



ARCHITECTURAL SURVEY FORM

Name of Structure: Long County Courthouse

Location: Ga. 99, Ludowici, Georgia 31316

Cost: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Construction: 1926; renovated 1974

Architect/builder: \_\_\_\_\_ Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

Subsequent architects: \_\_\_\_\_

TAX MAP/PARCEL NUMBERS

L10 - Parcel 1

Zone 17/E429720/N3508080  
UTM NO. \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION:

Style: Neoclassical

Boundary: Twenty feet from all sides of the courthouse.

Facade Material: Brick

Acreage: One acre

Condition: [ ] Excellent [x] Good [ ] Fair

The Long County Courthouse is essentially rectangular in plan, box-like in massing, and two stories high. The plan features a central section projecting slightly forward and rearward flanked by wings. The front central section features a two-story pedimented portico with Tuscan columns. Extending to the rear from one wing is an ell containing additional offices.

The Long County Courthouse was renovated on the interior in 1974.

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## SIGNIFICANCE:

As a repository for records of marriages, wills, land transactions, the courthouse chronicles the county and is a focal point in the life of every citizen.

The Long County Courthouse, built in 1926, is the first and only courthouse for Long County, created in 1920. It is an example of the Neoclassical style popular in Georgia courthouse architecture during the early-twentieth century. Exactly contemporary with the neighboring Liberty County Courthouse, it is a simpler version of the Neoclassical style, demonstrating to some extent the range of design present in early-twentieth-century Neoclassical courthouses.



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