Learning Places Fall 2015

SITE REPORT #2 Farragut houses & Vinegar hill site visit



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INTRODUCTION

On our visit for the second time to the farragut housing we took our time to focus on one of the houses on the farragut houses and noticed how the buildings have a large amount of space between them so the natural sunlight can hit all the windows of other houses.

SITE DOCUMENTATION (photos/sketches)









SITE OBSERVATIONS

- 1. unkept medical center
- 2. workers from the storage warehouse hanging outside the garage
- 3. chinese and pizza store
- 4. religious buddhist center

QUANTITATIVE DATA

Subject	Data
number of food stores	2
number of markets	1
number of bus stops	2 (on block marked as 3)

QUESTIONS AND HYPOTHESIS

QUESTIONS:

- 1. why are there more buildings being built around the area?
- 2. do the food stores and coffee shop attract a lot of people

HYPOTHESIS:

- 1. because the market value to houses in this area is rising.
- 2. from the little we were walking around we saw a hand full of people inside the coffee shop.

SUMMARY / POST VISIT REFLECTION

After going to the site for the second time it felt more comfortable standing near the fence and sketching the building we examined, when we were splitting up to go to our assigned block i immediately noticed that the houses on the block looked much nicer and well kept than the houses on hudson where the class origany meeted. I was surprised to see a buddhist religious center, on the same block there was many places for residents to eat that was just 1 block away from the site.

REFERENCES TO EXPLORE HYPOTHESIS

1. l<u>http://www.trulia.com/for_sale/5264_nh/featured;a_sort</u>