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National Register of Historic Places Inventory—Nomination Form

Pulaski County Multiple Resource Continuation sheet Area, Kentucky Item number

Name: Withers House (PUS-25)

Location: 116 Maple Street, Somerset, KY

Owner: Mrs. Hobart Withers 116 Maple Street Somerset, KY 42501 Classification: Building

<u>Description:</u> Constructed ca. 1890, the Withers House is a fine example of the Queen Anne style. The two-story brick house features a one-story frame porch on the main facade with Tuscan columns resting on brick piers. The east facade also features a prominent bay window and corner octagonal tower with a conical roof and finial. Windows are one-over-one sash with brick relief arching and rusticated stone sills. In the gable fields are pressed metal shingles and decorative vent windows. The hipped roof features the original covering of pressed metal shingles. All interior woodwork and fixtures on the interior are original.

<u>Significance</u>: The Withers House was constructed in 1909 by Mr. Thomas Hamilton. The house is one of Somerset's best examples of the Queen Anne style and displays an interesting asymmetrical plan with a large frame porch and corner tower. It also features a bay window and decorative pressed metal shingles. The house has not been altered and retains its original architectural character. Many of the original interior features have also been retained. It remains as one of the city's largest and best preserved Queen Anne style homes.

Acreage: .15

<u>Verbal Boundary Description</u>: The boundary encompassing the property is designated as lot 4 of block 24 on Somerset tax maps.

UTM References: (Somerset Quadrangle) 16/712780/4107738



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