**Planning Department** 

# Valle Vista Terrace Historic District Second HRB Hearing

November 16, 2017









# **Process to Date**



HRB Policy Subcommittee July 10, 2017

Property Owner Workshop	July 29, 2017	
Property Owner Polling	July 30 <sup>th</sup> – August 15 <sup>th</sup> 2017	<ul> <li>Polled Property Owners to Determine Level of Support</li> <li>48 of 86 Responded (55%)</li> <li>37 Support (77% of Respondents, 43% of Total)</li> <li>8 Oppose (17% of Respondents, 9% of Total)</li> <li>3 Neutral (6% of Respondents, 3% of Total)</li> </ul>
First Hearing	August 24, 2017	<ul> <li>Portions of the Nomination Incomplete and Returned for Revision</li> </ul>
Second 1 <sup>st</sup> Hearing	October 26, 2017	<ul> <li>Remaining Portions of the Nomination Deemed Complete</li> </ul>



### **First HRB Hearing**

#### August 24, 2017

- At the First Hearing the Board Took the Following Actions:
  - Accepted the District Boundary;
  - Accepted the Proposed Statement of Significance and Period of Significance of 1907-1942 in Regard to Criterion A;
  - Changed the Proposed Period of Significance for Criterion C to 1907-1966; and
  - Requested Additional Information Regarding the Historic Context and Statement of Significance Relative to Criterion C



## Second 1<sup>st</sup> HRB Hearing

#### October 26, 2017

- At the Second 1<sup>st</sup> Hearing the Board Took the Following Actions:
  - Accepted the proposed Valle Vista Terrace Historic District context without further direction.
  - Accepted the proposed Statement of Significance in regard to Criterion C and the associated Period of Significance of 1907-1950 without further direction.
  - Reclassified the property at 2206 Adams Avenue from Non-Contributing to Contributing.
  - Reclassified the property at 4737 Panorama Drive from Non-Contributing to Contributing.
  - Reclassified the property at 2242 Cliff Street from Contributing to Non-Contributing.
  - Accepted the classification of the remaining properties as recommended by staff.



# **Staff Response to Board Direction at Second First Hearing** Classification of Contributing and Non-Contributing Resources

- Revised the district nomination, district map, and survey forms for:
  - 2206 Adams Avenue (NC > C)
  - 4737 Adams Avenue (NC > C)
  - 2242 Cliff Street (C > NC)



# History and Significance of Valle Vista Terrace Significant Under HRB Criterion A

- Historical Development
  - Development of University Heights as a Streetcar Suburb.
  - Location Chosen Due to Access to Water, Transit, Commercial Development and Popular Attractions.
  - Mixture of Lots for Different Housing Types.
- Architectural Development
  - Collection of Varied Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century Architectural Styles.
- Period of Significance 1907-1942





# History and Significance of Valle Vista Terrace Significant Under HRB Criterion C

- Exhibits Varied Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century Architectural Styles in Both Upper and Working Class Expressions:
  - Craftsman
  - Mission/Spanish Revival
  - Tudor Revival
  - Dutch Colonial Revival
- One of Very Few Intact Districts in University Heights that Reflects These Historical Trends.
- Period of Significance 1907-1950





### **Contributing and Non-Contributing Resources**





# **Staff Recommendation**

- 1. Designate the Valle Vista Terrace Historic District Under HRB Criterion A with a Period of Significance of 1907-1942 as a Special Element of University Heights' Historical and Architectural Development;
- 2. Designate the Valle Vista Terrace Historic District under HRB Criterion C with a Period of Significance of 1907-1950 as a Collection of Architectural Properties that are Good Examples of a Variety of Architectural Styles Dating to the First Half of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century, in Both Upper and Working Class Expressions;
- 3. Designate the 66 Contributing Resources Identified in the Draft Resolution, and the property at 2242 Cliff Street under HRB Criterion F; and
- 4. Classify the 24 Properties Identified in the Draft Resolution as Non-Contributing Resources to the District, minus the property at 2242 Cliff Street.



# 2242 Cliff Street



1996

2017













2003





