# HISTORIC LANDMARK COMMISSION AUGUST 22, 2016 DEMOLITION AND RELOCATION PERMITS HDP-2016-0501 2800 E. CESAR CHAVEZ STREET

#### **PROPOSAL**

Demolish a ca. 1929 commercial building.

#### ARCHITECTURE

One-story, rectangular-plan, sloping flat-roofed frame commercial building with a combination of window types, including modern replacement windows.

#### RESEARCH

The building appears to have been built around 1929, and served as a filling station until around 1950. One of the owners of the filling station, Pink Lockwood, lived next door at 2806 E. Cesar Chavez Street. Lockwood operated a filling station here in the mid-1930s.

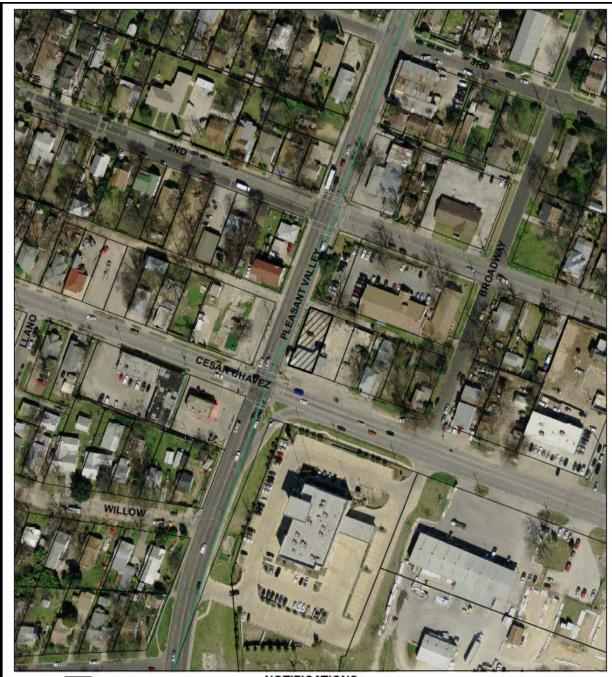
Around 1950, the building was used as an auto repair shop, and after a short period of vacancy in the late 1950s, it became home to Burt's Auto Parts, which did business here until the late 1980s. Since then, the property has been used as a used car lot.

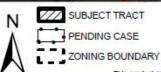
#### STAFF COMMENTS

The building does not appear in any City survey.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Release the permit. The building has been significantly modified over time and does not retain its historic appearance; it does not qualify as a historic landmark.





#### NOTIFICATIONS

CASE#: HDP-2016-0501 LOCATION: 2800 E. Cesar Chavez

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1"=139'

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## 2800 E. Cesar Chavez Street ca. 1929



### OCCUPANCY HISTORY 2800 E. Cesar Chavez Street

City Directory Research, Austin History Center By City Historic Preservation Office August, 2016

1992 Hinton Motors, used cars

Sylvester Hinton, proprietor

NOTE: Sylvester and Mollie Hinton lived at Manchaca, Texas.

1985-86 Burt's Auto Parts

Jimmie Robbins, proprietor

NOTE: Jimmie Robbins lived at 2806 E. 1st (Cesar Chavez) Street.

1981 Burt's Auto Parts

Jimmie Robbins, proprietor

NOTE: Jimmie Robbins lived at 2806 E. 1st (Cesar Chavez) Street.

1977 Burt's Auto Parts

Durward M. Hause, proprietor

NOTE: Durward and Ena Hause lived at 1707 Drake Avenue.

1973 Burt's Auto Parts

Toni W. Snowden, proprietor

NOTE: Toni W. Snowden, the widow of James E. Snowden, lived at 602

Henderson Street.

1968 **Burt's Auto Parts** James E. Snowden, proprietor NOTE: James E. and Toni Snowden lived at 602 Henderson Street. 1965 **Burt's Auto Parts** James E. Snowden, proprietor NOTE: James E. and Toni Snowden lived at 602 Henderson Street. **Burt's Auto Parts** 1962 James E. Snowden, proprietor NOTE: James E. and Toni Snowden lived at 602-D Henderson Street. 1959 The address is not listed in the directory. NOTE: Burt's Auto Parts is not listed in the directory. 1955 Vacant 1952 James A. Compton, auto repair NOTE: James A. and Maud T. Compton lived at 106 Pleasant Valley Road. 1949 Lefty's Garage, gas station James L. Cannaday, proprietor NOTE: James L. and Daisy Cannaday lived at 611 Tillery Street. 1947 Wilson Bros. Service Station and Garage Jackson C. and David S. Wilson, proprietors NOTE: Both Jackson C. Wilson and Davis S. Wilson lived on rural route 2. 1944-45 Vacant 1941 Gus M. Bukowsky, filling station NOTE: Gus M. Bukowsky lived at 1509 Holly Street. Also listed is Fletcher Kuhlman, a civil engineer. 1939 Jenke's Service Station Albert Jenke, proprietor NOTE: Albert Jenke lived on rural route 2. 1937 P.B. Lockwood, filling station NOTE: P.B. and Josephine Lockwood lived at 2806 E. 1st (Cesar Chavez) Street. 1935 Jodie Dupree, filling station NOTE: Jodie Dupree also had a filling station at 1300 E. 6<sup>th</sup> Street. He and his wife, Irma, lived at 913 Taylor Street. 1932-33 Vacant 1930-31 Vacant 1929 The address shows a residential listing.

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Water service permit to G.S. Hamby for this address (1929)