



LANDMARK DESIGNATION OF OKUBO RESIDENCE

DP-2024-00577 (HD)

Community & Economic Development Department

Cultural Heritage Board

Agenda Item: 5

May 15, 2024

AERIAL PHOTO/LOCATION



OKUBO RESIDENCE



South (Front) Elevation and front yard



East (Side) Elevation

OKUBO FAMILY



Tometsugu (Frank) and Miejioko (Miyo) Kato Okubo

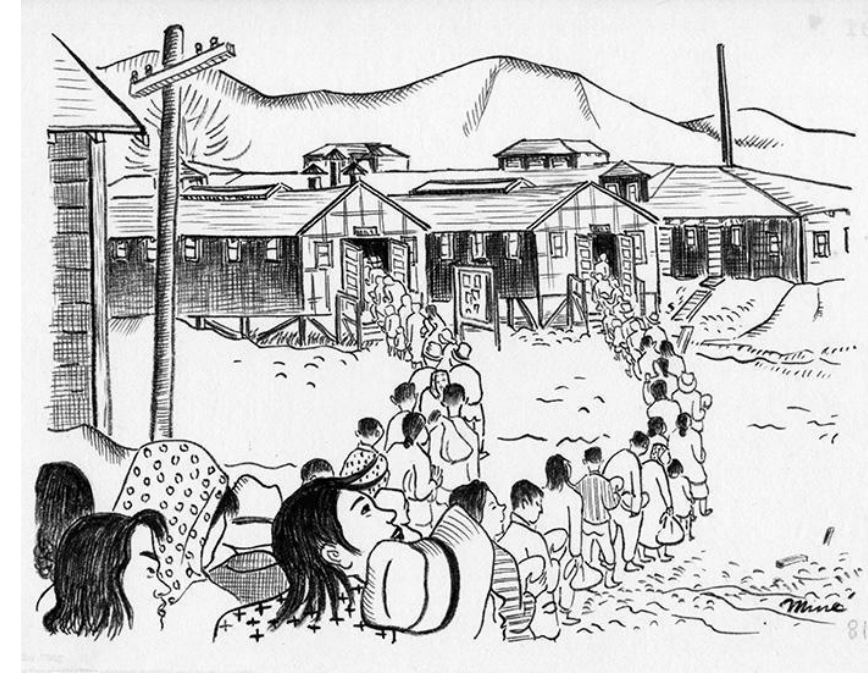
MINÉ OKUBO



**Miné Okubo (Center)
with Sumi Harada**



**Citizen 13660 ID number
by Miné Okubo**



**Waiting in Lines
by Miné Okubo**

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT



Strategic Priority No. 2 – Community Well Being

Goal No. 2.3 - Strengthen neighborhood identities and improve community health and the physical environment through amenities and programs that foster an increased sense of community and enhanced feelings of pride and belonging citywide.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Cultural Heritage Board recommend that City Council:

- 1. DETERMINE** that Planning Case DP-2024-00577 (Historic Designation) for the designation of the Okubo Residence as a City Landmark, is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Sections 15061(b)(3) (Common Sense Rule) and 15308 (Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of the Environment), as the proposal will have no significant effect on the environment, identifies the structure as a cultural resource, and preserves the historic character of a cultural resource; and
- 2. APPROVE** Planning Case DP-2024-00577 (Historic Designation), based on the facts of findings, and designate the Okubo Residence as a City Landmark.