

PRIMARY RECORD

Other Listings

Review Code _____ Reviewer _____ Date _____

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Resource Name or #: BRIDLE PATHS (SITES OF)

P1. Other Identifier:

P2. Location: Not for Publication Unrestricted a. County Orange
and (P2b and P2C or P2d. Attach a Location Map as necessary.)

b. USGS 7.5' Quad Date T; R; 1/4 of 1/4 of Sec; B.M.

c. Address City San Clemente Zip 92672

d. UTM: Zone; mE/ mN

e. Other Locational Data:

P3a. Description:

Extant landscaped medians running along S. Ola Vista, Esplanade, and Avenida Valencia demarcate the original location of the City's bridle paths. The medians are comprised of concrete curbs, ground cover plantings, and several varieties of mature trees. It does not appear that any of the bridle paths' original material remains extant.

P3b. Resources Attributes: 29 Landscape Architecture

P4. Resources Present: Building Structure Object Site District Element of District Other



P5b. Description of Photo:
June 2006.

P6. Date Constructed/Sources:
 Historic Both
 Prehistoric

1926-1928 (E)

P7. Owner and Address:

P8. Recorded by:
Historic Resources Group, 1728
Whitley Avenue, Hollywood, CA
90028

P9. Date Recorded: 9/21/2006

P10. Survey Type:
City of San Clemente Historic
Resources Survey Update

P11. Report Citation: None.

Attachments: NONE Location Map Sketch Map Continuation Sheet Building, Structure, and Object Record
 Archaeological Record District Record Linear Feature Record Milling Station Record Rock Art Record
 Artifact Record Photograph Record Other:

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BUILDING, STRUCTURE, AND OBJECT RECORD

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NRHP Status Code 5D

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B1. Historic Name: Bridle Paths

B2. Common Name: Bridle Paths

B3. Original Use: Equestrian trails

B4. Present Use: Landscaped medians

B5. Architectural Style:

B6. Construction History:

B7. Moved? No Yes Unknown

Date: Original Location:

B8. Related Features:

B9a. Architect: (Unknown)

b. Builder: (Unknown)

B10. Significance: Theme Ole Hanson/Spanish Village by the Sea Area City of San Clemente

Period of Significance 1925-1936 Property Type Landscape feature Applicable Criteria A

The bridle paths were likely laid out between 1926 and 1928, and were part of the City's original recreational infrastructure gifted to the people of San Clemente by Ole Hanson. According to the original San Clemente Plat map, circa 1926, bridle paths were planned for Esplanade from El Camino Real to the beach; Paseo de Cristobol from Esplanade to Avenida Valencia; Avenida Valencia from Paseo de Cristobol to El Camino Real; and S Ola Vista from Avenida Valencia to Junipero Serra. An additional path traversed the canyon above S Ola Vista between W Avenidos De Los Lobos Marinos and W Avenida San Antonio. The original sites of the bridle paths, since replaced with landscape medians, appear eligible as contributors to a potential local historic district under Criterion A for their association with the Ole Hanson/Spanish Village by the Sea period of development. They are recommended for addition to the Historic Structures List.

B11. Additional Resource Attributes: 29 Landscape Architecture

B12. References: Historic Resources Survey, Leslie Heumann and Associates, 1995.

B13. Remarks: (none)

B14. Evaluator: Historic Resources Group, Hollywood, CA

Date of Evaluation: 9/21/2006

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Continuation Update

Photographs of the Subject Property, Continued:

