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This comment relates to the above property which has applied for Landmark status in the City of Pasadena.

This property is a bungalow court consisting of several buildings that were relocated to the current site to make room for a new building on Cal Tech's campus. The buildings underwent extensive renovation lasting well over 1 year that essentially gutted the structures and rebuilt them from the ground up.

This property is not historic in any way. The location is new and the buildings should be considered new construction replicas.

Landmark status in the City of Pasadena is rare and reserved for only the most historically significant landmarks in the area. Gamble House and the Arroyo Seco bridge are fine examples.

I urge City of Pasadena to deny the application of 1031 San Pasqual for Landmark status. A new construction replica isn't worthy of such a designation.

Sincerely,

James Gleason
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