

# Monroe House Additions

Minor Landmark Alteration Permit File No. LMA22-012

1118 Monroe Ct

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Minor Landmark Alteration to allow the applicant to construct a 293 square-foot addition for an extended bedroom with a bathroom, closet, and a new window, and a 16 square-foot addition for a laundry room at the side of the single-family dwelling. Project encroaches the rear yard setback by 20 square feet. Due to the irregularity of the easterly property boundary the project will be going 2 feet into the northerly rear setback and 10 feet into the easterly rear setback.



## Neighborhood Context

SPENCER AVE

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Zone: PD0226-H

**GP: Low Density Residential** 

McDonald Avenue Preservation District



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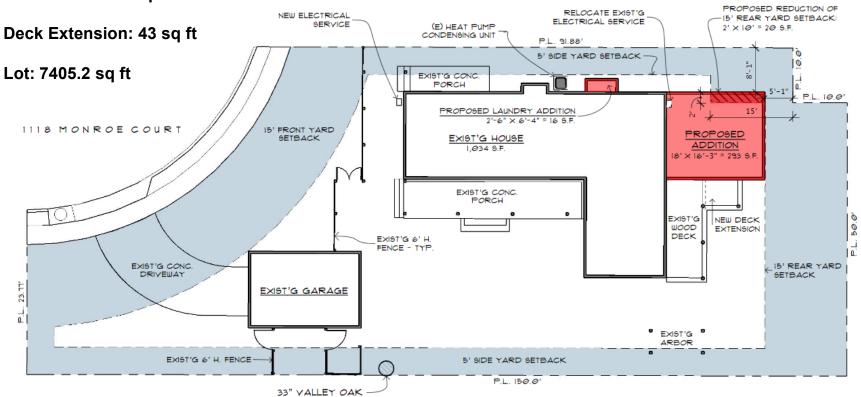
## Site Plan 309 sq ft in Additions

Current Total: 1,038 sq ft

New Addition: 309 sq ft

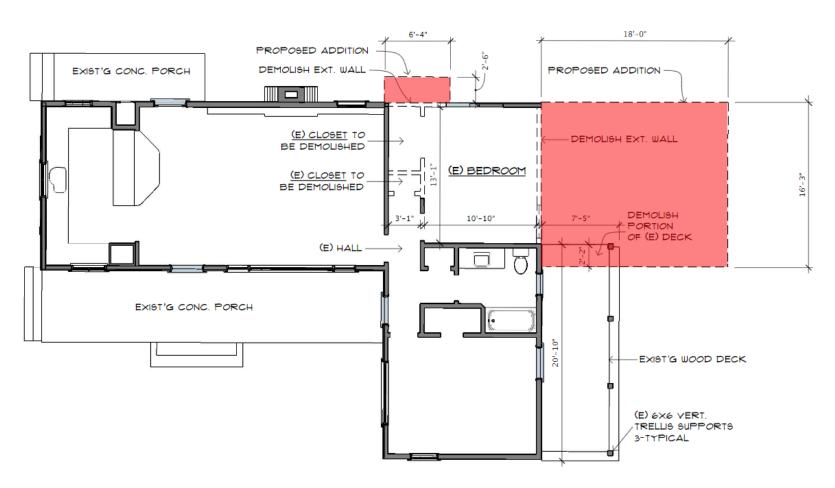
Laundry Room: 16 sq ft

Bedroom: 293 sq ft
 New Total: 1347 sq ft



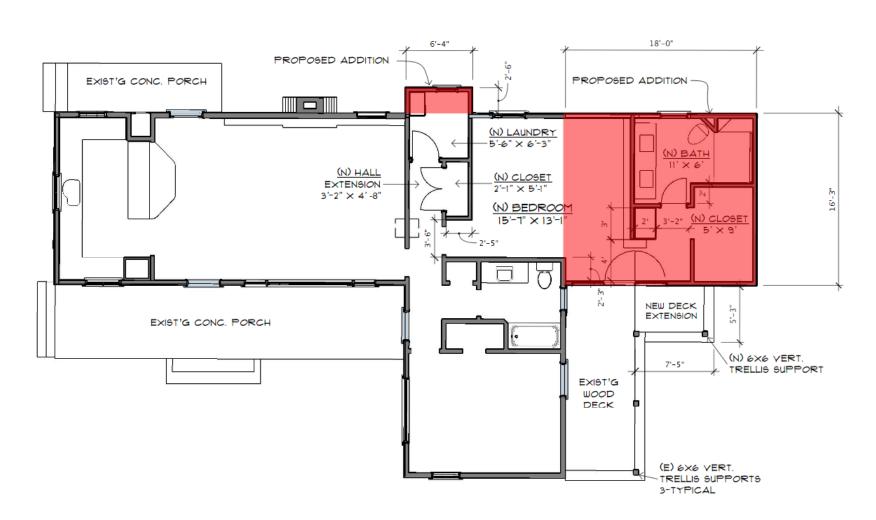


# Existing/Demo Floor Plan 309 sq ft in Additions





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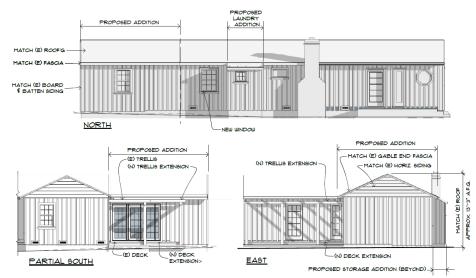




#### **Existing Elevations**

#### (E) ASPHALT COMPOSITION SHINGLES DEMOLISH SIDING \$ WALL AS REQ'D FOR NEW STORAGE ADDITION (E) IX6 FASCIA € GUTTER NORTH (E) R.S. BOARD DEMOLISH WINDOW -DEMOUSH SIDING, WINDOW \$ -(F) RAKE ELASHING/TRIM (E) TRELLIS -- (E) HORIZ SHIPLAP SIDING -(E) R.S. 4×6 TRELLIS (E) R.9. 6×6 HORIZON. TRELLIS SUPPORT (E) R.9. 6×6 VERT. -(E) DECK RELOCATE ELEC. (E) DECK PARTIAL SOUTH EAST RELOCATE IRRIGATION

#### **New Elevations**





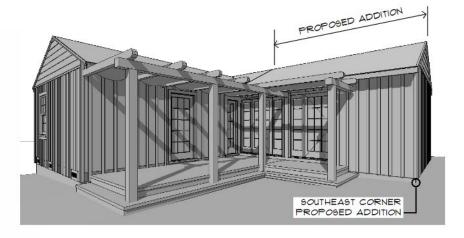
## **Photos of Proposed Location**



REAR YARD : VIEW LOOKING NORTHWEST



REAR YARD : VIEW LOOKING WEST



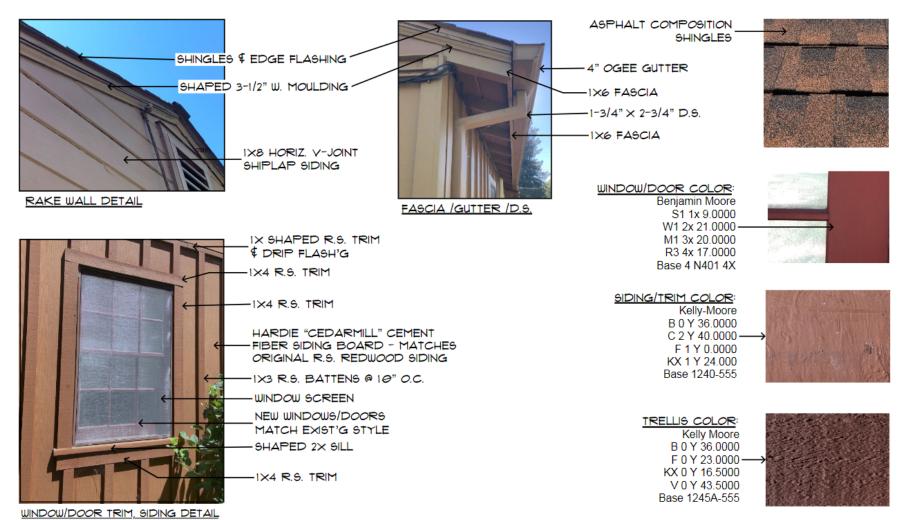


REAR YARD : VIEW LOOKING NORTHEAST

SOUTHEAST CORNER PROPOSED ADDITION



#### Historic Style / Materials







#### Zoning Code Section 20-28.040 Historic (-H) combining district.

#### 4. Setbacks.

- Purpose. The historic development pattern is a unique and defining feature in each of the City's
  preservation districts and on each landmark property. Standard setback requirements may not be
  sensitive to such unique attributes and therefore it is important to allow flexibility in determining
  appropriate setbacks to preserve and enhance existing conditions or character.
- b. Applicability. Reduced setbacks may be applied to development within a designated
  preservation district or on a designated local landmark. The reduced setback may be applied to new
  buildings as well as the addition or expansion of an existing building.
- c. Reduced setbacks. A reduction of setbacks required by the primary zoning district may be approved provided that:
  - (1) The review authority first finds that the reduced setback will not significantly impair the residential privacy of the proposed structures or any adjacent existing or anticipated residential structures or use; and
  - (2) The review authority first finds that the reduced setback enhances and protects the historic
    development pattern of the preservation district or any adjacent contributing properties and that
    approving a reduced setback facilitates a superior project.





#### Zoning Code Section 20-28.040 Historic (-H) combining district.

The proposed project's reduced setback will not significantly impair the residential privacy of the proposed structures or any adjacent existing or anticipated residential structures or use.

The addition does not abut any adjacent properties' residential structures.

The proposed project's reduced setback enhances and protects the historic development pattern of the preservation district and that approving a reduced setback facilitates a superior project.

The proposed project will be keeping with the historical style and materials of the
existing structure and as part of the McDonald Avenue Preservation District and
the reduced setback will allow for an adequately sized bathroom inside the
proposed addition.



# Environmental Review California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

The proposed project has been reviewed in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and qualifies for a Class 1 exemption under CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 subsection 'e' in that the new proposed addition is a minor alteration of an existing private structure. The addition is negligible and does not result in an increase of more than 2,500 square-feet or 50 percent of the floor area.



## Issues/Public Comment

- There are no unresolved issues as a result of staff review.
- No comments have been received.





It is recommended by the Planning and Economic Development Department that the Zoning Administrator approve, by resolution, approve a Minor Landmark Alteration Permit, LMA 22-012, to allow 309 square feet in additions for a master bedroom and a laundry room at 1118 Monroe Ct.

#### Questions:

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