

PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: -1813105395

Property Name: 110 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 110 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 15 **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

1983 NR Description: 110 Amber Street- Contributing, late-19th-century, vernacular/Queen Anne, 2 1/2-story, 3 bay, natural wood shingle exterior, gable roof; open porch contains turned posts and balustrade; Queen Anne windows; gabled roof dormers with returns; 2 story bay windows with flaring shingled walls; off-center door with transom; full-height windows, first floor.

110 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2 story, vernacular Queen Anne house with a rectangular plan and cross gable roof. The roof is sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles, and is punctured with gabled dormers on both the east and west sides in front of the intersecting gables. The front and side gables have prominent cornice returns. The house has been clad with a wood shingles. A 2-story bay window that flares outward above the first story windows is situated on the east elevation under the intersecting gable. The house's windows are replacement one over one windows with snap in muntins. The wood trim remains intact. The first floor has a full width porch that wraps around to both the east and west sides. The porch has a hipped roof sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles, several old and several new turned posts and the original turned balusters, rails, floorboards, and ceiling. The porch has framed lattice aprons and poured concrete steps. A set of steps leads to the backyard off the west end of the porch. The front entryway consists of a set of solid wood doors with wood frame screen doors and surmounted with a transom. The house has a back wall brick chimney. The foundation of this house is hidden by the porch aprons and foundation plantings.

A two-story guesthouse is situated on the southeast corner of the lot. This appears to be a converted garage. It has a flat roof, a wood shingle exterior on the upper half and vertical board siding on the lower half, a set of sliding glass doors, and one over one windows with snap in muntins and inoperable shutters.

History: This house is one of two pictured on Amber Street in a historic photograph printed on page 116 of John Bailey Lloyd's "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island." The photograph shows that this house was once had vergeboards in the front gable and a spire in the apex of the gable, the windows were flanked by operable shutters, and the roof was sheathed with wood shingles. It also shows that this house was constructed before the three houses known as the Shakespeare houses to the west. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts this house with its bay window on the east side and a 3-sided wraparound porch. By 1930, a one car, one-story garage had been

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constructed on the south east corner of the property. At the time the 1954 map was drawn in this automobile garage was shown as two stories in height and constructed of concrete blocks. It is not known exactly when this was converted into a residence. In 1981, this house was surveyed as part of the Ocean County Historic Site Survey. The windows were still the original wood sash windows with each upper sash having a border of small divided lights. According to a short history of the Holy Innocents Parish, this house served as the first vicarage for the Holy Innocents Mission Church from 1917 to 1941.

Eligibility: This is a very nice example of a late 19th-century seaside cottage. It along with its neighbors, adds to a cohesive streetscape of wood shingled houses of singular design. Although it has received several alterations including the replacement windows, it retains a high level of architectural integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this late 19th-century house. It also has an association with one of the earliest churches. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. The converted garage would also be a contributing building to the historic district. No historic events or associations of great significance are known that would render this property individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a lot that is 52 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential area of modest size houses. There's a large public park across the street. This is the second house on the south side of Amber Street, west of South Atlantic Avenue. The house is set back approximately 6 feet off the street. Strips of grassy lawn surround the house as do foundation plantings. A brick walkway and driveway are situated on the east side of the lot. A framed lattice fence delineates the western property line. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates: **National Historic Landmark?:**

National Register: 7/14/1983 **SHPO Opinion:**

New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983 **Local Designation:** 10/12/2004

Determination of Eligibility: **Other Designation:**

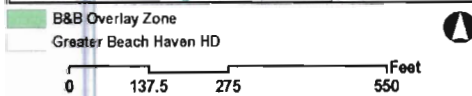
Certification of Eligibility: **Other Designation Date:**

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? **Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?**

Location Map:



Site Map:



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| Lloyd, John Bailey | Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island | 2005 | |
| (None Listed) | Sanborn Fire Insurance Company maps- 1911, 1922, 1930, 1942, and 1954 | | |

Additional Information:

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More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Structure | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Object | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry |

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: **820075708**

Property Name: 114 Amber Street
Address: 114 Amber ST

Ownership: Private
Apartment #: ZIP: 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 16

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

1983 NR Description: 114 Amber Street - Contributing, late 19th century, vernacular/Queen Anne, 2 1/2-story, 2 bay with gabled roof, gabled dormers and returns; open porch with turned posts and balustrade; angled first floor walls; Queen Anne windows, L-plan.

114 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2 story, vernacular Queen Anne house with an L-plan and cross gable roof. The roof supports a weather vane, is sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles, and is punctured with gabled dormers on both the east and west sides in front of the intersecting gables. The front and side gables have prominent cornice returns. The west side eave supports K gutters with rectangular downspouts. The house has been clad with a wood shingles. The windows are one over one wood sash windows with the upper sashes having borders of small divided lights. The first story windows are one over twos with the same upper sash divided lights configuration. All the windows have aluminum frame storm windows and the wood trim remains intact. The first floor has a full width porch that wraps around the east side. The porch has a hipped roof sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles, new turned posts and turned balusters, wood steps, beaded board ceiling, and a framed lattice apron. The front door has three panels in the lower section, one horizontal panel in the middle, and a large beveled glass in the upper half of the door. The porch wraps around to the secondary entryway which is a French door with 12 divided lights. There are also stairs leading to the backyard. There is a second-story roof deck and a roof deck on top of the one-story ell constructed on the back of the house. This house has a parged foundation with regularly spaced vents.

A small one-story guesthouse is situated on the southeast corner of the lot. This appears to be a converted garage. It has a front gable form, wood shingle exterior, a French door with 15 divided lights, and a fixed square window with a border of divided lights.

History: This house is one of four pictured in a historic photograph printed on page 117 of John Bailey Lloyd's "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island." Three photograph shows that this house was once clad with wood clapboard, had shaped shingles in the gable peaks, and the roof was sheathed with wood shingles. A different photograph printed on page 116 of the same book shows that this house was constructed before the three houses known as the Shakespeare houses to the west. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts this house with its wrap around front porch, 2 1/2 story, T plan, and the one-story porch off the rear. The 1942 Sanborn map depicts a one-

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story automobile garage on the southeast corner of the property. No additional changes are noted on the 1954 Sanborn map. It is not known exactly in which year the garage was converted into a residence.

Eligibility: This is a very nice example of a late 19th-century seaside cottage. It along with its neighbors, adds to a cohesive streetscape of wood shingled houses of singular design. Although it has received several alterations including the new porch elements, it retains a high level of architectural integrity. The alterations were done with sympathy to the historic character. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this late 19th-century house. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. The converted garage would also be a contributing building to the historic district. No historic events or associations of great significance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a lot that is 50 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential area of modest size houses. There's a large public park across the street. This is the third house on the south side of Amber Street, west of South Atlantic Avenue. The house is set back approximately 6 feet off the street. Strips of grassy lawn surround the house as do foundation plantings. A brick walkway and driveway are situated on the east side of the lot. A framed lattice fence encloses the east side yard. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:
National Register: 7/14/1983
New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983
Determination of Eligibility:
Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:
Local Designation: 10/12/2004
Other Designation:
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Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 830982023

Property Name: 118 Amber Street
Address: 118 Amber ST

Ownership: Private
Apartment #: ZIP: 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 17

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

1983 NR Description: 118 Amber Street - Contributing, late 19th century, vernacular Queen Anne, 2 1/2-story, 3 bay, cross gabled roof; center door flanked by 6/6 windows; tripartite casements in gable peaks and diamond basement windows; open porch with square posts and standard railing is recessed beneath upper stories; double stairs led to porch; shed roof, wall dormer, right facade.

118 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2-story, vernacular Shingle style, house with a front gable roof that is a virtual twin to 122 Amber Street. It has an intersecting gable on the east side and a shed roof wall dormer on the west elevation. The second story is supported with clustered posts over a recessed first floor front porch. The roof has been sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles and punctured by an interior corbeled brick chimney. The eaves support K gutters and rectangular downspouts. The upper floors have been clad with wood clapboard which flare slightly at the juncture with the first floor. A decorative applied round plaque is situated above the front entryway portico between the second story windows. The first floor is clad with painted wood clapboard. The original windows have been replaced with one over one vinyl windows that have interstitial muntins in a 6/6 grid. The facade windows are flanked with inoperable decorative shutters.

The first story has a full width front porch recessed under the second story. The porch has clustered and bracketed square wood posts, old floor boards, wood ceiling, and a plain wood railing. A pedimented portico covers the landing at the top of the steps, which are parallel with the porch. The front door is a wood frame door with a large beveled glass door with a wood frame screen door. New lattice forms an apron underneath the porch. There are two secondary entryways and wood decks on the east elevation. The side doors are full glass doors. A one-story gabled addition and a second level balcony were constructed laterally off the rear. There is a three-story metal fire escape cascading down from the attic level doorway on the east elevation. A small date plaque was installed on this house by the Historic Preservation Advisory Commission.

History: According to John Bailey Lloyd in his book titled "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," this house is one of three known as the Shakespeare cottages. Its nickname, "Rosalind" is a character in Shakespeare's play "As You Like it." It is not known for certain if this house was designed by the same architect John A. Wilson, a Shakespeare aficionado, who built Portia Cottage on the

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adjacent backyard lot. There is a possibility because Wilson's daughters lived in this and the neighboring two cottages. An undated aerial photograph printed on page 117 of John Bailey Lloyd's "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," shows that the roof originally had wood shingles and a diamond pattern admornment was centered on the second story façade. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts the footprint of this house with the recessed porch labeled open first floor and the one-story ell constructed off the rear. There are no changes noted on the subsequent Sanborn maps. It is not known in which year the recessed porch on the east side was enclosed. At the time of the 1981 Ocean County Historic Sites Survey, this house still had its original wood shingled exterior, casement windows in the gable peaks, and 6/6 wood sash windows.

Eligibility: This is a very nice example of a late 19th-century seaside cottage. It along with its neighbors, adds to a cohesive streetscape of wood shingled houses of singular design. Although it has received several alterations including new windows, it retains a high level of architectural integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this late 19th-century house. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great significance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a narrow rectangular lot that is 47 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. There's a large public park across the street. This is the fourth house on the south side of Amber Street, east of South Beach Avenue. The house is set back approximately 6 feet off the street. Strips of grassy lawn surround the house as do foundation plantings. A brick walkway is situated on the east side of the lot leading to the rear yard. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

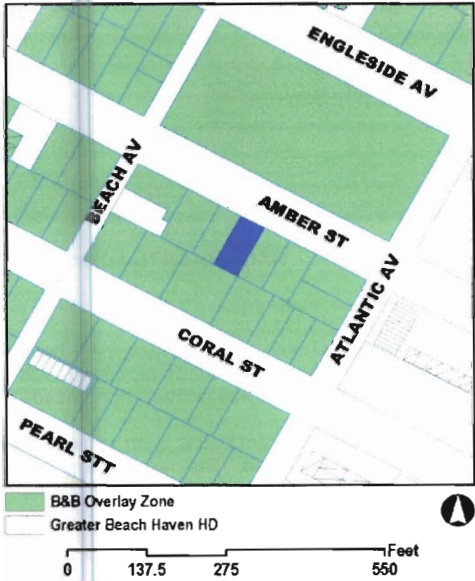
Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:
National Register: 7/14/1983
New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983
Determination of Eligibility:
Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:
Local Designation: 10/12/2004
Other Designation:
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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| (None Listed) | Sanborn Fire Insurance Company maps- 1911, 1922, 1930, 1942, and 1954 | | |

Additional Information:

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More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included:

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Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 1255485278

Property Name: 122 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 122 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 18 **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

1983 NR Description: 122 Amber Street - Contributing, late 19th Victorian Queen Anne, 2 1/2-story, cross gable roof, natural wood shingle exterior; clapboard facade; open porch with square posts and a standard railing; 6/6 windows, tripartite casements in peaks, and diamond basement windows; diamond shingled pattern in gable end.

122 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2-story, vernacular Shingle style house that is a virtually twin to 118 Amber Street. It has a front gable roof that has an intersecting gable on the east side and a shed roof wall dormer on the west elevation. The second story is supported with clustered posts over a recessed first floor porch that wraps around to the east side and rear. The roof has been sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles. Several eaves support K gutters and rectangular downspouts. The upper floors have been clad with wood shingles which flare slightly at the juncture with the first floor. A decorative applied diamond frame is situated above the front entryway portico between the second story windows. The first floor is clad with wood clapboard. The original windows have been replaced with one over one windows that have interstitial muntins in a 6/6 grid.

The first story has a three sided wraparound porch recessed under the second story. The porch has clustered, square wood posts, old floor boards, wood ceiling, and a plain wood railing. A pedimented portico covers the landing at the top of the steps, which are parallel with the porch. This front door is a solid wood, four panel door with a wood frame screen door. The porch continues to wraparound to the rear of the building. There is a rear stairway off the porch's end on the back side. Vertical clapboards form a continuous apron underneath the wraparound porch. A one-story gabled addition and a second level balcony were constructed laterally off the rear. There is a three-story metal fire escape cascading down from the attic level doorway on the east elevation. A small date plaque was installed on this house by the Historic Preservation Advisory Commission.

History: According to John Bailey Lloyd in his book titled "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," this house is one of three known as the Shakespeare cottages. Its nickname, "Sylvia" is a character in Shakespeare's play "Two Gentlemen of Verona." It is not known for certain if this house was designed by the same architect John A. Wilson, a Shakespeare aficionado, who built Portia Cottage on the adjacent backyard lot. There is a possibility because Wilson's daughters lived in this and the neighboring two cottages. An undated

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aerial photograph printed on page 117 of John Bailey Lloyd's "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," shows that the roof originally had wood shingles. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts the footprint of this house with the recessed porch labeled open first floor and the one-story ell constructed off the rear. There are no changes noted on the subsequent Sanborn maps. At the time of the 1981 Ocean County Historic Sites Survey, this house still had its original casement windows in the gable peaks and 6/6 wood sash windows.

Eligibility: This is a very nice example of a late 19th-century seaside cottage. It along with its neighbors, adds to a cohesive streetscape of wood shingled houses of singular design. Although it has received several alterations including new windows, it retains a high level of architectural integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this late 19th-century house. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great significance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a narrow rectangular lot that is 42 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. There's a large public park across the street. This is the third house on the south side of Amber Street, east of South Beach Avenue. The house is set back approximately 6 feet off the street. Strips of grassy lawn surround the house as do foundation plantings. A one-car driveway of brick pavers is situated on the east side of the lot. A picket fence encircles the rear yard. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

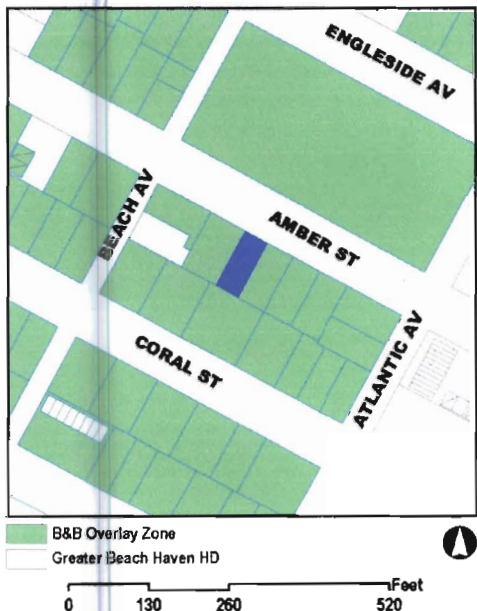
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New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983
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Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:
Local Designation: 10/12/2004
Other Designation:
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

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 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: -844833807

Property Name: 126 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 126 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 19

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

1983 NR Description: 126 Amber Street - Contributing, late 19th century, 2 1/2-story, clapboard and shingled exterior; cross gable roof; L-plan with square tower at intersection; 6/6 windows with wooden surround and diamond basement windows; open porch with square posts and standard rail; double stairs to porch; casement windows in gable peaks.

126 Amber Street: This is an attenuated, 2 1/2-story, vernacular Queen Anne, cross gable house with a complex composition. The west elevation includes a two-story tower with a steeply pitched gable roof situated in the crook of the intersecting gable. The east elevation includes a gabled, projecting balcony with a flared roof constructed over the porch on the first story. The roof has been sheathed with wood shingles and punctured with an interior brick chimney. The fascias have been covered with metal coil. The upper floors have been clad with wood shingles. The first floor is clad with wood clapboard. The original windows have been replaced with one over one windows that have snapped in muntins.

The first story has a four sided wraparound porch, whose roof cascades down from the walls of the second-story front gable block. The porch, which begins at the base of the tower has a hip roof sheathed with wood shingles. The porch has K gutters with rectangular downspouts, squared wood posts, old floor boards, wood ceiling, and a plain wood railing. There are two sets of wooden steps. On the west elevation the wood steps are situated just to the side of the porch. These steps lead to a wood panel door with nine divided lights in the upper section. On the east elevation under the balcony, a set of stairs under a pedimented portico lead to the main door. This door is a solid four panel door. The porch continues to wraparound to the rear of the building. There is a rear stairway off the porch's end on the west side. Vertical clapboards form a continuous apron underneath the wraparound porch. A small date plaque was installed on this house by the Historic Preservation Advisory Commission.

A one-story, front gable cabin is situated behind the house on the east side. It has a wood shingled gable, a vinyl sided first-floor, and a roof that is covered with vines. There are two stamped metal panel doors flanked by two windows.

History: According to John Bailey Lloyd in his book titled "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," this house is one of three

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known as the Shakespeare cottages. Its nickname, "Audrey" is a character in Shakespeare's play "As You Like It." It is not known for certain if this house was designed by the same architect John A. Wilson, a Shakespeare aficionado, who built Portia Cottage on the adjacent backyard lot. There is a possibility because Wilson's daughters lived in this and the neighboring two cottages. An undated aerial photograph printed on page 117 of "Two Centuries of History on Long Beach Island," shows that the roof originally had wood shingles. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts the footprint of this complex house with a three sided one-story wraparound porch, the two-story balconied porch on the east elevation, and the tower in the crook of the west elevation intersection. By 1930, a one story garage is situated on the southeastern corner of the lot. No other changes are noted on the subsequent Sanborn maps. It is not known for certain in which year the garage was converted into a cabin. At the time of the 1981 Ocean County Historic Sites Survey, this house still had its original casement windows in the gable peaks and 6/6 wood sash windows.

Eligibility: This is a very nice example of a late 19th-century seaside cottage. It along with its neighbors, adds to a cohesive streetscape of wood shingled houses of singular design. Although it has received several alterations including new windows, it retains a high level of architectural integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this late 19th-century house. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great significance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a rectangular lot that is 65 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. There's a large public park across the street. This is the second house on the south side of Amber Street, east of South Beach Avenue. The house is set back approximately 6 feet off the street. A low post and horizontal rail fence delineates the western property line. Strips of grassy lawn surround the house as do foundation plantings. There is a brick walkway that leads to the east side porch and to the cabin in the rear. A one car brick driveway is situated on the east side of the lot. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register: 7/14/1983

New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983

SHPO Opinion:

Local Designation: 10/12/2004

Determination of Eligibility:

Other Designation:

Certification of Eligibility:

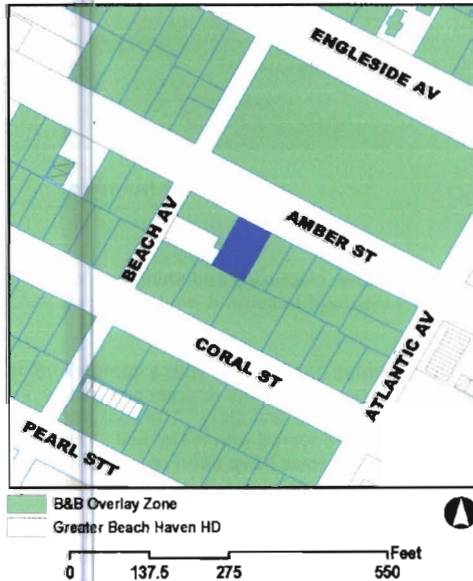
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:

Site Map:



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(None Listed)

Sanborn Fire Insurance Company maps- 1911, 1922,
1930, 1942, and 1954

Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Building | <input type="checkbox"/> Bridge |
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Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: -1948765776

Property Name: 130 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 130 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|------|
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Property Photo:



Old HSI Number:

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

1983 NR Description: 130 Amber Street - Harmonizing, early 20th century, 2 1/2-story, 2 bay, hipped roof and central hipped dormer; open front porch contains square posts and a heavy standard railing; 1/1 windows with wooden surrounds.

130 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2-story, two bay, Four Square constructed before 1922. The pyramidal roof has been sheathed with three tab asphalt shingles and punctured with hip roof dormers on the front and rear. The overhanging eaves are punctured by a substantial brick end wall chimney on the west elevation and a metal vent pipe on the east elevation. The house has been clad with wood shingles. The windows are the original one over one wood sash windows that have aluminum storm windows. The wood window trim remains uncovered. The first story has a bay window. The full width front porch has a hip roof sheathed with three tab asphalt shingles. The porch has squared wood posts, wood flooring, and a plain wood railing that has been embellished with boards with pebbles embedded on them. A tall brick set of stairs with aluminum handrails descends from the porch to the public sidewalk. The porch is constructed on tall piers and cobblestones embedded in mortar, fill in the spaces between the piers. The porch is extended on the west elevation with a handicap ramp that returns back to the front. The front door is a wood frame door with a large beveled glass. It is protected with a full glass aluminum frame storm door. A secondary entryway is situated on the first floor of the east elevation. That door is wood frame with three lights divided with horizontal muntins in the upper section. It is protected with an aluminum frame storm door. There is a one-story hip roof addition with a back porch constructed laterally off the rear. The house was constructed on a tall concrete block foundation with windows.

History: The 1911 Sanborn map shows that a large two-story grocery and tobacco shop that filled up the lot was at one time situated on this corner of Beach Avenue and Amber Street. By 1922, this commercial building was gone and the current house had been constructed on the eastern half of the lot. The map shows as two-story dwelling with a one-story open front porch and a small addition to constructed laterally off the rear. A detached garage is also shown is situated behind and to the east of the house, however that may have belonged to the nearby building that was situated facing Beach Avenue. By 1930, an additional small garage was shown very close to the back porch of the dwelling on Amber Street. There are no other changes on any of the subsequent Sanborn maps. An historic postcard based on a photograph taken from the water tower of block away, shows the west and front elevations of this house. At the time of the

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photograph, the sidewall brick chimney was not yet constructed on the west elevation and the exterior exhibited a lighter color that started below the second-story windows. It is not known exactly in which year the garage was removed from the property.

Eligibility: This is a nice example of a early-20th-century planbook house that fits itself into a neighborhood of older houses. It shares the same scale, massing, and materials of the late 19th century houses found nearby. Although it has received several alterations including new wood shingles and the chimney, these changes were done with sympathy to the character of the house. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that help define the character of this early 20th-century house. In its current condition, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a corner lot that is 100 feet wide by 50 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest sized houses. It stands at the south east corner of Amber Street and South Beach Avenue. A large public park is situated directly across the street. The house is set back approximately 10 feet off the street and situated on the eastern half of the lot. The large side yard on the west part of the lot includes a wishing well, a birdhouse on a post, and several mature trees. It is encircled with a low vertical board fence. There is a poured concrete driveway on the east side of the lot. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are all constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register: 7/14/1983

New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983

Determination of Eligibility:

Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:

Local Designation: 10/12/2004

Other Designation:

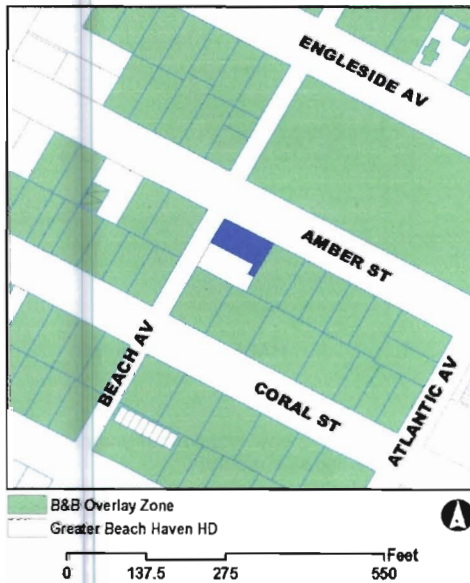
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:

Site Map:



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| (None Listed) | Sanborn Fire Insurance Company maps- 1911, 1922, 1930, 1942, and 1954 | | |
| (None Listed) | Postcard published by Cecil Cranmer, Beach Haven, N.J. | 1920 | |
| (None Listed) | Postcard titled Aerial View, Beach Haven, N.J. postmarked 1940 | 1940 | |

Additional Information:

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

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More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included:

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| 0 | Building | 0 | Bridge |
| 0 | Structure | 0 | Landscape |
| 0 | Object | 0 | Industry |

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: -394403181

Property Name: 201 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 201 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | Beach Haven | | 135 | 12 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

1983 NR Description: 201-203 Amber Street - Contributing, late-19th-century, 2-story, 4 bay, hipped roof with incised frieze; open porch with square posts and blind balustrade; oriel window on east side.

201 Amber Street: This is a large, two-story, square plan, multiple family dwelling with a hip roof and a distinctive cornice band that wraps around four sides. The roof is sheathed with three tab asphalt shingles and punctured by a parged corbeled chimney and three metal vent pipes. The wood cornice includes a pierced soffit board set at an angle and a frieze band of vertical boards with sawtooth ends. The house is clad with the new cedar clapboard butting up against corner boards. All of the windows are one over one replacements protected with aluminum storm windows. Some of the window sills are covered with a metal coil. On the east elevation, a second-story bay window is situated above the front porch. On the south elevation, a balcony has been created above the porch. The balcony has a turned wood railing and there is a sliding glass door leading to it. An open porch with a hip roof extends on the first floor along both the south and east elevations. Old wood porch elements include the chamfered posts and ceiling joists. This porch has a poured concrete floor and a stucco knee wall around its perimeter. The half gable end panels are sheathed with vertical boards with sawtooth edges. And additional two level porch with turned wood railings is situated on the north elevation. The second story has a sliding glass door. There are three entry doors off the front porch. The doors are wood frame with glass in the upper sections. Each is protected with an aluminum frame storm door. An outdoor shower stall has been constructed laterally off of the north face of this building.

There is a one-story outbuilding sheathed with three tab asphalt shingles and sporting a wood panel door situated in the northwest section of the lot.

History: The 1981 Ocean County Historic Sites Survey determined that this building was constructed in the late 19th century. The 1911 Sanborn map shows the footprint of this square building and its two-sided wrap-around porch. It is labeled "Grocery." The depiction also has a one-story porch on the north elevation and a detached one-story outbuilding on the north west corner of the lot. No other changes are noted until the 1954 Sanborn map, upon which the building was labeled "Apartments." It is not known exactly in which year the second-story balconies on the north in the south elevations and the outdoor shower stall were constructed.

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Eligibility: Although the building's late 19th century architectural integrity has been compromised by the installation of replacement windows and sliding glass doors, restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase the level of integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the original wood elements such as the inscribed cornice band that define the character of this house. This building is locally important as one of Beach Haven's early commercial structures. In its current state, this house would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed and Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of extraordinary importance are known that would render this house individually eligible for the National Register.

Setting:

This house is situated on a corner lot that is only 50 feet wide and 75 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. Its eastern elevation faces the public park across Beach Avenue. The house is set back approximately 3 feet off both Beach Avenue and Amber Street. On the Amber Street side, there are planting beds situated between the porch's knee wall and the public sidewalk. These planting beds are edged with two by fours. The yard area on the north side of the lot is enclosed with a fence with horizontal rails and a stockade fence. Planting beds are situated between the fence and the public sidewalk. A shorter fence also delineates the western property line. The public sidewalk and curb are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register: 7/14/1983

New Jersey Register: 4/20/1983

Determination of Eligibility:

Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:

Local Designation: 10/12/2004

Other Designation:

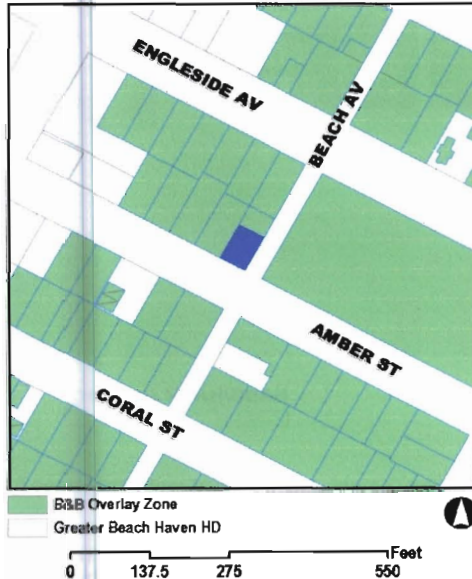
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet Included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:

Site Map:



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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

Property ID:

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Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: -42932776

Property Name: 205-207 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 205-207 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | | Beach Haven | 135 | 13 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

1983 NR Description: 205-207 Amber Street - Contributing, late-19th-century, 2 1/2 story, 3 bay gable roof; open front porch with turned posts and standard rail; 2/2 windows with wooden surround; paired entrances at center with round-arch windows and panels.

205 -- 207 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2 story, four bay by two bay, side gable, side by side duplex house with a one-story shed roof addition constructed laterally off the rear. The central bays on both the first and second floors have the two doors and two windows is situated very close together. The second-story windows are separated by a thick mullion. The roof has been sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles. The eaves have received aluminum soffit panels and metal coil covers the fascias. The house has been clad with vinyl siding. Number 205 on the right hand side has one over one wood sash windows protected by aluminum storm windows. Number 207 on the left-hand side has two over two wood sash windows with no storm windows. The window trim on both units has been covered with metal coil. There is a full width front porch with a hip roof sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles, and new wood elements including turned posts, plain railings, handrails, floorboards, and wood steps. Number 205's front door is a two panel wood frame door with 3 divided lights in the upper section. It is protected with an aluminum frame storm door. Is a four panel, wood door with two round headed windows in the upper section. It also has an aluminum frame storm door. The rear addition has a entryway and a wood frame porch. This house was constructed on a low concrete foundation.

There is a one car garage situated on the northeast corner of the lot. It has a pyramidal roof, a sliding vertical board door, and a vertical board exterior.

History: The footprint of this house is depicted on the 1911 Sanborn map, the first year in which Beach Haven was surveyed. It shows the house as a side by side duplex with a full width front porch and a one-story addition constructed laterally off the rear. No changes are noted on the subsequent Sanborn maps until 1954, when a one story automobile garage is shown situated on the northeast corner of the lot. The garage must have been constructed between 1942 and 1954. The west and north faces of the upper story of this house can be seen in historic photographs taken from the water tower located a block to the north and east. The only detail seen in the photographs shows the house at one time had two interior brick chimneys, one at each end of the roof ridge.

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Eligibility: This is one of the few remaining duplex houses from the late 19th century in Beach Haven's historic area. Although the building's late 19th century architectural integrity has been compromised by replacement windows and the application of synthetic siding, restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase its level of integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that define the character of this house. In its current state, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this house individually eligible for the National Register. The house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a lot that is 50 feet wide and 110 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest sized houses. It is the second house on the north side of Amber Street to the west of S. Beach Avenue. The house is surrounded with grassy yards. A poured concrete walkway leads from the porch to the public sidewalk. There is a tall telephone pole with multiple wires situated in front of the house on the southeastern portion of this lot. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register:

New Jersey Register:

Determination of Eligibility:

Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:

Local Designation: 10/12/2004

Other Designation:

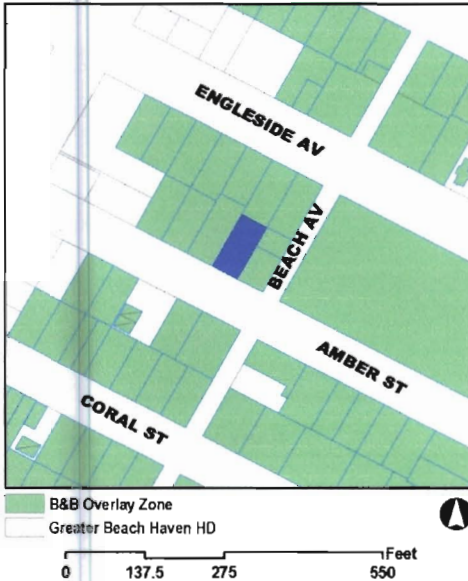
Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet Included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:

Site Map:



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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

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Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 962098937

Property Name: 209 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 209 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | Beach Haven | | 135 | 14 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

209 Amber Street: This is a deeply set back 2 1/2-story, side gable house with a one-story garage constructed laterally off the front. The roof has been sheathed with interlocking asphalt shingles and punctured with a skylight and several metal vent pipes. The eaves support K gutters. The house has been clad with wood shingles. The windows are six over one wood sash windows protected with aluminum storm windows and flanked with inoperable shutters. The garage constructed on the front has a flat roof with a deck railing around its perimeter, a new fiberglass overhead door, vertical board siding, and decorative lattice, creating a frieze band. The west side has a two-story staircase constructed of wood. The east side of the house was hard to see due to the combination of the deep setback, lattice fences, numerous artifacts, and evergreen trees planted along the public sidewalk.

History: This building may have a very interesting history. The 1911 Sanborn map depicts a two-story rectangular out-building that has the same footprint as the current house situated on the rear portion of the lot. A dwelling with a full wraparound porch is situated at the front of the lot. By 1922, the dwelling at the front part of the lot was gone. It was replaced with a one-story building labeled "Garage" that had been constructed joined to the two-story structure situated on the rear part of the lot. The 1930 map, states that the garage had a capability of holding numerous cars. By 1942, the one-story garage was gone. The original two-story building situated on the rear of the lot is now shown by itself labeled "Automobile and Storage." This remains the same on the 1954 Sanborn map. Historical photographs printed in the book titled "Lure of Long Beach, New Jersey" show in this complex building with a two-story side gable building at the back of the lot. Without having the benefit of a close visual inspection and based on the printed documentation only, it is not known for certain, but there is a good possibility that today's house was the original out-building and part of this former garage complex.

Eligibility: Although the building's history is not clear, there is a good possibility that this building was constructed in the early 20th century as an out-building for a house that is no longer extant. Although its architectural integrity has been compromised by the construction of the one-story garage in front, restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase its level of integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements that define the character of this building. In its current state, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this

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Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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house individually eligible for the National Register.

Setting:

This house is deeply setback on a lot that is 50 feet wide by 125 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. It is the third house on the north side of Amber Street to the west of Beach Avenue. The yard has been covered with pebbles, forming a driveway and a parking area. Lattice fences cross the front of the property and enclose a parking area. There are numerous ship related artifacts situated in a planting bed between the fence and the public sidewalk. The public sidewalk, driveway apron, and curb are constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register:

New Jersey Register:

Determination of Eligibility:

Certification of Eligibility:

SHPO Opinion:

Local Designation: 10/12/2004

Other Designation:

Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:

Site Map:



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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included:

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|-------------|-------------|
| 0 Building | 0 Bridge |
| 0 Structure | 0 Landscape |
| 0 Object | 0 Industry |

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

Property ID:

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Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?
(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 316114994

Property Name: 214 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 214 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | | Beach Haven | 134 | 8 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number:

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

214 Amber Street: This is a contemporary one-story house constructed on pilings. It has a gabled roof with a shallow pitch, a wood shingle exterior, aluminum frame sliding doors and windows, and a wrap-around deck on the second level. A wooden staircase on the east side leads to the upper floor entryway. A poured concrete slab is situated directly underneath the house and extends out to form the driveway.

History: This building is situated on property that was undeveloped until the middle part of the 20th century. An early 20th century aerial view postcard printed on page 65 of George Hartnett and Kevin Hughes' book "Long Beach Island" shows the block encircled with a fence and the land cultivated. The footprint of this house is not depicted on any of the Sanborn maps. It is not known exactly at which year this building was constructed. However, the configuration of this house with the main entryway on the second story indicates that it was constructed after new construction regulations were instituted in 1962.

Eligibility: The youthful age of this dwelling renders it a non-contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register.

Setting:

This house is situated on a rectangular lot that is 50 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. The house is set back approximately 20 feet off the street. The house is surrounded with a sandy yard with random plantings, and it is ringed with large lush evergreens. A tall picket fence delineates the property line on the east. A shorter picket fence delineates the property line on the west. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway aprons are constructed of poured concrete.

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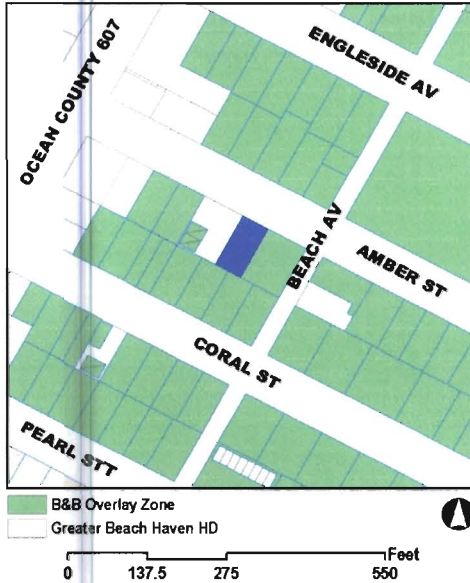
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Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey?

Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Non Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 816881606

Property Name: 215 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 215 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | Beach Haven | | 135 | 15 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

NR nomination: 213 Amber St: contributing, late-19th-century, 2 1/2-story, two bay, gabled roof with returns; screened porch with square posts and cross brace railing; first-floor windows altered.

215 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2 story, three bay, early 20th century Colonial Revival, side gable house with a one-story shed roof addition constructed laterally off the rear. The roof has been sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles and punctured with a brick chimney at the west end of the roof ridge. The side gables have cornice returns. The house has been clad with asbestos shingles. The windows are one over one wood sash windows protected with aluminum storm windows and flanked with inoperable plastic shutters. The west side of the façade has a bow bay window. The full width front porch has a hip roof sheathed with three tabbed asphalt shingles and K gutters. It has been fully enclosed with large wood framed screens just inside the original bracketed wood posts. The porch has cross brace railing, old wood floor boards, a wood frame screen door, and brick steps. An apron constructed of T-111 plywood is situated under the porch. The front entryway consists of a wood frame door with the upper half supporting diamond shaped divided light windows. This door is protected with a wooden frame storm door.

A second house is situated directly behind this primary dwelling on the back of the lot. It is a contemporary three-story house on pilings. It's clad with vinyl siding, has aluminum frame windows, and vertical boards enclosing the area around the pilings.

History: This house is depicted on the 1911 Sanborn map as a 2 1/2 story, side by side duplex house with a full width front porch and a one-story porch off of the rear of the house. No changes are noted on any of the subsequent Sanborn maps. Historic photographs published in postcards and on page 14 of the "Lure of Long Beach, New Jersey" show the top story of this house from both the east and the west. The only architectural detail seen in the photos that no longer exists is a brick chimney on the eastern gable peak.

The building on the rear of the lot is not shown at all. It is not known exactly in which year after 1954 this building was constructed, however, because it was constructed on pilings, it was sometime after 1962. Because it is not mentioned in the 1981 Ocean County Historic Sites Survey, there's a good possibility that it was constructed after 1981.

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Eligibility: The building on the front of the lot was constructed in the early 20th century. Although its architectural integrity has been compromised by the installation of asbestos shingles, restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase its level of integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements such as the bracketed posts on the porch that define the character of this building. In its current state, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this house individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District, although it was misidentified as 213 Amber St.

Due to its youthful age, the contemporary house situated on the rear of the lot would be a non-contributing resource in the Greater Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

These houses are situated on a rectangular lot that is 50 feet wide and 110 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. The lot on the north side of Amber Street is halfway between Beach Avenue to the east, and Bay Avenue to the west. A narrow front lawn is bisected by a flagstone walkway. Raised perennial beds edged with brick and with small ornamental trees are situated in front of the porch. Foundation plantings surround the house. There is a mailbox on a post and a lamp post flanking the front walkway. A flagpole is situated in the front yard to the west of the house. The second house on the rear of the lot is surrounded with evergreens. There is a concrete patio between it and the main house. The public sidewalk and curb are constructed of poured concrete.

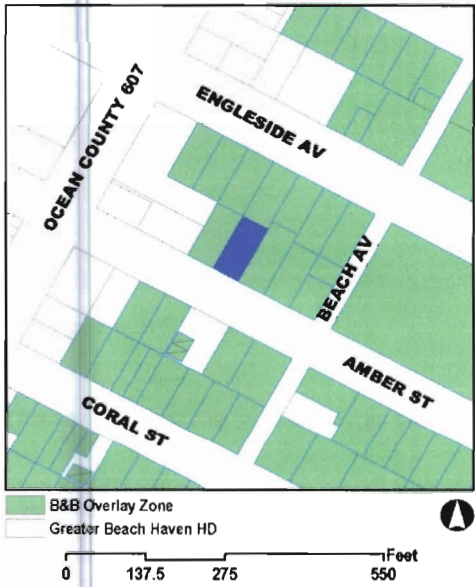
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SHPO Opinion:
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Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? **ConversionNote:** Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 878825621

Property Name: Harbor Lights
Address: 216 Amber ST
Apartment #:
Ownership: Private
ZIP: 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|------|
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| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | | Beach Haven | 134 | 7.02 |
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| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | | Beach Haven | 134 | 7.04 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number:

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

216 Amber Street: This is a contemporary, two-story, four unit, multiple family condominium that is positioned facing east rather than north to the street. The roof has a low pitched gable roof that extends out over a second-story deck. The house is clad with vinyl siding and has one over one aluminum frame windows. The upper floor apartments are reached by a cedar wood stairway and deck that is supported with wood posts. The first-floor façade has diagonal siding around the doors and windows of each of the two units. A concrete walkway circles the building. An outdoor shower stall is situated at the north rear of the building.

History: This building is situated on property that was vacant until the middle part of the 20th century. An early 20th century aerial view postcard printed on page 65 of George Hartnett and Kevin Hughes' book "Long Beach Island" shows the block encircled with a fence and the land cultivated. The footprint of this building is shown on the 1954 Sanborn map. It is labeled "A & D" for apartments and dwelling. The map indicates that it is concrete block construction on the first-floor. The two-story deck is also depicted on the 1954 Sanborn map.

Eligibility: This modern house has received the alteration of synthetic siding. Restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase its level of integrity. This house is an example of mid-20th-century architecture but does not share many characteristics that are compatible with the set back, massing, materials or scale with the neighboring Victorian era and early 20th-century houses. In its current state, this house would be considered to be a non-contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed-and-Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register.

Setting:

This building is situated on a subdivided piece of property in a residential neighborhood of modest sized houses. The setback off the

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street is approximately 50 feet. The yard has been entirely covered with pebbles and a ring of evergreen trees surrounds the property. A stockade fence encloses the outdoor shower stall. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are constructed of poured concrete.

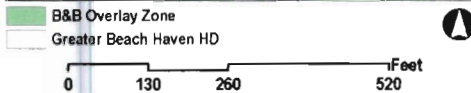
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SHPO Opinion:
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 Other Designation:
 Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE ONLY:

Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Non Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

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elements such as the purins and rafter ends that create the character of this building. In its current state, it would be considered to be a contributing resource to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this house individually eligible for the National Register. This house is included in the National Register listed Beach Haven Historic District.

Setting:

This house is situated on a rectangular lot that is 50 feet wide and 110 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest size houses. It is the first residential property on the north side of Amber Street east of Bay Avenue, Beach Haven's main commercial thoroughfare. There is a commercial property directly to the west screened with a row of evergreen trees. Grassy lawns, foundation plantings, and mature evergreen trees define this property. A small, pre-fabricated shed is situated in the rear yard. The front walkway, public sidewalk, and curb are constructed from poured concrete.

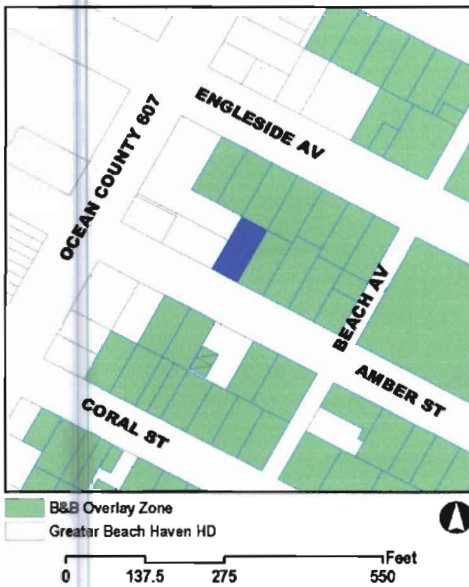
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Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? **Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?**

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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Attachments Included: 0 Building 0 Bridge
 0 Structure 0 Landscape
 0 Object 0 Industry

Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

Property ID:

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 1139500511

Property Name: 220 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 220 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
|---------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|------|
| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | | Beach Haven | 134 | 6 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number:

NRIS Number:

HABS/HAER Number:

Description:

220 Amber Street: This is a one-story, rectangular, modern, brick, telecommunications company building with no windows and a steel door entryway on the front façade. There is a square addition constructed off the rear offset to the west. The building has a flat roof with ventilation boxes on top it. The brick exterior is running bond and the brick is corbeled at the cornice. Pieces of white marble have been inserted in a regular pattern of vertical paired stripes in the façade and east side elevation. There is a poured concrete landing at the front door, and there are poured concrete steps leading up to a utility box situated on the west side of the building. A wood deck with a utility box is situated on the east side of the building. The building was constructed on a poured concrete foundation.

A 80 foot tall lattice tower with microwave dishes and antennas is situated just to the east of the building.

History: This building is situated on property that was vacant until the middle part of the 20th century. An early 20th century aerial view postcard printed on page 65 of George Hartnett and Kevin Hughes' book "Long Beach Island" shows the block encircled with a fence and the land cultivated. The 1942 Sanborn map indicates that a square masonry building labeled "pump house" was constructed on the lot setback approximately 25 feet off of the street. The 1954 Sanborn map shows an additional one-story concrete block, brick faced building added on to the rear of the one-story pump house. There is a good possibility that the pump house and its addition seen on the maps is the structure that it appears to be the addition on the rear of the front building. It is not known exactly in which year at the front section of this building was constructed.

Eligibility: Although this building provides a valuable utility service to the community, its austere modern look and nonresidential nature would make it a noncontributing building in the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the local historic district in the Bed and Breakfast Overlay Zone. The lattice tower is a particularly discordant modern feature located in the setting of the historic district. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this building individually eligible for the National Register.

Setting:

This commercial building is situated on a lot that is 50 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest sized houses.

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The front and side yards have been covered with asphalt. A chain-link fence is situated around the back of the property. Evergreens have been planted along the eastern property line and surrounding the deck on the east side. The public sidewalk, curve, and driveway aprons have been constructed of poured concrete.

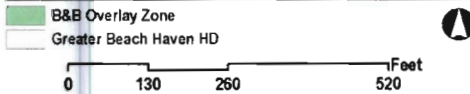
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Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Non Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

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Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

Property ID:

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Conversion Problem? ConversionNote: Null

Date form completed: 2/9/2006

Survey Name: Beach Haven Borough

Principal Investigator: Jeanne Kolva

Organization: McCabe & Associates, Inc.

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Property ID:

1139500511

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PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID: 560391012

Property Name: 224 Amber Street **Ownership:** Private
Address: 224 Amber ST **Apartment #:** **ZIP:** 08008

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

| County: | Municipality: | Local Place Name: | USGS Quad: | Block: | Lot: |
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| OCEAN | Beach Haven borough | Beach Haven | | 134 | 5 |

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: OCHSS 1503 L35 **NRIS Number:** **HABS/HAER Number:**

Description:

224 Amber Street: This is a 2 1/2 story, two bay, late-19th-century, vernacular house with a cross gable roof and a one-story addition with a flat roof constructed laterally off the east side. The roof has been sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles and punctured with a corbeled brick chimney at the front gable roof ridge. The eaves have been covered with metal coil on the fascias and vinyl soffits. The house has been clad with vinyl siding. The attic windows have round arched trimwork. The windows are replacement one over one windows with snap-in muntins. Several windows on the west elevation have been covered up completely. There are small square windows on the eastern side addition. Metal coil covers the window trim. The full width front porch has a hip roof sheathed with architectural dimensional asphalt shingles and it wraps to the east side. It has old bracketed and chamfered wood posts, carved balusters, old floorboards, and old wood steps. An apron constructed of unframed lattice is situated under the porch. The front entryway consists of a tall wood door with a divided light window in the upper half. This door is protected with an aluminum frame storm door. There is a secondary entryway on the east side of the porch that consists of a 15 light French door. The low foundation has been parged.

A detached one-car garage is situated on the southwest section of the lot. It has a gable front, wood clapboard exterior, and the original pair of swinging doors, each with six divided lights in the upper sections.

History: According to the booklet written in 1976 by the Bicentennial Committee, this house was constructed in 1878 and occupied by Mr. Meyer since 1919. Mr. Meyer was the resident at the time the booklet was written. The footprint of this house is depicted on the 1911 Sanborn map, the first year in which Beach Haven was surveyed. It shows the two-story house with its wraparound porch and one-story addition on the east side. A one-car garage was situated on the south west corner of the lot. There was also a one-story outbuilding directly behind the house. The 1930 Sanborn map shows that an additional one car garage was situated in front of the original garage and that the outbuilding directly behind the house was no longer there. This second garage is most likely the one currently on the lot. No other changes are noted on the subsequent Sanborn maps. Historic photographs printed as postcards and on page 14 of the book titled in the "Lure of Long Beach, New Jersey" show the missing windows on the west elevation. Other architectural details are too difficult to make out. In 1981, the house still had its original 2/2 windows and the window trim remained uncovered when it was surveyed as part of the Ocean County Historic Sites Survey.

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The historic maps also show that this block was largely undeveloped until the middle of the 20th century. An early 20th century aerial view postcard printed on page 65 of George Hartnett and Kevin Hughes' book "Long Beach Island" shows the block encircled with a fence and the land cultivated.

Eligibility: Due to its vinyl siding, this late 19th-century building only maintains a medium level of architectural integrity. Restorations following the Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation would increase its level of integrity. Every effort should be made to retain the remaining original elements such as the bracketed porch elements that define the character of this building. This house shares many characteristics with its late 19th century neighbors across the street. In their current states, both the house and the garage would be considered to be contributing resources to the Greater Beach Haven Historic District and the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone. No historic events or associations of great importance are known that would render this house individually eligible for the National Register. This property is included in the locally designated historic district in the Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone.

Setting:

This house is situated on a rectangular lot that is 50 feet wide and 100 feet deep in a residential neighborhood of modest sized houses. It is the second residential property on the south side of the Amber Street to the east of Bay Avenue, Beach Haven's main commercial thoroughfare. The house is surrounded by grassy lawns and foundation plantings. A stockade fence delineates the rear property line. A poured concrete walkway is situated on the east side of the lot. The public sidewalk, curb, and driveway apron are all constructed of poured concrete.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:
 National Register:
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SHPO Opinion:
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Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey? Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

Location Map:



Site Map:

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Additional Information:

More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)

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Historic District ?

District Name: Bed & Breakfast Overlay Zone

Status: Contributing

Associated Archeological Site/Deposits?

(known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)

Conversion Problem? **ConversionNote:** Null

Date form completed: 2/6/2006

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