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National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

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Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

See Continuation Sheets.

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Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing.)		'Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions) Architecture				
□ A	Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of					
	our history.					
□В	Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.					
☑ C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and						
	distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.	Period of Significance 1906-1930				
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□ D	a cemetery.	Cultural Affiliation N/A				
□ E	a reconstructed building, object, or structure.					
□ F	a commemorative property.					
□ G	less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.	Architect/Builder Listed under "Contributing Buildings" in Section 7				
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Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District Pasadena, Los Angeles County, CA

DESCRIPTION

The Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District includes 84 buildings in a residential area of Northwest Pasadena—roughly bounded by North Los Robles and North El Molino Avenues and Jackson and East Mountain Streets—developed as part of the Orange Heights and Barnhart tract subdivisions. Of the district's 84 buildings, 61 buildings are contributing resources, primarily Craftsman bungalows constructed in the first ten years following the 1906 subdivision of the Orange Heights tract. All of the contributing buildings in the district were constructed as single-family residences, with the exception of one duplex and a four-unit bungalow court. The district is complemented by a distinctive streetscape with northern vistas of the San Gabriel Mountains, elevated lots, generous, uniform, and landscaped building setbacks, arroyo stone and concrete retaining walls, and closely-spaced rows of mature street trees. Very few of the buildings have been significantly altered and the streetscape remains intact; the district is largely unchanged from its appearance during its period of significance, 1906-1930.

The predominant building form of the district is the bungalow—at its simplest a small and low, wood-frame, vernacular building with a rectangular or square open plan and gable roof—and is indicative of the middle-class single-family housing produced in Pasadena during the American Arts and Crafts movement. The buildings of the district are characterized by Arts and Crafts influences in: the use of rustic materials and finishes and simple vernacular-inspired detailing and ornamentation; the incorporation of "outdoor rooms," such as porches, terraces, balconies, and gardens, as well as the use of large and/or banked windows to capture views of the outside; and the expression of a definitive horizontality in the relationship of the building to the site, emphasized by low foundations, wide roofs with overhanging eaves, differentiation in building materials between stories (and gable ends), proportions of door and window openings and banking of windows, and the use of porches, terraces, pergolas, and porte-cocheres.

Fifty of the 61 contributing buildings were constructed in the ten-years following the 1906 subdivision of the Orange Heights Tract. These buildings include high- and low-style examples and typify the mature period of the American Arts and Crafts movement, in which the total architectural integration of Arts and Crafts ideals and high standards of craftsmanship are evident in building form and characteristics, stylistic treatments, and detailing. Other contributing buildings, particularly those constructed after World War I, still illustrate Arts and Crafts influences, though largely reduced to a modest treatment of a simplified stylistic motif with a few characteristic Arts and Crafts elements.

Fifty-three of the 61 contributing buildings in the district are examples of the Craftsman-style bungalow—most commonly one-and-a-half stories with a regular plan and a wide, side-facing, gable roof with a full-front recessed porch and central front-gabled dormer; other examples also include one- and two-story buildings with a regular plan and typically either a low-pitched, side-facing gable roof with a small front-gabled porch, or a low-pitched, front-facing, gable roof with a separate, offset, front-gabled porch. The district includes mature and evolving examples, both architect- and builder-designed, of these Craftsman bungalow forms and such variations as the two-story chalet and the "airplane" bungalow. In addition to the 53 Craftsman bungalows, the district also includes eight other

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contributing buildings, all with Arts and Crafts influences: three examples of turn-of-the-century transitional buildings incorporating Craftsman elements; three examples of the one-story Colonial Revival bungalow, also with Craftsman elements; one example of the massed-plan variation of the Prairie style; and one example of a Mission Revival-inspired building.

Craftsman stylistic elements typical of the district include: wide, low- to medium- pitched gable roofs (sometimes peaked or flared); arroyo stone porches and foundations; heavy timber framing and joinery, particularly for gable-ends and porches; open porches, either full-front recessed or with an offset separate porch gable; arroyo stone, brick, or stucco-over-brick (often elephantine) porch piers with/without wood columns or posts (sometimes cased, elephantine, or grouped); porches with masonry, sided, or shingled half-walls or wood railings; broad steps leading to wide entries with paneled doors (sometimes with divided-light transoms) and sidelights; large fixed-pane picture windows with divided-light or leaded-glass transoms; banks of double-hung windows with multi-pane upper sashes and casement windows with divided-light transoms; plain, flush, wide-board trim and extended headers; large front-gabled dormers (some with flat-arched openings); sleeping porches; pergolas; planter boxes on windows, balconies, and porches; porte-cocheres; arroyo stone (often battered-wall) or brick chimneys; wood shingles or horizontal wood siding (often with wood shingles on upper-stories, gable-ends, and dormers); battered walls and drip courses; extended (and sometimes swept) eaves with exposed (often shaped, flared, or notched) rafter tails; exposed (often braced) beam ends; and latticed, vertical-slat, or saw-cut gable vents.

Seventeen of the contributing buildings in the district (fifteen residences and one two-building bungalow court) were constructed by accomplished, local Craftsman builder D. M. Renton—the largest collection of his buildings in Pasadena. George F. Thompson, the developer of the Orange Heights tract, also constructed several buildings in the district. Only six of the contributing buildings are architect-designed, including the work of local architects Cyril Bennett, Kenneth A. Gordon, and Sylvanus B. Marston, and Southern California master architect Irving Gill. The other contributing buildings are the work of local builders, including Will A. Taylor, Henry C. Deming, C. M. Hansen, and L. C. Williams.

The following list gives the address, year built, architect/contractor (if known), and a brief architectural description for each contributing building (numbers are keyed to photographs). Contributing accessory structures (e.g., garages) have not been counted, since most are not visible from the street due to grade changes, the depth of lots, and dense landscaping. Also, most of the properties in the district have arroyo stone or concrete retaining walls along the street, which are not individually described as part of this list, but noted at the end of this section under the heading, "Streetscape." The primary source used to document the contributing buildings was the City of Pasadena's Architectural and Historical Inventory forms, prepared as part of Survey #18: Orange Heights (1983). The inventory forms are located in the Design & Historic Preservation archives of the City of Pasadena's Planning Division.

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Contributing Buildings:

1. 524 Herbert Street

Year built: 1909

Builder/Owner: George F. Thompson

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and wide side-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and latticed gable vents. The roof eave extends to cover an offset recessed porch with wood-sided half-walls and supported by two wood posts. The front door, with a divided fixed-pane, and two pairs of casement windows have wide-board trim. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The bank of small casement windows to the left of the porch may be an early alteration. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

2. 531 Herbert Street

Year built: 1921

Builder: Robert L. Davison

A one-story, wood-frame, Colonial Revival bungalow, this modest building has a square plan, symmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low side-gable roof, exposed rafter tails, and diagonal-slat vents. A small, central, cross-gable, pedimented open porch is supported by two columns. The central door with sidelights is flanked by pairs of casement windows with plain trim. The building is clad with narrow-board horizontal wood siding with corner boards. Wood lattice grills and metal security bars are recent alterations.

3. 532 Herbert Street

Year built: 1908

Builder/Owner: A. L. Manning

A one-story, wood-frame, transitional bungalow with Craftsman elements, this modest building has a massed plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and hipped roof with exposed rafter tails. A second-story front-gable dormer is an early alteration (with recent window alteration). The recessed full-front porch has wood-sided half-walls and four wood columns. The central front door is flanked by fixed-pane, transomed, center picture windows with double-hung end windows with divided upper sashes. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the dormer with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

6. 547 Herbert Street

Year built: 1922

Builder: J. Milton Harvey

A one-story, wood-frame, late Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has an L-shaped plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and cross-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and

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vertical-slat gable vents. The central front door, flanked by pairs of divided-light casement windows, is entered by an open terrace. The front-gable end has casement windows. Windows have wide-board trim and molded extended headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

7. 548 Herbert Street

Year built: c.1910, moved 1981

Builder: Unknown

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and double, front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and rectangular roof vents. An offset porch gable is supported by low brick piers and grouped wood posts. The front door is flanked by two transomed picture windows with wide-board trim and extended headers. The building is clad with wood shakes. While moved to the district in 1981 from South Pasadena, this Craftsman bungalow is typical of the building types and architectural styles represented in the district. The original porch had high brick piers with urn-shaped carved wood posts.

8. 460 Jackson Street

Year built: 1906 Builder: D. A. Peters

A one-story, wood-frame, transitional, massed-plan bungalow, this modest building has a symmetrical facade, recessed full-front porch, and a hipped roof with exposed rafter tails. The low wood porch has four wood posts and half-walls clad, like the building, with horizontal wood siding. The central entry door is flanked by two pairs of casement windows (probably an early alteration), all with narrow-board trim. A matching hipped-roof rear extension is visible on the west side of the building (apparently an early alteration). Window security bars are a recent alteration. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

9. 466 Jackson Street

Year built: 1923

Builder: Harry H. Godber

A one-story, wood-frame, late Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and a low, double, front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails, and gable vents of vertical wooden slats. The offset porch gable roof is supported by brick corner piers and grouped wood posts with stick infill. The porch framing extends over the driveway in a pergola/porte-cochere. A front door, centered under the porch gable, separates two double-hung windows, all with extended diagonal-cut headers. The building has a brick chimney and is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding.

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11. 473-475 Jackson Street

Year built: 1912

Builder: Carl H. Gustafson

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this large building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone porch, and side-gable roof with an offset dormer, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and latticed gable vents. The full-front porch is recessed under a swept eave of the primary roof and front-gable roof extension, supported by three stone and tapered wood piers. The stone porch half-walls have arched weep holes. The offset porch half-gable, with a rectangular vent with narrow vertical slats, marks the entry to the porch and balances the gabled dormer. A small portion of the porch which originally wrapped around the west side of the building has been infilled (an early alteration). A central front door with transom and side lights is flanked by a large picture window and a pair of casement windows, with divided lights, flush wide-board trim, and extended headers. The dormer has a bank of three windows, two double-hung separated by a fixed-pane. The house is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable ends and dormer with wood shingles. An outside second-story staircase on the east side of the building is a later alteration. 477 Jackson Street is visible at the rear of the lot.

12. 477 Jackson Street

Year built: 1924 Builder: E. S. Keener

A one-story, wood-frame, late Craftsman bungalow, this modest building (at the rear of 473-475 Jackson Street) has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, and low, double, front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails, and latticed gable vents. A small, offset, porch gable covers an open porch and is supported by plane wood posts. Open framing extends over the driveway in a porte-cochere. A front door and pair of double-hung windows all have extended headers. Recent alterations to the rear of the building are not visible from the street.

13. 485 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: William Strang

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this large building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, brick porch, and side-gable roof with a large, central double-gabled dormer, exposed rafter tails and notched-braced beam ends, and latticed gable vents. The recessed full-front porch has a central entry and brick half-walls and is supported by two brick piers. The main porch beam has a pointed uplift, repeating a motif of the door/window headers. The front door is flanked by a picture window with two double-hung windows and a second door with two double-hung windows, all with flush wide-board trim and unusual pointed headers. The central dormer has recessed doors and windows behind an open sleeping porch. A square bay window is visible on the east side of the building. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The original front door has been replaced and the brick chimney, visible on the east side of the building, has been removed above the roof.

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15. 499 Jackson Street

Year built: 1914

Architect: Cyril Bennett Builder: Charles Urton

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, stucco-over-brick porch and concrete foundation, and low side-gable roof with extended eaves and exposed rafter tails and beam ends. The L-shaped, wrap-around porch has its own central cross-gable roof, supported by elephantine plaster piers with a pair of rounded sleepers. The front door is flanked by a bank of three casement windows and a transomed picture window, all with plain trim and extended headers. The upper half of the house is clad with random-width wood shingles while the lower half with square wood shingles. The stucco-over-brick chimney has a decorative built-up chimney cap. The porch has been partially enclosed (infilled) with casement windows.

18. 510 Jackson Street

Year built: 1930

Builder: J. Milton Harvey

A one-story, wood-frame, Colonial Revival bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, and side-gable roof. The central entry is marked by a small cross-gable pediment, supported by two plain pilasters which frame the front door, divided sidelights, and fan light. The door is flanked by a large double-hung window on one side and a pair of small double-hung windows on the other, all multi-pane with molded trim. The building is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was probably wood shingles.

19. 517 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: Thomas J. Hampton

A two-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this large modified-chalet has a rectangular plan with a two-story projecting bay, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone porch and foundation, and wide front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and flared braced beam ends. The open porch infills the "L" created by the extended gabled bay and has an open second-story deck with wood railing. The porch is supported by two arroyo stone piers with wood posts. Doors and windows have wide-board trim with extended headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding at the base and staggered-lap wood shingles on the upper stories.

20. 520 Jackson Street

Year built: 1907, altered 1910

Builder/Owner: Will A. Taylor (1907, 1910)

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and side-gable roof with center front cross-gable, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends, and gable vents with vertical boards with cut-out slats. The second story, added in 1910, overhangs the

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sides of the building and is supported by large beam ends. An offset porch with its own front gable roof that extends on either side with shed-roofed projections (early alterations, c.1910s) is supported by two elephantine stucco piers. The front door is flanked by French doors and a large picture window with transom. The second story has two groups of three casement windows separated by a narrow rectangular window, all with extended headers. Except for stucco on the upper-front facade (recent alteration), the building is clad with horizontal wood siding on the first story and wood shingles on the upper story. Despite these alterations, the majority of the building's original architectural features remain.

21. 525 Jackson Street

Year built: 1919, altered c.1923 Builder: S. Russell Johnson (1919)

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and low front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and beam ends and slotted gable vents. The front portion of the second story is an early alteration. An offset porch has its own front gable roof, supported by two stone piers with wood posts. A large picture window with divided transom and double-hung side lights is to the left of the porch. Second-story double-hung windows are randomly spaced across the front facade and have metal awnings. The building is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding.

22. 530 Jackson Street

Year built: 1922

Architect: attrib. Kenneth A. Gordon Builder: J. H. Woodworth and Son

A one-story, wood-frame, transitional Colonial Revival bungalow, this unusual building has a T-shaped plan (the spine of the "T" parallels the street) and a cross-gable roof with extended eaves and exposed rafter tails and beam ends. An entry door with a brick stoop is recessed in the intersection of the "T" plan, adjacent a bank of divided-light casement windows. The front gable end has a large central brick chimney flanked by two banks of three divided-light casement windows and two small gable attic vents. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

23. 535 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: Annie Oldershaw

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone porch and foundation, and wide side-gable roof with a double front-gable dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and latticed gable vents. A recessed full-front porch is supported by elephantine stone piers and wood posts. The main porch beam is curved at the porch supports. The porch has a central entry and stone half-walls with arched weep holes. A central front door is flanked by a series of divided-light double-hung windows, all with battered side-board trim with extended pointed and angled-cut headers. The dormers each have a pair of double-hung windows with a multi-pane,

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divided-light upper sash and the same trim motif. The two dormers are separated by an open balcony with a planter box and a recessed shed-roof dormer. The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

24. 540 Jackson Street

Year built: 1911 Builder: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this is one of the several buildings in the district by noted Craftsman builder D. M. Renton. The building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and a side-gable roof with a central gabled dormer, extended eaves, and exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends. A pergola extend along the front of the building, supported by plain wood posts. The main beam has cloud-lift notched ends. A small flat roof has been added to the pergola above the central front door (apparently an early alteration) which is flanked by a series of casement windows, all with plain-board trim and extended headers. The small gabled dormer has two attic windows. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, flared at the base, while the dormer is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

27. 555 Jackson Street

Year built: 1915
Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-story stucco-over-wood-frame building, this large massed-plan residence in the midwestern Prairie style is an unusual departure for Craftsman builder D. M. Renton. The building has a square plan, symmetrical facade, and hipped roof with exposed rafter tails and a central, small, arched attic vent. A unusual full-front open porch is supported by Tuscan columns and extends over the driveway to form a porte-cochere. The porch has an open second-story deck with a railing of closely-spaced vertical slats and square wood posts. The front door with sidelights is flanked by two large picture windows, each flanked by a pair of casement windows. Upper-story banks of casement windows have divided-light transoms. The building has a smooth stucco finish. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

28. 567 Jackson Street

Year built: 1911 Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman building, this large residence built by D. M. Renton is one of the outstanding buildings in the district. The building has a square plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and wide front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails, paired, notched-and-pegged, braced beams, and vertical-slat gable vents. A full-front, shed-roofed, wrap-around porch extends across the front of the building and along the east side, supported by elephantine stone piers with concrete caps. A large front gable on the porch marks the entry. The front door has a pair of side lights and is flanked by picture windows with divided-light transoms. Upper-story banks of casement windows all have divided-light transoms, plain-board trim, and

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extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles. A porte-coochere, an extension of the porch over the driveway, has been removed. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

29. 577 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910 Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman chalet, this residence was constructed by D. M. Renton. The building has a rectangular plan, brick foundation, an asymmetrical facade with offset porch, and a low-pitch front-gable with extended eaves, exposed rafter ends and beam ends, and latticed attic vents. The flat-roofed porch with a second-story deck extends over the driveway as a porte-cochere and is supported by brick piers and wood piers. The porch deck has a horizontal-board railing. An attached pergola is visible on the east side of the building. Doors and windows have divided-light transoms and extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles.

30. 589 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910 Builder: D. M. Renton

An unusual two-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman chalet, this extraordinary house was constructed by Craftsman builder D. M. Renton. The building has a large rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low-pitched side-gable roof with a wide shed-roof-dormer and exposed rafter tails. A full-front porch with an open second-story deck is supported by four square columns. Both porch and deck have railings of closely-spaced boards with wood posts. The front door is flanked by side lights and multi-pane French doors, also with side lights. The upper story has a series of French doors and casement windows with divided-light transoms. The wide, central, shed-roof dormer has a bank of divided-light casement windows on all four sides. The building is clad with wood shingles and has no visible alterations.

31. 601 Jackson Street

Year built: 1912

Architect: DeForrest Howry Builder/Owner: Home Builders

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this large building has a rectangular plan with a small projecting second-story bay, asymmetrical facade, and low, triple, front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends, and latticed gable vents. A wide offset porch gable is supported by elephantine stucco-over-brick piers. The front door with side lights is flanked by transomed picture windows; upper-story windows also have divided-light transoms and wide-board trim with extended headers. The building is clad with alternating narrow-wide horizontal wood siding on the first story and wood shingles on the second.

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32. 604 Jackson Street

Year built: 1909 Builder: J. H. Drew

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with exposed rafter ends and vertical-slat gable vents. A full-front recessed porch, with a central cross-gable marking the entry, is supported by stone piers and square wood posts. The front door is flanked by a bank of casement windows with divided-light transoms. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable-ends with wood shingles. The right side of the full-front porch has been screen in. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

34. 611 Jackson Street

Year built: 1922

Builder: F. L. Petrequin

A one-story, wood-frame, Colonial Revival bungalow with Craftsman elements, this small building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and clipped side-gable roof with exposed rafter ends. A central, clipped cross-gable portico, with a flat-arched entry, is supported by paired square columns. A pergola with angled rafter tails and beam ends extends on either side of the porch and forms a porte-cochere on the east side of the building. Divided side lights flank the front door and windows. The building is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

35. 620 Jackson Street

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: George F. Thompson

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this modest building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, and low-pitched front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails, and gable vents with decorative cut-outs typical of Craftsman chalets. An offset porch with front gable is supported by two, elephantine, stucco-over-brick piers. The front door is flanked by a bank of fixed-pane and casement windows, with plain-board trim and an extended header stretching across the entire front of the building.

36. 630 Jackson Street

Year built: 1909 Builder: Will A. Taylor

Owner: George F. Thompson

A one-and-one-half-story transitional bungalow with Craftsman elements, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and a wide side-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter ends, and a cross-gable projecting bay. A recessed porch is covered by a swept eave and supported by arroyo stone piers with wood posts. Grouped casement windows have diamond-paned transoms, with plain-board trim and slightly-extended headers. The building is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding with wood-shingled gable walls. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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37. 1034 N. Los Robles Avenue

Year built: 1906 Builder: D. A. Peters

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and wide side-gable roof with a large central dormer and exposed rafter tails. The recessed full-front porch is covered by a swept eave, supported by four stone half-piers with wood posts. A central front door with transom and side lights is flanked by a transomed picture window and a pair of multipane double-hung windows, all with plain-board trim. The central dormer has an off-center front gable and attached shed roof (an early alteration) and a bank of ten casement windows. The first floor is clad with wide horizontal wood siding while the gable-ends with wood shingles, separated by a row of polygonal shingles. A metal awning is attached over the dormer windows and the stone chimney has been removed to the roofline. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

38. 1050 N. Los Robles Avenue

Year built: 1912

Architect: Architectural Designing Company of Los Angeles

Builder: D. C. McCallum

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman/Tudor Revival bungalow, this building has an L-shaped plan, asymmetrical facade, and a wide, double, front-gable roof with extended eaves and exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends. The offset porch gable is supported by stucco-over-brick corner half-piers with grouped wood posts. A front door with a fixed-glass pane and leaded-glass side lights is flanked by picture windows with leaded-glass transoms. The porch gable has a central attic window. The south elevation, facing Jackson Street, has several banded casement windows and a polygonal bay window with a small cross-gable roof. The exterior of the building is stucco with decorative half-timbering in a grid pattern on the front and rear elevations and the bay window. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

39. 919 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1911

Builder/Owner: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this large corner building has a rectangular plan, cement foundation, and a wide side-gable roof with central, gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. A full-front porch gable is supported by elephantine imitation-stone piers. Double-hung windows have multi-pane upper sashes and casement windows have divided-light transoms, all with extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles of alternating-lap courses. The bank of windows in the front-gabled dormer has been infilled with aluminum windows and the porch has been partially infilled with casement windows and wood lattice (the porch structure and railings appear unaltered). On the side elevation facing the street, the infill of a side porch with casement windows may be an early alteration. These alterations are minor; the building retains the majority of its Craftsman architectural elements.

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41. 933 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1909

Builder/Owner: H. C. Deming

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a square plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and side-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and vertical-slat attic vents. A large offset porch, with a wide-board railing, has a front gable with exposed cross-beams, supported by two stucco half-piers with paired wood posts. A front door has two side casement windows. Doors and windows have plain-board trim and extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles.

43. 944 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: C. W. Hill

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman chalet, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and low pitched front-gable roof with exposed rafters tails and braced beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. The full-front flat-roof porch, with second-story balcony, extends over the driveway in a porte-cochere and is supported by arroyo stone half-piers and bracketed wood posts. The main porch beams have notched ends and the porch and balcony both have a slat board railing. A wide front door is flanked by sidelights. The lower story has a bank of narrow casement windows and a pair of wide casement windows, while the upper-story has French doors and double-hung windows. While it is clad with aluminum siding, the siding appears to have been placed over the original siding and widow frames; thus, the building retains the majority of its Craftsman architectural features.

44. 949 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1910

Builder/Owner: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this dwelling has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and wide side-gable roof with a large central gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. An offset, wide porch gable is supported by two, tapered, elephantine stucco piers. Doors and windows have plain-board trim and extended headers. The large dormer, originally containing an open sleeping porch, with a flat-arched opening, has been infilled with a bank of casement windows (apparently an early alteration). The building is clad with wood shingles. The chimney has been removed. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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45. 952 North Madison Avenue

Year built: c.1885, altered 1907

Builder/Owner: George F. Thompson (1907)

A two-story, wood-frame, transitional residence with Craftsman elements, this building has an "L" plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with front-gable bay. The main portion of the building is probably a turn-of-the-century 'I'-house, while the front-facing bay a 1907 addition. A low, open porch in the "L" extends across the front with a low half-hipped roof supported by wood posts. The front door is flanked on the left by a pair of narrow double-hung windows. The front gable wing has a fixed-pane window separating two casement windows. All openings have plain-board trim and extended headers. The upper story has a wide double-hung window in the gable end and a narrow double-hung window with a shed-roof. The lower story of is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the upper story with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

46. 959 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1910

Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building, sited on a corner, has an "L" plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with large front-gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. A central arroyo stone porch with open gable is supported by wood posts. A pergola extends down the Herbert Street side of the building. The front door with sidelights is flanked by two fixed-pane picture windows with leaded-glass transoms and casement sidelights. The second story dormer has a bank of windows. Doors and windows have plain-board trim and extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles. A metal awning has been added to the second-story windows. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

48. 968 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1909

Architect: P. H. Frohman Builder: W. A. Hunter

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and low-pitched side-gable roof with extended eaves and exposed rafter tails and beam ends. An offset, flat-roofed (a likely early alteration), open porch is supported by three wood piers. The front elevation has a front door with side lights and banks of transomed casement windows. The upper-story windows are set in a large shed-roof wall dormer. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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51. 990 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1911 Builder: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a square plan, symmetrical facade, and wide, cross-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. A small central porch is covered by a small front-gable roof supported by wood posts. A pergola extends off one side of the porch. The front door has a leaded-glass fixed windows flanked by banks of fixed-pane picture windows, casement windows, and French doors, all with plain-board trim and extended headers. A flat-arched opening in the second story has been infilled with a bank of casement windows (an early alteration). The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

52. 992 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1909

Builder/Owner: George F. Thompson

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with central shed-roof dormer, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends. A full-front recessed porch is supported by stone piers and wood posts and has an open wood railing. The main porch beam has cloud-lift notch ends. The wide central front door is flanked by a pair of fixed-pane picture windows separating two casement windows, all with plain-board trim, tapered side boards, and extended, pointed, clipped-end headers. The dormer has a bank of three small divided-light windows. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the dormer with wood shingles. The building has no visible alterations.

53. 993 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1910

Architect: Sylvanus B. Marston Builder: W. D. Singleton

A one-and one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a square plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and clipped side-gable roof with exposed notched and shaped rafter tails, and braced beam ends. A full-front recessed porch is supported by arroyo stone half-piers and paired wood posts. Doors and windows have plain-board trim and extended headers. A continuous shed dormer is divided into three bays, with the middle bay slightly-projecting and marked by paired brackets at the eave. The middle bay may have originally been a sleeping porch that has been infilled. The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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54. 999 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1909

Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone porch and foundation, and wide and expansive side-gable roof with central gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails, braced beam ends, and latticed gable vents. A full-front recessed porch is supported by stone piers and a pointed main porch beam. A pergola is attached to the Thompson Drive side of the building. Grouped casement windows with divided-light transoms and doors have wide-board trim and extended lintels. The building is clad with wood shakes, while the dormer with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

55. 1000 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1914, altered 1921

Builder: H. E. Pownall (1914)

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, and triple front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and beam ends and vertical-slat gable vents. An offset porch is covered by a wide front gable supported by brick piers (an alteration) and wood posts. The building is clad with wood shingles with alternating courses of decorative saw-tooth shingles. A metal awning has been added to the second-story bank of windows. A second story at the rear of the building was added in 1921.

56. 1010 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1908

Builder: W. D. Peckham

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman chalet, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low-pitched front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends. The flat-roofed, open porch has a second-story deck supported by arroyo stone base with large wood posts. A wide door is flanked by a huge fixed-pane picture window. The second story has paired french doors flanked by paired casement windows. Windows and doors have extended headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding on the first floor and wood shingles on the second. A wrought-iron railing has been added to the second-story deck.

58. 1025 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1909

Builder: Joseph D. Lanning

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this prominent corner building has a square plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and expansive side-gable roof with a central front-gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends, and horizontal-slat gable vents. The full-front, recessed porch is supported by four stone piers and elephantine bracketed wood posts, with notched beams between porch supports. The central entry with fixed-pane door and sidelights is flanked by fixed-pane picture

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windows, all with extended headers and tapered side boards. The large sleeping porch dormer has been infilled with a boxed bank of casement windows with a cornice (possibly an early alteration). The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) is wood shingles. From 1918-1930, the building was the residence of pioneering orthodontist Dr. Edward H. Angle who established the Angle College of Orthodontia in the adjacent building at 550 Jackson Street.

59. 1034 North Madison Avenue

Year built: 1910 Builder: B. E. Nelson

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, cement foundation, and wide side-gable roof with central front-gabled dormer, exposed rafter tails and braced beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. A recessed, wide, corner porch is supported by brick half-piers with elephantine wood posts. The main porch beams are flat-arched. The front door has sidelights with a paneled base. Doors and windows all have plain-board trim and extended headers. The central dormer has a bank of casement windows. The building is clad with narrow horizontal wood siding with wood shingles on the gable ends. A small rectangular window off the porch has been infilled. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) is wood shingles.

60. 929 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1906

Builder/Owner: L. C. Williams

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and front-gable roof with wide shed-roof side dormer and exposed rafter tails. An offset porch, partially recessed, is supported by four wood posts. A central front door is flanked by a fixed-pane picture window with divided-light transom and a high-sill horizontal window. The dormer has a bank of windows with jalousie inserts. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

62. 945 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1908 Builder: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with central, bow-shaped, gabled dormer, and exposed rafter tails. A shed-roof porch covers the entry. A second-story room on the north side of the building extends over the driveway as a porte-cochere. While the building is clad with asbestos shingles (the window/door trim is unaffected), it retains the majority of its Craftsman architectural features. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles).

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63. 948-950 North Oakland Avenue

The Little Cloister

Year built: 1924 Architect: Irving Gill Builder: "Day work"

A one-story, reinforced-concrete, Mission Revival-inspired duplex, this unassuming building is the only-known Irving Gill-designed building in Pasadena. As with most Gill buildings, the Little Cloister defies stylistic labels, at once innovative in planning and use of materials, somewhat romantic and evocative of Spanish-Mexican vernacular traditions in architectural style, and well-crafted in detailing and ornamentation. The plan forms two interlocking "L's," with each unit organized around its own private garden and colonnade. The street elevation of the building has one window and an arched opening set behind a low concrete wall and forecourt. A parking area on the side of the building has replaced the original high concrete wall with arched opening that led to the rear unit. The building has been converted to a single-family residence. The building was constructed by Kate Crane Gartz, a prominent local socialist and philanthropist, as an experiment in low-cost housing. The Little Cloister is a designated City of Pasadena landmark.

64. 949 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1908
Builder: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with central front-gabled dormer, exposed rafter ends and beam ends, and latticed gable vents. A small pergola marks the central entry, with a flat-roof over the entry. Windows on either side of the door are fixed-pane flanked by side lights, all with divided lights. The dormer has a bank of wood windows (probably an early alteration). Windows and doors have plain-board trim and extended headers. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

65. 958 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1910 Builder: H. C. Deming

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building, on a corner site, has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, and side-gable roof with gabled dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter ends and large beam ends, and attic vents. An offset, cross-gable, open porch is oriented to both streets and is supported by unusual brick half-walls and tapered wood posts. Windows and doors have extended headers. The offset dormer has an arched opening infilled with a shingled header fixed-pane window (probably an early alteration). The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable ends with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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66. 963 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1907, altered 1909

Builder: C. M. Hansen (1907), Will A. Taylor (1909)

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building's second story was added shortly after its completion. The building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone porch and foundation, and side-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and beam ends. A full-front porch is recessed under the second-story, supported by wood posts. Bands of casement windows have extended headers. A pergola extends around both sides of the building and over the driveway as a porte-cochere. The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

67. 975 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1907, altered 1911

Builder: C. M. Hansen (1907), L. C. Williams (1911)

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman residence, this building had alterations to its attic story (one-and-one-half-story rear elevation) shortly after its completion. The building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with cross-gable porch, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and latticed gable vents. The porch gable is supported by arroyo stone piers and wood posts. Casement windows have plain-board trim. The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

69. 987 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1912

Builder: H. F. McDowell

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman chalet, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low pitched front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter ends, braced beam ends, and gable vents with saw-cut decorative slats. An off-set, flat-roofed porch has an upper-story open deck and is supported by square wood columns. Windows have extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles. The porch rail may be a later alteration. Metal security grilles have been installed over the doors.

70. 990 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1909

Builder/Owner: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and a cross-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter ends, braced beam ends, vertical-slat gable vents, and gable-end pendent beams. A full-front flat-roof porch with a stone foundation has a small gable over the central entry and is supported by wood posts. The main porch beam has cloud-lift notch ends. Windows and doors have extended headers. The sleeping porch dormer remains open, although screened, and has a window box. The building is clad with wood shingles. The chimney has been removed. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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72. 999 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1908

Builder: W. D. Peckham Owner: George F. Thompson

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and wide, side-gable roof with a full-front triple-gabled dormer and exposed rafter tails. The full-front recessed porch, covered by a swept eave. has sided half-walls, and is supported by stone half-piers with tapered wood posts. The front door and sidelights are flanked by banks of transomed picture windows with side lights. The triple-gabled dormer has a bank of double-hung windows in the two end gables, while the middle gable is an open bow-shaped balcony with recessed openings. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable ends and dormer with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

73. 1000 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1909 Builder: C. W. Hill

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and side-gable roof with two, gabled, sunken dormers, and exposed rafter tails and beam ends. A full-front recessed porch is covered by a swept eave, supported by stone half piers and wood posts. The front door is flanked by leaded-glass sidelights. A blank frieze stretches across the front of the building. Each dormer has a pair of casement windows. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable ends and dormers with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

74. 1006 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1911

Builder/Owner: D. M. Renton

A one-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and wide side-facing gable roof with a gabled front dormer, extended eaves, exposed rafter tails, braced beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. An offset porch gable is supported by two tapered elephantine stucco piers. Windows and doors have extended headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding, while the gable ends and dormer with wood shingles. The dormer windows have a metal awning. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

75. 1009 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1907

Builder/Owner: G. N. Eldridge

A two-and-one-half-story, wood-frame, Craftsman/Foursquare residence, this large building has a rectangular plan, asymmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and steep front-gable roof with exposed rafter tails, braced

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beam ends, half-timbered gable wall, and latticed gable vents. An offset, flat-roofed porch has a small gable over the entry and a second-story deck, supported by sided piers and paired wood posts, and pergola extension. The upper-story balcony has sided half-walls and piers, while the lower story has an open wood railing. Windows have upper sashes with divided lights and slightly-extended molded headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding up to the second-story window sills, with the upper portion of the building with wood shingles. The upper-story balcony half-walls are probably an early alteration.

76. 1015 North Oakland Avenue

Year built: 1913

Builder/Owner: D. M. Renton

A two-story, wood-frame, Craftsman "airplane" bungalow, this building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low pitched front-gable roof with extended eaves, exposed rafter tails and beam ends, and vertical-slat gable vents. The lower-story has a low pitched side-gable roof. A full-front recessed porch has shingle-clad half-walls and is covered by a flat-roof supported by wood posts. The main porch beam and cross-beam ends have cloud-lift notch ends. Pergolas extend off both sides of the porch. Windows have multi-pane transoms and extended headers. The building is clad with wood shingles. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

80. 511 Thompson Drive

Year built: 1907, moved/altered 1923

Builder/Owner: J. Milton Harvey (1907, 1923)

A one-story, wood-frame, Craftsman bungalow, this small building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, arroyo stone foundation, and low pitched side-gable roof with exposed rafter tails and vertical-slat gable vents. A full-front open porch with a swept eave is supported by wood posts. The front door is flanked by casement windows, all with slightly-extended headers. The building is clad with horizontal wood siding. Security mesh has been added to the windows. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles. This building was originally the garage to the original 1020 North Oakland Avenue, demolished in 1968, and was moved and converted to a residence in 1923.

81. 528-534 Thompson Drive

Year built: 1913

Builder: D. M. Renton

A two-building, four-unit Craftsman bungalow court, the two L-shaped buildings face each other in a narrow enclosed-court form. Each building has an asymmetrical facade, concrete foundation, and low-pitch gable roof with gable-roof wings, exposed rafter tails and beam ends and vertical-slat gable vents. Each unit has an individual entrance, three with flat-roof porches with wide-board rails and supported by wood posts. Doors and casement windows have extended headers. The original roofing material (now composition shingles) was wood shingles.

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Non-Contributing Buildings:

Photographs (numbers are keyed to the photographs) of all twenty-three non-contributing buildings are included with the nomination. The following six buildings are considered non-contributing to the district due to their construction or significant alteration outside the period of significance, 1906-1930; these buildings are not significant in the context of the district:

25.	545 Jackson Street	Year built: c.1885
49.	977 North Madison Avenue	Year built: 1979
50.	981 North Madison Avenue	Year built: 1978
71.	993 North Oakland Avenue	Year built: 1952

77. 1020 North Oakland Avenue Year built: 1964, moved 1970

82. 540 Thompson Drive Year built: 1979

The following eleven buildings, while constructed or significantly altered within the period of significance, are considered non-contributing because they represent building forms and architectural styles which do not illustrate the influences of the turn-of-the-century Arts and Crafts movement, and are therefore not significant in the context of the district:

10. 469 Jackson Street Year built: c.1890, moved/altered c.1909

A one-and-one-half-story, Victorian-era building with Queen Anne and Italianate detailing, this gable-front house was moved back c.1909 from the corner at North Los Robles Avenue—at which time the striking Shingle-style upper-story porch may have been added and the building converted to a duplex. Between 1913 until the late 1940s, the lower story was used as a medical office and the upper-story as a residence by Dr. Hozarbed B. Yacoubi.

14. 493 Jackson Street Year built: 1923

A one-story, 1920s stucco bungalow, this modest building has a regular plan, symmetrical facade, and a side-gable roof with two front-gable projections over the end bays and a projecting shed-roof porch in the center bay, which appears to be an early alteration.

16. 500 Jackson Street Year built: 1927

A one-story Spanish Colonial Revival bungalow, this corner building has an L-shaped plan, asymmetrical facade, and low front-gable roof. A shed-roofed porch infills the "L" of the plan, apparently a recent alteration. An attached one-car garage, also a contemporary alteration, faces North Oakland Avenue.

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26. 550 Jackson Street

Year built: 1922

A one-story Spanish Colonial Revival institutional building, this simple building was originally constructed to house an orthodontic school (Angle College of Orthodontia, 1924-1927) for Dr. Edward H. Angle, a pioneering orthodontist who resided at adjacent 1025 North Madison Avenue. The building has a T-shaped plan, with the primary elevation facing the side of the lot, and a cross-gable roof. The building was converted to a residence following the death of Dr. Angle in 1930.

- 40. 925 North Madison Avenue Year built: 1907, altered 1937
 Originally a one-story, hipped-roofed, Queen Anne cottage, the front porch was enclosed in 1937 with a projecting front-gable wing with a small bay window.
- 42. 943 North Madison Avenue Year built: c.1900, altered 1907
 A one-and-one-half-story, turn-of-the-century, transitional residence, this building has an infilled L-shaped plan and side-gable roof, with an odd offset front cross-gable. A portion of the building may be an earlier turn-of-the-century building, apparently added to in 1907. A full-front shed-roof porch appears to be an early alteration.
- 47. 960 North Madison Avenue (rear) Year built: 1929 962 North Madison Avenue (front) Year built: 1929

The front, one-story, stucco bungalow has an L-shaped plan, asymmetrical facade, and side-gable roof with front cross-gable. A recessed porch under a swept eave infills the "L" plan. The rear, one-story, stucco bungalow is similar in form and stylistic treatment with the front building.

- 68. 982 North Oakland Avenue Year built: 1922, altered 1933, 1935
 Originally a one-story, wood-frame, 1920s stucco bungalow, this corner building had a two-story addition added in 1935 as well as several other alterations in the 1930s which have altered its original appearance.
- 78. 1025 North Oakland Avenue Year built: 1920
 A one-story Mediterranean Revival bungalow, this small building has a rectangular plan, symmetrical facade, and flat-roof with a slightly-stepped parapet. A small, front-gable entrance porch has a flat-arched opening.
- 79. 1033 North Oakland Avenue Year built: 1923
 A one-story 1920s stucco bungalow, this modest corner building has an H-shaped plan, symmetrical facade, and cross-gable roof. A central, small, cross-gable porch is supported by wood columns. The H-plan has been infilled on the side elevation with a flat-roof and casement windows, apparently an early alteration.

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The six remaining buildings, while constructed within the period of significance, are considered non-contributing to the district due to extensive alterations and lack of integrity. Alterations include replacement of original wood shingles or wood siding with stucco, alterations of openings and replacement of original windows with aluminum-frame windows, and porch infill:

4.	537 Herbert Street	Year built:	1921
5.	540 Herbert Street	Year built:	1911
17.	509 Jackson Street	Year built:	1910
33.	606 Jackson Street	Year built:	1910
57.	1018 North Madison Avenue	Year built:	1910
61.	935 North Oakland Avenue	Year built:	1908

Streetscape:

The district encompasses five one-block-long streets, which discourage thru-traffic and terminate street vistas. While the district is visually cohesive on the whole, each street has its own distinctive identity. Jackson Street is the primary east-west street, terminated by North Los Robles and El Molino (originally Moline) Avenues [Jackson Street continues west of Los Robles Avenue, but offset], and is the only true through-block street. North Madison and North Oakland (originally Ruby Street, then Galena Street) Avenues are both north-south streets terminated by Jackson and Mountain Streets, with dramatic views of the San Gabriel Mountains on the northern vista as grade rises to the foothills. Herbert Street and Thompson Drive (originally Walnut Drive), which have more modest buildings than the other streets, are short, narrow, internal streets connecting the two north-south avenues. The district also has two intra-block service alleys, Elgin and Leighton Alleys.

The district streetscape—original streetscape improvements dating from the 1906 subdivision of the Orange Heights Tract—includes: closely-spaced rows of mature street trees; wide grass parkways; concrete curbs, gutters, and sidewalks; arroyo stone and concrete (often scored) retaining walls; steps and curved walkways, and landscaped, continuous, uniform building setbacks and side yards. The arroyo stone retaining walls, often with concrete caps, are particularly distinctive and in a few instances are as much as five feet high. Corner lots have corner entry stairs with arroyo stone planters, ledges, and piers (originally for gas lanterns—one pair remains at 1034 North Madison Avenue). A few early concrete address curb markers, apparently from c.1906-1912, remain in the district on North Madison and North Oakland Avenues.

Mature street trees are: bottle brush trees, oaks, and jacarandas on Jackson Street (with large palms on several lots on the north side of the street indicating an earlier rows of trees); bottle trees and oaks on North Madison Avenue; two rows of Canary Island palms on North Oakland Avenue; and Mexican fan palms, windmill palms, camphors, and magnolias on Herbert Street. Thompson Drive is a narrow street without street trees, curbs, or sidewalks.

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The Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District is locally significant under Criterion C in the area of Architecture as one of the best and largest collections in Pasadena of residential buildings from the American Arts and Crafts movement. The district illustrates the influence of the Arts and Crafts philosophy and aesthetics on local architects, builders, and craftspeople working in Pasadena in predominantly the Craftsman style, but also other architectural styles, for the period 1906-1930. Pasadena is nationally important as a center of the American Arts and Crafts movement.

Development History of the District

The Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District was part of North Pasadena, an unincorporated area of mostly citrus groves and fields ripe for speculative real estate development when it was annexed by the City of Pasadena in 1904. Earlier in 1885, George W. Barnhart had subdivided the property—the Barnhart Tract—on the north side of Jackson Street between Los Robles and El Molino Avenues, but only one house was constructed. In 1906, George F. Thompson subdivided a much larger adjacent tract—the Orange Heights Tract—bounded on the north by Jackson Street, on the south by Mountain Street, on the west by Los Robles Avenue, and on the east by El Molino Avenue.

Thompson's infrastructure and streetscape improvements to prepare the lots for sale ensured the success of the Orange Heights and neighboring Barnhart subdivisions during a period of tremendous growth and expansion in Pasadena. In the first ten years of the new century, the population of the City tripled as people moved to Southern California to enjoy the healthful climate and beautiful natural setting, or to test the much-touted promise as the "land of opportunity." Thompson sold 21 of his 106 lots in the first year, 1906, and within three years nearly all of the Orange Heights and Barnhart Tracts had been sold.

The American Arts and Crafts Movement

Though related to the English Arts and Crafts movement and the ideas of its foremost proponent William Morris, the American Arts and Crafts movement (1890s-1930s) was more broadly realized and diverse¹ than its English and other contemporary European counterparts (e.g., the Arts and Crafts, Art Nouveau, Jugendstil, and Secessionist movements). The basic tenets remained true to Morris' ideal of "have nothing in your houses that you do not know to be useful, or believe to be beautiful"²:

The Arts and Crafts movement, whether in America or Europe, was expressed not in a specific style but as a mood, an attitude, a sensibility. At its core, the Arts and Crafts movement advocated a search for a way of life that was true, contemplative, and filled with essences rather than superficialities. Certain elements appear frequently—motifs derived from nature, a concern with simple form and complex details, a glorification of medieval art and society, and the exaltation of the vernacular.³

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Vernacular sources were thought to offer insight into the Arts and Crafts sensibility of:

beliefs in design reform, in a revised relationship between production and consumption, and in the ultimate issue of how that new relationship would manifest itself in daily life. Process, or how a thing was made, and its contribution to life were as important as the appearance of the object. . . . The concern was not just a replacement of machines with handicraft but a revolt against an entire system of academic art and what was seen as a false distinction between the elite arts, sculpture and painting, and the so-called lesser arts, the applied and the decorative arts. . . . In the most ideal of all worlds—and the Arts and Crafts was built on idealism—the designer and the maker should be one and the same person, and the arts, whether pottery or architecture, should be rooted in the vernacular and not in some imported style. 4

In the United States, Arts and Crafts ideals were advanced through architectural-art societies and sketch clubs; progressive activity clubs, women's clubs, and political organizations; lectures and exhibitions; Arts and Crafts guilds; and manual arts education. The Arts and Crafts ideals were also apparent in the progressive and reformist politics of the period and the interest in religious mysticism, which extended not only to Theosophy, Anthroposophy, Transcendentalism, and Eastern religions, but also to many Christian-based denominations, including Christian Science and Swedenborgian and the Anglo-Catholic movement.⁵

The American Arts and Crafts movement was foremost popularized through extensive promotion in magazines such as *The Craftsman*—published from 1901 to 1916 by Gustav Stickley, the leading American proponent of the Arts and Crafts movement. Magazines such as *Western Architect, The Architect, Architectural Record, The Chautauquan, Arena, International Studio, The Arroyo Craftsman, House Beautiful, Good Housekeeping, Country Life in America, House and Garden, Keith's, and The Ladies' Home Journal all devoted several articles in each issue, if not the entire magazine, to Arts and Crafts ideals.⁶ As the breadth of these professional and popular publications demonstrates, the American Arts and Crafts movement enjoyed considerably broad, middle-class appeal.*

The influence of the American Arts and Crafts movement extended to literature, book design and binding, painting, pottery, metalwork, stained glass, leatherwork, needlework, domestic interiors (including furniture, rug-making, ceramic tiles, and wallpaper design and production), garden design, and architecture. The design sources not only shared the English sources of the Gothic and medieval, but drew from a wide-range of vernacular traditions—indigenous and otherwise—particularly the Asian (Japanese and Chinese), Spanish-Mexican, Colonial (English, Dutch, French) and Native American traditions, but also other European vernacular (German, French, Swiss, Austrian, Scandinavian, Spanish, Italian) and occasionally "exotic" (North African, Middle Eastern, Tibet, Bhutan) vernacular traditions.

Most significantly, the American Arts and Crafts movement was distinct in its "intense" regionalism, the result of the "vast scale and distances of the continent, the diverse heritage of Americans, the presence of foreign-trained designers (both immigrant and native-born), along with ingrained American individuality." Likewise, the unique attributes of individual locales and regions were significant influences as, in accordance with Arts and Crafts ideals, "artists were

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to draw sustenance from the local soil, flora and fauna, and vernacular design." Endemic of the impact of regional influences—and perhaps the foremost example of such—the American Arts and Crafts movement in California (1890s-1920s) was profoundly different from that in the rest of the country in its:

embrace of elements from the Catholic Spanish-Mexican heritage, which remained most visible in the twenty-one Franciscan missions from San Diego to Sonoma. Reminders of California's colonial era, the missions offered subjects rich with nostalgic allusions to a romanticized past. For newcomer Californians eager to anchor themselves in tradition, whatever their political and religious views, the missions were convenient symbols of a special history, inspiring a West Coast equivalent of the Colonial Revival in the Northeast.

What most distinguishes the Arts and Crafts movement in California from the movement elsewhere in the United States is the special bond that Californians had with nature. Whether they lived in the deserts of the far south, along the coast, in the fertile Central Valley, or in the rugged, mountainous north, Californians were never far from the wild. Builders, architects, and garden designers often took the land into account by incorporating nature into the daily living experience. It is no accident that the detached bungalow became the domestic architectural form most identified with California during the Arts and Crafts period. In addition to its spectacular scenery, California is blessed with an equally important advantage: mild climates that encourage outdoor living in all seasons. That California was extoled as an Eden resulted as much from the restored health many newcomers enjoyed as from the state's magnificent scenery and delightful climate. If

The mature period of the American Arts and Crafts movement, in which the integration of Arts and Crafts ideals in all its forms is most realized, lasted up until the late 1910s. But the influence of the American Arts and Crafts movement persisted well into the 1920s and beyond, although the Arts and Crafts ideals began to erode in the period following World War I by "consumerism, historicism, and a Machine Age modernism—antithetical to many of the core beliefs of the Arts and Crafts movement. . . . Complex reasons, ranging from personal choices and problems [of influential adherents] to broader economic, technological, and cultural shifts, lay behind these changes." 12

With the "popularization" of many Arts and Crafts forms and motifs in the 1910s and 1920s came direct—and often inferior—imitation and mass production, at the expense of handcrafted detailing and adherence to the fundamental Arts and Crafts ideals emphasizing how something was made, versus simply adopting stylistic contrivances. Vernacular design sources were eschewed in favor of more classical or explicitly historical sources, often inflated and embellished beyond a domestic scale and simplicity. The dominance of the machine and the rise of industrial design lead to the emergence of the Art Deco, Moderne, and International styles in the 1920s and fundamental shifts in popular tastes. And "one factor in the eventual demise of the Arts and Crafts movement was simply the inexorable passage of time. By 1915 the Arts and Crafts movement in the United States had been a force for at least twenty years; for a modern art movement, this is tantamount to old age." 13

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Architecture and the American Arts and Crafts Movement

Architecture of the American Arts and Crafts movement is characterized by a utopian and agrarian ideal of simple, informal building forms in pastoral settings, evident in a "unity in artistic expression derived from nature, straightforward construction and handcraftsmanship, minimal finish and restraint in ornamentation, use of vernacular sources and reference to the indigenous cultural heritage, as well as cultivation of a family-centered domesticity represented in the open plan and imposing central hearth."

The ideal building form of the Arts and Crafts movement was the bungalow, distinguished by its "emphatic horizontal lines, wide roofs, and plain trim work." "When you see a cozy one or one-and-a-half storied dwelling, with low-pitched roof and very wide eaves, lots of windows and an outside chimney of cobble or clinker-brick half hidden by clinging vines—that is a bungalow, whatever other houses may be." In its simplest form, the bungalow was a small, low-lying, vernacular building with a square or rectangular plan and an informal, open arrangement of rooms. "Almost always the entrance was directly into the living room. . . . We notice the centrality of the living room, in the bungalow age actually called a family room. . . . The significance of the family room (gathering around the fireplace) cannot be overlooked as a symbolic gesture of conserving earlier values in an era of social fragmentation."

Arts and Crafts ideals are expressed in the relationship of the building to the landscape, in terms of an emphasis on horizontality in the architectural expression of the building; retention of existing plantings and use of native plantings; views from and of buildings, sites, and natural features; and respect for natural grade changes and site conditions. The proximity to the outdoors is apparent in the blurring of interior and exterior surroundings through large picture windows and banks of windows, and the incorporation of "outdoor rooms," such as porches, terraces and balconies. Building forms, methods of construction, and materials express a rustic or vernacular character with picturesque compositions, accented in the use of texture, shade and shadow, reflection and repetition, and silhouette. Materials and "natural" textures, finishes, and colors were chosen to respond to the local conditions. Well-crafted detailing expressed the Arts and Crafts aesthetic of restrained embellishment.

Architecture of the American Arts and Crafts movement is most closely associated with the Craftsman and midwestern Prairie styles—architectural styles within which the litany of Arts and Crafts ideals was most integral and evocatively expressed. The Arts and Crafts influence is also apparent in the turn-of-the-century, vernacular-based Revival styles like the Mission Revival and Colonial Revival styles. Stylistically, Arts and Crafts architecture—like the larger American Arts and Crafts movement—drew from such diverse design sources as European, Japanese, Spanish-Mexican, Colonial, and Native American vernacular traditions, as well as other more "exotic" sources. The Craftsman and Prairie styles, while drawing from these earlier vernacular traditions, also had stylistic antecedents in the Victorian-era Queen Anne, Shingle, Sullivanesque, and Richardsonian Romanesque styles. 18

The leading American proponents of the Arts and Crafts movement in architecture were master architects Frank Lloyd Wright and Charles Sumner Greene and Henry Mather Greene, working respectively in their signature Prairie and Craftsman styles. The highly accomplished work of both Wright and the Greenes was widely published in

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professional and popular journals of the period—to the extent that they are almost single-handedly credited with the development of these two uniquely American styles. The Arts and Crafts aesthetic had many other followers among architects and builders¹⁹, including such diverse architectural practitioners as George W. Maher, Thomas E. Tallmadge, William Drummond, George G. Elmslie, William G. Purcell, Ralph Adams Cram, and Bertram Goodhue—and California architects Bernard Maybeck, Frank Mead, Louis B. Easton, Arthur and Alfred Heineman, Myron Hunt, Earnest A. Coxhead, Julia Morgan, Louis Mullgart, Frederick Roehrig, and A. Page Brown, and landscape architect Kate Sessions. A few architects experimented with building materials and methods of construction in following the Arts and Crafts ideals, like Southern California master architect Irving Gill's innovative use of concrete.

While the work of these architects was extraordinary in its creative, high-art, and sometimes daring accomplishment, the true popularity of the Arts and Crafts movement is most indicative in its appeal and emulation in the numerous "builder bungalows" built throughout the country. Constructed largely from the many "bungalow books" published during the period—pattern books, mail-order plans, and pre-cut packages—these bungalows made the Arts and Crafts aesthetic broadly available to the middle-class at a time when the country, and particularly Southern California, was going through a period of substantial growth and expansion. During the mature stylistic period (1895-1918) of the Arts and Crafts movement, these bungalows were often of exceptional design and craftsmanship, rivaling their high-syle, architect-designed counterparts (and many of the designs featured in the "bungalow books" were in fact the work of, or knockoffs of the work of, well-known architects and designers²¹). But with the popularization and mass production of builder bungalows—and the gradual waning in interest in the Arts and Crafts ideals in the years following World War I—Arts and Crafts bungalows were typically reduced to simplistic appropriations of modest stylistic motifs and a few architectural elements, sometimes with crude proportions and detailing.²²

Arts and Crafts architecture was also characterized by an "intense" regionalism, as was the larger American Arts and Crafts movement as a whole. Design sources, practitioners and proponents, and the relationship to natural settings were all important influences in the regional development of form and stylistic conventions, sophistication and breadth, and popularity of Arts and Crafts architecture. Arts and Crafts architecture in California typifies—and, in some ways, most epitomizes—the impact of regionalism on the architectural expression of Arts and Crafts ideals:

For California nearly all the place-making efforts offered by architects affiliated with the Arts and Crafts movement combined utopian idealism, a concern for environmental siting, futuristic expression coupled with deliberate Pacific Rim rusticity (Hispanic, Native American, and Asian), and free thinking—particularly with respect to religion, international peace, woman suffrage, and active political involvement. Experimentation with varied building materials, especially wood and concrete, preoccupied several of the major figures. Much of California's Arts and Crafts movement also favored agrarianism: a strong nineteenth-century tradition of the irrigated colony set the stage, a beneficent climate attracted those interested in finding a simpler life, with ties to the land. Connections between Arts and Crafts groups in California and New York, as well as between those in the West and Midwest, appear to be much stronger than previously thought, with exchanges traveling in both directions. With the emergence of a dominant rural aesthetic intimately dependent on vibrant urban centers,

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California offered the quintessential place for mature experimentations with Arts and Crafts ideas of house and home, of city and country.²³

The Arts and Crafts Movement in Pasadena

As a leading English Arts and Crafts polemicist, Charles Ashbee, remarked after visiting California in 1909, "the best work in Arts and Crafts in America is already being produced on the Pacific Coast." Pasadena was at the forefront of the movement in California and one of the principal centers of the Arts and Crafts movement in the United States, rivaled only by Boston and Chicago. And nowhere else did the Arts and Crafts ideals reach such a zenith than in Pasadena, with an environment so richly suited to—and seemingly uniquely predisposed to—their realization:

Pasadena was an ideal enclave for Arts and Crafts experimentation. Its strong sense of community was aided by its topography. Tucked along the oft-snow-capped San Gabriel Mountains and distinguished by the Arroyo Seco, a picturesque dry riverbed strewn with sand-washed boulders and rocks, Pasadena was a scenic and well-promoted resort. Wealthy easterners migrated west every winter to the beautiful and healthful Crown City (so called because *Pasadena* is a Chippewa word meaning "crown of the valley"). The rustic landscape, the gentle climate, and the romance of the ranchos suggested outdoor living spaces and more informal architecture and appointments. Architects and craftspeople alike were quick to seize on the patronage of a carriage trade that could afford their labors. Nowhere in America was the bungalow better suited to landscape, climate, and way of life. And nowhere did bungalows so artfully disguise mansions.²⁶

While Pasadena is most closely associated with the unparalleled expression of Arts and Crafts ideals in the work of architects Charles and Henry Greene, and their "ultimate bungalows" —and understandably so—the Greenes were certainly not alone in their Arts and Crafts sensitivities; and nor were the Greenes the originators of the Arts and Crafts movement in Pasadena. Instead there were many local adherents who promoted the Arts and Crafts ideals. In fact, the reference is often made to the so-called "Arroyo Culture" that existed in Pasadena during the period, named for the "colony" of artists, craftspeople, writers, and musicians living along the Arroyo Seco. The Arroyo Culture is emblematic of a much broader popular movement throughout the city; as the Los Angeles Examiner noted as early as 1904, every street in Pasadena had an Arts and Crafts bungalow. And many also are the oft-repeated stories of visitors during the period being so entranced with this "good life" of Pasadena, that they extended their stays indefinitely as Pasadena residents.

The "good life" was the romanticized ideal of life in California "in which the virtues of simple living and high thinking were complemented by material well-being." And that was exactly how Pasadena was promoted in magazines, articles, and publications by not only Arts and Crafts proponents, but also by the Pasadena Board of Trade, the Chamber of Commerce, and local resort hotels and tourist attractions, and promotions like the annual Tournament of Roses and the Pasadena Spring Flower Show. It was as much an effort to promote tourism as it was the hope that "some of the visitors would purchase property, build homes and add prestige and purchasing power." As Charles Greene himself cried in an article written for the Tournament of Roses celebration, "God send us the people! Not that we hav't [sic] any but we want more." "The sentiments expressed by many of the California Arts

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and Crafters were both profound and commercial; they strove to find the meaning of life and at the same time were unabashed real-estate promoters."³⁴ It was this seemingly-contradictory marriage of high Arts and Crafts ideals with American entrepreneurialism—a "phenomenon . . . described as 'the extraordinary spectacle of a whole class of remarkedly nice people determined, world-wide, to promote policies that would destroy their own way of life"³⁵—that created an environment not just conducive to the development of the Arts and Crafts movement, but one in which it flourished. And it is this extraordinary "marriage" of art and commerce which so distinguishes Pasadena in the American Arts and Crafts movement.

The "good life" included the "pleasures of the genteel tradition—art, music, painting, history, literature—and of course, the outdoors," and all of which were in great abundance in Pasadena. Pasadena had many organizations which promoted Arts and Crafts ideals, among them: art, literary, and gardening societies/clubs, like the Pasadena Music and Art Association, the Coleman Chamber Music Association, the Shakespeare Club, the Century Club, the Community Playhouse Association, the Pasadena Gardeners Association, and the Pasadena Horticultural Association, as well as informal "study circles" and "afternoon clubs"; Arts and Crafts guilds, like the craft unions and the nearby Arroyo Guild of Craftsmen; and arts and manual art education institutions, including the Stickney Memorial School of Fine Arts, the School of Design and Handicraft, the Pasadena Art Institute, the nearby Judson School of Fine Arts, Polytechnic Elementary School, Throop Polytechnic Institute, and the nearby University of Southern California's School of Fine Arts and Occidental College, as well as many small private schools and instructors. Manual arts education was also part of the public school curriculum in California. Also promoting Arts and Crafts ideals were progressive activity clubs and political clubs/organizations, like the Women's Civic League, the YWCA/YMCA, the Afro-American Progressive Club, and the Socialist Party; and Theosophy and Anthroposophy groups and religious denominations interested in religious mysticism, like the Christian Scientists.

Pasadena was an ideal environment for Arts and Crafts artists and craftspeople, not only in terms of landscape inspiration in the Arroyo Seco and San Gabriel Mountains, but also in the wealthy patronage that supported it. ³⁸ Painters and sculptors who worked in Pasadena at one time or another during the period included Benjamin Chambers Brown, Franz Bischoff, Alson Clark, Jean Mannheim, Elmer and Marion Wachtel, Guy Rose, and Alexander Stirling Calder. Ceramicist Ernest Batchelder, whose books *The Principles of Design* and *Design in Theory and Practice* had a substantial Arts and Crafts following at the time, taught at Throop before opening his own school at his home and studio on the edge of the Arroyo. Metalsmiths Douglas Donaldson and Rudolph Schaeffer were both associates of Batchelder and, at his urging, moved to Pasadena to teach at Throop. The beautifully crafted furniture of Peter Hall, who was also a carpenter and contractor, working frequently for the Greenes, is well known. Writers George Wharton James, Amanda Chase Mathews, Carolyn Foster, and poet Olive Percival all lived on the banks of the Arroyo. In addition to the Greenes, local architects and builder/designers Myron Hunt, Louis B. Easton, Alfred and Arthur Heineman, Sylvanus Martson, Frederick Roehrig, Walker and Vawter, G. Lawrence Stimson, Arthur Kelly, David M. Renton, and the Foss Design and Building Company were all important Arts and Crafts practitioners.

Most significantly, the Arts and Crafts movement in Pasadena was well known to Arts and Crafts enthusiasts, both professionally and popularly, nationally and beyond. Charles Greene himself wrote several articles in both

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professional and popular journals enumerating the principles of his work, and among admirers were Gustav Stickly, Frank Lloyd Wright, Ernest Coxhead, and Bernard Maybeck.³⁹ But the work of the Greenes was best known through its extensive publication—and considerable acclaim—beginning in 1901 in such magazines as *The Craftsman*, *Ladies Home Journal*, *Good Housekeeping*, *House Beautiful*, *Architectural Record*, *Western Architect*, *Pacific Coast Architect*, *Architect and Engineer*, and the English *Academy Architecture* and *International Studio*.⁴⁰ In 1912 an article in *The Craftsman* magazine, entitled "California's Contribution to a National Architecture," included thirteen pages on the significant influence on the Arts and Crafts movement by the Greenes.⁴¹ As the *Architectural Record* noted in 1906 in featuring nine examples of their work:

The houses are highly successful, largely because they so frankly meet the economic, domestic and practical conditions which they are intended to satisfy. All of their chief characteristics—their lowness, their big overhanging roofs, their shingled or clapboarded walls, the absence of architectural ornament, the mixture which they afford of simple means with, in some instances, almost a spectacular effect—all these characteristics can be traced to some good reason in the actual purpose which this sort of house is intended to meet. Of course, in addition thereto Messrs. Greene and Greene must be credited with a happy and unusual gift for architectural design. Their work is genuinely original, and if anything like as good has been done with cheap little houses elsewhere in this country, it has not been our good fortune to come across it.⁴²

Of the Greenes' work, English Arts and Crafts polemicist Charles Ashbee wrote in 1909:

I think C. Sumner Greene's work beautiful; among the best there is in this country. Like [Frank] Lloyd Wright the spell of Japan is on him, he feels the beauty and makes magic out of the horizontal line, but there is in his work more tenderness, more subtlety, more self-effacement than in Wright's work. It is more refined and has more repose. Perhaps it loses in strength, perhaps it is California that speaks rather than Illinois, anyway as work it is, so far as the interiors go, more sympathetic to me... Charles Greene then took us to his workshop where they were making without exception the best and most characteristic furniture I have seen in this country Here things are really alive—and the arts and crafts that all the others were screaming and hustling about, are here actually being produced by a young architect, this quiet, dreamy, nervous, tenacious little man, fighting single handed until recently against tremendous odds.⁴³

In addition to the work of the Greenes, much of the Arts and Crafts work in Pasadena was widely featured in newspaper articles, promotional materials, magazines, and books of the period. The Craftsman devoted roughly half of each issue to the California Arts and Crafts, with many Pasadena examples. The work of well-known Pasadena architects Myron Hunt, Louis B. Easton, Alfred and Arthur Heineman, and craftsperson Ernest Batchelder, as well as other local architects and craftspeople, was also regularly featured in newspaper articles, periodicals, and books. Pasadena writers Olive Percival, Helen Lukes Gaut, and Una Nixson Hopkins "documented the evolution of the Pasadena bungalow through articles in House Beautiful, Craftsman, Country Life in America, Keith's, Ladies' Home Journal, Good Housekeeping, and House and Garden. Writer George Wharton James wrote some forty books with Arts and Crafts and Southwestern themes, founded the Arroyo Guild of artisans, produced a publicity journal for the Mt. Lowe Inclined Railway, and for a time was associate editor of the Craftsman magazine; James also edited the

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Arroyo Craftsman, modeled after the Craftsman, but it lasted only one issue.⁴⁷ And California Arts and Crafts polemicist Charles F. Lummis, also a leader in the American Arts and Crafts movement, wrote many books on poetry and essays on Arts and Crafts ideals and the Southwest, edited Land of Sunshine/Out West, and founded the Southwest Museum; Lummis's nearby Arroyo home and studio, El Alisal, "became a salon for local artistic talent as well as an oasis for notables who crossed the desert to visit Los Angeles—and Lummis!" **

In a contemporary assessment by Boston architect Ralph Adams Cram in his book, *American Country Houses of Today* (1913), Cram writes of the Greenes, Maybeck—and more specifically of California Arts and Crafts architecture:

One must see the real and revolutionary thing in its native haunts of Berkeley and Pasadena to appreciate it in all its varied charm and its striking beauty. Where it comes from heaven knows, but we are glad it arrived, for it gives a new zest to life, a new object for admiration. There are things in it Japanese; things that are Scandinavian; things that hint at Sikkim, Bhutan, and the fastness of Tibet, and yet it all hangs together, it is beautiful, it is contemporary, and for some reason or other it seems to fit California. Structurally it is a blessing; only too often the exigencies of our assumed precedents lead us into the wide and easy road of structural duplicity, but in this sort of thing there is only an honesty that is sometimes almost brazen. It is a wooden style built woodenly, and it has the force and the integrity of Japanese architecture. Added to this is the elusive element of charm that comes only from the personality of the creator, and charm in a degree hardly matched in other modern work.⁴⁹

Arts and Crafts Movement and the Architecture of the District

The Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District is one of the best and largest collections in Pasadena of single-family residential buildings produced during the Arts and Crafts movement. The district primarily includes mature examples of Arts and Crafts architecture—50 of the 61 contributing buildings were constructed during the mature period of the Arts and Crafts movement, 1895-1918—in which the integration of Arts and Crafts ideals is apparent in the building form and characteristics, stylistic treatments, and exceptional craftsmanship; the district also includes a few transitional and late examples, constructed in the years following the mature period of the movement. Fifty-three of the 61 contributing buildings are examples of the Craftsman-style bungalow—most associated with the American Arts and Crafts movement and California (often simply called the "California style")—and particularly associated with the Greenes and Pasadena. A few Arts and Crafts examples of the Colonial Revival, Prairie, and Mission Revival styles are also included in the district. And the district is complemented by a distinctive period streetscape with northern vistas of the San Gabriel Mountains, elevated lots, generous, uniform, and landscaped building setbacks, arroyo stone and concrete retaining walls, and closely-spaced rows of mature street trees.

As typical of the larger Arts and Crafts movement as a whole, the predominant building form of the district is the bungalow, characterized by a square or rectangular plan, horizontal lines, wide roofs, and plain trim work; the Arts and Crafts utopian and agrarian ideal of simple, informal building forms in pastoral settings is evident in a "unity in

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artistic expression derived from nature, straightforward construction and handcraftsmanship, minimal finish and restraint in ornamentation, [and] use of vernacular sources and references to indigenous cultural heritage." Typical of the Arts and Crafts influences in the district are: the use of rustic materials and finishes, evoking the environment of the Arroyo (particularly in the extensive use of wood); simple vernacular—inspired detailing and ornamentation, illustrating the importance of hand-skilled craftsmanship and vernacular—particularly Southern California vernacular—design sources; the incorporation of banks of windows and "outdoor rooms" to take advantage of the exceptional Southern California climate and to extend living spaces into the natural environment; and the expression of an agrarian relationship of the building to the landscape, evident in the definitive horizontality of the buildings which, "attempt[s] to associate well known picturesque human contrivances with the picturesque natural landscapes."

The high-style and highly-accomplished work of the Greenes was the unsurpassed representation of American Arts and Crafts philosophy and aesthetics in architecture. But, as the district shows, much of the work produced by other architects and builders in Pasadena during the mature period of the movement equally represents the integration of Arts and Crafts ideals and the high-quality craftsmanship typical of the period. The exceptional-quality craftsmanship of the district is most evident in the use and careful detailing of: arroyo stone and wood in foundations and chimneys; porch supports and piers; entryways; doors, windows, and trimwork; sleeping porches, pergolas, and porte-cocheres; wall and siding treatments; heavy timber framing; eave/rafter treatments; and gable vents. The district includes some of the best examples in Pasadena of the work of local Craftsman builder David M. Renton, who constructed seventeen of the contributing buildings in the district, and is noted for his highly accomplished and exceptionally well crafted interpretations of the bungalow form and the Arts and Crafts philosophy and aesthetics.

The Orange Heights/Barnhart Tract Historic District is distinct from other comparable areas in Pasadena—which also illustrate the influence of Arts and Crafts ideals—in terms of: the number of contributing buildings representative of the Arts and Crafts ideals of the mature period of the movement; the predominant building form (property type), most commonly the one-and-a-half-story, regular-plan, Craftsman bungalow; the exceptional quality of the stylistic treatments and craftsmanship; and the intact and distinctive period streetscape, furthering the Arts and Crafts setting of the district. The district remains, in comparison, one of the best and largest collections of exclusively-Arts and Crafts buildings produced in Pasadena during the Arts and Crafts movement. 52

Other areas of Pasadena, such as "Little Switzerland," the Prospect Historic District (listed in the Register), and the so-called "Arroyo Culture" District—all on the banks of the Arroyo Seco—include many Arts and Crafts buildings of exceptional execution and craftsmanship. But "Little Switzerland," with the largest collection of Greene and Greene buildings anywhere (including their paramount Gamble House), has less than a dozen buildings. The adjacent Prospect Historic District, originally developed as part of a 1906 subdivision and including buildings by the Greenes, G. Lawrence Stimson, Frederick L. Roehrig, and the Heinemans, has a mixture of buildings from the Arts and Crafts period and later Period Revival buildings; while of high-quality craftsmanship, these later Period Revival buildings do not typify the Arts and Crafts ideals. And the "Arroyo Culture" district, named for the "colony" of artists,

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craftspeople, writers, and musicians who lived along the Arroyo (and including the houses and studios designed and built by artists Batchelder and Mannheim), likewise is a mixture of Arts and Crafts and later building styles.

The Oak Knoll and Madison Heights neighborhood also include many fine Arts and Crafts examples; the Oak Knoll neighborhood in particular includes the Heinemans' Ross and O'Brien Houses and the Greenes' Blacker and Cordelia A. Culbertson Houses. But the Arts and Crafts examples in the Oak Knoll and Madison Heights neighborhoods are outnumbered by later Period Revival buildings; the Oak Knoll buildings are high-style, irregular-plan examples, further distinguishing them from those of the Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District. Still other groupings of Arts and Crafts building are comparable in quality and predominant building form but contain fewer resources, such as the South Marengo Avenue Historic District (listed in the Register), with twelve contributing buildings, and the South Oakland Avenue grouping in the Central District, with fourteen buildings.

The Bungalow Heaven Landmark District (local landmark district), with over 800 buildings, consists almost entirely of Arts and Crafts bungalows, both mature and late examples. Most of these are low-style, one-story examples of the "builder bungalow," popularized by pattern books, mail order plans, and pre-cut packages. Even smaller sections of the Bungalow Heaven district have buildings with different form, plan characteristics, stylistic treatments than those of the Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District. And Bungalow Heaven, with a gentle grade, lacks the distinctive streetscape of Orange Heights with the arroyo stone and concrete retaining walls.

Streetscape of the District

The historic character of the district is greatly enhanced by an intact streetscape of mature street trees; wide grass parkways; concrete curbs, gutters, and sidewalks; distinctive stone and concrete retaining walls; and continuous, uniform landscaped building setbacks and sideyards. These streetscape elements, dating from the original 1906 Orange Heights subdivision, are important visual features of the district, complement the contributing buildings and "sense of place" of the district, and complete an overall Arts and Crafts composition largely unchanged from its original appearance:

The northeastern section [of Pasadena] has been receiving and continues to receive much attention. Of all the tracts placed on the market[,] one of the finest, and in some respects the most favorably situated, is the Orange Heights tract. Its high, sightly location and groves of orange trees in healthy bearing are some of its attractions. Mr. George F. Thompson and his associates have made their subdivision as near perfect as possible before placing it on the market. Beautiful streets have been graded, curbed, guttered, and sidewalked, and water piped to every lot. Orange Heights has also the advantage of being inside the city limits, and is one of the few close in and choice tracts that escaped subdivision until now. It is close to the Madison School and the Los Robles car line will be built by the tract. These and other advantages will insure an early sale of the lots.⁵³

Like the buildings of the district, the streetscape also illustrates the influence of Arts and Crafts ideals. Not only does the natural slope create dramatic views of the San Gabriel Mountains and the valley; it also necessitates the use of

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high retaining walls, constructed of arroyo stone and scored concrete. The distinctive arroyo stonework is particularly well crafted and is, of course, closely associated with the Craftsman bungalow and the Arts and Crafts movement. Also, the retaining walls and steps, landscaped setbacks, and curved walkways frame views, further illustrate high-quality craftsmanship, and depict a picturesque aesthetic promulgated by the Arts and Crafts movement.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

David Malcolm Renton

Contractor David Malcolm Renton designed and built seventeen (fifteen residences and one two-building bungalow court) of the contributing buildings in the district—many of them side-by-side—the largest and best collection of his work in Pasadena. Renton moved to California from New England and first worked in Pasadena in 1904 on the construction of several buildings for the Mt. Wilson Toll Road Company. Between 1904 and 1918, Renton built nearly one hundred houses in and around Pasadena, serving as developer, designer, and builder. A unique entrepreneur, he would build the garage first and live in it while building the house itself; then he would sell the completed house and move to his next project site. Renton apparently moved from garage to garage until 1912, when he had "accumulated enough ahead to furnish his house on Galena [now 1006 North Oakland Avenue]." Renton also worked as a building contractor for, among others, architects Greene and Greene. In 1919, Renton was "discovered" by William Wrigley, the Wrigley chewing gum magnet, who had Renton construct several houses for him. Wrigley later made Renton Vice President and General Manager of the Catalina Island Companies, for which Renton oversaw the development of the town of Avalon, the roads, and several Wrigley buildings.

The Renton-constructed buildings in the district are some of the best examples of his work as a builder-designer. Renton is noted for his highly accomplished interpretations of the bungalow form and the Arts and Crafts philosophy and aesthetics—and particularly for his skilled craftsmanship—which, at its best, was some of the finest Arts and Crafts work produced in Pasadena. Renton later had his own lumber yard, mill, and cabinet shop where the moldings, doors, and woodwork for his homes were produced. Most of his work in Pasadena was in the Craftsman style, although he did build examples of the Colonial Revival and other styles.

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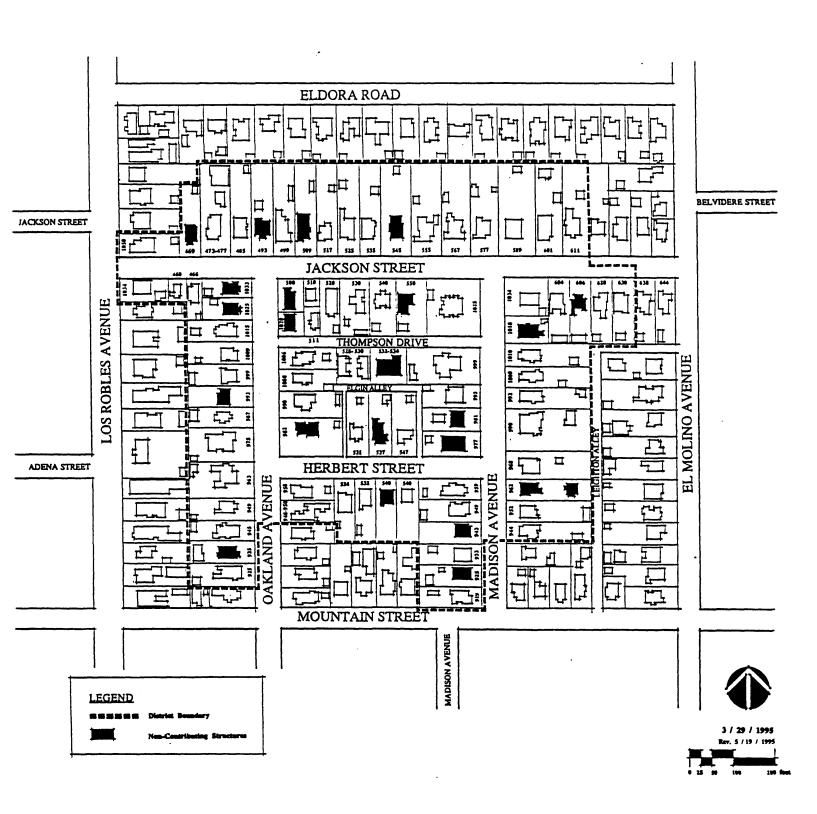
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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

The district boundaries are indicated as the dotted line on the accompanying base map, entitled "Orange Heights/Barnhart Tracts Historic District" (Rev. 5/19/95).

VERBAL BOUNDARY JUSTIFICATION

The district encompasses properties originally developed as part of the Orange Heights and Barnhart tract subdivisions. The district boundaries include contiguous properties which contribute to the historic context of the district and retain integrity. The surrounding properties outside the district, many of which were originally developed within the period of significance, are non-contributing due to a loss of integrity or subsequent newer development which does not contribute to the historic context of the district.



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21.	525 Jackson Street	48.	968 N. Madison Avenue
22.	530 Jackson Street	49.	977 N. Madison Avenue (Non-contributing)
23.	535 Jackson Street	50.	981 N. Madison Avenue (Non-conributing)
24.	540 Jackson Street	51.	990 N. Madison Avenue
25.	545 Jackson Street (Non-contributing)	52.	992 N. Madison Avenue
26.	550 Jackson Street (Non-contributing)	53.	993 N. Madison Avenue
27 .	555 Jackson Street	54.	999 N. Madison Avenue
28.	567 Jackson Street	55.	1000 N. Madison Avenue

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- 58. 1025 N. Madison Avenue
- 59. 1034 N. Madison Avenue
- 60. 929 N. Oakland Avenue
- 61. 935 N. Oakland Avenue (Non-contributing)
- 62. 945 N. Oakland Avenue
- 63. 948-950 N. Oakland Avenue
- 64. 949 N. Oakland Avenue
- 65. 958 N. Oakland Avenue
- 66. 963 N. Oakland Avenue
- 67. 975 N. Oakland Avenue
- 68. 982 N. Oakland Avenue (Non-contributing)
- 69. 987 N. Oakland Avenue
- 70. 990 N. Oakland Avenue
- 71. 993 N. Oakland Avenue (Non-contributing)
- 72. 999 N. Oakland Avenue
- 73. 1000 N. Oakland Avenue
- 74. 1006 N. Oakland Avenue
- 75. 1009 N. Oakland Avenue
- 76. 1015 N. Oakland Avenue
- 77. 1020 N. Oakland Avenue (Non-contributing)
- 78. 1025 N. Oakland Avenue (Non-contributing)
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- 80. 511 Thompson Drive
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Ramon and Rosario Holguin 537 Herbert Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Antonia and Leticia Rico 540 Herbert Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Donald and Anthony Wheeldin 547 Herbert Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Kathleen Lomando 548 Herbert Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Elizabeth Thorburn 466 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Donald Trask 2024 Midlothian Drive Altadena, CA 91001 RE: 469 Jackson Street Mark DeRobertis and Susan Wrenn 475 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104 RE: 473-477 Jackson St.

Marc Zamor and William Minter 147 Las Flores Avenue Arcadia, CA 91006 RE: 485 Jackson Street

Menett Williams 493 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104

J.R. Wilks and Rosemary Robey 499 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104

Amy Vineyard and Lynette Duensing 500 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104

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Frank and Iveal Washington 620 Jackson Street Pasadena, CA 91104

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Gail and Charles Brown 1050 North Los Robles Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Silvina Wheatley 919 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Ronald and Susan Gibson 925 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

William Hamilton Trust
1071 East Woodbury Road
Pasadena, CA 91104
RE: 933 North Madison Avenue

Danny Howell and Barbara Bolan 943 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Frank Hoffman 944 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Craigg Castillo
949 North Madison Avenue
Pasadena, CA 91104

Gary and Katherine Nixon 952 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

John Thie and Family Trust 959 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104 James Slocum and Nancy Lauderdal Skovholp 962 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

John and Bonnie Armstrong 968 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Armando and Bernadette Diwa 1156 North Wilson Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104 RE: 977 North Madison Avenue

Prostestant Episcopal Church P.O. Box 2164 Los Angeles, CA 90051 RE: 981 North Madison Avenue

Stephen and Jean Mann 990 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Ameen Alwan 992 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Vetza and Samuel Trussell, Jr. 9410 Cofty Lane Herry Valley, CA 92223 RE: 993 North Madison Avenue

Robert and Margie Geary 999 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, Ca 91104

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Richard and Ireta Wernecke 1025 North Madison Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Daniel Hunter 1034 North Madison Avenue Pasadena CA 91104

Barry Sanders and Buddy Weisman 929 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Betty Ho 1861 Broadland Avenue Duarte, CA 91010 RE: 935 North Oakland Avenue

Dec'd Estate of Carlos Morales 945 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Byron Hoover/Byron Hoover Trust 948 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104 RE: 948-950 North Oakland Avenue

Marian Moore 949 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104 John and Judith Godfrey 958 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Charles and Irene Burkner 963 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Luther and Margaret Renfroe 975 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 01194

Toshiaka Yamaoka 982 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Arthur and Esperanza Martinez 987 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Robert and Anita Holloway 990 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Louis Day and Margaret Renfroe 975 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104 RE: 993 North Oakland Avenue

Herbert Rempel and HS Rempel Decd Trust 999 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

Richard White and Teri Mermer 1000 North Oakland Avenue Pasadena, CA 91104

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