

THE SITE OF THE MURAL AND HOW IT LOOKS TODAY

The same site today is paved over with a newer Dairy Queen at the back of the lot. But old fire station No.4 still remains but is now home to Rainbow Realty. The church (St. John the Baptist Catholic Church is visible in the old pictures and shown below for comparison of the view and how Grand Ave. curves in front of the Dairy Queen. Notice the city directory from 1953 lists Bennett Apts. At 634-38, the Dairy Queen at 708 and the Fire Station No. 4 at 710 W. Grand. Also notice the stone wall at the house on the left of the fire station. It is visible in the 1951 photograph as is the triangle roof support and attic vent to the house. Notice the median on Grand Ave. The people in the 1951 photo were standing on it. The present DQ sign is approximately where "Curly" once stood waving to traffic. The 400 foot hills behind the Dairy Queen are not visible on the day the photograph was taken. Today only the old fire house building and residence on the left in the mural remain.



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