Property Address: 100 Twelfth Street

Historic Name: Kruel House

Year Built: Circa 1949

Architectural Style: Colonial Revival

Significance: Architectural

Designations: Contributing property to the 11th, 12th, Lake and Main City of Racine Historic

District.

Distinguishing features:

South Facade(front): The street façade is characterized as having a two level main body with a single

level hyphenated wing leading to a double bay garage with horizontally louvered copula. The front entryway is highlighted by a baskethandle arch and recessed paneled opening with a paneled door surrounded by side lights each displaying eight opposing arched lead muntins, with an arched transom. A brick veneer is penetrated on the first level of the main body façade with a fifteen-light floating bay window with copper hood. The second level of the main body façade is penetrated by two sets of two six-over-six double hung windows. The west wing façade is penetrated by a single set of two six-over-six double hung windows. The hyphen is recessed to form a gated sheltered passageway between the wing and the garage where two twenty-four recessed-panel garage door dominate the façade. The brick veneer is capped at all levels by a non-ornamented frieze and shallow eve. All windows are flanked by louvered

decorative shutters.

East Façade: The gable end wall area has a brick veneer penetrated by four window openings.

The two first level window openings consist of large pane flanked by two narrow four-over-six double hung windows. The two second level window openings consist of two sets of six-over-six double hung windows, each flanked by louvered decorative shutters. The brick façade meets pediment in-filled with a vertically planked, dog eared, board-n-batton tympanum having a horizontally louvered, arched vent, centrally placed. The north and south façade entablatures

return into the east façade for no more than two feet.

North Façade: The first level has two six-over-six double hung windows, one eight-over-eight

double hung window, and a corner light filled with two ten-over-ten windows. The second level has three six-over-six double hung windows. Decorative horizontally louvered shutters accent all window except those in the corner light. The west wing has a surface patio area with decorative entry door in the west wall of the main structure having two lower panels and an upper six-pane window. The west wing are also has a six-over-six double hung window

accented by decorative horizontally louvered shutters.

West Façade: Façade is dominated by the brick veneered gable end walls of the main structure

and the garage. The main structures brick façade meets pediment having a vertically blanked, dog eared board-n-batton tympanum having an arched louvered vent, centrally placed. The garage façade also has a vertically planked,

dog eared, board-n-batton tympanum but with a vertically orientated,

horizontally louvered, rectangular vent, centrally placed. The brick wall below has two symmetrically placed fifteen-block glass block windows. The north and south façade entablatures return into the west façade for no more than two feet

Roof: Gable, normal slope.