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Dan Paterson 930 Mendicino Ave. Santa Rosa, CA 95401

Dear Dan,

Here is some information our volunteers put together about John Medica. I hope it is enough to at least start a Santa Rosa Merit Award nomination for John.

We do have existing photos of the site, if needed.

John's work was shown in a museum exhibit in San Francisco, during the Bi Centennial and in my book of the same name, "In Celebration of Ourselves." His work was also shown in many slide shows around the country. You can say he has had national exposure.

Arron Gallop, of the California Office of Historic Preservation, said we have a good chance to add the site to the existing thematic "Twentieth Century Folk Art Environments in California" State Landmark sites, #939.

I hope we can get the Medicas their due credit - it would also be a plum for Santa Rosa.

My best,

Seymour Rosen Director

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