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COLORADO CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY

# Architectural Inventory Form

Official eligibility determination (OAHP use only) Date \_\_\_\_\_\_Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Determined Eligible- NR

- Determined Eligible- NR Determined Not Eligible- NR Determined Eligible- SR
- Determined Not Eligible- SR
  - Need Data
  - Contributes to eligible NR District
  - Noncontributing to eligible NR District

#### I. Identification

- 1. Resource number: \_\_\_\_\_ 5ME.14703
- 2. Temporary resource number: 1425.TEX
- 3. County: <u>Mesa</u>
- 4. City: Grand Junction
- 5. Historic building name: \_\_\_\_\_\_n/a\_\_\_\_
- 6. Current building name: \_\_\_\_\_\_n/a\_\_\_\_
- 7. Building address: <u>1425 Texas Ave.</u>
- 8. Owner name and address: <u>Nicklas J Beightel</u>

1425 Texas Ave Grand Junction, CO 81501-6331

#### **II. Geographic Information**

9. P.M. <u>Ute Principal Meridian</u> Township <u>1 South</u> Range <u>1 West</u> <u>SE\_1/4 of SE\_1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 12</u>

### 10. UTM reference Zone <u>1 2; 7 1 2 0 5 1 mE 4 3 2 8 7 0 4 mN</u>

- 11. USGS quad name: Grand Junction Quadrangle
- Year: 1962 rev.1973
   Map scale: 7.5' X 15' Attach photo copy of appropriate map section.

   12. Lot(s): 3
   Block: 3

Addition: Prospect Park Year of Addition: 1947

## 13. Boundary Description and Justification: Legal description of the site is: Lot 3 Blk 3 Prospect Park

Assessors Office Parcel ID # 2945-123-14-003

This description was chosen as the most specific and customary description of the site.

#### III. - Architectural Description -

- 14. Building plan (footprint, shape): Irregular Plan
- 15. Dimensions in feet: Length<u>48'</u>x Width<u>33'</u>
- 16. Number of stories: 1
- 17. Primary external wall material(s) (enter no more than two): Wood Shingle

18. Roof configuration: (enter no more than one): Gable on Hip Roof

- 19. Primary external roof material (enter no more than one): Asphalt Roof
- 20. Special features (enter all that apply): Porch, Chimney

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- 21. General architectural description: <u>This is a small wood frame house with a generally</u> hipped roof. The short ridge runs east/west and has a small gable revealed at the ends of the ridge. The principal façade faces north. The façade has a symmetrical layout with a central entry door. A vertically proportioned double hung window is centered on the remaining wall, on each side of the door. A small front gable roof sits above the door, it is supported by triangular brackets. A wood porch area sits in front of the door with a wood rail on the perimeter. Two vertically proportioned double hungs are located on the east and west sides. The front window being larger than the rear. The double hungs have a single vertical muntin in each sash. A large low pitched gable addition is located on the rear and extends beyond the east wall. A brick chimney sits just off the ridge at the rear.
- 22. Architectural style/building type: <u>Hipped Box</u>
- 23. Landscaping or special setting features: <u>The house sits on a lot with a couple of trees:</u> <u>otherwise the yard is predominantly lawn.</u>
- 24. Associated buildings, features, or objects: none

#### **IV. Architectural History**

- 25. Date of Construction: Estimate: 1910 Actual: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Actual: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Source of information: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mesa County Assessors Office \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
- 26. Architect: unknown
  Source of information:
- 27. Builder/Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_unknown \_\_\_\_\_ Source of information: \_\_\_\_\_
- 28. Original owner: \_\_\_\_\_\_unknown Source of information: \_\_\_\_\_

30. Original location X Moved Date of move(s):

#### V. Historical Associations

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- 35. Historical background: <u>Although no specific early information was found on this</u> <u>building, Pete Vitgenos, listed as the owner on Prospect Park Plat Map of 1947. Thomas</u> <u>W. Kindel is shown as owner in the 1955 directory and George Kindel is shown as owner</u> <u>in 1956 and 1957. The building is part of Prospect Park subdivision. This area was</u> <u>originally part of the larger Grandview Subdivision established in 1905.</u>
- 36. Sources of information: <u>Mesa County Assessors Office; Museum of Western Colorado</u> <u>Archives; Polk Directories; Prospect Park Plat Map</u>

#### **VI. Significance**

- 37. Local landmark designation: Yes \_\_\_\_ No **X** Date of designation: \_\_\_\_\_ Designating authority: \_\_\_\_\_
- 38. Applicable National Register Criteria:
  - A. Associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad pattern of our history;
  - B. Associated with the lives of persons significant in our past;
  - X C. Embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction, or represents the work of a master, or that possess high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction; or
  - D. Has yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in history or prehistory.
  - Qualifies under Criteria Considerations A through G (see Manual)
  - Does not meet any of the above National Register criteria
- 39. Area(s) of significance: Architecture
- 40. Period of significance: 1910
- 41. Level of significance: National \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Local \_\_X\_\_\_
- 42. Statement of significance: <u>This house is representative of the early suburban</u> <u>development that occurred adjacent to the original core of the city on previously</u> <u>agricultural lands</u>. The town expanded first on the historic arterial streets and then <u>infilled the interior of the grid</u>. This area of town reflects the City's transition, from early <u>suburban development on a small scale to larger production style development during</u> <u>more rapid expansion</u>. Though the automobile was a factor in the location of new <u>development</u>, the small modest houses that were built did not integrate the car into the design.
- 43. Assessment of historic physical integrity related to significance: <u>The addition nearly</u> doubles the size of the house. That, with the other alterations have moderately impacted the integrity of the building.

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#### VII. National Register Eligibility Assessment

- 44. National Register eligibility field assessment:
  - Eligible \_\_\_\_ Not Eligible \_X\_\_\_ Need Data \_\_\_
- 45. Is there National Register district potential? Yes <u>No X</u> Discuss: If there is National Register district potential, is this building: Contributing

46. If the building is in existing National Register district, is it:

Discuss.	-
Contributing	
Noncontributing	_
Contributing	_
Noncontributing	

#### VIII. Recording Information

47. Photograph numbers: Roll # 3 Frame # 19

Negatives filed at: City of Grand Junction Planning Dept.

48. Report title: Grand Junction Phase 3 Survey 49. Date(s): March 2005

50. Recorder(s): Suzannah Reid, Patrick Duffield and Lydia Herron\_

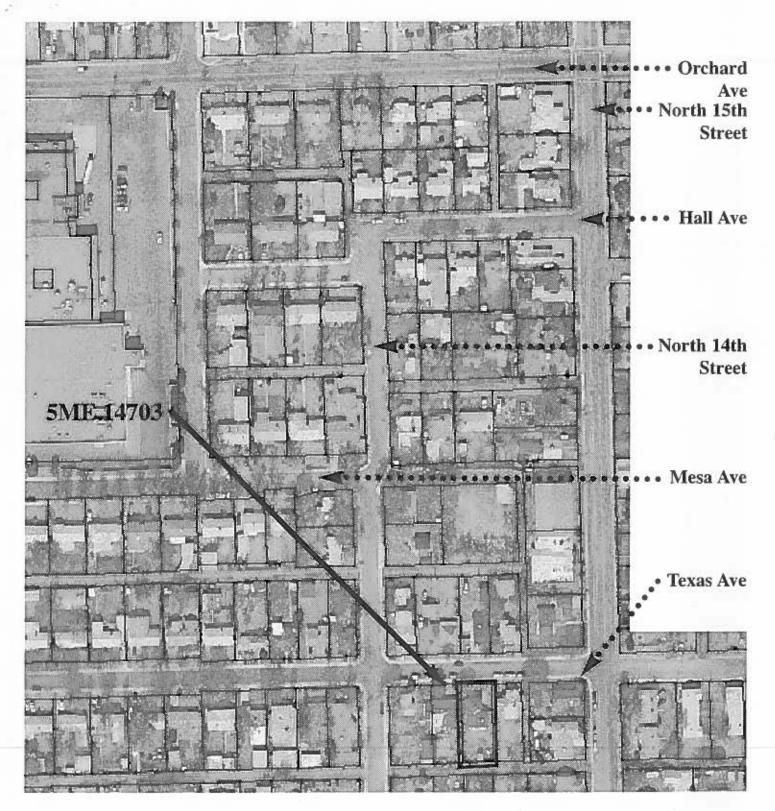
51. Organization: Reid Architects, Inc.

52. Address: PO Box 1303 Aspen, Colorado 81612

53. Phone number(s): 970 920 9225

NOTE: Please attach a sketch map, a photocopy of the USGS quad. map indicating resource location, and photographs.

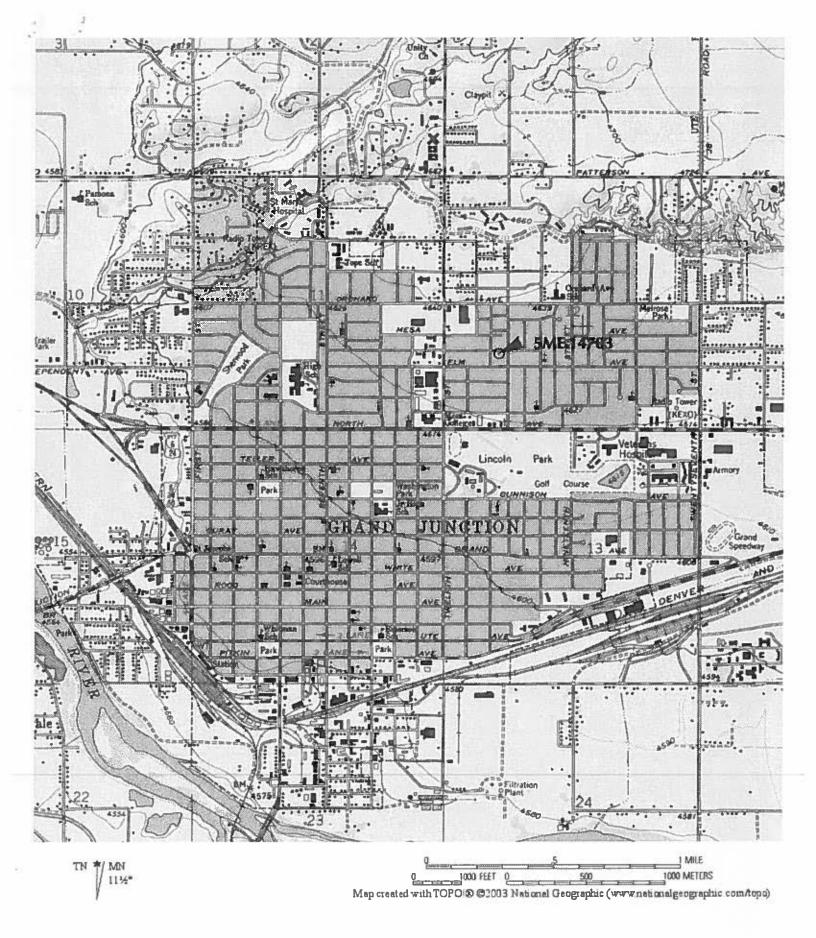
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Grand Junction, Colorado image from 2002 aerial map



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