





AMAFA / HERITAGE KWAZULU-NATAL SURVEYING FORM

SURVEY OF: KwaSani Local Municipality				DATE RECORDED: October 2013			
PROPERTY NAME: Bazovuka Funeral Home STREET ADDRESS: Old Main Road, Underberg							
GPS. CO-ORDINATES		29.79327 °		S	029.49761°		E
						ERF NUMBER / FARM NUMBER: 112	
						ZONING	
						ARCHITECT / BUILDER Harold Taylor	
						CONSTRUCTION DATE	
						BUILDING STYLE	
						BUILDING TYPE	
						PRESENT USE	
		OCCUPIED (yes / no) Yes					
		CONDITION (good / fair / poor / derelict) Fair					
DESCRIPTION: Single storey veranda house with a hipped corrugated iron roof. Painted and plastered brick walls. Store-front windows at the front and steel-frame side-sash windows to the rear. Timber doors with glass encasement. Front veranda with square bricked columns and fretwork at the top. Tiled veranda floor.							
CONSTRUCTION: Brick and corrugated iron.							
ALTERATIONS (with dates): Shed roof addition at the back. Veranda tiled. Walls painted and plastered.							
SITE FEATURES: The lot also contains a clinic and other buildings. A short plastered brick wall is at the front of the house.							
HISTORY: Old Tea Room, known as the "White Cottage" was frequented by the people travelling by train. Later on a smack cottage was built behind it for African trade and that later grew into the first Spar. It is now a funeral home and clinic.							
SOURCES / REFERENCES: <i>Early Underberg</i> compiled by The Historical & Museum Society in 2009.							
EVALUATION :(cross where relevant)							
Outstanding importance		Significant		X	Contributing		Irrelevant
					Intrusive		Vacant / undeveloped
SIGNIFICANCE (cross where relevant)							
ARCHITECTURAL / AESTHETIC				HISTORICAL			
Important example of a building type				Associated with historic person or group			
Important example of a style or period in history				Associated with historic event or activity			
Fine details, workmanship or aesthetics				CULTURAL / POLITICAL / SOCIAL / EDUCATIONAL / RELIGIOUS / ECONOMIC			
Work of a major architect or builder				X	Associated with any of the above		X
ENVIRONMENTAL				Illustrative of an historical period			
Landmark in village, town or city				X	SCIENTIFIC / TECHNICAL		
Contributes to character of street or square				X	Example of industrial, technical or engineering development		
Contributes to character of a neighbourhood or area					Important to archaeology, palaeontology, geology or biology		
Part of an important group of buildings				X	New, rare or experimental building techniques		
MOTIVATION AND STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:							
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