## Resource Address: 502 Riverside Blvd Abilene Texas 79601 United States

County: Taylor

Historic name: Shoemaker/Grosvenor House Present name: Shoemaker/Grosvenor House

Local place name:

Visible from public right of way: Yes

Ownership: Private Owner/Address:

Land unit size: Site/Setting:



Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling Construction Date: ca. 1930-1939, 1939\*

Original or Significant Owners:

Significant Date/Period:

Areas of Significance:

## **Architectural Information**

Category: building, domestic building

Structural: frame Stories: 1, Bays: 3

Form or Plan: bungalow, irregular

Foundation: undetermined General condition: Excellent Basement: undetermined

**Historical Summary:** 



Lat/Long: 32.4454815811354700, -99.7667580122337100 [WGS84]

UTM: Zone 14S, 427927.0469 mE, 3590074.4440 mN

Parcel No.

Current Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling

Architect: Builder:

Developer:

Style: Tudor and Eclectic

Exterior Material(s): original stone Roof Material: replacement slate

Roof Type: Multi-plane front gable, flush eaves Windows: replacement vinyl 6/6 double-hung sashes Chimney(s): one stone Off Center in front exterior

Porch: single-story single-bay open porch

Additions

Alterations
Moved

Other

Ancillary structures: 3 total including garage

Status (Current Listing or Designation)				
National:	indiv. district	andmrk.		
State/Province:	indiv. district	andmrk.		
Local:	indiv. district	andmrk.		

Evaluation (Preparer	's Assessment of Eligibility)
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Individually eligibleEligible as contributing resource

Not determined

Not eligible / non-contributing

Level of potential eligibility

National
State

Local

Landmark potential

National

State







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## Description/Remarks

This is a 1-story, 3-bay domestic building in the Tudor style with Eclectic influences built in 1939. The structural system is frame. The foundation is undetermined. Exterior walls are original stone. The building has a multi-plane front gable roof clad in replacement slate with flush eaves. There is one off center in front, exterior, stone chimney. Windows are replacement vinyl, 6/6 double-hung sashes. There is a single-story, single-bay open porch characterized by an integrated (under the main) roof clad in slate with arched stone posts. The replacement windows are very similar to the original. This house has a feild stone veneer that incorporates fossilized coral and other unique rock formations found in this region.

Date source: Taylor CAD

Survey and Recorder		
Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts	Sequence/Key no.: 298	Survey Date: 12/2011
Prepared By: Abrigg	Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey	Previous Surveys:
Inventoried: 10/22/2012 1:28:52 pm Last updated: 01/09/2017 12:03:20 pm by Hayden Brodowsky /	Level of Survey:  ✓ Reconnaissance  Intensive	Additional Research Recommended?  ✓ Yes  No