# HISTORIC LANDMARK COMMISSION JUNE 24, 2019 DEMOLITION AND RELOCATION PERMITS HDP-2019-0306 201 LELAND STREET

#### PROPOSAL

Demolish a ca. 1935 house.

#### ARCHITECTURE

One-story, rectangular-plan building; side-gabled jerkinhead roof; wood siding; 1:1 wood-sash windows; bracketed entry hood.

### RESEARCH

201 Leland Street was occupied by a series of short-term occupants, including a movie projectionist, several policemen, and members of the Air Force. Carpenter R. S. and his wife Vivian Ellason (or Ellison) owned the property and lived there at two brief intervals.

## STAFF COMMENTS

Designation Criteria—Historic Landmark

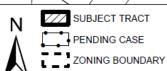
- 1) The building is more than 50 years old.
- 2) The building appears to retain a high degree of integrity.
- 3) Properties must meet two historic designation criteria for landmark designation (City of Austin Land Development Code, Section 25-2-352). The property appears to demonstrate significance according to one criterion.
  - a. **Architecture.** The house embodies the distinguishing characteristics of the Craftsman style.
  - b. **Historical association**. The house was occupied by a series of short-term residents. There do not appear to be significant historical associations.
  - c. **Archaeology**. The property was not evaluated for its potential to yield significant data concerning the human history or prehistory of the region.
  - d. **Community value**. The property does not appear to have a unique location, physical characteristic, or significant feature that contributes to the character, image, or cultural identity of the city, a neighborhood, or a particular group.
  - e. **Landscape feature**. The property is not a significant natural or designed landscape with artistic, aesthetic, cultural, or historical value to the city.

The property does not appear to be eligible for designation as a historic landmark.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Release the permit.





# NOTIFICATIONS CASE#: HDP-2019-0306

LOCATION: 201 Leland St.

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# Photos



Primary (north) façade and east elevation of 201 Leland Street.

## Occupancy History

Completed by Historic Preservation Office staff, June 2019

1939	Not 1	: ~ <b>-</b> 1

1935 R. S. and Vivian Ellason, owners Carpenter, no employer listed

> Samuel and Billie Duffie Projectionist, Skinny's Theater

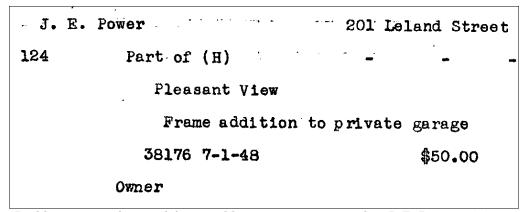
1939 Unit A: A. E. and Francis K. Amos, renters Photographer, City Police Department

*Unit B:* H. W. and Mavis S. Fuhrman, renters Motorcycle policeman, no employer listed

- 1941 Ralph S. and Vivian Ellison, owners Carpenter, no employer listed
- 1944-45 John R. and Juanita H. West, renters Manager, Johnnie's Place
- John R. and Juanita H. West and one child, renters Manager, Jonnie's (sic) Place (John); assistant manager, Johnnie's Place (Juanita)

1949	Mrs. Idella Rylander, owner No occupation listed
1952	Dalton and Shirley Stewart, renters Station attendant, no employer listed
1955	Raymond and Halla Hovell, renters U.S. Air Force
1959	Donald E. and Barbara McLaughlin, renters Student
1962	Donald and Ann Roper, renters City policeman
1965	Charles W. and Alice A. Miller, renters Checker, Rylander's Grocery
1968	Howard M. and Jenney Ginsel, renters U.S. Air Force (Howard); clerk, Capitol Tourist Information Center (Jenney)
1973	Gerald M. and Winifred Thomason, renters Worker, State Department of Public Welfar
1977	Gerald M. and Maria Thomason, renters No occupation listed
1981	Linda J. Zizulka, renter Assistant curator, City Public Library
1986	M. V. Summerall, renter No occupation listed
1992	Mary Summerall, renter No occupation listed

# Building Permits



Building permit for wood-frame addition to garage issued to J. E. Power, 7/1/1948.