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AGENDA

Design Review
Committee
October 05, 2022

5:30 PM Regular Session

City Council Chamber 300 E. Chapman Avenue Orange, CA 92866 ROBERT IMBODEN Chair

ANNE MCDERMOTT Vice Chair

CAROL FOX Committee Member

MARY ANNE SKORPANICH Committee Member

JERICO FARFAN
Committee Member

Welcome to the Design Review Committee Meeting. Regular meetings of the City of Orange Design Review Committee are held the first and third Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m.

Agenda Information

The agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. Written materials relating to an item on the agenda that are provided to the Design Review Committee (DRC) after agenda packet distribution and within 72 hours before it is to consider the item will be made available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office located at 300 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange, during normal business hours; at the DRC meeting; and made available on the City's website at www.cityoforange.org.

Public Participation

Design Review Committee meetings may be viewed on Spectrum Cable Channel 3 and AT&T U-verse Channel 99 or streamed live and on-demand on the City's website at www.cityoforange.org.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.3, members of the public may address the Design Review Committee on any agenda items or matters within the jurisdiction of the governing body by using any of the following methods:

1) In-person

To speak on an item on the agenda, complete a speaker card indicating your name and address, and identifying the agenda item number or subject matter you wish to address. The card should be given to City staff prior to the start of the meeting. General comments are received during the "Public Comments" section at the beginning of the meeting. No action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law. Public Comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker unless a different time limit is announced. It is requested that you state your name for the record, then proceed to address the Committee. All speakers shall observe civility, decorum, and good behavior.

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2) Written Public Comments via e-mail or eComment

Members of the public can submit their written comments electronically for the DRC's consideration by emailing them to DRCpubliccomment@cityoforange.org with the subject line "Public Comment Item # (insert the corresponding item number)" or "Public Comment Non-agenda Item" for general public comments. The public can also submit written comments on the City's eComment page by visiting the City's website and clicking on the eComment link for this meeting. To ensure distribution to the DRC prior to consideration of the agenda, we encourage the public to submit comments by 3:00 p.m. the day of the meeting. All public comments received for this agenda will be provided to DRC Members, posted on the City's website, and compiled as part of the record.

3) Public Comments via recorded voicemail message

Finally, the public can record their comments by calling (714) 744-7271 no later than 4:00 p.m. the day of the meeting. Recorded messages will not be played at the meeting, but will be provided to the Design Review Committee and the caller's position will be summarized in the minutes.

Please contact the City Clerk's Office at (714) 744-5500 with any questions.

ADA Requirements: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need accommodations to participate in this meeting, contact the Clerk's office at (714) 744-5500. Notification at least 48 hours in advance of meeting will enable the City to make arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting.

REMINDER: Please silence all electronic devices while DRC is in session.

APPEAL PROCEDURE

Any final determination by the Design Review Committee may be appealed, and such appeal must be filed within 15 calendar days after the action is taken. This appeal shall be made in written form to the Community Development Department, accompanied by an initial appeal deposit of \$1,000.00.

The Community Development Department, upon filing of said appeal, will set petition for public hearing before the City Planning Commission at the earliest possible date.

If you challenge any City of Orange decision in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described on this agenda or in written correspondence delivered to the Design Review Committee at, or prior to, the public hearing.

1. OPENING/CALL TO ORDER

1.1 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1.2 ROLL CALL

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Opportunity for members of the public to address the Committee on matters not listed on the agenda which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the DRC, provided that NO action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law. Public Comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

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3.1. Approval of meeting minutes of the Design Review Committee of the City of Orange for the September 21, 2022 Regular Meeting.

Recommended Action:

Approve minutes as presented.

Attachments: Staff Report

September 21, 2022 Regular Meeting Minutes

4. CONTINUED ITEMS

4.1. Design Review No. 5077-22 - 529 S. Grand Street Duplex Unit. (Continued from September 21, 2022.)

Recommended Action:

Final determination by the Design Review Committee.

Attachments: Staff Report

Attachment 1 Vicinity Map

Attachment 2 Letter of Explanation

Attachment 3 Project Plans with Site Photos

Attachment 4 DPR Form

5. ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular Design Review Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 19, 2022 at 5:30 p.m., in the Council Chamber.

I, Jennifer Scudellari, Executive Assistant for the City of Orange, hereby declare, under penalty of perjury, that a

full and correct copy of this agenda was posted pursuant to Government Code Section 54950 et. seq., at the following locations: Orange Civic Center kiosk and Orange City Clerk's Office at 300 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange Main Public Library at 407 E. Chapman Avenue, Police facility at 1107 N. Batavia, and uploaded to the City's website www.cityoforange.org.

Date posted: September 29, 2022



Agenda Item

Design Review Committee

Item #: 3.1. 10/5/2022 File #: 22-0569

TO: Chair and Members of the Design Review Committee

THRU: Anna Pehoushek, Assistant Community Development Director

FROM: Schyler Moreno, Administrative Assistant

1. SUBJECT

Approval of meeting minutes of the Design Review Committee of the City of Orange for the September 21, 2022 Regular Meeting.

2. SUMMARY

Submitted for your consideration and approval are the minutes of the above meeting(s).

3. RECOMMENDED ACTION

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4. ATTACHMENTS

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MINUTES - DRAFT

City of Orange

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1. OPENING/CALL TO ORDER

Chair Imboden called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

1.1 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Committee Member Farfan led the flag salute.

1.2 ROLL CALL

Present: McDermott, Farfan, and Imboden

Absent: Fox, and Skorpanich

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

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3.1. Approval of meeting minutes of the Design Review Committee of the City of Orange for the September 8, 2022 Adjourned Regular Meeting.

Item 3.1 was removed from the Consent Calendar for separate consideration by Vice Chair McDermott to clarify the wording of the Committee's added condition for the Chick-fil-A project to specify its applicability to "relocated" trees.

ACTION: A motion was made by Vice Chair McDermott, seconded by Committee Member Farfan, to approve the amended minutes. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: McDermott, Farfan, and Imboden

Noes: None

Absent: Fox, and Skorpanich

4. CONTINUED ITEMS

4.1. Design Review No. 5063-22, Bhullar Residence Addition, 828 S. Oakwood Street

The following spoke on behalf of the project: Jeff Fracker, Applicant.

Committee Members discussed the following:

- The design of the demarcation between the original house and addition
- The need for additional information on demolition plans to avoid field mistakes
- The exposed beam on the south elevation
- Interior cabinetry in relation to the kitchen addition
- Clarification and correction of plan notes
- · Window and door details

A motion was made by Chair Imboden, seconded by Vice Chair McDermott, to approve Design Review No. 5063-22 with the following added conditions:

- 1) The various drafting issues and notes that were during the meeting be rectified on the plans prior to issuance of building permits.
- 2) The northern roof fascia is to be recessed a minimum of 4-inches where it aligns with the recessed hyphen.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: McDermott, Farfan, and Imboden

Noes: None

Absent: Fox, and Skorpanich

4.2. Design Review No.4799-15, St. Verena Coptic Orthodox Church Multi-Purpose Service Building, 491 N. Hewes Street

A motion was made by Chair Imboden, seconded by Vice Chair McDermott to continue Design Review No. 4799-55 to November 2, 2022.

Aves: McDermott, Farfan, and Imboden

Noes: None

Absent: Fox, and Skorpanich

5. NEW ITEMS

5.1. Design Review No. 5077-22 - 529 S. Grand Street Duplex Unit

Public Speakers:

The following spoke on behalf of the project:

Tom Aldrich, Applicant.

The following spoke in opposition to the project:

Tony Trabucco (representing OTPA), Tom Loughrey, Gary Zdenek, Diana Zdenck, Sue Vaurs, Patti Ricci, Alicia Nessl, Tara Klasna, Linda Maxwell-Jordan, Mary Matuzak, Tim McCormack, Tom Matuzak

The Committee discussed the following:

- Noticing discrepancies
- CEQA determination

A motion was made by Vice Chair McDermott, seconded by Chair Imboden to continue Design Review No. 5077-22 to October 5, 2022 to allow for re-noticing.

Ayes: McDermott, Farfan, and Imboden

Noes: None

Absent: Fox, and Skorpanich

6. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

The next Regular Design Review Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at 5:30 p.m., in the Council Chamber.



Agenda Item

Design Review Committee

Item #: 4.1. 10/5/2022 **File #:** 22-0550

TO: Chair and Members of the Design Review Committee

FROM: Anna Pehoushek, Assistant Community Development Director

1. SUBJECT

Design Review No. 5077-22 - 529 S. Grand Street Duplex Unit. (Continued from September 21, 2022.)

2. SUMMARY

Final determination by the Design Review Committee.

The applicant proposes to construct a new 1,556 square foot duplex unit at the rear yard of an existing single-family dwelling. The existing dwelling is a contributor to the Old Towne Historic District. The item was continued by the Design Review Committee at the September 21st meeting to October 5, 2022 for re-noticing.

3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Applicants: William Dunstan, DSEA, Inc.

Owner: Michael & Alison Vukovich

Property Location: 529 S. Grand Street

General Plan Designation: Low Medium Density Residential (LMDR)

Zoning Classification: Residential Duplex (R-2-6)

Existing Development: The subject property consists of an existing single-family residence and

garage

Associated Application: None

Previous DRC Project Review: September 21, 2022

4. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The proposed project includes the construction of a new unit at the rear of a property developed with a single family residence, resulting in a duplex development condition. The 1,329 sq. ft. 1-story unit would have three bedrooms and two bathrooms with a 227 sq. ft. attached one-car garage (1,556 sq. ft. total area).

The new unit has been designed to be subordinate and compatible with the existing contributing single-family residence at the property. The unit is proposed to have horizontal fiber cement lapped

plank siding with 5-inch exposure similar to the profile of the historic wood siding on the existing residence, asphalt roof shingles matching the existing residence, and wood trim around single-hung wood windows that also reflect the existing residence. The new attached one-car garage would have a sectional roll-up carriage panel door.

The proposed project would increase the existing floor area ratio (FAR) at the property from 0.17 to 0.30. Other adjacent properties in the vicinity with contributing buildings have FARs that range between 0.29 to 0.44. Even with the increase in FAR, the property would continue to have one of the smallest in its vicinity.

A second uncovered parking space is proposed adjacent to the new garage. Minor site improvements consisting of a revised concrete driveway area and a rear concrete patio are proposed. No other landscaping is proposed and the existing grass lawn will be maintained and repaired after construction. No changes are proposed to the existing residence and garage.

5. EXISTING SITE

The subject property is a contributing resource to the National Register-listed Old Towne Historic District (Attachment 4). The one-story 1,560 sq. ft. Craftsman-style residence was constructed in 1916. The property also contains a historic detached 320 sq. ft. garage that appears in a 1922 Sanborn map.

6. EXISTING AREA CONTEXT

The subject property is located on the east side of S. Grand Street in the Nutwood Tract residential neighborhood of the Old Towne Historic District, between E. La Veta Avenue and E. Toluca Avenue. The 500 block of S. Grand Street is comprised of lots developed as single-family and multi-unit properties zoned Residential Duplex (R-2-6). Most neighboring properties are also considered contributors to the Old Towne Historic District.

7. ANALYSIS AND STATEMENT OF THE ISSUES

Issue 1: Size of Second Unit

The total area for the existing main residence and garage is 1,910 sq. ft. Existing floor area ratio (FAR) for the property is 0.17, which is a lower FAR than currently exists on most surrounding properties. The Vicinity FAR Analysis on Sheet A-1 of the project drawings (Attachment 3) shows a comparison of nearby FARs that range from 0.29 to 0.44. The proposed unit would add 1,556 sq. ft. of development to the site, for a new overall total of 3,466 sq. ft. and FAR of 0.30. The maximum allowable FAR for a property zoned R-2-6 is 0.70. The FAR for the subject property is well below the allowable maximum, and would also still be generally lower than that of most of the surrounding properties as shown in the FAR analysis.

The proposed unit appears appropriate in size and scale and would be minimally visible from the street. The second unit is one story and lower in height than the existing residence. Although most of the second unit would not be readily visible from the street, a portion projects north of the main residence. There is an existing fence that extends from the northwest corner of the main residence to the north property line that will remain and help obscure the new unit. Its development would not impair the integrity of the historic streetscape nor the surrounding historic district.

Issue 2: Proposed Siding

The applicant is proposing a fiber cement siding for the proposed second unit and stated preference over wood as there will be no exposed nails that need maintenance, paint color would last longer,

and there would be no warping or deterioration like wood siding. The applicant also expressed a desire to use fiber cement siding due to cost and maintenance considerations associated with wood siding. The Historic Preservation Design Standards encourage use of traditional building materials for new construction, but allow for consideration of alternates to traditional materials if that material is compatible with the design and appearance of historic features on similar contributing buildings in the District. Staff is seeking confirmation from the DRC on the use of the proposed fiber cement siding as an alternative to wood siding. Should the DRC prefer the use of wood siding, staff recommends the addition of a condition of approval to reflect that determination.

8. ADVISORY BOARD RECOMMENDATION

None. The scope of this project does not involve a review or recommendation from the City's Staff Review Committee.

9. PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice was provided to 83 owners and tenants within 400 feet of the project on or before September 26, 2022, and the site was posted with a notice on or before that date.

10. ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Categorical Exemption: The proposed project is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per State CEQA Guideline 15303 (Class 3 - New Construction), because it consists of construction of a new duplex residential unit resulting in a total number of units below the maximum allowable in the Low Medium Density Residential General Plan land use designation (6-15 dwelling units per acre) and Duplex Residential (R-2-6) zoning district, and is in an area where public facilities and services are available.

11. STAFF RECOMMENDATION AND REQUIRED FINDINGS

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- The Orange Municipal Code
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The Findings are applied as appropriate to each project. Based on the following Findings and statements in support of such Findings, staff recommends the DRC approve the project with recommended conditions.

 In the Old Towne Historic District, the proposed work conforms to the prescriptive standards and design criteria referenced and/or recommended by the DRC or other reviewing body for the project (OMC 17.10.070.G.1).

The proposed project is in conformance with the Historic Preservation Design Standards for Old Towne, which are the prescriptive design criteria for projects within the Old Towne Historic District. The second unit is compatible with the mass, scale, and setbacks of the existing building, and the roof forms are consistent with the surrounding houses in the neighborhood. The second unit would be minimally visible from the street and will not affect the appearance of the historic district. Traditional building materials in the windows are used and compatible with the historic district. The new unit is subtly differentiated from the original primary residence by its slab on grade construction, fiber cement siding, and vertical gable roof vent

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• In any National Register Historic District, the proposed work complies with the Secretary of the Interior's standards and guidelines (OMC 17.10.07.G.2).

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- The project design upholds community aesthetics through the use of an internally consistent, integrated design theme and is consistent with all adopted specific plans, applicable design standards, and their required findings (OMC 17.10.07.G.3).
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- 5. The final approved conditions of approval shall be reprinted on the first or second page of the construction documents when submitting to the Building Division for the plan check process.
- 6. Construction permits shall be obtained for all future construction work, as required by the City of Orange, Public Works Department's Building Division. Failure to obtain the required building permits will be cause for revocation of this permit.
- 7. If not utilized, project approval expires 24 months from the approval date. Extensions of time may be granted in accordance with OMC Section 17.08.060.

13. ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment 1 Vicinity Map
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- Attachment 5 Color and Material Board (to be presented at DRC meeting)



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of its approval of this permit, save and except that caused by the City's active negligence.

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- 5. The final approved conditions of approval shall be reprinted on the first or second page of the construction documents when submitting to the Building Division for the plan check process.
- 6. Construction permits shall be obtained for all future construction work, as required by the City of Orange, Public Works Department's Building Division. Failure to obtain the required building permits will be cause for revocation of this permit.
- 7. If not utilized, project approval expires 24 months from the approval date. Extensions of time may be granted in accordance with OMC Section 17.08.060.

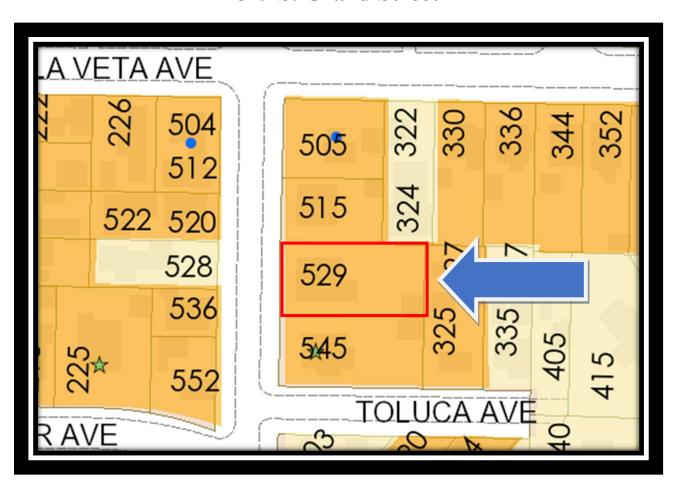
13. ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment 1 Vicinity Map
- Attachment 2 Letter of Explanation
- Attachment 3 Project Plans with Site Photos
- Attachment 4 DRP Form
- Attachment 5 Color and Material Board (to be presented at DRC meeting)

Vicinity Map

Design Review No. 5077-22 South Grand Street Second Unit

529 S. Grand Street





ORANGE = CONTRIBUTING HISTORIC RESOURCE
YELLOW = NON-CONTRIBUTING RESOURCE
BLUE DOT = HISTORIC OBJECT

CITY OF ORANGE
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT



145 South Olive Street, Orange, CA 92866 (714) 639-3958

May 16, 2022

Ms. Kelly Ribuffo, Historic Preservation Planner City of Orange 300 E. Chapman Ave Orange, CA 92866-1508

Re: 529 S. Grand Street New Second Unit Project

Letter of Justification 529 S. Grand Street Orange, CA 92866 DSEA Project No: 807

Letter of Explanation/Justification for the Vukovich Residence:

A new 1525 sq.ft. second unit with 3 bedrooms and 2 ½ baths is proposed on the rear of the existing residence with partial visibility from the street. The existing residence is a 1 story 1560 sq.ft. 3 bedroom / 2 bathroom single family residence with craftsman style detailing throughout. The existing garage is 320 sq.ft. that will have a 205 proposed sq.ft. attachment while converting the garage into an ADU. The proposed second unit and ADU will remain in keeping with the existing residence's craftsman characteristics with 5" horizontal wood siding, installing wood trim around the windows and doors, installing similar out-looker support beams and installing a similar gable roof vent below the peak of the roof. The second unit will be both smaller in height and square footage when compared to the existing residence and the separation between the units will be greater than the minimum required in order to fit an uncovered parking space in addition to the one-car attached garage. Proposed windows and doors will be wood.

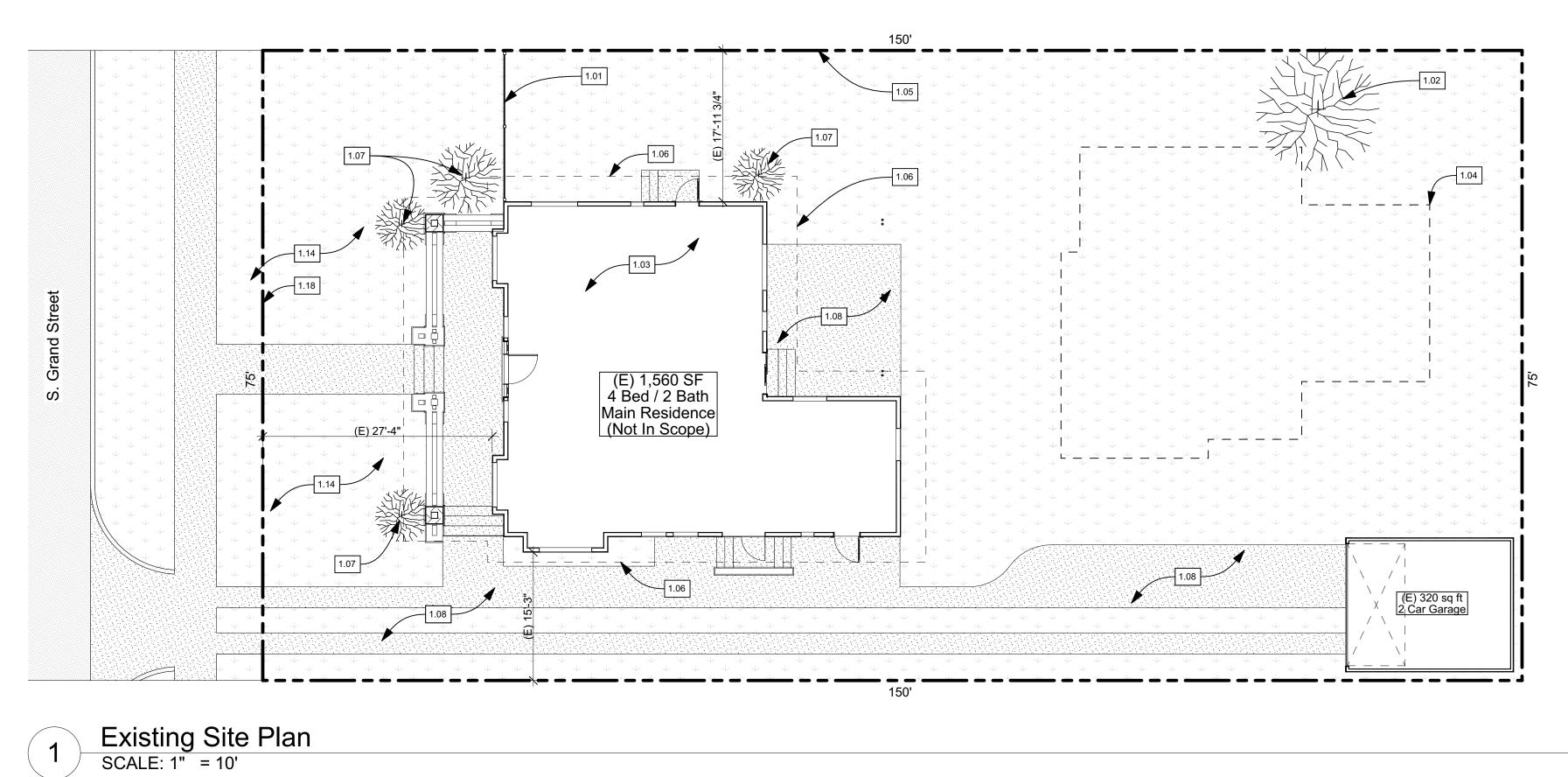
The modifications to the site are minimal and will involve some paving for the revised driveway and parking areas, a new concrete walkway from Grand Street to the entry of the second unit, and some new wood fences to create private open space. Landscaping is not in scope however one small fruit tree is being removed as a part of the demolition plan and can potentially be relocated.

Sincerely,
William Dunstan
Project Manager, DSEA, Inc.

Cc: Mr. Mike Vukovich

Mrs. Alison Vukovich

Doug Ely - DSEA Principal



(E) 1,560 SF 4 Bed / 2 Bath

(Not In Scope)

19'-2"

Project Information

Mike and Alison Vukovich 529 S. Grand Street OWNER:

Orange, CA 92866 PH: 949.295.6755

APPLICANT:

DSEA, Inc. 143 S. Olive St. Orange 92868 CA PH: 714.639.3958 Contact: William Dunstan wdunstan@dseainc.com

PROJECT ADDRESS: 529 S. Grand Street, Orange CA 92866

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

This project involves the construction of a second unit in the rear of the property. The 1,329 SF unit will be a 1 story slab on grade structure with a 4:12 sloped roof to be subordinate to the existing residence and will have 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms with an attached 227SF 1 car garage. A second uncovered parking space is proposed adjacent to the new garage. Minor site improvements consisting of a revised concrete driveway area and a rear concrete patio are proposed. No other landscaping is proposed, the existing grass lawn will be maintained and repaired after construction. The existing residence is not in the scope of work.

390-103-25 R-2-6 **EXISTING LOT AREA:** 11,250 sq.ft.

PROPOSED USE: No change to existing use

OCCUPANCY GROUP:

STORIES:

VB (Fully-Sprinklered) CONSTRUCTION TYPE:

(1) On-Site parking spaces(1) Enclosed garage parking spaces **PARKING:**

(E) (1) Story Proposed Second Unit: (1) Story **EXISTING AREA:** 1,560 sq.ft. (E) Residence (E) Garage Total 320 sq.ft. 1,880 sq.ft

1,329 sq.ft. 1,560 sq.ft. **PROPOSED AREA:** Proposed Second Unit (E) Residence

(E) Garage Total **OPEN SPACE:** 700 sq.ft. = 700 sq.ft. required for 2 units

FLOOR / AREA RATIO: 3,209 sq.ft. / 11,250 sq.ft.= .29 (.70 MAX for R-2-6)

Site Plan Keynotes

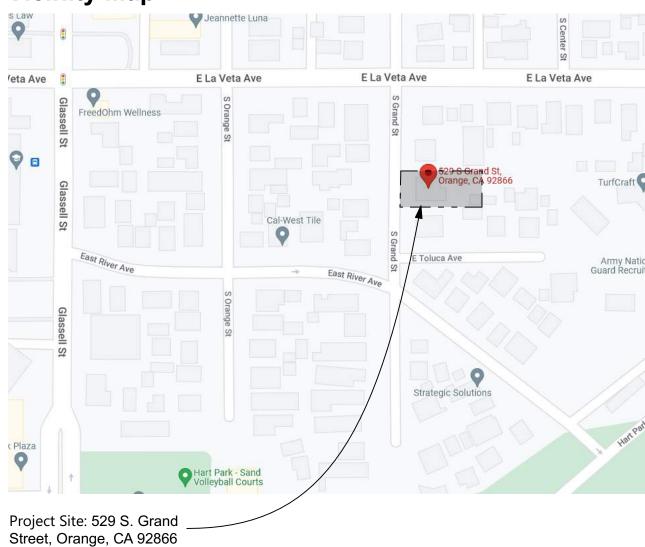
- 1.01 (E) Fence to remain
- 1.02 (E) Fruit tree to remain.
- 1.03 (E) Main residence not in scope.
- 1.04 Extent of proposed scope of work.
- 1.05 (E) Property line.
- (E) Main residence roof overhang shown dashed.
- (E) Tree to remain, protect in place.
- Proposed concrete driveway up to garage and exterior parking.
- Proposed concrete walkway providing access to second unit.
- Proposed concrete backyard patio.
- Proposed residence roof overhang shown dashed.
- Area represents 350 sq. ft. of required open space for each unit.
- 1.19 Dashed line represents uncovered parking space.

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Existing Site Plan, Proposed Site Plan and Project Information Proposed Floor Plan Proposed Roof Plan Proposed Exterior Elevations Proposed Exterior Elevations

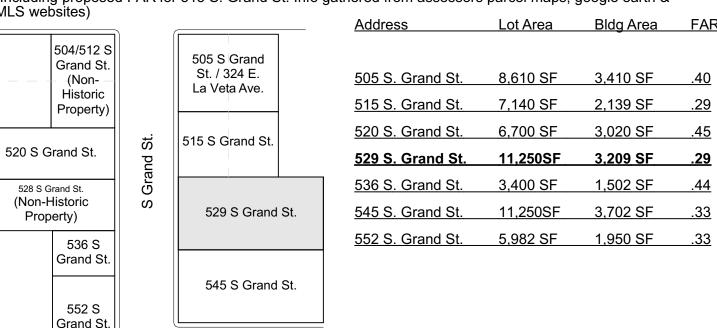
Exterior Details Perspective Renderings **Existing Site Photos**

Vicinity Map



Vicinity F.A.R. Analysis

(Including proposed FAR for 515 S. Grand St. Info gathered from assessors parcel maps, google earth & MLS websites) Lot Area Bldg Area FAR



Proposed Site Plan SCALE: 1" = 10'

Existing Site Plan, Proposed Site Plan and Project Information

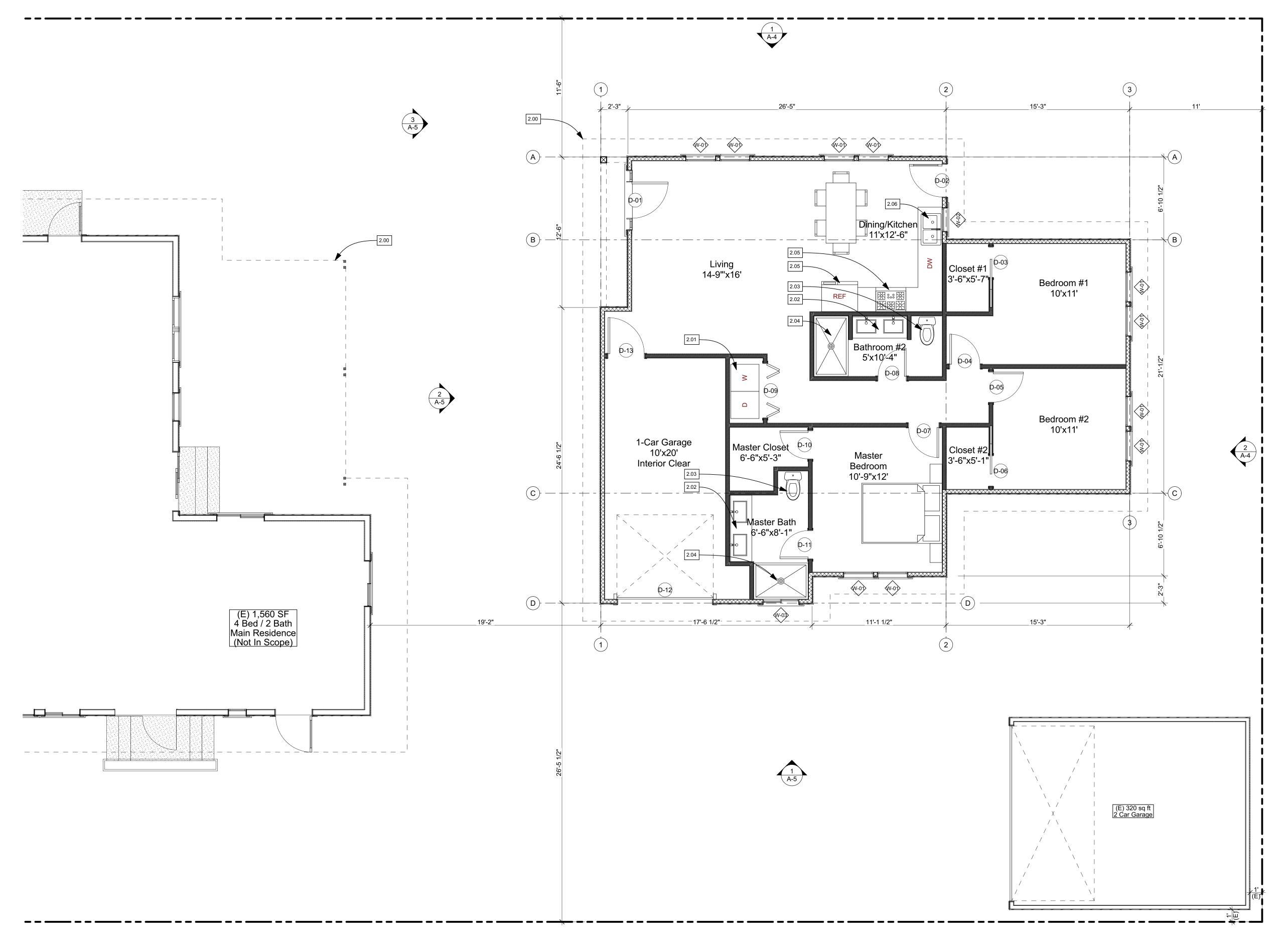
(E) 320 sq ft 2 Car Garage

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Floor Plan Keynotes

- 2.00 Extents of roof overhang above.
- 2.01 Washer and dryer attachments.
- 2.02 Bathroom double sink.
- 2.03 Floor mounted toilet.
- 2.04 2'-10"x5' shower.
- 2.05 Refrigerator2.06 Double basin sink.

| DOOR SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------|-----------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| MARK | LOCATION | WIDTH | HEIGHT | TYPE | NOTES | | | |
| D-01 | Living Room | 3' | 6'-8" | Solid Core Wood | Full Glass Sidelites along Door | | | |
| D-02 | Kitchen | 2'-8 1/2" | 6'-8" | Solid Core Wood | Upper Half Glass Lite in Door | | | |
| D-03 | Closet #1 | 2'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-04 | Bedroom #1 | 2'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-05 | Bedroom #2 | 2'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-06 | Closet #2 | 2'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-07 | Master Bedroom | 2'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-08 | Bathroom #2 | 2'-4" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-09 | Laundry | 4'-6" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-10 | Master Closet | 2'-4" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-11 | Master Bath | 2'-4" | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |
| D-12 | Garage | 8' | 7' | Wood | Sectional Wood Rollup Door | | | |
| D-13 | Garage | 3' | 6'-8" | Wood | | | | |

| WINDOW SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|--------|-------------|----------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| ID | WIDTH | HEIGHT | TYPE | MATERIAL | NOTES | | | | |
| W-01 | 2'-6" | 4' | Double hung | Wood | | | | | |
| W-01 | 2'-6" | 4'-6" | Double hung | Wood | | | | | |
| W-02 | 2' | 3' | Double hung | Wood | | | | | |
| W-03 | 3' | 1'-6" | Sliding | Wood | | | | | |

Floor Plan Legend

Non-rated ext. wall assembly. 5" horizontal lapped siding o/ 1/2" plywood o/ 2x4 wood studs @ 16"o.c. w/ R-13 batt insul. w/ 5/8"gyp. bd @ int., use WR gyp bd. @ bathroom. Refer to elevations for finish information.

Non-rated int. wall assembly. 2x4 wood studs @ 16"o.c. w/ sound insul. w/ 1/2"gyp. bd. both sides, use W.R. gyp. bd. at bathroom. Refer to elevations for finish information.

Window. Refer to Window Schedule for more information.

Door. Refer to Door Schedule for more information.

1 Proposed Floor Plan

SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"



Proposed Floor Plan

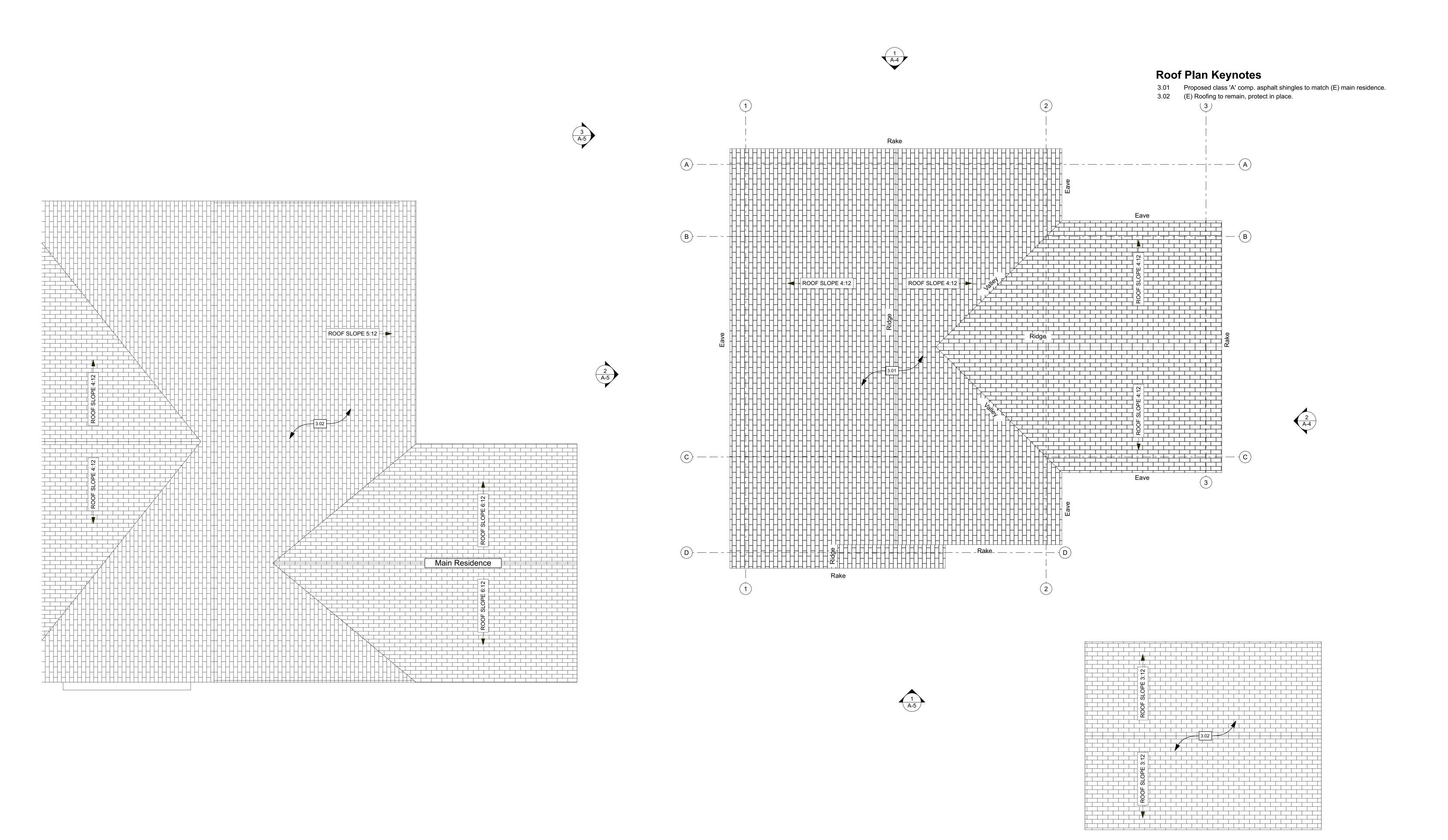
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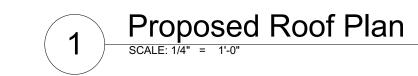
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Proposed Roof Plan

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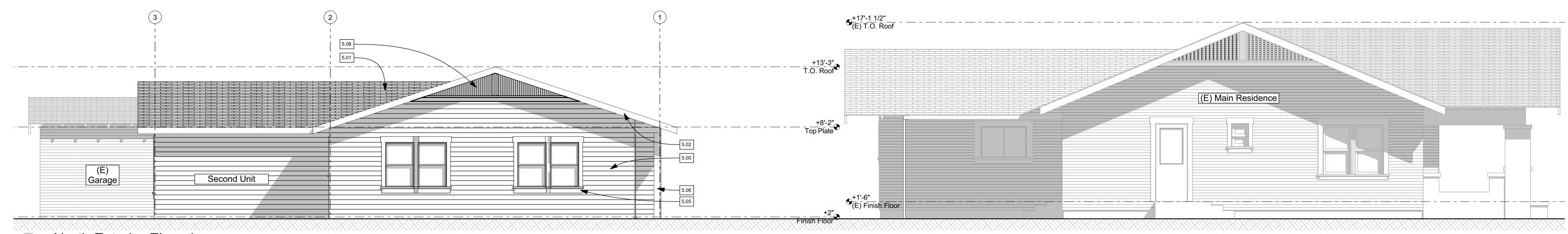
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Exterior Elevation Keynotes

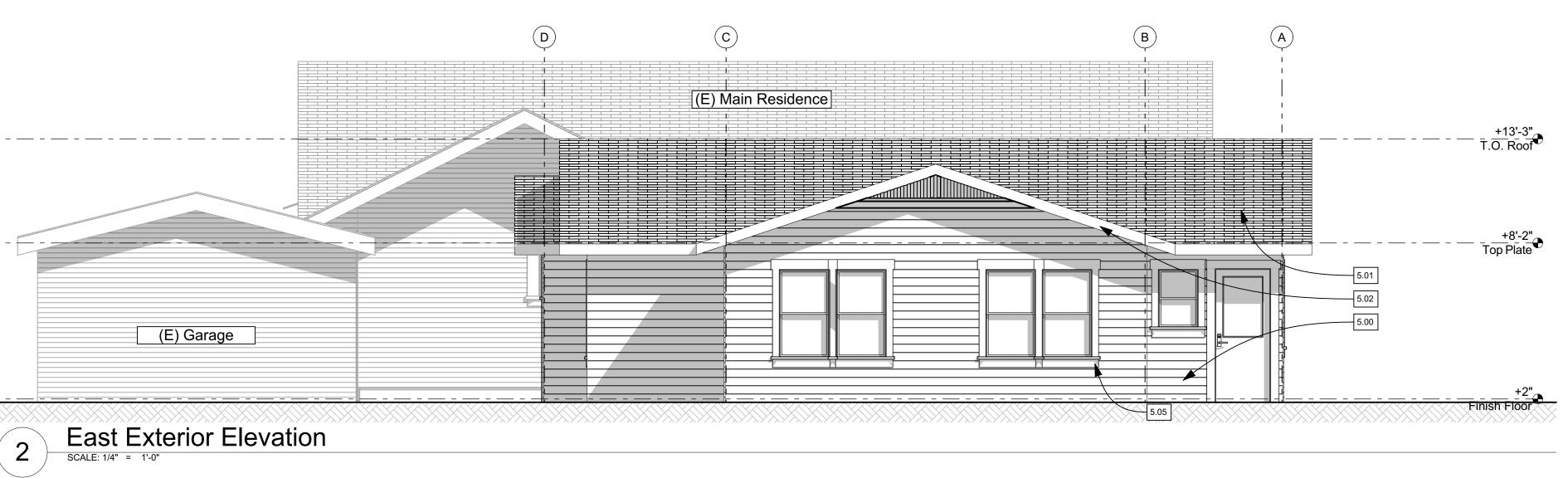
- 5.00 Fiber cement lapped plank siding w/ 5" exposure.
- Proposed class 'A' comp. asphalt shingles to match (E) main residence.
- 5.02 2"x8" fascia board over roof eave and rake.
- Wood trim around single hung window. Extend profiled head trim beyond jamb on both sides,
- 5.06 6x wood column paint to match horizontal wood siding. 5.08 Gable roof vent. Equally spaced vertical 2x wood trim boards over bug screen similar to (E)



North Exterior Elevation

SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

Note: Paint color to be determined by owner.



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Proposed Exterior Elevations

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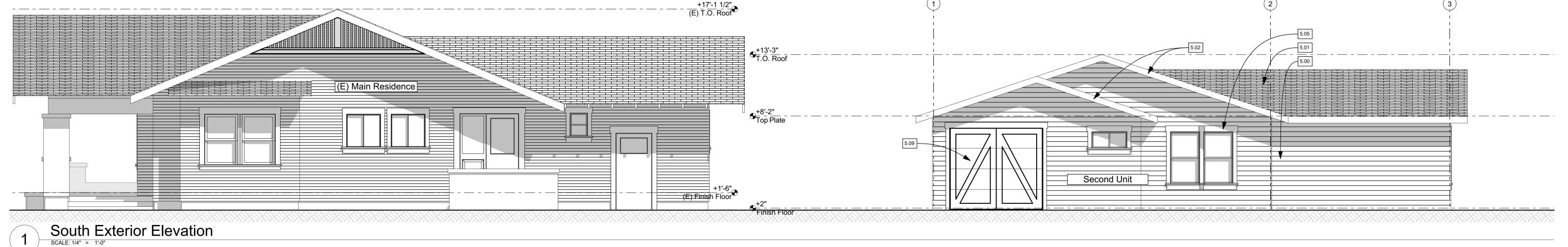
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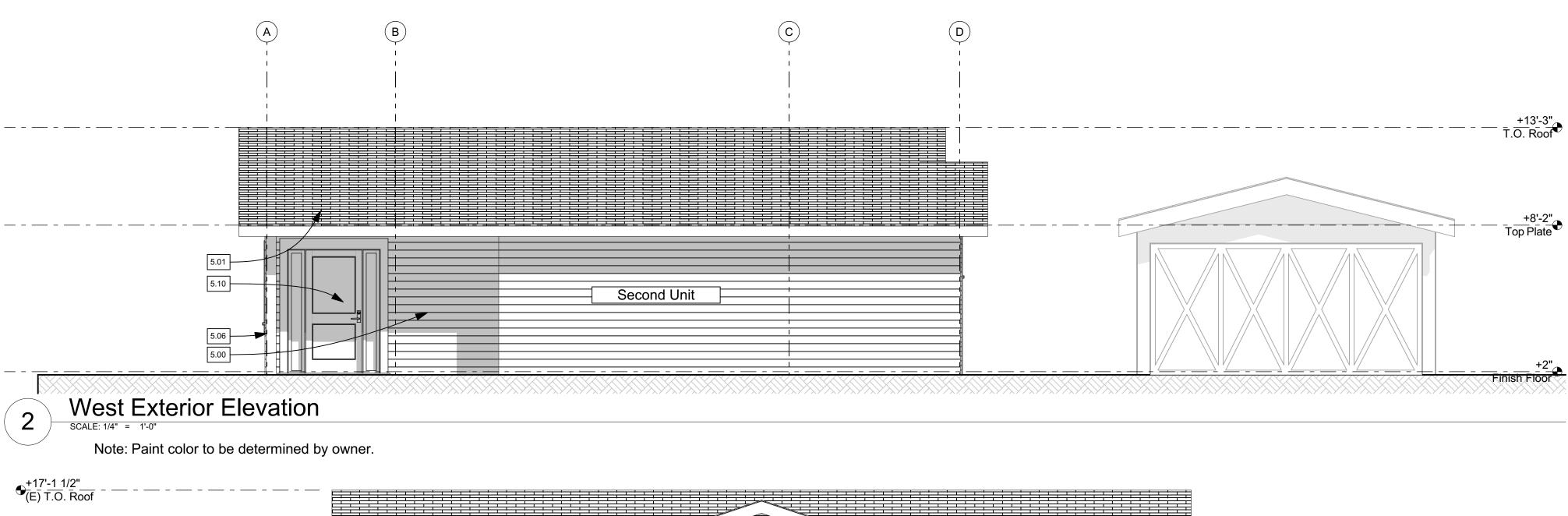
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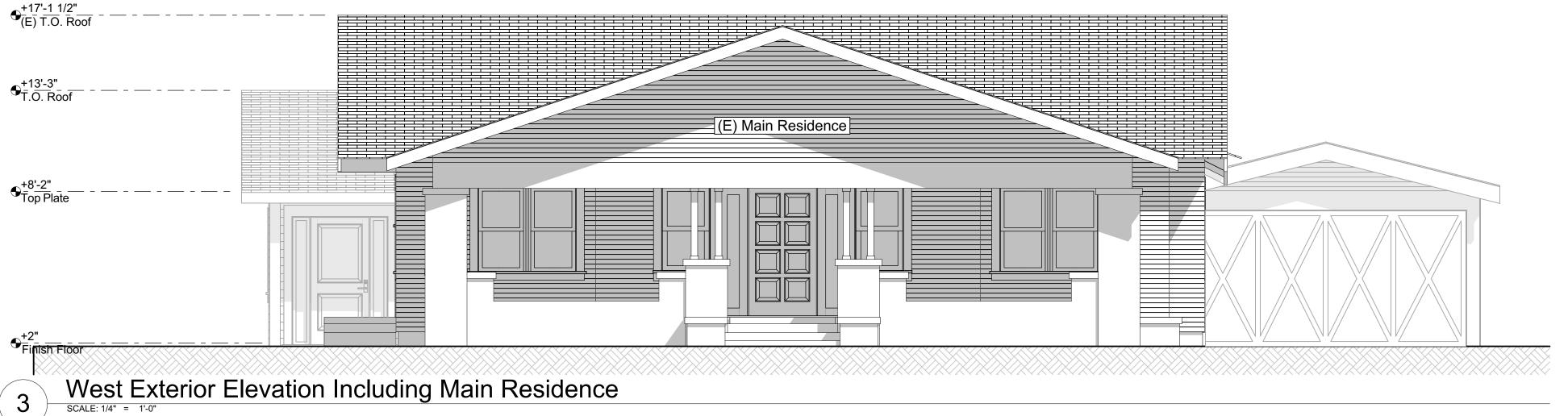
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- 6x wood column paint to match horizontal wood siding.
- 8'x7' Sectional roll up garage with carriage panel door.
- 5.10 3'x6'-9" Front door with 1'x6'-9" flanking sidelites.



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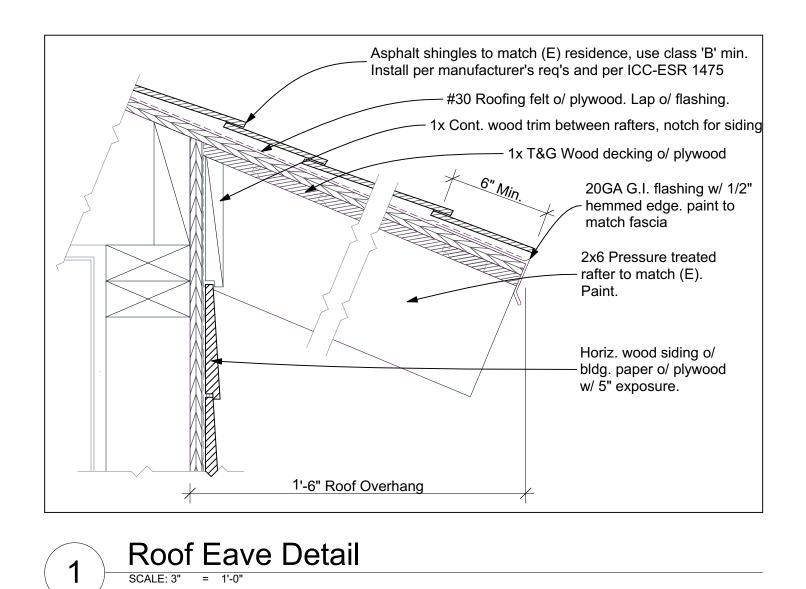
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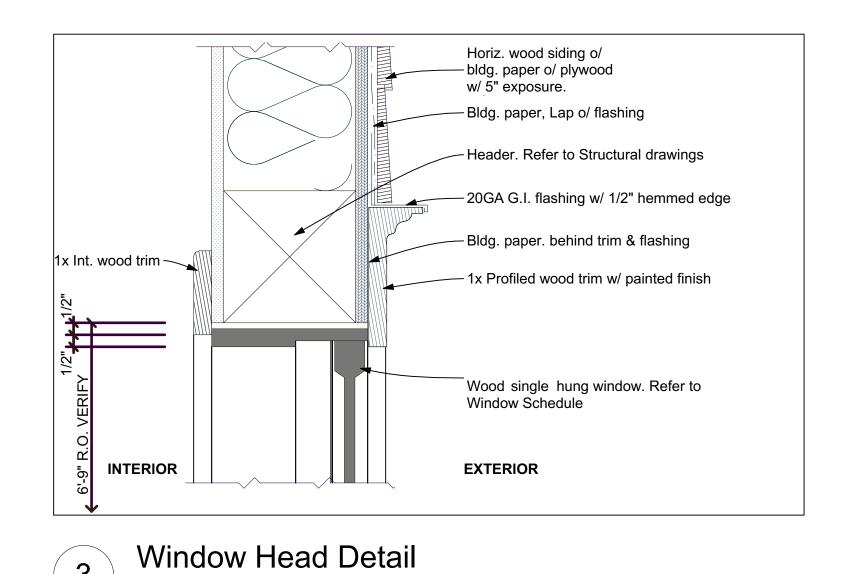
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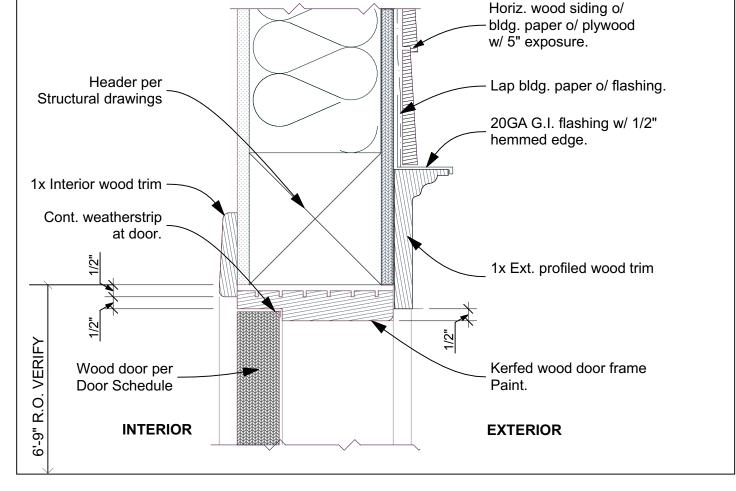
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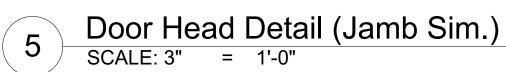
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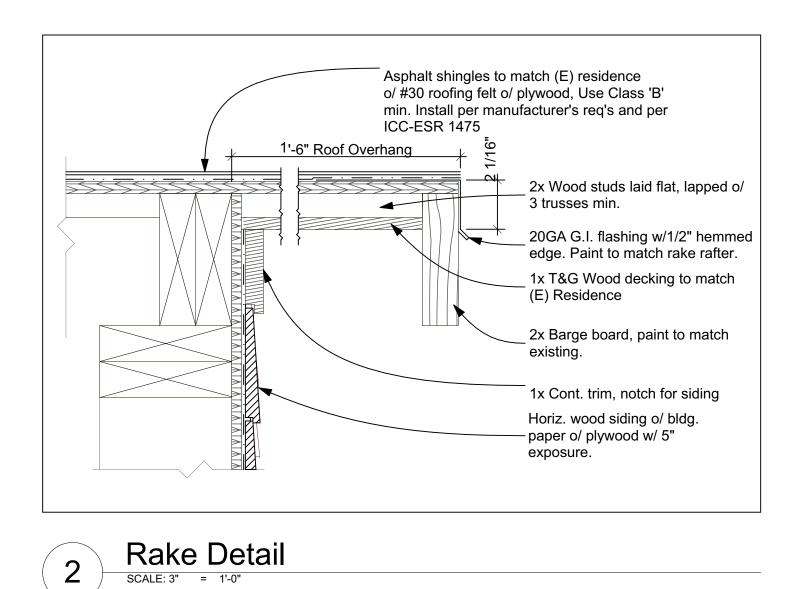


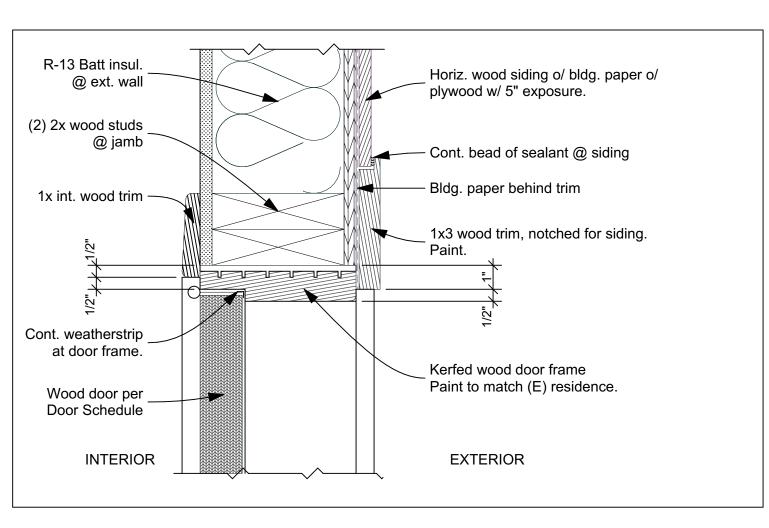


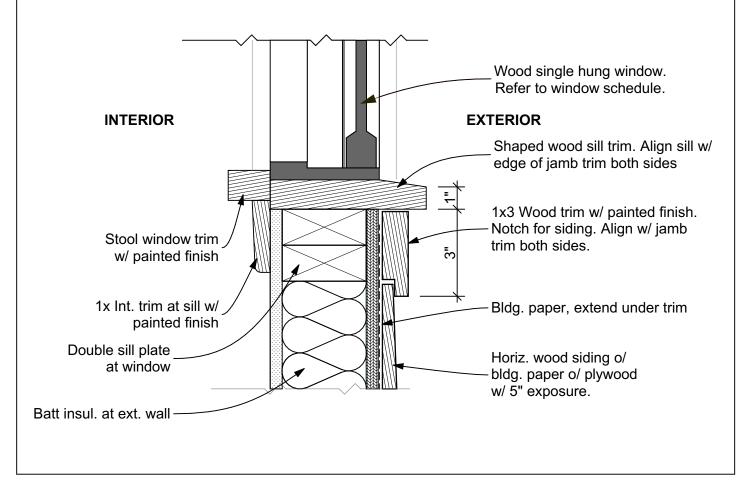
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Exterior Details

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3 View from South Looking North
SCALE: 1:0.80





2 View from Southwest Looking Northeast SCALE: 1:0.80







Perspective Renderings

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Northwest Street View



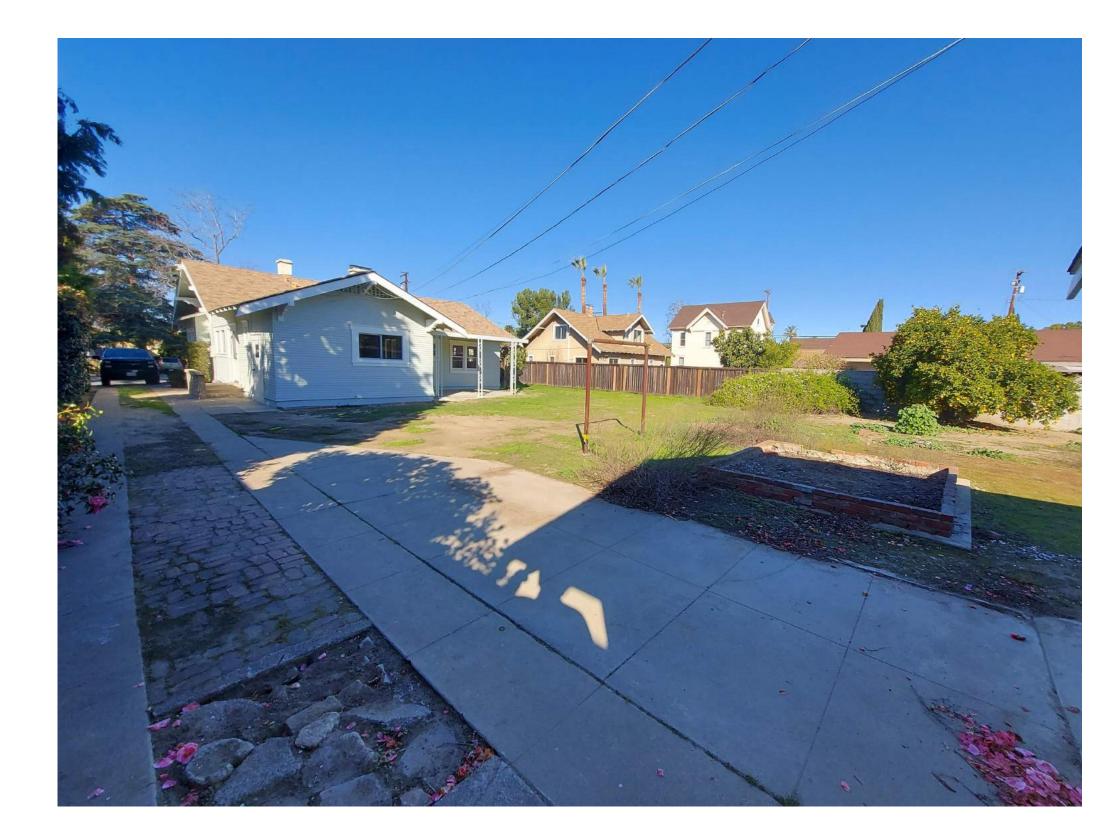
Main Residence Entry Street View



Main Residence Driveway Southwest View



Main Residence Driveway Southeast View



Southeast Garage View



Northwest Backyard View



Existing Site Photos

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30-159937 Primary # State of California - The Resources Agency HRI# 039304 **DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION** ORA **Trinomial** PRIMARY RECORD **NRHP Status Code** 1 D Other Listings: **Review Code:** Reviewer: Date: Page 1 of 3 GRAND S 529 APN 390-103-25 *Resource Name or #: (Assigned by Recorder) P1. Other Identifier: ✓ Unrestricted *P2. Location: Not for Publication *a. County: Orange and (P2b and P2c or P2d. Attach a location map as necessary.) *b. USGS 7.5' Quad: Date: ; R___; ___ R.M. 1/4 of Sec 529 -S GRAND ST ,# 92866 c. Address: City: Orange d. UTM: (Give more than one for large and/or linear resources) Zone mE/ mN e. Other Locational Data: *P3a. Description: (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, alterations, size, setting, and boudnaries. Continues on Pg.3.) Materials: Frame - Wood siding A single-story bungalow with clapboard siding and shallow-pitched, multi-gabled roof. The full width of the front façade is articulated by a large, front-facing gable with extends forward to form a full-width porch. The gable is supported by ornamental concrete piers on the outer edges and half piers with wood posts on top on the inner portion near the entry. Ornamental exposed beams characterize the eaves around the hous *P3b. Resource Attributes: (HP2) -- Single family property (List attributes and codes) ✓ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ✓ Element of District ☐ District ☐ Other (Isolates, etc.) *P4. Resources Present: P5b. Description of Photo: 2005 (View, date, accession #) *P6. Date Constructed/ Age and Source: 1916 Prehistoric Both ✓ Historic *P7. Owner and Address: *P8: Recorded by: (Name, affiliation, and address) D. Gest, P. LaValley, D. Matsumoto Chattel Architecture 13417 Ventura Blvd. Sherman Oaks, CA 91423 *P9. Date Recorded: *P11. Report Citation: (Cite survey report and other sources, or enter "none.") May, 2005 Orange County Assessor Records (2005). Chattel Architecture (2005) Historic Resources Survey. AEGIS (1991) Historic Building Inventory *P10. Survey Type: (Describe) Update. Heritage Orange County, Inc. (1982) Orange Historic Survey. Reconnaissance ✓ Continuation Sheet(s) ✓ Building, Structure, and Object Record *Attachments: NONE Location Map Linear Feature Record Milling Station Record Rock Art Record Archaeological Record District Record Photograph Record Other (List): Artifact Record DPR 523A (1/95) *Required Information

| State of California - The DEPARTMENT OF PARK BUILDING, STRUCT | · · | Primary # HRI # *NRHP Status Code | 30-159937 039304 1D | | | | | | |
|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Page 2 of 3 B1. Historic Name: Car | *Resource Name or #: (Assigned by Recorder) | GRAND_S_529APN_ | _390-103-25 | | | | | | |
| B2. Common Name: | T and Boloma Golin House | | | | | | | | |
| B3. Original Use: | RES B4. Present Use: R | ŒS | | | | | | | |
| *B5. Architectural Style: | Craftsman Bungalow | | | | | | | | |
| *B6. Construction History: (Construction date, atterations, and date of alterations) Date of Construction: 1916 W Historic Prehistoric Both | | | | | | | | | |
| *B7. Moved? ✓ No ☐ Y | es Unknown Date: | Original Location: | | | | | | | |
| *B8. Related Features: | | | | | | | | | |
| *B9. Architect or Builder: | Orange Contracting & Milling C | o. (Architect/ Bui | lder) | | | | | | |
| *B10. Significance: The | eme: Architecture Area: C | ity of Orange Pro | pperty Type: Residence | | | | | | |
| Period of Significance: | Old Towne: Early Settlement (c. | 1870 - 1920) | Applicable Criteria: AC | | | | | | |
| , | corical or architectural context as defined by theme, period | | | | | | | | |
| | od Condition - No apparent chan | ge to original str | ucture. | | | | | | |
| Site Integrity: | | | | | | | | | |
| Opportunities: Appears eligible both individually and as a district contributor. | | | | | | | | | |
| The house was one of several featured in a circa 1920 promotional brochure put out by the Orange Contracting & Milling Company. The house was originally owned by Carl and Bertha Jorn. Mr. Jorn started an insurance business and was an agent for the Oliver Typewriter Company. He also had the distinction of building the Jorn Block in 1909 which is still located in the downtown Plaza District. Mr. Jorn, during his day, was one of the leading merchants and businessmen in Orange. | | | | | | | | | |
| B11. Additional Resource | Attributes: (List attributes and codes) | | | | | | | | |
| *B12. References: Orange Daily News."E | eautiful Orange Homes" brochure | (1920c, p.32) Ora | nge Contracting & Milling Company. | | | | | | |
| B13. Remarks: (Continues on Status change since | | | (Sketch Map with North arrow required.) | | | | | | |
| *B14. Evaluator: | Robert Chattel | | | | | | | | |
| *Date of Evaluation: | | | | | | | | | |
| (This space reserved for official comments.) | | | | | | | | | |
| DPR 523B (1/95) | | *Required Information | | | | | | | |

State of California - The Resources Agency **DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION CONTINUATION SHEET**

Primary # HRI# **Trinomial**

Description of Photo:

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GRAND S 529 APN 390-103-25

Recorded by:

D. Gest, P. LaValley, D. Matsumoto

Chattel Architecture 13417 Ventura Blvd. Sherman Oaks, CA 91423 Date Recorded: May, 2005

✓ Continuation

Update

Years Surveyed:

General Plan:

Planning Zone:

Lot Acre:

1982, 1991, 2005

1997 Listed in National Register:

LMDR

of Buildings:

1

1

R-2-6

of Stories:

0.2687

Principal Building Sqft:

1561

of Units:

B6. Construction History (Continued from Pg.2):

B13. Remarks (Continued from Pg.2):

P3a. Description (Continued from Pg.1):

DPR 523L (11/98) *Required Information

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