

HISTORIC RESOURCE: ELLIOT HOUSE

LOCATION: 1330 North Louise Street

OWNERSHIP: Private

USE: Residential

LAND AREA: 3059 square feet

ZONE: R-1 II

DESIGNATION: Glendale Register

YEAR BUILT: 1915

STYLE: Craftsman

HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE:

This two-story single-family house built in 1915 is an excellent example of the Craftsman style, built at the height of its popularity. The house is also a good example of the "high style" of the Craftsman style of the more well-to-do families of the time. The house's prominent architecture and location at the corner of Louise Street and Mountain Avenue serves as a visual anchor to its neighborhood.

The house was built by Lloyd Leroy Elliott and his wife Geneva Lake Elliott and designed by architect Ralf R. Wilcox. The Elliots were born in Iowa, moved and established businesses in Chicago, and later moved to Southern California in 1901. Mr. Elliott was a lawyer and businessman, and was socially active as a member of many local organizations.

This property is a classic Craftsman example. Its character defining features include: dark earth-tone wood shingles as siding; multiple low pitched roof planes with slight peaks at the apex of the gables; wrap-around porch; and, detailed brick work for porch supports.

This house is designated a historic resource because it identifies interest or value as part of

the heritage of the City; it exemplifies one of the best remaining architectural elements of attention to architectural design, details, materials or craftsmanship of a particular historic period; and it is in a unique location or contains a singular physical characteristic representing an established and familiar visual feature of a neighborhood.

