

# HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource no.

Resource Address:  
**865 Sayles Blvd**  
**Abilene Texas 79601 United States**  
County: Taylor  
Historic name: Frost/Grissom/Moore House  
Present name: Frost/Grissom/Moore House  
Local place name:  
Visible from public right of way: Yes  
Ownership: Private  
Owner/Address:  
/  
Land unit size:  
Site/Setting:



Lat/Long: 32.4396360000000000, -99.7475850000000200 [WGS84]  
UTM: Zone 14S, 429724.7608 mE, 3589413.6579 mN  
Parcel No.

## Historical Information

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling  
Construction Date: ca. 1930-1939 , 1936\*  
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: 4  
Form or Plan: irregular/asymmetrical-plan, irregular  
Foundation: undetermined  
General condition: Excellent  
Basement: undetermined

Style: Mission/Spanish Revival and Italianate  
Exterior Material(s): original stone veneer  
Roof Material: original Terra Cotta Barrell Tile  
Roof Type: Low hip , flush eaves  
Windows: original wood 6/6 double-hung sashes  
Chimney(s):  
Porch:

- Additions
  - Alterations
  - Moved
  - Other
- Ancillary structures:  
Garage with apartment  
above

## 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)

<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, 4-bay domestic building in the Mission/Spanish Revival style with Italianate influences built in 1936. The structural system is frame. The foundation is undetermined. Exterior walls are original stone veneer. The building has a low hip roof clad in original terra cotta barrel tile with flush eaves. Windows are original wood, 6/6 double-hung sashes.

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Date source: Taylor CAD

**Survey and Recorder**

Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts	Sequence/Key no.: 320	Survey Date: 12/2011
Prepared By: Abrigg	Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey	Previous Surveys:
Inventoried: 10/22/2012 1:44:43 pm Last updated: 04/11/2017 9:50:36 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