

DATA SHEET

Cong. Dist. #7
Hon. Brock Adams

Form 10-300
(Dec. 1968)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE: Washington	
COUNTY: King	
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE
	APR 14 1972

1. NAME

COMMON:
Ellsworth Storey Residences (two homes)

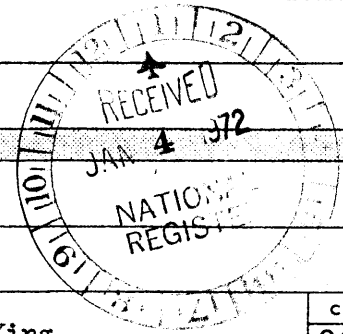
AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
260 and 270 Dorffel Drive E.

CITY OR TOWN:
Seattle, 98102

STATE: Washington CODE: 53 COUNTY: King CODE: 033



3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/>
Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/>	Restricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Object <input type="checkbox"/>	Both <input type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>	Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/>
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>	Comments <input type="checkbox"/>
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>	

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNERS NAME:
#260 - Dr. Charlotte Astley #270 - Mr. Victor Steinbrueck

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: Seattle STATE: Washington CODE: 53 46

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:
King County Auditor's Office

STREET AND NUMBER:
County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN: Seattle STATE: Washington CODE: 53 46

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: .5

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:
Municipal Art Commission List of Historic Buildings

DATE OF SURVEY: 1968 Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
Municipal Art Commission

STREET AND NUMBER:
Seattle Municipal Building

CITY OR TOWN: Seattle STATE: Washington CODE: 53 46

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)				
	Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Good <input type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)	
	Altered <input type="checkbox"/>	Unaltered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Moved <input type="checkbox"/>	Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (If known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

These are two frame residences with painted trim and natural dark brown Western Red Cedar shingle siding. There are beach rock stone boxes with chimneys also of this masonry material.

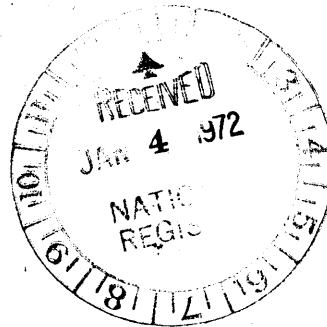
The houses are connected by a garden room with an arched passageway below. The 3-car garage of #270 is worthy of note: with brown fir siding and framing.

Light gray composition shingles are on the low-pitched wide overhang roofs. Originally the roofs were cedar shingled, but the pitch was too low to prevent rapid deterioration.

Porch decks have been added later by architect Victor Steinbrueck.

The homes are well maintained although the yard of #270 is quite casual.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian 16th Century 18th Century 20th Century
 15th Century 17th Century 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) 1902 to present

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	Political	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban Planning	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/>	Religion/Phi-	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/>	Invention	<input type="checkbox"/>	Science	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
Art	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Landscape	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sculpture	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/>	Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/>	Social/Human-	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
Communications	<input type="checkbox"/>	Literature	<input type="checkbox"/>	itarian	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
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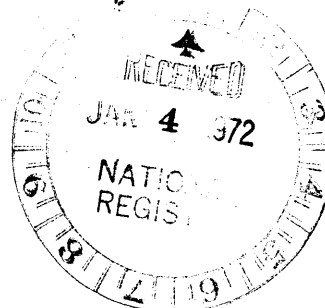
STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

Ellsworth Storey much admired the architect Frank Lloyd Wright. These homes show a style slightly derivative of Swiss chalets as well as of architect Wright. #260 was Mr. Storey's own residence and the one at #270 was built for his father and mother, both in 1902. These houses are a prime example of Mr. Storey's work, being the first houses that he did after graduating from the University of Illinois. They are a fine example of residential design appropriate to the Puget Sound region. They use native materials and appropriate forms and roofs to fit well into the hillside landscape.

Original and decorative detailing of all woodwork and especially of the wooden windows gives these houses a pleasant quality and appropriate scale. The houses are well composed together and the forms are highly successful. Although the larger house is almost twice the size of the smaller one, it does not dominate it. The highly decorative wooden windows are particularly typical of Mr. Storey's work. The well-weathered cedar shingle exteriors are still an inspiration to today's builders.

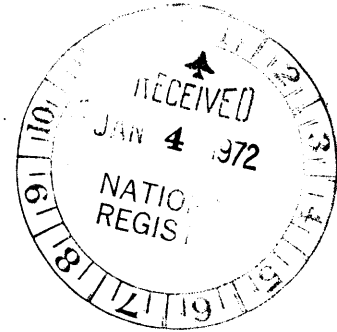
The interiors are not equal to the exteriors, although very well planned. Only the fireplaces and stair railings have the design quality of the exteriors. Interiors are entirely plastered except for some remodeling in #270.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Research and notes by Victor Steinbrueck, A.I.A.



10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY			O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE		
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LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:
Victor Steinbrueck, A.I.A.

ORGANIZATION: American Institute of Architects, Seattle Chapter DATE: Sept., 1969

STREET AND NUMBER:
311¹/₂ Occidental South

CITY OR TOWN: Seattle, 98104 STATE: Washington CODE: 53 ~~46~~

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name: Charles H. Odegaard
Charles H. Odegaard

Title: Director - Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission

Date: _____

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Robert M. Utley
Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date: 4/14/72

ATTEST:
William H. Huntley
Keeper of The National Register

Date: APR 14 1972

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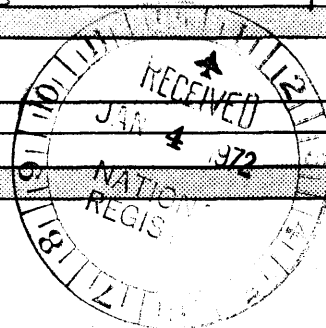
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PROPERTY MAP FORM

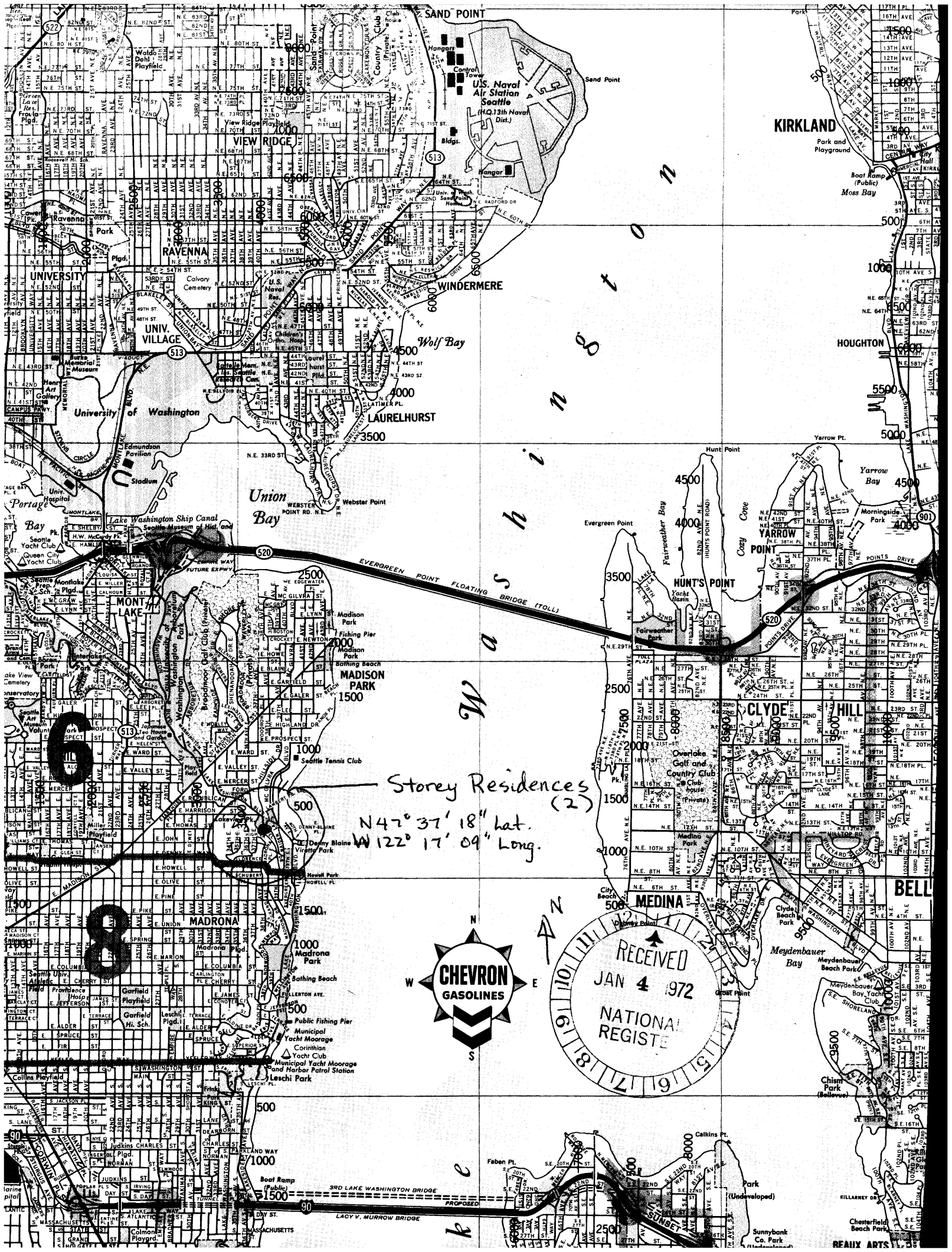
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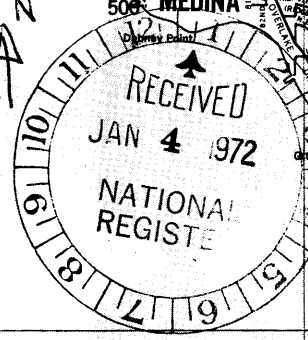
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STATE: Washington	CODE 53	COUNTY: King	CODE 033
3. MAP REFERENCE			
SOURCE: Standard Oil of California			
SCALE: one inch equals ca. 7/10 miles			
DATE: 1970			
4. REQUIREMENTS			
TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS			
1. Property boundaries where required.			
2. North arrow.			
3. Latitude and longitude reference.			





Storey Residences (2)
N 47° 37' 18" Lat.
W 122° 17' 09" Long.



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