

# HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource no.

Resource Address:  
**1938-1942 S 7th St**  
**Abilene Texas 79601 United States**  
County: Taylor  
Historic name: Dorn/Mathews House  
Present name: Dorn/Mathews House  
Local place name:  
Visible from public right of way: Yes  
Ownership: Private  
Owner/Address:  
/  
Land unit size:  
Site/Setting:



Lat/Long: 32.4432675112284300, -99.7463960085983100 [WGS84]  
UTM: Zone 14S, 429839.3457 mE, 3589815.4446 mN  
Parcel No.

## Historical Information

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Construction Date: ca. 1920-1929 , 1927\*  
Original or Significant Owners:  
Significant Date/Period:  
Areas of Significance:

Current Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Architect:  
Builder:  
Developer:

## Architectural Information

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

Style: Colonial Revival and Greek Revival  
Exterior Material(s): replacement vinyl siding  
Roof Material: replacement asphalt shingles  
Roof Type: Hipped gable , box cornice  
Windows: replacement vinyl 6/1 double-hung sashes  
Chimney(s):  
Porch: two-story three-quarter open porch

Additions  
 Alterations  
 Moved  
 Other  
Ancillary structures:  
garage

## Historical Summary:

## Status (Current Listing or Designation)

National:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
State/Province:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
Local:  indiv.  district  landmrk.  
Sayles Boulevard District

## Evaluation (Preparer's Assessment of Eligibility)

Recommendation	Level of potential eligibility	Landmark potential
<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		



1997



2014

**Description/Remarks**

This is a 2-story, 5-bay domestic building in the Colonial Revival style with Greek Revival influences built in 1927. The structural system is frame. The foundation is undetermined. Exterior walls are replacement vinyl siding. The building has a hipped gable roof clad in replacement asphalt shingles with box cornice. Windows are replacement vinyl, 6/1 double-hung sashes. There is a two-story, three-quarter open porch characterized by a gabled roof clad in asphalt shingles with classical wood posts on turned wood piers.

Date source: Taylor CAD

**Survey and Recorder**

Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts	Sequence/Key no.: 360	Survey Date: 12/2011
Prepared By: Abrigg	Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey	Previous Surveys:
Inventoried: 10/22/2012 2:14:26 pm Last updated: 04/11/2017 8:59:30 am 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