

# HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

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## IDENTIFICATION

1. Common name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Historic name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Street or rural address: 7201 Church Street  
 City Gilroy Zip 95020 County Santa Clara
4. Parcel number: 79900912
5. Present Owner: Josephine Lopez Address: 7201 Church Street  
 City Gilroy Zip 95020 Ownership is: Public \_\_\_\_\_ Private
6. Present Use: Residence Original use: Residence

## DESCRIPTION

- 7a. Architectural style: Queen Anne
- 7b. Briefly describe the present *physical appearance* of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition.  
 The site consists of a large, rambling wooden structure one story tall with a slightly raised basement. The residence exhibits a large truncated hipped roof which is punctuated by pedimental shaped gables. An extremely large wrap around veranda adds immeasurably to the structure's design qualities. Large squared posts support the veranda. Moderate sized ship lap siding sheaths the building. End boards panels, fish scale shingles, molded cornices, brackets and dentils all add to the enrichment of the building's exterior surfaces. A tiny metal mansard trim covers an angled bay window. Two oriel vents accent gable faces between the pedimental returns. Fenestration is simple, double hung and rectangular in shape with vertical orientation. The building sits on a large corner lot with impressive mature landscaping.



8. Construction date:  
 Estimated 1880 Factual \_\_\_\_\_
9. Architect Unknown
10. Builder Unknown
11. Approx. property size (in feet) 100 150  
 Frontage \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_  
 or approx. acreage \_\_\_\_\_
12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s)  
Mar. 1986

13. Condition: Excellent \_\_\_ Good  Fair \_\_\_ Deteriorated \_\_\_ No longer in existence: \_\_\_

14. Alterations: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary). Open land \_\_\_ Scattered buildings \_\_\_ Densely built-up   
Residential  Industrial \_\_\_ Commercial \_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Threats to site: None known  Private development \_\_\_ Zoning \_\_\_ Vandalism \_\_\_  
Public Works project \_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Is the structure: On its original site?  Moved? \_\_\_ Unknown? \_\_\_

18. Related features: \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNIFICANCE**

19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)

The significance of the structure is due in large measure to the size, condition and architectural style. The building is one of the top dozen or so Victorians remaining in the city.

20. Main theme of the historic resource: (If more than one is checked, number in order of importance.)  
Architecture 1 Arts & Leisure \_\_\_\_\_  
Economic/Industrial \_\_\_ Exploration/Settlement \_\_\_\_\_  
Government \_\_\_ Military \_\_\_\_\_  
Religion \_\_\_ Social/Education \_\_\_\_\_

21. Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates).

A Field Guide to American Houses  
McAlister

Sanborn Map 1888, 1906, 1926

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