

CITY OF SUNNYVALE HERITAGE RESOURCES INVENTORY

HERITAGE RESOURCES

Sunnyvale's original Heritage Resources Inventory was adopted in 1979, recognizing properties which have architectural or historic significance. Since that time, the City has added over twenty additional Heritage Resources (adoption date in parentheses). Major exterior changes or demolitions must be approved by the Heritage Preservation Commission through a Resource Alteration Permit. For more information, please contact the Planning Division.

BAYVIEW AVENUE

252 S. Bayview

BORREGAS AVENUE

655 Borregas (3/22/83)

CHARLES STREET

297 Charles

COOLIDGE AVENUE

802 Coolidge

CRESCENT AVENUE

Crescent Avenue Streetscape

148 Crescent

156 Crescent

434 Crescent

448 Crescent

FLORA VISTA AVENUE

321 Flora Vista (8/21/90)

FRANCES STREET

Frances Street Streetscape

(400-500 Blocks)

432 S. Frances

454 S. Frances 464 S. Frances

471 S. Frances

498 S. Frances

500 S. Frances

505 S. Frances

575 S. Frances

580 S. Frances

GALLOWAY COURT

1409 Galloway

MARY AVENUE

113 S. Mary (2/24/81)

MATHILDA AVENUE

221 N. Mathilda

235 S. Mathilda

MCKINLEY AVENUE

322 E. McKinley (9/11/84)

384 E. McKinley (8/21/90)

398 E. McKinley (8/21/90)

MORSE AVENUE

635 Morse (1/15/85)

MURPHY AVENUE

Murphy Avenue Streetscape

(400-500 Blocks)

161 N. Murphy

445 S. Murphy 519 S. Murphy

523-525 S. Murphy

529 S. Murphy

533-535 S. Murphy

585 S. Murphy

591 S. Murphy

OAK COURT

6 Oak Court

Oak Court - Hendy Ironworks

Lamppost (6/30/87)

PASTORIA AVENUE

274 S. Pastoria (moved from

Mary/Central Ex.)

RAMON DRIVE

1358 Ramon (moved from 1535

Sunnyvale-Saratoga Rd.)

RANERE COURT

1029 Ranere (7/28/81)

REMINGTON DRIVE

550 E. Remington - Bianchi Barn

(2003)

SARA AVENUE

325 Sara (10/4/83)

SUNNYVALE AVENUE

N. Sunnyvale Avenue Streetscape

(100 Block)

184 N. Sunnyvale

229 N. Sunnyvale

506 S. Sunnyvale (1/12/82)

525 S. Sunnyvale (1/12/82)

SUNNYVALE-SARATOGA ROAD

1039 Sunnyvale-Saratoga

Sunnyvale-Saratoga/Fremont

(Fremont High School)

TAAFFE STREET

Taaffe Streetscape (500 Block)

571 S. Taaffe

WASHINGTON AVENUE

306 E. Washington

368 E. Washington (3/22/83)

384 E. Washington (8/24/82)

388 E. Washington (8/24/82)

480 E. Washington

WAVERLY STREET

225 Waverly

279 Waverly

381 Waverly

WRIGHT AVENUE

1325 Wright

HERITAGE TREES

The following trees are listed in Sunnyvale's Heritage Resources Inventory. Removal of a Heritage Tree must be approved by the Heritage Preservation Commission. For more information, please contact the Planning Division.

BERNARDO AVENUE

1650 S. Bernardo Coast Live Oak

CALGARY DRIVE

1748 Calgary Drive Coast Live Oak

CALIFORNIA AVENUE

130 E. California (Site of Murphy Homestead)

Palm Trees

DARTSHIRE WAY

814 Dartshire Dawn Redwood

FREMONT AVENUE

871 E. Fremont (Former Butcher's Corner) 3 Coast Live Oak and

1 Valley Oak

HENDY AVENUE

501 E. Hendy American Chestnut **HENDY AVENUE**

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HOLLENBECK AVENUE

880-882 Hollenbeck (Bocks

Ranch) Sycamores

IVES TERRACE

Valley Oak

MANZANITA AVENUE

755 Manzanita Coast Redwood

PASTORIA AVENUE

467 S. Pastoria Coast Redwood

PICASSO TERRACE

674 Picasso Coast Live Oaks **REMINGTON DRIVE**

550 E. Remington (Community Center)

California Live Oak

SHERATON DRIVE

696 Sheraton Drive Coast Live Oak

SUNNYVALE AVENUE

545 S. Sunnyvale *Monkey Puzzle*

TOWN CENTER LANE

2502 Town Center Lane (Town

Center Trees)
Variety Tree Grove

TIFFANY COURT

679 Tiffany Court Coast Live Oak

RESOURCES AND TREES REMOVED FROM THE INVENTORY

The following structures and trees have been removed since the inception of the inventory. Removal date of structures is indicated in parentheses. Properties removed since 2004 have undergone special review by the Heritage Preservation Commission.

ALBERTA AVENUE

666 Alberta (Not Available)

BAYVIEW AVENUE

305 S. Bayview (8/21//90)

CALIFORNIA AVENUE

444 California (Libby's) (1998)

CASCADE DRIVE

1043 Cascade (1994)

CHARLES STREET

335 Charles (2018)*

CRESCENT AVENUE

120 Crescent (1984)

125 Crescent (1981)

138 Crescent (1984)

410 Crescent (1982)

418 Crescent (1982)

428 Crescent (2002)

454 Crescent (1999)

EL CAMINO REAL

140 W. El Camino Real

(Olson)(1999)

870 E. El Camino Real (Butcher

Farmhouse)(1980)

1111 W. El Camino Real

Valley Oak

EVELYN AVENUE

185 E. Evelyn (1986)

394 E. Evelyn (Sunnyvale/Ryan

Hotel)(2006)*

FAIR OAKS AVENUE

182 Fair Oaks (Cal Canners)

(1986)

FLORA VISTA AVENUE

329 Flora Vista (2010)

FLORENCE AVENUE

353 Florence (1998)

373 Florence (1999)

FRANCES STREET

479 Frances (1994)

FREMONT AVENUE

534 W. Fremont (1980)

HEATHERSTONE AVENUE

960 Heatherstone

Casa Delmas Magnolia

MACARA AVENUE

437 Macara (Evulich House (1984)

MATHILDA AVENUE

212 N. Mathilda (1990)

562 S. Mathilda (2018)*

MAUDE AVENUE

333 W. Maude (1980)

MCKINLEY AVENUE

435 E. McKinley (2018)*

437-439 E. McKinley (1998)

693 W. McKinley (2009)*

MORSE AVENUE

316 Morse (2017)*

MURPHY AVENUE

461 S. Murphy (2005)*

529 S. Murphy

California Black Walnut

OLD SAN FRANCISCO ROAD

585 Old San Francisco (2005)*

SUNNYVALE AVENUE

102 S. Sunnyvale (Brandt

Building) (1983)

199 N. Sunnyvale (2005)*

SUNNYVALE-SARATOGA ROAD

1545 Sunnyvale-Saratoga

(1992)

^{*} Removed by determination of the Heritage Preservation Commission



Sunnyvale's Local Landmarks were adopted in 1979, recognizing properties and trees which are particularly important reminders of the community's heritage. Since that time, the City has added additional landmark properties. Major exterior changes must be approved by the Heritage Preservation Commission through a Landmark Alteration Permit. For more information, please contact the Planning Division.

BRIGGS-STELLING HOUSE 822 Springfield Terrace

Originally constructed in the 1870's for George H. Briggs and extensively reconstructed in the 1920's for the Henry S. Stelling family, the mansion recounts the history of Sunnyvale. Briggs was one of the earliest pioneers who came from Boston in 1854. Stelling, the son of one of San Jose's first orchardists, grew pears and award winning cherries. Under his wife's care, the gardens surrounding the mansion became a showcase.

COLLINS-SCOTT WINERY 775 Cascade Drive

Built in 1881 by the Collins brothers, the Collins-Scott Winery is the oldest brick building in Sunnyvale. In 1889 a private railroad was built on the property and more than 300 gallons of wine were shipped daily. In 1927 all of the buildings except the brick distillery were destroyed by fire. In 1965 the present owners, the Duane Heinlen family, remodeled the structure as it stands today.

DEL MONTE BUILDING 114 S. Murphy Avenue

Built in 1904 by the Madison & Bonner packing Company, the building was used for processing dried fruit from nearby orchards. Cannery mergers in 1916 formed the California Packing Corporation now know as "Del Monte." From 1930 to 1986 the building was used for seed processing and research. In 1993, the building was moved to the northeast corner of the 100 block of S. Murphy Avenue (the Murphy Station Heritage Landmark District) to avoid demolition. The building has since been renovated for commercial use.

HENDY IRON WORKS (Northrop Grumman) 501 E. Hendy Avenue

Constructed in 1906, Hendy Iron Works was an industrial pioneer in Sunnyvale. Originally producing equipment for mining gold and silver, the Company supplied Marine Engines in both World War I and World War II. In continuous operation from 1906 to 1946, the company was purchased by Westinghouse Electric in 1947. The water tower stored Sunnyvale's emergency water supply in the early 1900's.

LIBBY WATER TOWER 460 W. California Avenue McNeill & Libby opened in 1907 and by 1922 became the world's largest cannery. The original tower supplied water to the cannery and its workers and was replaced in 1965 by the present structure.

505 S. MURPHY AVENUE

The residence was built in 1939 by the Homer Pfeiffer family and remained in the family until it was sold in the mid-1980's. It is an excellent example of the Tudor Revival style as applied to the suburban house and embodies distinctive characteristics of homes constructed during this period of architecture.

MURPHY STATION
LANDMARK DISTRICT
100 Block of South Murphy
Avenue

"Murphy Station" was established when Martin Murphy Jr., a California Pioneer, granted the railroad the right- of-way through his land in 1864. The stop saw the arrival and departure of important dignitaries who visited Murphy's Bayview Ranch, a focal point of political and social activity in the Santa Clara Valley.

In 1898 William Crossman, a real estate developer, purchased 200 acres from Murphy and named the town Encinal, "Place where the live oak grows." The first post office and general store were built on this street near the site of Murphy Station. The town was renamed Sunnyvale in 1901 and incorporated in 1912. The railroad and industrial buildings ran east and west and the business district ran north and south, providing the base from which Sunnyvale grew. The 100 block of South Murphy Avenue is the original downtown commercial district. Most of the structures were built between 1900 and 1940.

SPALDING HOUSE 1385 Ramon Drive Built in the early 1920's by C.C. Spalding, the mansion served as his family residence. Spalding was the first treasurer of the City of Sunnyvale and is best remembered for his contributions to the development of Murphy Avenue. He organized and established the Bank of Sunnyvale in 1906 and later became a State Legislator.

STOWELL HOUSE 901 Sunnyvale/Saratoga Road The Stowell House is so named because until 1999, when Dolly Stowell died, it had been the family residence of Sunnyvale pioneer Charles Stowell and his descendents. Stowell bought the home from F. C. Fry in 1899, who had built the home circa 1890. Stowell and his brother-inlaw Charles Spaulding were prominent businessmen in the community. They built the S & S building on the corner of Murphy Avenue and Washington Avenue. They also were involved in the construction of several other prominent buildings, including the First Baptist Church and the U.S. Post Office.

VARGAS REDWOOD TREES 1004 Carson Drive

These Coast Redwoods were planted in 1900 by Manuel Vargas, "Mr. Sunnyvale." The saplings were gathered during a family outing to Pescadero, and planted at the entrance to the Vargas family home.

WRIGHT RANCH 1234 Cranberry Avenue Originally part of a 320 acre ranch, this is Sunnyvale's oldest remaining ranch house. It was built circa 1870 by William Wright, a 49'er who left the gold fields to raise grain and stock.