

# HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource no.

Resource Address:  
**242 Beech St**  
**Abilene Texas 79601 United States**  
County: Taylor  
Historic name: Horace O. Wooten House  
Present name: Wooten House  
Local place name:  
Visible from public right of way: Yes  
Ownership: Private  
Owner/Address:  
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Land unit size:  
Site/Setting:



Lat/Long: 32.451693000000000, -99.7392509999999700 [WGS84]  
UTM: Zone 14S, 430517.4530 mE, 3590744.7743 mN  
Parcel No.

## Historical Information

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Construction Date: ca. 1940-1949 , 1940\*  
Original or Significant Owners:  
Significant Date/Period:  
Areas of Significance:

Current Function: Commerce/Trade: Business  
Architect:  
Builder:  
Developer:

## Architectural Information

Category: building, domestic building  
Structural: balloon frame  
Stories: 2, Bays: 5  
Form or Plan: rectangular, rectangular  
Foundation: undetermined  
General condition: Excellent  
Basement: undetermined

Style: Prairie School and Eclectic  
Exterior Material(s): original brick  
Roof Material: replacement asphalt shingles  
Roof Type: Low hip , box cornice , paired brackets  
Windows: Unknown/Obscured fixed  
Chimney(s): one stone offset left side slope and two brick offset right side slope  
Porch: single-story full-span enclosed porch

- Additions
  - Alterations
  - Moved
  - Other
- Ancillary structures:

## Historical Summary:

## Status (Current Listing or Designation)

National:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
State/Province:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
Local:  indiv.  district  landmrk.

## Evaluation (Preparer's Assessment of Eligibility)

<i>Recommendation</i>	<i>Level of potential eligibility</i>	<i>Landmark potential</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Individually eligible	<input type="checkbox"/> National	<input type="checkbox"/> National
<input type="checkbox"/> Eligible as contributing resource	<input type="checkbox"/> State	<input type="checkbox"/> State
<input type="checkbox"/> Not eligible / non-contributing	<input type="checkbox"/> Local	<input type="checkbox"/> Local
<input type="checkbox"/> Not determined		



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**Description/Remarks**

This is a 2-story, 5-bay domestic building in the Prairie School style with Eclectic influences built in 1940. The structural system is balloon frame. The foundation is undetermined. Exterior walls are original brick. The building has a low hip roof clad in replacement asphalt shingles with box cornice, paired brackets and one hip-roofed dormer. There are one offset left, side slope, stone chimney and two offset right, side slope, brick chimneys. Windows are unknown/obscured fixed. There is a single-story, full-span enclosed porch characterized by a hip roof clad in asphalt shingles with arcaded arch brick posts.

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Date source: Taylor CAD

**Survey and Recorder**

Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts	Sequence/Key no.: 26	Survey Date: 10/24/11
Prepared By: Abrigg	Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey	Previous Surveys:
Inventoried: 10/15/2012 11:35:27 am Last updated: 02/24/2017 12:13:29 pm by Hayden Brodowsky /	Level of Survey: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reconnaissance <input type="checkbox"/> Intensive	Additional Research Recommended? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No