

HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource Address: 811 S Ridgeland Ave Oak Park Illinois 60304 USA
County: Cook
Historic name:
Present name:
Local place name:
Visible from public right of way: Yes
Ownership:
Owner/Address:
Land unit size:
Site/Setting:



Lat/Long: 41.8739469888541900, -87.7844939828033300 [WGS84]

UTM: Zone 16T, 434901.7836 mE, 4636078.3447 mN

Parcel No.

Historical Information

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling	Current Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling
Construction Date: ca. 1900-1909 , documented 1907*	Architect: Frank O. DeMoney
Original or Significant Owners:	Builder: S. T. Gunderson & Sons
Significant Date/Period:	Developer: S. T. Gunderson & Sons
Areas of Significance:	

Architectural Information

Category: building, Single-family residence	Style: Craftsman	<input type="checkbox"/> Additions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alterations <input type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/> Other Ancillary structures: 1 total including garage
Structural: box frame	Exterior Material(s): modern artificial siding	
Stories: 2.5, Bays:	Roof Material: asphalt shingles	
Form or Plan: foursquare, rectangular	Roof Type: Gable , box cornice , exposed rafters and brackets	
Foundation: Stone	Windows: original wood 8/8 double-hung sashes	
General condition: Good	Chimney(s): one Rear	
Basement: full	Porch: single-story Full-width enclosed porch	

Historical Summary:

811 S Ridgeland Ave (originally S 64th Ave) is a contributing building within the Gunderson Historic District. It was designed by Frank O. DeMoney and built by developer S. T. Gunderson & Sons in 1907.

Status (Current Listing or Designation)

National: indiv. district landmrk.
 State/Province: indiv. district landmrk.
 Local: indiv. district landmrk.

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Evaluation (Preparer's Assessment of Eligibility)

Recommendation

- Individually eligible
 Eligible as contributing resource
 Not eligible / non-contributing
 Not determined

Level of potential eligibility

- National
 State
 Local

Landmark potential

- National
 State
 Local



Description/Remarks

This is a 2.5-story single-family residence in the Craftsman style built in 1907. The structural system is box frame. The foundation is stone. Exterior walls are modern artificial siding. Front facade has been covered with siding, leaving original stucco on north and south sides exposed. The building has a gable roof clad in asphalt shingles with box cornice and exposed rafters and brackets and one gabled dormer. One large front-facing gabled dormer. There is one rear chimney. Windows are original wood, 8/8 double-hung sashes. Bay located on south side of house. Dormer windows are 2 over 1 and porch appears to have awning windows with 6 panes. There is a single-story, full-width enclosed porch characterized by a low sloped hip roof roof clad in asphalt shingles with rectangular paneled wood posts.

 Date source: Village of Oak Park building permit archives. Other sources: Building permit records.

Survey and Recorder		
Project: Historic Resources of Oak Park	Sequence/Key no.:	Survey Date: 6/17/14
Prepared By: Jeff Sobczyk	Report Title/Name: Survey and Planning	Previous Surveys: Gunderson Housing Survey 1997
Inventoried: 06/17/2014 11:50:23 am Last updated: 04/29/2020 4:08:52 pm by /	Level of Survey: <input type="checkbox"/> Reconnaissance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intensive	Additional Research Recommended? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No