### Residential Information

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#### Basic Information

- **Address:** 98 East Vine, Oberlin, OH, 44074
- **Classification:** Building
- **Date:** 1961
- **Original/Most Significant Construction:** Balloon/western/platform frame
- **Building Type:** Single Dwelling

#### Architectural Details

- **Architect or Engineer:**
- **Foundation Material:** Concrete block
- **Roof Material:** Asphalt shingle
- **Exterior Wall Material(s):** Aluminum or vinyl siding
- **No. of Stories:** One story
- **No. of Bays:** 3 Side Bays
- **Stories:** Unknown
- **Basement:** Yes

#### Historical Background

- **First Known Residents:**
  - Roy (listed as a foundry worker in 1970)
  - Geneva (nee Denny) graduated from Oberlin High School in 1946
- **Current Owner:** Geneva Jones
- **Current Use:** Private

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**Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features:**

This one-story ranch house has three bays at the facade and a side gable asphalt roof. The foundation appears to be made of concrete block. At the facade (south elevation), the entry is situated slightly left of center and appears to be original. The door has decorative square overlays, with circles adorning the center of each square; the top square is a window. Three poured concrete block steps lead up to the stoop in front of the door. A window element at the left consists of a larger central window flanked by 1/1 double hung windows. To the right, a pair of 2/2 windows are slightly shorter than the windows in the element to the left. Shutters on these front windows consist of three vertical boards, spaced slightly apart. The west elevation is comprised of the original gabled portion, and a likely lateral addition. In the original section of the house, two 2/2 windows are left of center and a triangular vent is in the gable. In the lateral portion, at the right, a window element with shutters matches the element on the facade (a center, fixed window, flanked by 1/1 windows). Another window is located to the far left in the lateral portion. The east elevation continued...

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**Sources of Information**

- City Directories, Oberlin Heritage Center Resource Center
- Holsworth, Pat. Oberlin Pioneer Database
- Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps
- Gordon, Stephen C. 'How to Complete the Ohio Historic Inventory.' Columbus: Ohio Historical Society, 1992

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**Description of Environment and Outbuildings:**

No outbuildings are visible for this house, which is surrounded by manicured shrubbery. The small yard contains several small trees. The driveway is cement. The house is located on a primarily residential street. To the east and west of the house are other residences. Across the street is a large apartment building.

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**Endangered?:** No

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**Archaeological (OAI):**

**Condition of Property:**

**Historic Outbuildings & Dependencies:**

**Associated Activity:**

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**Historic or Other Name(s):**

**Ownership:** Private

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**Previous Name(s):**

**Historic or Other Name(s):**

**No. of Stories:**

**No. of Bays:**

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**Sources of Information:**

- "Ohio Historic Preservation Office"
- 567 E. Hudson St., Columbus, OH 43211
- 614/298-2000
- [http://www.oberlin-high.org](http://www.oberlin-high.org)
- "Alumni Register: Graduates and Former Students, Teaching and Administrative continued..."

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**Date Recorded:** 12/31/2010

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**PIR Review Date:**

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**Additional Notes:**

- According to the Lorain County Auditor this house was built in 1961. The first known residents listed in the 1970 city directory were Roy and Geneva Jones. Roy was listed as a foundry worker. In subsequent years only Geneva was listed in telephone books, and as of 2010 Geneva Jones is still the current owner and resident. Geneva (nee Denny) graduated from Oberlin High School in 1946. In 1999 Jason Brown was also a resident, and since 2005 B. Randleman has also been a resident, along with Jones.
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8. Site Plan with North Arrow

Report Associated With Project:
NADB #: 

54. Farmstead Plan:

- Door Selection: Single centered
- Door Position: Flush
- Orientation: Lateral axis
- Symmetry: Bilateral asymmetry
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42. **Further Description of Important Interior and Exterior Features (Con't)**

mainly has the gabled, original portion visible. This gabled portion contains a door to the far left, which has a large window in its upper half; the window is divided by a single, horizontal muntin. At the center of the east elevation is a small 2/2 window, and another slightly larger 2/2 window is at the right. A triangular vent is in the gable. At the rear of the house is a wood deck. The rear addition is set back along the deck and is barely visible from the road.

43. **History and Significance (Con't)**

44. **Description of Environment and Outbuildings (Con't)**

45. **Sources (Con't)**