description:**

January 2020: This one-story house sits on a concrete block foundation, is constructed of concrete block, and has a cross-gabled roof covered in asphalt shingles. There are two chimneys. One is an interior, concrete block chimney on the south roof slope near the ridgeline, and the other is an exterior, concrete block chimney on the west elevation at the north end. The south (front) facade features a partial-width, one-story, open porch with a front-gabled roof supported by square wood columns with wood railings. The porch is accessed via concrete steps with wood railings. On the west elevation, there is a one-story, shed roof wing at the south end, clad in asbestos siding. This shed roof wing connects to a gabled wing at the north end. The east elevation features a secondary basement entrance surmounted by a metal, shed roof awning. The north (rear) elevation includes a gable-ended extension clad in asbestos siding on the east end as well as an enclosed porch with a shed roof on the west end. Visible fenestration includes one-over-one, double-hung, vinyl windows; a single-leaf steel door; a single-leaf wood door with a diamond window, and a metal storm door; and one-over-one, double-hung, metal windows.

#### **Exterior Components**

**Material Treatment** Component Component Type Material Chimneys Interior Slope Concrete Block Chimneys Exterior End Block Concrete Foundation Solid/Continuous Concrete Block Structural System and Masonry Concrete Block Exterior Treatment 1-Story Partial Width Porch Wood Square

Porch1-Story Partial WidthWoodSquareWindowsDouble-hungVinylNo DataRoofCross GableAsphaltNo 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:** 

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#### **Property Notes:**

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