

George Amerige House

616 N. Harbor Boulevard

1938

Cottage / Moderne Styles

Status: Significant Property



This one-and-a-half story house, which shows an uneasy alliance of the Cottage Style and Streamline Moderne, was built for George Amerige in 1938. The curved, one-story extension with its glass block fenestration and overhead balcony seems out of place with the rest of the two-story structure.

The significance of the property lies with its original owner, George Amerige. George Amerige was one of the founders of Fullerton, and for 50 years he was involved with the development of the community. He moved here after living on the second floor of the building that he constructed at the northeast corner of Commonwealth Avenue and Harbor Boulevard in 1910.

The property is now under the ownership of the Florence Crittenton Services which maintains several former residences along this segment of Harbor Boulevard for its programs and facilities.