

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BLVD
BOSTON, MA 02125

Town Provincetown
Place *(neighborhood or village)*
Address 372 COMMERCIAL ST
Building ID 1142
Parcel No. (PID) 12-2-026-0
Mapbase # 12-2-026
Building Area 1153.077
Historic Name
Present Use Commercial
Original Use Residential
Date of Construction 1890
Source Tax assessment
Style/Form Queen Anne
Architect/Builder
Exterior Material aluminum
Foundation brick
Wall/Trim wood
Roof Front Gable
Outbuildings/Secondary Structures
 Modern 1-story, front-gable garage

Photograph

(3"x3" or 3-1/2"x5" black and white only) Label photo on back with town and property address. Record film roll and negative numbers here on the form. Staple photo to left side of form over this space. Attach additional photos to continuation sheets.

Roll	Negative(s)



Sketch Map

Draw a map showing the building's location in relation to the nearest cross streets and/or major natural features. Show all buildings between inventoried building and nearest intersection or natural feature. Label streets including route numbers, if any. Circle and number the inventoried building. Indicate

Major Alterations *(with dates)*

commercial conversion.

Condition Good
Moved no yes **Date**
Acreage 0.091
Setting

Recorded by Johnette Davies
Organization Kise Straw & Kolodner
Date *(month/year)* September 2003
Form Status new update

Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

Follow Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey Manual instructions for completing this form.

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ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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Describe architectural features. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings in the community.

372 Commercial St. is a 2-story, 2-bay, Queen Anne-style dwelling converted to residential use; gable-front roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles, wood cornice with partial returns, interior brick chimney with corbelled cap on rear of side roof slope; exterior is clad in aluminum siding; building sits on a brick foundation; fenestration includes single and paired 2/1 DHS wood with storms, one sliding window, modern canted oriel window supported by knee braces on 1st story, inoperable shutters; primary entrance is sheltered by a gable portico with turned porch posts, balustrade, spindlework frieze, and brick stoop; left side façade has two secondary entries, one with smaller portico similar to front and one with wood wheelchair ramp.

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

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Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.

As per Josephine Del Deo (1977): This house was shown on 1880 map to have been residence of J. Dyer.

Currently "Blu Day Spa" (2003).

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. *If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*