



Staff Report

Knoxville Historic Zoning Commission

File Number: 3-B-24-HZ

Meeting:	3/21/2024	
Applicant:	Rebecca McCurdy	
Owner:	Rebecca McCurdy	

Property Information

Location: 1000 Thompson Place

Parcel ID 81 L E 016

District: Old North Knoxville H

Zoning: RN-2 (Single-Family Residential Neighborhood)

Description: American Four Square, c.1905

Two-story, hipped-roof residence with an asphalt shingle roof, an exterior of wood lap siding, and a stucco-clad foundation. Partial-width front-gable roof porch projects from the right side of the façade.

Description of Work

Level II Construction of Addition or Outbuilding

New secondary structure (storage shed). Shed measures 8' by 12', and will be set 5' from the rear (south) and interior side (east) property lines. The rectangular garage features a 10/12 side-gable roof clad in asphalt shingles, an exterior of wood lap siding with 4.5" exposure, and a parge-coated slab foundation. The shed also includes overhanging eaves, a decorative wood window on one side elevation, and paired plank doors with cross-bracing.

Applicable Design Guidelines

Old North Knoxville Design Guidelines, adopted by the Knoxville City Council on November 25, 2004.

M. Auxiliary or Outbuildings

1. The design of outbuildings such as garages shall acknowledge and suggest the function of original outbuildings that would have been located in the neighborhood.

2. The design of features like garage doors that face the street shall mimic carriage house doors from an era consistent with the primary building on the lot.

3. Garages shall be located to the rear of the primary building on the lot.

4. Materials used in constructing outbuildings or accessory buildings may only use materials and design characteristics selected from the following list: wood lap siding with a four inch overlap or board and batten, a 12/12 roof pitch, overhanging eaves, exposed rafter tails, wood windows, masonry but not exposed concrete block or split-face block, garage doors appearing to be carriage doors or plank doors with cross-bracing or perimeter reinforcing timbers.

Comments

N/A

Staff Findings

1. 1000 Thompson Place is a contributing resource to the ONK National Register Historic District and local overlay.

2. The secondary structure will be placed to the rear corner of the property, meeting the setbacks for accessory structures, and minimally visible from the street due to the fence. Placement of the secondary structure is appropriate.

3. The proposed materials (wood lap siding and trim, asphalt shingle roofing, wood windows) meet the design guidelines.

4. The shed will use design elements that meet the guidelines and align with the primary structure, including a roof pitch, overhanging eaves, and plank doors with cross-bracing.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of Certificate 3-B-24-HZ as submitted.



DESIGN REVIEW REQUEST

□ DOWNTOWN DESIGN (DK)

- HISTORIC ZONING (H)
- □ INFILL HOUSING (IH)

Russell and Rebecca McCurdy

Applicant 3/1/2024	3/21/2024	3-B-24-HZ
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CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence related to this application should be directed to the approved contact listed below.

📕 Owner 🔲 Contractor 🗌 Engineer 🗌 Ar	rchitect/Landscape Architect
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Rebecca McCurdy

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CURRENT PROPERTY INFO

	1000 Thompson Place		865 456 2986
Owner Name (if different from applicant)	Owner Address		Owner Phone
1000 Thompson Place		081LE016	
Property Address		Parcel ID	
Old North Knoxville		H-1	
Neighborhood		Zoning	

AUTHORIZATION

Lindsay	Crockett
Staff Signature	

Lindsay Crockett

3.1.24

Please Print

Date

REQUEST

DOWN IOWN DESIGN	Level 1: Signs Alteration of an existing building/structure Level 2: Addition to an existing building/structure Level 3: Construction of new building/structure Site design, parking, plazas, landscape See required Downtown Design attachment for more details. Brief description of work:
HISTORIC ZONING	Level 1: Signs Routine repair of siding, windows, roof, or other features, in-kind; Installation of gutters, storm windows/doors Level 2: Major repair, removal, or replacement of architectural elements or materials Additions and accessory structures Level 3: Construction of a new primary building Level 4: Relocation of a contributing structure Demolition of a contributing structure See required Historic Zoning attachment for more details. Brief description of work:
INFILL HOUSING	Level 1: Driveways, parking pads, access point, garages or similar facilities Subdivisions Level 2: Additions visible from the primary street Changes to porches visible from the primary street Level 3: New primary structure Site built Modular Multi-Sectional See required Infill Housing attachment for more details.

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δ	Historic Zoning Design Checklist	FEE 2:	
JSE	Infill Housing Design Checklist	100.00	
STAFF USE ONLY	ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS	100.00	
ST	Property Owners / Option Holders	FEE 3:	
	Level 1: \$50 • Level 2: \$100 • Level 3: \$250 • Level 4: \$500		

McCurdy Shed Proposal

We are proposing to build a small shed at the rear of our property at 1000 Thompson Place.

The shed is 8x12, 96 square feet. It will sit in the back southeast corner of the lot. It will be 5 feet from the property lines (the fence) and of fire rated construction. Our lot is 6000 sq feet with the house taking up 1691 sq feet of that, leaving 109 sq feet of buildable room (the proposed shed will be 96 sq feet).

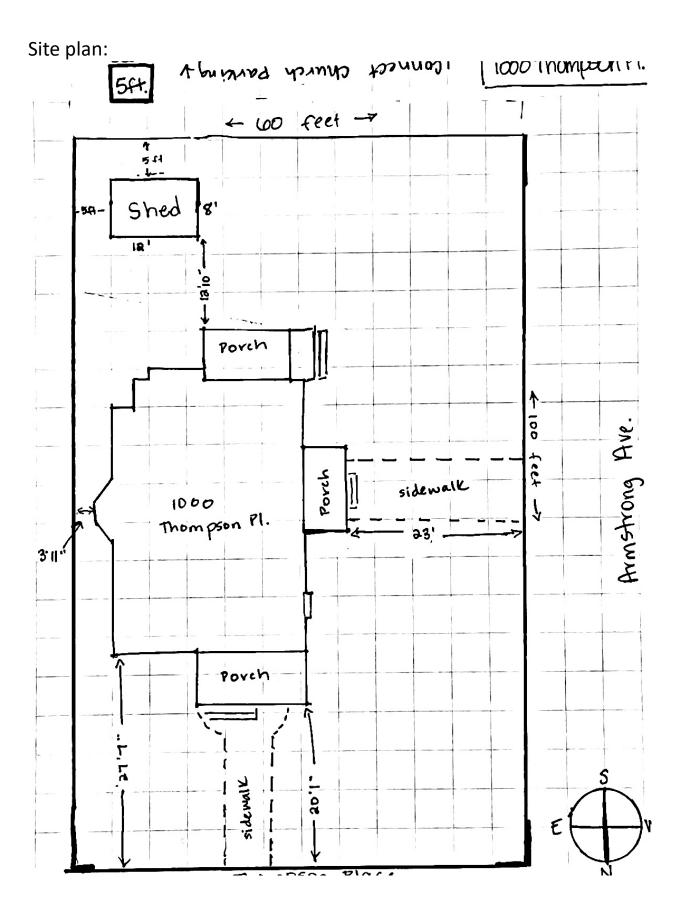
The shed will be constructed using wood lap siding, the same as the original siding on the house. The roof is 12/12 pitch. It will have a slab foundation as well as overhanging eaves (see diagram), plank doors with X-bracing (constructed by our contractor, Jonathan Lawson), and 1 reclaimed, non functioning wood window on the side facing Armstrong Ave. The window will ideally have a diamond pat ern which mimics the windows on the attic dormers.

View from above:



1000 Thompson place, backyard:





Shed plan: See "Sheet A"

