

WICHITA FALLS CULTURAL RESOURCES SURVEY
WICHITA COUNTY HERITAGE SOCIETY
SURVEY FORM

NAME OF SITE: _____ ADDRESS: 808 5th

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision Original Townsite Block 126 Lot 8 & 9

PRESENT OWNER: Charles Reed

and MAILING ADDRESS: 806 5th

CATEGORY: District _____ Building X Structure _____ Site _____ Object _____

ORIGINAL USE: residence PRESENT USE residence ~~ZONING~~

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: One-story wood frame residence; ell shape with intersecting gable roof; 1/1 windows with molded architraves; capped cornerboards; single entrance at end of ell-porch; turned porch supports; single chimney.

MATERIALS: wall wood frame roof wood shingle

CONDITION OF EXTERIOR: good

ALTERATIONS/ADDITIONS: Minor: asbestos shingles in gable.

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE/TYPE AND SIGNIFICANCE: Most intact example of house type remaining in Wichita Falls.

SIGNIFICANT PERSONS AND EVENTS ASSOCIATED WITH SITE: Research in city directories indicates house was built 1918 but it could be earlier.

RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: In mixed use and declining area between downtown and residential area.

CURRENT TAX ASSESSMENTS:

Year	Land	Improvements	Total
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

PRESENT DESIGNATION: _____

RECOMMENDED DESIGNATION: National Register ___ Registered Texas Landmark ___
Local Landmark ___

If within a district: Significant ___ Contributing ___ Compatible ___ Intrusion ___

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OTHER COMMENTS/OBSERVATIONS: See research sheet.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

PHOTO DATA: Roll 6 Frame 11

RECORDED BY: Ellen Beasley Date March, 1982

Much of the information above may be transferred directly to survey cards of the Texas Historical Commission. The following information would need to be added, using the THC computer codes, to complete the State cards:

COUNTY: _____ PERIOD: _____
CITY: _____ STYLE: _____
DATE: _____ THEME: _____
CODED SITE NUMBER: _____

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Research sheet: Survey of the City of Wichita Falls

806 5th

Name of property:

Address: 808 5th

City Tax #: 0020-124 Addition: 07

Block: 126 Lot: 849

Present Owner: Charles Ryd
and address: 806 5th 01

Year of construction: 1919 (as estimated in the city tax records)
1918 (first listed in the City Directory)
(estimated from deed or tax records)
(other sources -)

Chain of title:

Owner	Volume	Page	Date of transaction	Price	Other
First part missing					
Rowena Robertson, Dec'd		will 29/552	8-31-38		
Lee M. Johnson	495	24	1-6-48		
Norman S. Ulen, heir of John Robertson (1/5 interest)	494	583	1-5-49		
Walter L. Robertson (incompetent) by Della Taylor		818 377	11-11-59	\$20,000	
Della Taylor		818 375	1-6-61		
Reba Taylor Larsen		844 278	11-13-61		
Fred Moss		1296 735	8-13-80		27,500

Documentary photographs:

Date:

Source:

Other information about the property or the people associated with it:

1918 H.F. Phillips

Sources:

Recorded by:

Date: