

Statewide Survey of Historic Properties

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Site No. 0336.02 Status U Revisit

Quadrangle Name: Orangeburg South

Tax Map No. 0152-20-01-002.000

SURVEY FORM

Identification

Historic Name: Edisto Memorial Gardens - Albergotti Playground

Common Name:

Address/Location: Riverside Drive And Waring Street

City: Orangeburg

Vicinity of

County: Orangeburg

Ownership: City

Category: Site

Historical Use: Recreation/Culture

Current Use: Recreation/Culture

SHPO National Register

Determination of Eligibility: Not Eligible

Property Description

Other:

Construction Date: 1922; 1950 Construction: Historic Core Shape:

Exterior Walls:

Other:

Foundation:

Commercial Form:

Roof Shape:

Other: Roof Material: Stories: Porch Shape: Other:

Porch Width:

Description /Significant Features:

The Albergotti Playground was the first playground in Orangeburg and was originally located where the Edisto Memorial Gardens rose garden currently is. The playground was moved to its current location approximately 0.3 miles to the northwest of the rose garden in 1950. It forms the northern leg of the horseshoe. While the 1950-era playground equipment no longer exists, the 1950 location of the playground remains. Additionally, tennis courts were installed as a component of the 1950 playground and remain today, although the fencing surrounding the court has been replaced. A plaque honoring the history of the playground was installed in 1965.

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Alterations (including date(s), if known):

Little original fabric remains; playground equipment is all modern

Architect(s)/Builder(s):

Historical Information

Historical Information:

Source(s) of Information:

Digital Photo ID(s)

File Name:

View:

Other:

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Facing South

Contextual

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Facing East

Plaque

Program Management

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