

Garage with ADU

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628 Wheeler Street

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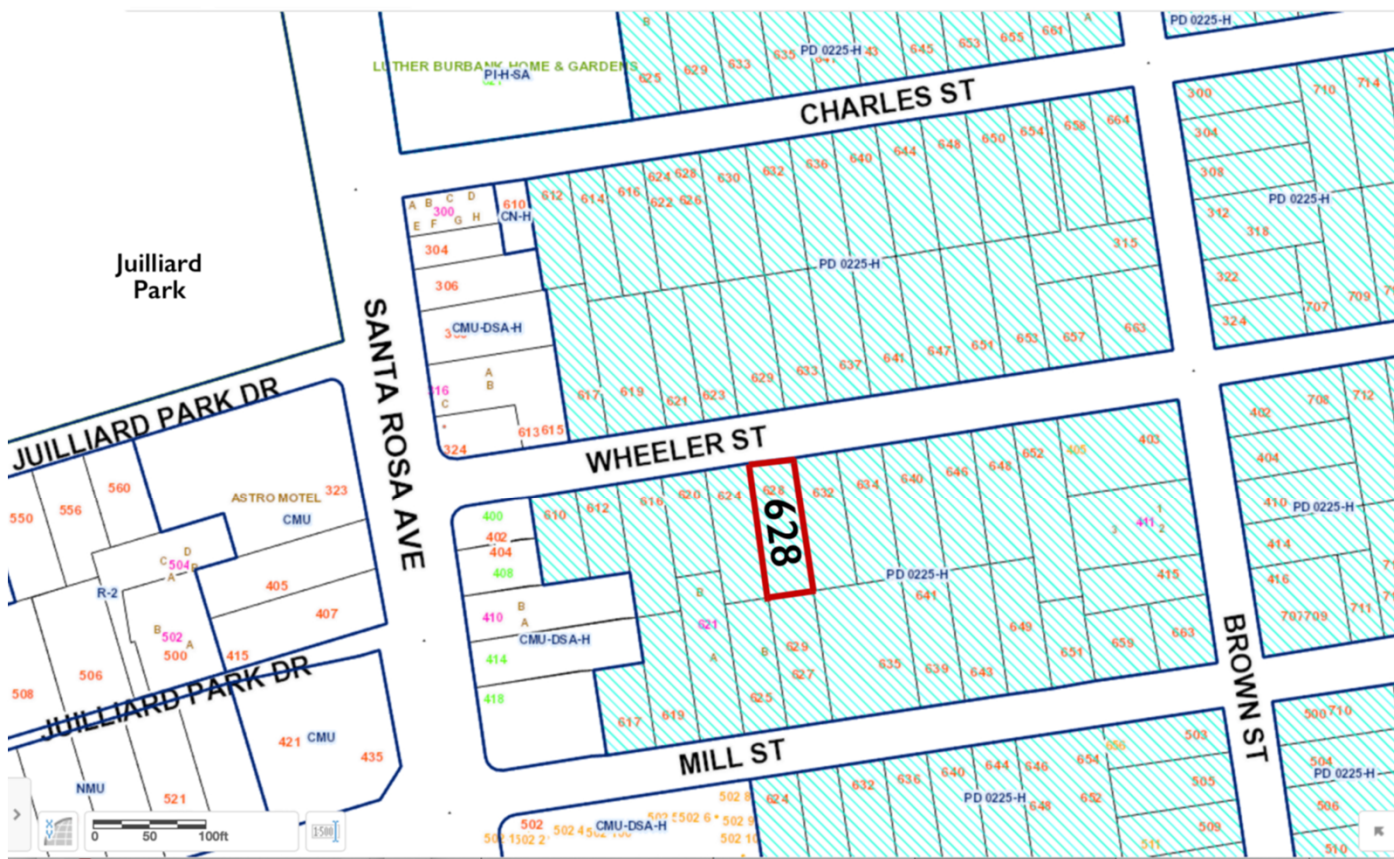
Aerial View 628 Wheeler



Street View 628 Wheeler



Neighborhood Context

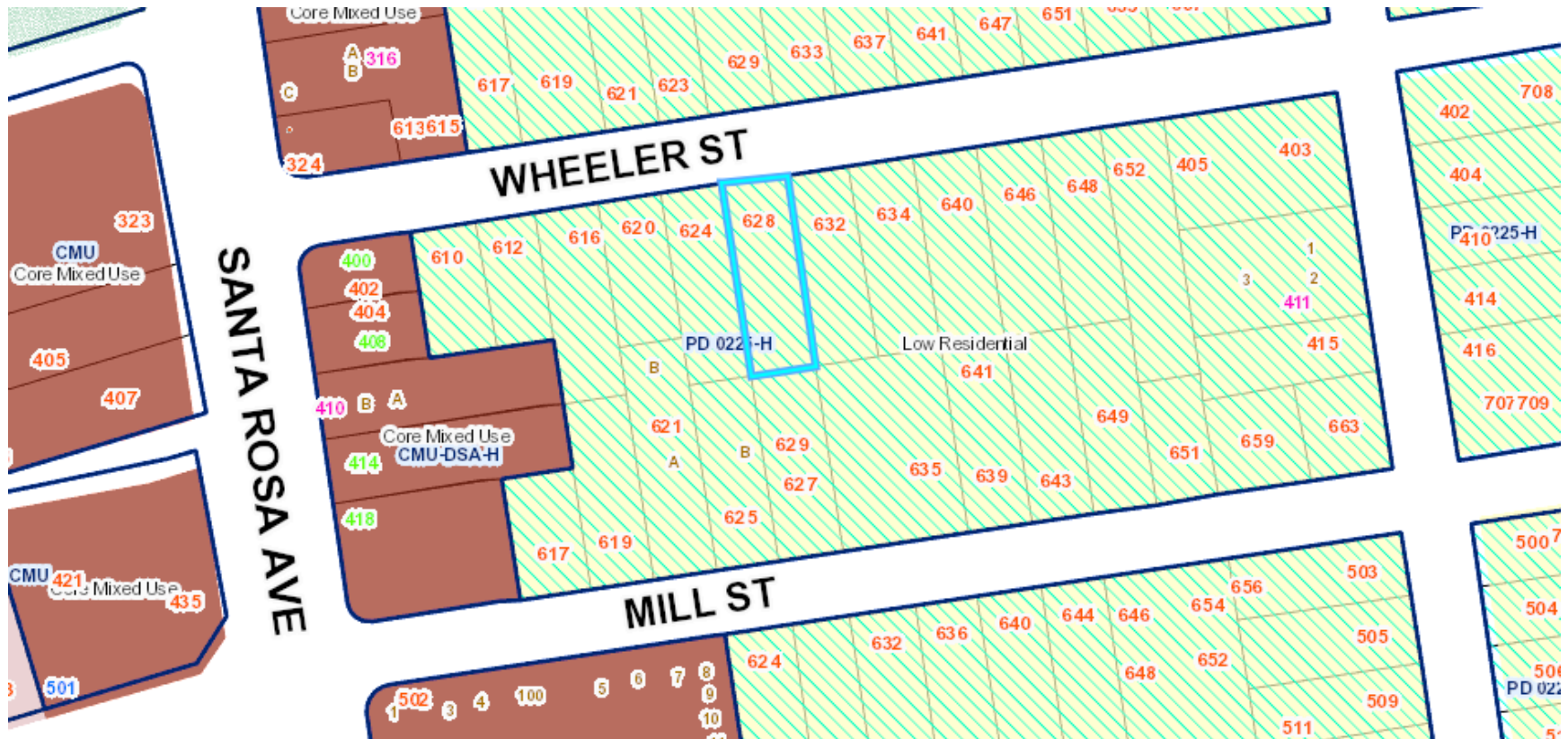


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 628 WHEELER STREET, SANTA ROSA, CA 95404
 NEIGHBORHOOD CONTEXT MAP

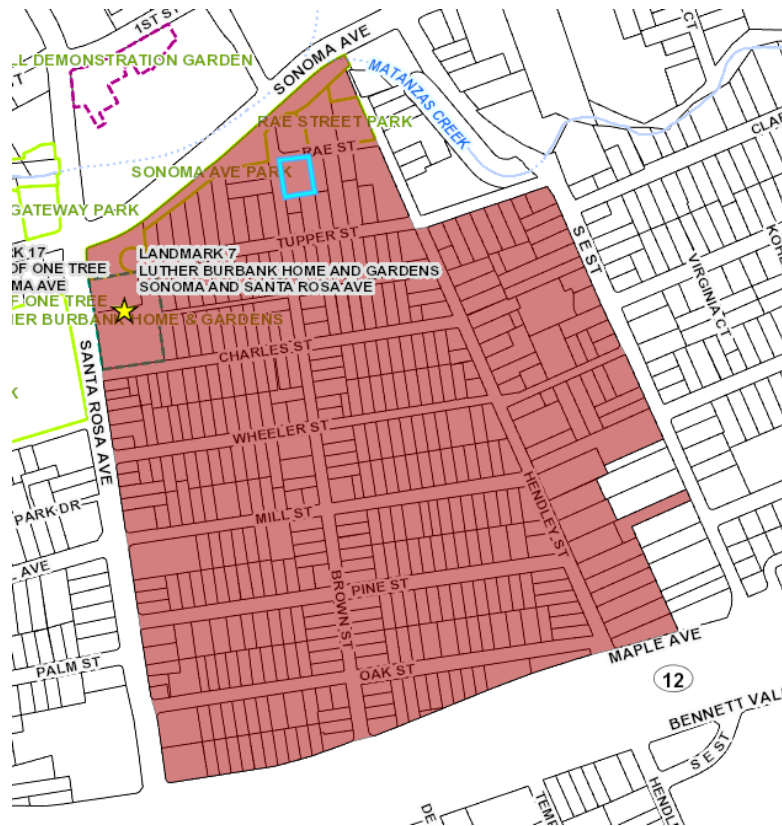
Neighborhood Context



General Plan & Zoning



Burbank Gardens Neighborhood Preservation District



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Street View 628 Wheeler



- Contributor
- Tudor Revival
- 1931 (estimate)



EXISTING NORTH ELEV.



EXISTING WEST ELEV.

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A small, weathered wooden shed with a thick thatched roof made of dried leaves or straw. The walls are made of vertical wooden planks, many of which are missing or peeling, revealing the underlying structure. A single window with a dark frame is visible on the right side. The shed is situated in a wooded area with tall trees in the background. The ground is covered in a layer of dry leaves and twigs. A large, black, rectangular plastic container with a textured surface is leaning against the right side of the shed. To the left, there is a pile of debris, including a wooden board and some dark material. The overall scene suggests a neglected or abandoned structure in a natural setting.

DEMOLITION EAST ELEV.



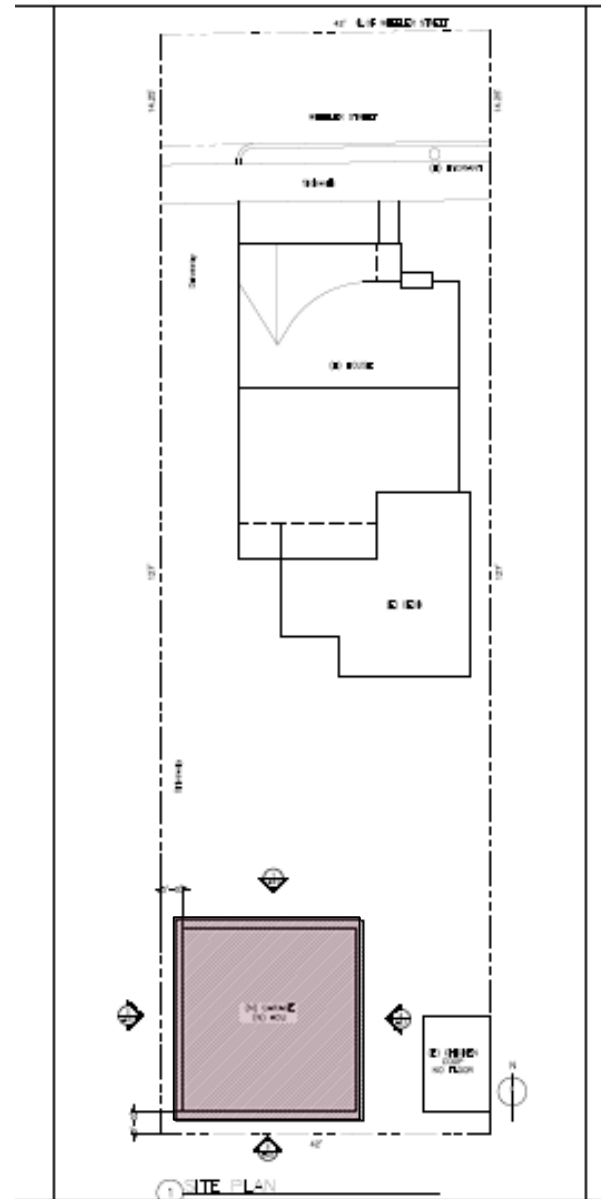
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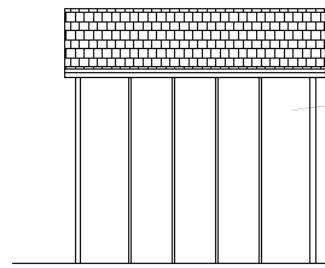
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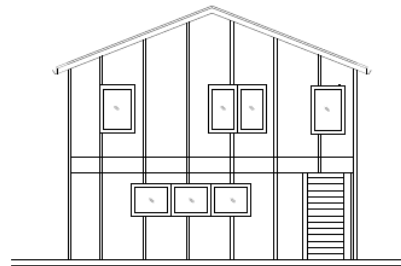
Elevations



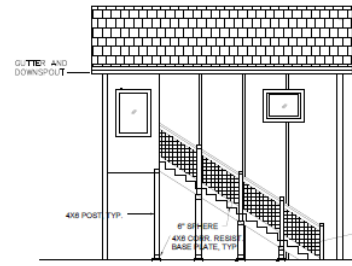
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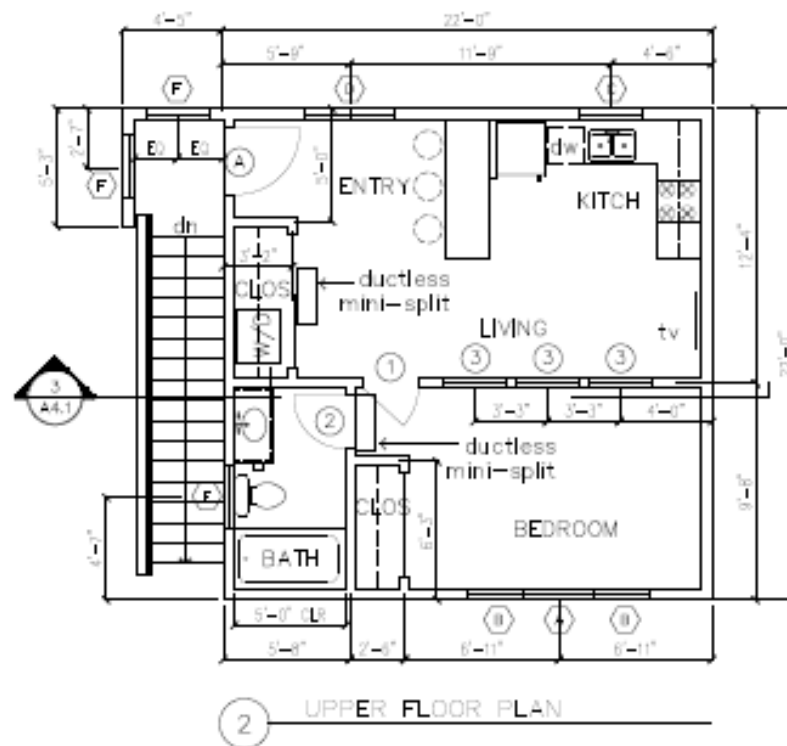
2 WEST ELEVATION



3 SOUTH ELEVATION



4 EAST ELEVATION



Burbank Gardens Neighborhood

- District character. The Burbank Gardens Preservation District is a fairly homogenous district of small single-family homes, predominately Bungalows representing the bulk of development that occurred in the 1920s and 1930s with a mix of other architectural as shown below, as well as some duplexes, apartment buildings, small commercial buildings and Burbank Home and Gardens.
- Houses are generally single-story with some exceptions found in the northern portion of the district, closer to Santa Rosa Creek. Architectural detailing is minimal and simple. Double hung wood windows are common.
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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 3 exemption under Section 15303 – New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures in that the proposal involves a new detached garage and accessory dwelling unit.

- There are no unresolved issues as a result of staff review.



Recommendation

It is recommended by the Planning and Economic Development Department that the Zoning Administrator, by resolution, approve a Minor Landmark Alteration Permit to allow the demolition of an existing detached garage and the construction of a new detached garage and accessory dwelling unit above, at 628 Wheeler Street.

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