

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

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YOUR NAME: Town of Islip DATE: 8/15/75
 YOUR ADDRESS: Town Hall 655 Main St.
Islip, L.I., N.Y. 11751 TELEPHONE: 516-581-2000
 ORGANIZATION (if any): Dept. of Planning, Housing, & Development

IDENTIFICATION

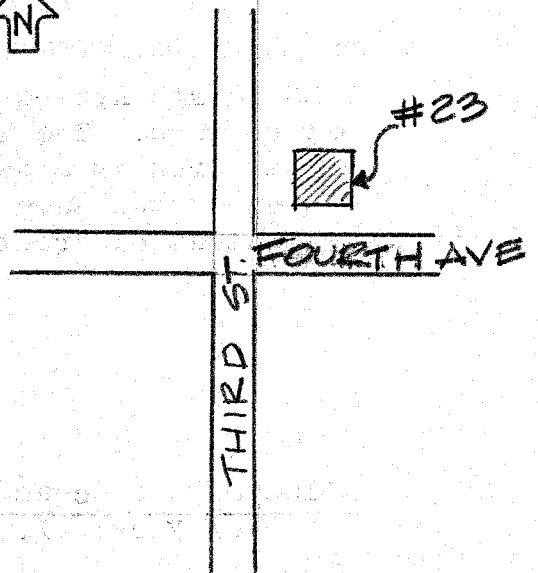
1. BUILDING NAME(S): #23 ~~Fourth Avenue~~
 2. COUNTY: Suffolk TOWN/CITY: Islip VILLAGE: Brentwood
 3. STREET LOCATION: 23 Fourth Ave.
 4. OWNERSHIP: a. public b. private
 5. PRESENT OWNER: _____ ADDRESS: _____
 6. USE: Original: Residence Present: Residence
 7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes No
 Interior accessible: Explain _____

DESCRIPTION

8. BUILDING MATERIAL: a. clapboard b. stone c. brick d. board and batten
 e. cobblestone f. shingles g. stucco other: _____
 9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM: a. wood frame with interlocking joints
 (if known) b. wood frame with light members
 c. masonry load bearing walls
 d. metal (explain) _____
 e. other _____
 10. CONDITION: a. excellent b. good c. fair d. deteriorated
 11. INTEGRITY: a. original site b. moved if so, when? _____
 c. list major alterations and dates (if known): _____

12. PHOTO: **Negative No. C-12A**

13. MAP:



14. THREATS TO BUILDING: a. none known b. zoning c. roads
d. developers e. deterioration
f. other: _____

15. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS AND PROPERTY:
a. barn b. carriage house c. garage
d. privy e. shed f. greenhouse
g. shop h. gardens
i. landscape features: _____
j. other: _____

16. SURROUNDINGS OF THE BUILDING (check more than one if necessary):
a. open land b. woodland
c. scattered buildings
d. densely built-up e. commercial
f. industrial g. residential
h. other: _____

17. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS:
(Indicate if building or structure is in an historic district)
#23 Fourth Avenue is set back from the corner of Third Street and Fourth Avenue among pine trees and woods.

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):
Original shingles. Original windows. Original porch with ballustrade. Porch roof is part of main roof which extends down to porch. Gabled dormer in center of roof.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: _____

ARCHITECT: _____

BUILDER: _____

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:
23 Fourth Avenue is a simple one and one half story three bay cottage. The sweeping roofline that extends over the front porch is a detail that can be found in many of Brentwood's houses of the same period. The house can be located on a 1915 Atlas of Brentwood. It was the property of J.B. Sabine.

21. SOURCES:
**Atlas of the Ocean Shore of Suffolk County (Westerly Section)
New York: E. Belcher Hyde, 1915. Plate 17.**

22. THEME:
Research by the Society for the Preservation of LIII Antiquities
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