**ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM**

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**HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE**

Martin Luther King, Jr. Birth Home

**SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE**

None

**COMPLETE ADDRESS**

501 Auburn Avenue

**DATE OF CONSTRUCTION**

Late 19th Century

**ARCHITECT(S)**

Not known

**SIGNIFICANCE**

Birthplace of noted civil rights activist Martin Luther King, Jr.

**STYLE**

Queen Anne

**MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION**

Frame with clapboarding; shingles in gables

**SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE**

Irregular shape, 4-bay front first story, 3-bay front second story; hipped roof with secondary gables; porch with shed roof on front and one side

**EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE**

Porch has turned posts and scroll-saw brackets

**INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE**

Irregular plan.

**MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES**


**PRESENT CONDITION AND USE**

Condition in 1980 was good. Open to public as a historic house museum.

**OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE**

**SOURCES OF INFORMATION**


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**DATE**

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