HISTORIC LANDMARK COMMISSION JULY 28, 2014 DEMOLITION AND RELOCATION PERMITS HDP-2014-0568 206 E. LIVE OAK STREET

PROPOSAL

Demolish a ca. 1926 house with a two-story ca. 1939 addition.

ARCHITECTURE

The ca. 1926 house is a one-story, rectangular-plan, hipped roof bungalow with a partialwidth clipped-front gabled independent porch on painted brick piers with paired battered posts; paired 1:1 fenestration. The ca. 1939 two-story brick and frame addition is to the west (left) of the house, and set back to coincide with the rear of the bungalow. The addition is two-stories, rectangular-plan, and side-gabled with a full-width, double front porch; paired 1:1 fenestration.

RESEARCH

The house was built around 1926 by Clyde E. Pafford, a floor contractor. He and his wife, Mathilda, lived here until around 1930, when the house was purchased by Estey R. and Mary B. (Marie) Youngblood, who lived here for the rest of their lives. Estey R. Youngblood had worked in a garage in Ardmore, Oklahoma in 1920, and by 1930, had moved to Austin, purchased this house, and was employed in the insurance industry. He went on to become the district manager for the National Life and Accident Insurance Company, with offices in the Norwood Building. The Youngbloods built the two-story addition in 1939. After Estey's death in 1963, Marie Youngblood continued to live in this house until her death in 1987. The house then became a gallery, and is currently office space.

STAFF COMMENTS

The house and addition are listed in the Comprehensive Cultural Resources Survey (1984) but without a priority for research.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Initiate historic zoning. The house is a classic example of a mid-1920s bungalow, and the ca. 1939 addition has also attained worth for consideration due to its age. Further research is necessary to determine more about Estey Youngblood – while it is known that he died in September, 1963, he apparently did not die in Texas, as there is no information in Texas death records regarding the date of his passing, and therefore, the ability to find an obituary that might explain more about his life. Further, this is an area of South Austin that contains a number of large, 1920s era houses that have been converted to commercial use – adaptive re-use of this house and its addition will maintain and preserve the character of this important street just off South Congress Avenue.





OCCUPANCY HISTORY 206 East Live Oak Street

City Directory Research, Austin History Center By City Historic Preservation Office November, 2011

1992	Sunset Studio Gallery Don Garner, proprietor
1985-86	Mrs. E.R. Youngblood, owner Retired
1981	E.R. Youngblood, owner Retired
1974	Mary B. Youngblood, owner Widow, E.R. Youngblood Retired
1969	Mary Youngblood (not listed as owner) Widow, E.R. Youngblood Retired
1963	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners No occupation listed
1958	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners No occupation listed
1954	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners No occupation listed Also listed are Newt C. and LaDonna Youngblood; he was in the U.S. Navy.
1952	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 119 W. 5 th Street.
1949	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602 Capital National Bank Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets.
1947	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602-03 Capital National Bank Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets.
1944-45	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. Also listed are Estey R. and Floranell Youngblood, Jr., he was in the U.S. Army; and Lindsay Youngblood, U.S. Army.
1941	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets.

	Also listed are Estey R. Youngblood, Jr., no occupation stated; Lindsey S. Youngblood, a student at the University of Texas; and Mary C. Youngblood, the widow of William S. Youngblood, no occupation stated.
1939	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. Also listed are Estey R. Youngblood, Jr., a student at the University of Texas; and Lindsey S. Youngblood, a student at the University of Texas.
1937	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602-03 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. Also listed are Estey R. Youngblood, Jr., a student at the University of Texas; Lindsey Youngblood, no occupation stated; and Mary C. Youngblood, the widow of William S. Youngblood, no occupation stated.
1935	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 602-03 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. NOTE: The house is listed as 110 East Live Oak Street.
1932-33	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 1201-02 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. NOTE: The house is listed as 110 East Live Oak Street.
1930-31	Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood, owners Manager, National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 1201-02 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets. NOTE: The house is listed as 110 East Live Oak Street. NOTE: Clyde and Mathilda Pafford are listed at 807 Patterson Avenue.
1929	Clyde E. and Matilda Pafford, owners Contractor (office at the house) Also listed is Thomas E. Pafford, employed by Clyde E. Pafford. NOTE: The house is listed as 110 East Live Oak Street. NOTE: Estie R. and Marie Youngblood are listed as living at 403 W. 35 th Street; he was the district manager for the National Life and Accident Insurance Company, 1201-02 Norwood Building, 7 th and Colorado Streets.
1927	Clyde E. and Matilda Pafford, owners No occupation listed NOTE: The house is listed as 110 East Live Oak Street.
1924	The address is not listed in the directory. NOTE: Clyde E. and Matilda Pafford are listed as living at 208½ E. 9 th Street; he had no occupation listed.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Clyde E. and Matilda Pafford (ca. 1926 – ca. 1930)

The 1930 U.S. Census shows Clyde and Mathilda Pafford as the renters of a house at 807 Patterson Avenue in Austin. Clyde Pafford was 37, had been born in Texas, and was a floor contractor in the building trades. Mathilda Pafford was 26, had been born in Texas, and had no

occupation listed. They had a 1-year old daughter, Loris. With them lived Clyde's brother, Thomas Pafford, a 25-year old floor finisher. By 1940, Clyde and Mathilda Pafford were renting a house at 2407 Dam Boulevard (Lake Austin Boulevard today). Clyde Pafford was the storeroom keeper for the Austin Transit Company. Neither Mathilda nor Loris had an occupation listed. With them lived Mathilda's parents, Frank and Bertha Rinker. Neither had an occupation listed.

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Funeral notice for Clyde Pafford Austin <u>American</u>, January 19, 1956

PAFFORD, Mathilda Rinker, 74, 8314 Polar Drive, died Saturday. Services 10 a.m. Monday at Hyltin-Manor Funeral Home. Burial, Austin Memorial Park. Survivor: daughter, Mrs. Leonard T. Tallas of Austin.

Obituary of Mathilda Pafford Austin <u>American-Statesman</u>, April 2, 1978

Estey R. and Mary Belle Youngblood (ca. 1930 – 1987)

The 1920 U.S. Census shows E.R. and Marie Youngblood living in a rented house in Ardmore, Oklahoma, where E.R. Youngblood worked in an automobile garage. He was 25, and had been born in Missouri. Marie Youngblood was 22, had been born in Texas, and had no occupation listed. They had a son, E.R., Jr., 1, who had been born in Texas.

Estey R. and Mary B. Youngblood are listed in the 1930 U.S. Census as the owners of this house, which was worth \$5,000. Estey R. Youngblood was 36, and was a manager in the

insurance business. Mary B. Youngblood was 35, and had no occupation listed. They had 3 children: Estey R. Jr., 11; Lindsey, 9; and Mary JoAnn, 1. All of the children had been born in Texas.

The 1940 U.S. Census shows the family living in this house, which they owned, and which was worth \$7,000. Estey R. Youngblood was the district manager for a life insurance company. In addition to the 3 children listed in the 1930 census report, they had another son, Newton, 9. With them lived Estey's mother, Mary Carolyn Youngblood, a 69-year old Kentucky-born widow with no occupation listed.

Estey Youngblood died in September, 1963.

	Mary Belle (Marie) Youngblood Mary Belle (Marie) Youngblood, 92, died Tuesday. Mrs. Youngblood was born in Eagle				
Mrs. Youngblood was preceded in death by her husband, E.R. Youngb- lood, Sr. PM Survivors include her sons, Estey R. Youngblood, Jr. of Sildell, Louisiana, Lindsey S. Youngblood of Kerville, Newton C. Youngblood of Austin: S	seven grandchildren; and nine at-grandchildren. uneral services will be held 1:30 Friday at Wilke-Amey-Clay Fu- al Home, with Reverend Dutch z officiating. Entombment will be Memorial Hill Mausoleum. ervices under the direction of i ke-Amey-Clay Funeral Home.				

Obituary of Mary Youngblood Austin American-Statesman, November 19, 1987

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Building permit to Estey R. Youngblood for the construction of the 2-story addition to the house (1939)