

OREGON CITY HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM

Street Address: 1108-1108 1/2 6TH ST				City: OREGON CITY	
USGS Quad Name: Oregon City			GPS Latitude: 45 21 11 N		Longitude: 122 36 04 W
Township: 02S	Range: 02E	Section: 31	Block: 159	Lot: 1x, 2x	Map #: 22E31DA Tax Lot #: 300
Date of Construction: c. 1925		Historic Name: Vonderahe, Frank and Minnie, House		Historic Use or Function: Domestic - single dwelling	
Grouping or Cluster Name: NA		*Current Name or Use: Domestic - duplex		Associated Archaeological Site: Unknown	
Architectural Classification(s): Mediterranean			Plan Type/Shape: Rectangle		Number of Stories: 1.0
Foundation Material: Concrete			Structural Framing: Unknown		Moved? No
Roof Type/Material: Flat / Built-up			Window Type/Material: 8- and 10-pane casement		
Exterior Surface Materials Primary: Stucco			Secondary:		Decorative:
Exterior Alterations or Additions/Approximate Date: Shed in rear					
Number and Type of Associated Resources: Carpport (1)					
Integrity: Good		Condition: Fair		Local Ranking: Designated Historic Site	National Register Listed? No
Potentially Eligible: <input type="checkbox"/> Individually or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> As a contributing resource in a district Not Eligible: <input type="checkbox"/> Intact but lacks distinction <input type="checkbox"/> Altered (choose one): <input type="checkbox"/> Reversible/Potentially eligible individually or in district <input type="checkbox"/> Reversible/Ineligible as it lacks distinction <input type="checkbox"/> Irretrievable loss of integrity <input type="checkbox"/> Not 50 years old					
Description of Physical and Landscape Features:					
<p>This one story duplex is a modest interpretation of the Mediterranean style, with a stucco façade and decorative terra cotta ornament over the central entry to the duplex on the north side. The building is a symmetrical composition, with the central entry flanked by sets of four ten-pane casement windows with narrow trim molding. Aside from these windows, the other windows in the building are eight-pane casement sashes in the northern half and 1/1 double-hung wood sashes in the southern half. The building features a flat parapet with louvered vents on the north façade, except over the entry which has a gabled parapet, and large rectangular chimneys on the east and west sides. Just south of these chimneys on each side are recessed porches that provide a rear access to the two rental units. The porches have corrugated steel roofs and plain wood balustrades.</p>					
Statement of Significance:					
<p>This house is significant for its architecture, one of only a few Mediterranean style buildings in Oregon City. This house is one of a set of three, the others located at 9th and J.Q. Adams and 9th and Jackson. The house is also associated with Minnie J. Vonderahe, who was an early owner of the house, which has always been used as a duplex. After Vonderahe sold the property in 1944, it changed hands often until 1948 when Jo and Hulda Foley bought the property. A member of the Foley family lived in the house through the rest of the historic period, with renters in the unit at 1108 1/2. The Foley family sold the property in 1968.</p>					

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