

**Historic Property** Huesing House  
**Inventory Report for** 1923 Division St NW, Olympia, WA 98502

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**LOCATION SECTION**

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**Historic Name:** Huesing House **Field Site No.:** 1318  
**Common Name:** **OAHP No.:**  
**Property Address:** 1923 Division St NW, Olympia, WA 98502  
**Comments:** OLYMPIA

**County** **Township/Range/EW** **Section** **1/4 Sec** **1/4 1/4 Sec** **Quadrangle**  
**[REDACTED]** T18R02W 10 TUMWATER

**UTM Reference**  
**Zone:** 10 **Spatial Type:** Point **Acquisition Code:** TopoZone.com  
**Sequence:** 10 **Easting:** 505587 **Northing:** 5211841

**Tax No./Parcel No.** **Plat/Block/Lot**  
66800007300 Orchard Park Lot 73 Less N 110 f

**Supplemental Map(s)** **Acreage**  
.63

**IDENTIFICATION SECTION**

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**Field Recorder:** ss **Date Recorded:** 12/11/2002 **Survey Name:** Olympia

**Owner's Name:** Julie Macdonald **Owner Address:** 1923 Division Street NW **City/State/Zip:** Olympia, WA 98502

**Classification:** Building **Resource Status** **Comments**

**Within a District?** No Local Register

**Contributing?** Survey/Inventory

**National Register Nomination:**  
**Local District:**  
**National Register District/Thematic Nomination Name:**

**DESCRIPTION SECTION**

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**Historic Use:** Domestic - Single Family House  
**Current Use:** Domestic - Single Family House

**Plan:** Rectangle **No. of Stories:** 1 1/2

**Structural System:** Brick

**Changes to plan:** Intact **Changes to interior:** Unknown

**Changes to original cladding:** Intact **Changes to other:**

**Changes to windows:** Intact **Other (specify):**

**Cladding** Brick - Stretcher Bond **Foundation** Stone  
**Style** Arts & Crafts - Craftsman **Form/Type** Single Family - Bungalow  
**Roof Material** Asphalt / Composition **Roof Type** Gable

## NARRATIVE SECTION

Study Unit

Other

Date Of Construction: ca. 1922

Architecture/Landscape Architecture

Architect:

Builder: W. H. Huesing

Engineer:

Property appears to meet criteria for the National Register of Historic Places:

No

Property is located in a historic district (National and/or local):

No

Property potentially contributes to a historic district (National and/or local):

### Statement of Significance

According to available records, the house was built about 1922 by W. H. and Rose Huesing. Huesing was a local mason. The house is part of the Orchard Park Plat which was established by Sam Woodruff in 1893. The Huesings took out a \$1200 mortgage for the house in 1922. Huesing family members were part of the local Brick Masons' Union.

### Description of Physical Appearance

One and one-half story rectangular brick house set on the sandstone foundation. The side gable house is set on a full height foundation. The house has a wood-faced gable dormer on the south front façade.

A central front projecting gable shelters the front entry which is reached by a flight of front stairs which have a low sandstone decorative edges. The gable porch has an arched front opening set with sandstone keystone and corners and open sides with similar detailing. The porch has thick brick supports set on sandstone bases. Flanking the front entry are arched windows with vertical top mullions. The windows, like the arched entry, have a center sandstone keystone and end sandstone elements. A similarly designed basement garage entry was on the north side. The decorative sandstone which topped the garage opening is still evident although the entry has been enclosed. A large brick chimney is on the south side of the house. The brick house is constructed in a stretcher bond pattern. A lost feature is the front garage door opening.

### Major Bibliographic References

Sources: Information from Pioneer Title Company, Polk City Directories, and Olympia Building Trades Annual.

## PHOTOS



View of Front Façade

taken 10/6/2003

Photography Neg. No. (Roll No./Frame No.):

Comments: