

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

CHISUM HOUSE *u*

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

1320 CUMBERLAND

CITY, TOWN

LITTLE ROCK

STATE

ARKANSAS

VICINITY OF

CODE

05

NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

SECOND

COUNTY

PULASKI

CODE

119

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

☐ STRUCTURE

☐ SITE

☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS

☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

☐ UNOCCUPIED

☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED

☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED

☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE

☐ COMMERCIAL

☐ EDUCATIONAL

☐ ENTERTAINMENT

☐ GOVERNMENT

☐ INDUSTRIAL

☐ MILITARY

☐ MUSEUM

☐ PARK

☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

☐ RELIGIOUS

☐ SCIENTIFIC

☐ TRANSPORTATION

☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

D. K. RENSHAW

STREET & NUMBER

3209 OLIVE

CITY, TOWN

NORTH LITTLE ROCK

VICINITY OF

STATE

ARKANSAS

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

CIRCUIT CLERK'S OFFICE

STREET & NUMBER

PULASKI COUNTY COURTHOUSE

CITY, TOWN

LITTLE ROCK

STATE

ARKANSAS

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

__EXCELLENT
☒GOOD
__FAIR

__DETERIORATED
__RUINS
__UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

__UNALTERED
☒ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ORIGINAL SITE
__MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Chisum House, located in Little Rock's Historic Quapaw Quarter District was built in 1894 by Jason Sowell. The house presents characteristics of the Queen Anne Style of architecture in its variety of textural usage, its towers, and its irregular shape.

Of frame construction, the Chisum House features a multi-gable, high-hip roof. Two finials project from the center ridge of the roof. The dominant feature of the house is a three-storey tower on the southeast corner. This tower is capped by a bellcast roof with a finial. As is typical of the Queen Anne style of architecture, the Chisum House features a variety of window sizes and styles. Three distinct styles are found in the corner tower. On the first-floor level is one wide window topped by a semi-circular transom. Second floor windows are paired and feature a rectangular transom. Paired windows on the third floor level of the tower are small and nondecorative. The variety of textural usage associated with Queen Anne style is also exemplified by the tower in its usage of diamond-shaped shingle, clapboard, and flush-board wall surfaces.

Two porches are located on the facade. The first-storey porch has an oriental flavor in its roofline. The porch features an arched entrance flanked by turned posts. Directly beneath the cornice of the porch between the turned posts are unusual geometric designs. Below the porch railing is an unusual pattern of circular cut wood between cut wood blocks. Turned balusters extend to the bottom railing. Above the entry porch is a small balcony with turned balusters. Delicately turned columns support a shed roof on this second-storey porch.

The north elevation features a rectangular bay beneath a gable end. The gable ends on the north and south elevations are identical in their usage of semi-circular shaped windows and decorative woodwork. A wide chimney with corbelling extends from the northeast corner of the house.

The south elevation is marked by a two-storey rounded bay, topped with a gable. The bay features a center band of vertical plank between two wide bonds of scalloped shingles.

The interior of the Chisum House is of irregular floorplan, featuring the typical Victorian double parlors. The front hall is irregularly shaped with a two-landing staircase extending to the second floor.

The interior has been altered to accommodate its division into apartments. A two-storey addition has been constructed on the rear elevation, but does not detract from the architectural value of the house.

The Chisum House rests on a tree-shaped corner in Little Rock's most historic section of town. Still in good condition, the Chisum House is representative of an architectural style infrequently found in Little Rock.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES 1894

BUILDER/ARCHITECT Jason Sowell

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Built in 1894, the Chisum House is a significant example of modified Queen Anne architecture. It is notable for its architectural oddity in relation to other buildings in Little Rock. The Chisum House embodies many of the Victorian period characteristics of irregular shape, towers, and multiple gables and bays. The Chisum House represents the eclectic manner of late nineteenth-century architectural style in America through its use of these characteristics. The house was built by and has since been associated with families of long social prominence in Little Rock. Jason Sowell, who built the house, came from a family who had already been leaders in social life in Little Rock for many years; the family had been one of Little Rock's earliest families. Jason Sowell's daughter married into the Chisum family, who were also among the favored social class in Little Rock and were to remain so for many years.

Sowell's daughter married Oscar Clifton Chisum in 1892. Chisum was born in Austin, Arkansas, in 1860. He was associated with a drug firm in Memphis, Tennessee, until he moved to Little Rock in 1892. Upon moving to Little Rock he assumed the position of Arkansas-Texas representative of a Louisville, Kentucky, hardware firm.

In 1894 Jason Sowell built a house for himself, his daughter, and her husband at 1320 Cumberland Street in Little Rock. In 1894 Cumberland Street was considered the "elite" section of town, and residence in the area symbolized social and/or financial success.

The Chisums had one son, O. C. Chisum, Jr., who was born June 13, 1899. He attended the University of Illinois and later was employed with the Internal Revenue Service. O. C. Chisum, Jr., was the first member of the Arkansas Industrial Board which was created in 1937 by the Arkansas General Assembly.

O. C. Chisum, Sr. lived in the Chisum House until his death in 1924; his son, O. C. Chisum, Jr., lived in the same house until his death in 1937.

The Chisum House is a significant structure in its architectural style. It has always been one of the most unusual residences in Little Rock. The aristocratic style of the house reflects the tastes of the man who built it and of the family it housed for many years.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY Less Than One Acre

UTM REFERENCES

A

1	5	5	6	6	8	10	10	3	8	4	3	7	3	10
ZONE				EASTING				NORTHING						

C

ZONE				EASTING				NORTHING						

B

ZONE				EASTING				NORTHING						

D

ZONE				EASTING				NORTHING						

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

SANDRA TAYLOR, HISTORIAN

ORGANIZATION

ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

STREET & NUMBER

300 WEST MARKHAM

CITY OR TOWN

LITTLE ROCK

DATE

SEPTEMBER 9, 1975

TELEPHONE

501-371-1639

STATE

ARKANSAS

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL ☐

STATE ☐

LOCAL ☒

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

GENE RICHARDSON

TITLE

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER

DATE

SEPTEMBER 9, 1975

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

Acting

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST:

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

12/4/95

DATE

11.28.75

Property Chisum House

Pulaski Co.

State Arkansas

Working Number 10.14.75.1816

75000403

TECHNICAL

Photos 3

Maps 1

CONTROL

OK 10.20.75

Good! However should probably be called the "Lowell-Chisum House."

HISTORIAN

Accept
E. Smith

11-24-75

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN

Chisum seems to be the most imp. family.

Accept
H. H. H. H.
11/26/75

ARCHEOLOGIST

OTHER

HAER

Inventory

Review

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

Accept
Cole
11-26-75

BRANCH CHIEF

KEEPER

Accept
H. H. H. H.
for M. H. H.
11.28.75

National Register Write-up

Send-back

Entered DEC 4 1975

Federal Register Entry 2-3-76

Re-submit

INT:2106-74



1. Chisum House
Pulaski County, Arkansas
Facade, viewed from the East

Form No. 10-301a
(Rev. 10-74)

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HISTORIC CHISUM HOUSE

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN LITTLE ROCK

____ VICINITY OF

STATE
ARKANSAS

COUNTY
PULASKI

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT SANDRA TAYLOR

DATE OF PHOTO 1975

NEGATIVE FILED AT ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET

FACADE, VIEWED FROM THE EAST

PHOTO NO.

1 43

GPO 892-454

Loc. Facade, viewed from
East

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2. Chisum House

PULASKI COUNTY, ARKANSAS

NORTH ELEVATION, VIEWED FROM THE NORTH

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CHISUM HOUSE

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN
LITTLE ROCK

____ VICINITY OF

STATE
ARKANSAS

COUNTY
PULASKI

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT
SANDRA TAYLOR

DATE OF PHOTO
1975

NEGATIVE FILED AT
ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET
NORTH ELEVATION, VIEWED FROM THE NORTH

PHOTO NO.

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the north.

2 of 3



3. Chisum House
Pulaski County, Arkansas
South Facade, Viewed from the Southwest

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HISTORIC CHISUM HOUSE

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN LITTLE ROCK

____ VICINITY OF

STATE
ARKANSAS

COUNTY
PULASKI

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT

SANDRA TAYLOR

DATE OF PHOTO

1975

NEGATIVE FILED AT

ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT, GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET
SOUTH FACADE, VIEWED FROM THE SOUTHWEST

PHOTO NO.

3 of 3

GPO 892-454

... south facade, viewed from
SW

3 of 3

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PROPERTY MAP FORM**

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1 NAME

HISTORIC CHISUM HOUSE

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN
LITTLE ROCK

____ VICINITY OF

COUNTY
PULASKI

STATE
ARKANSAS

3 MAP REFERENCE

SOURCE
U. S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

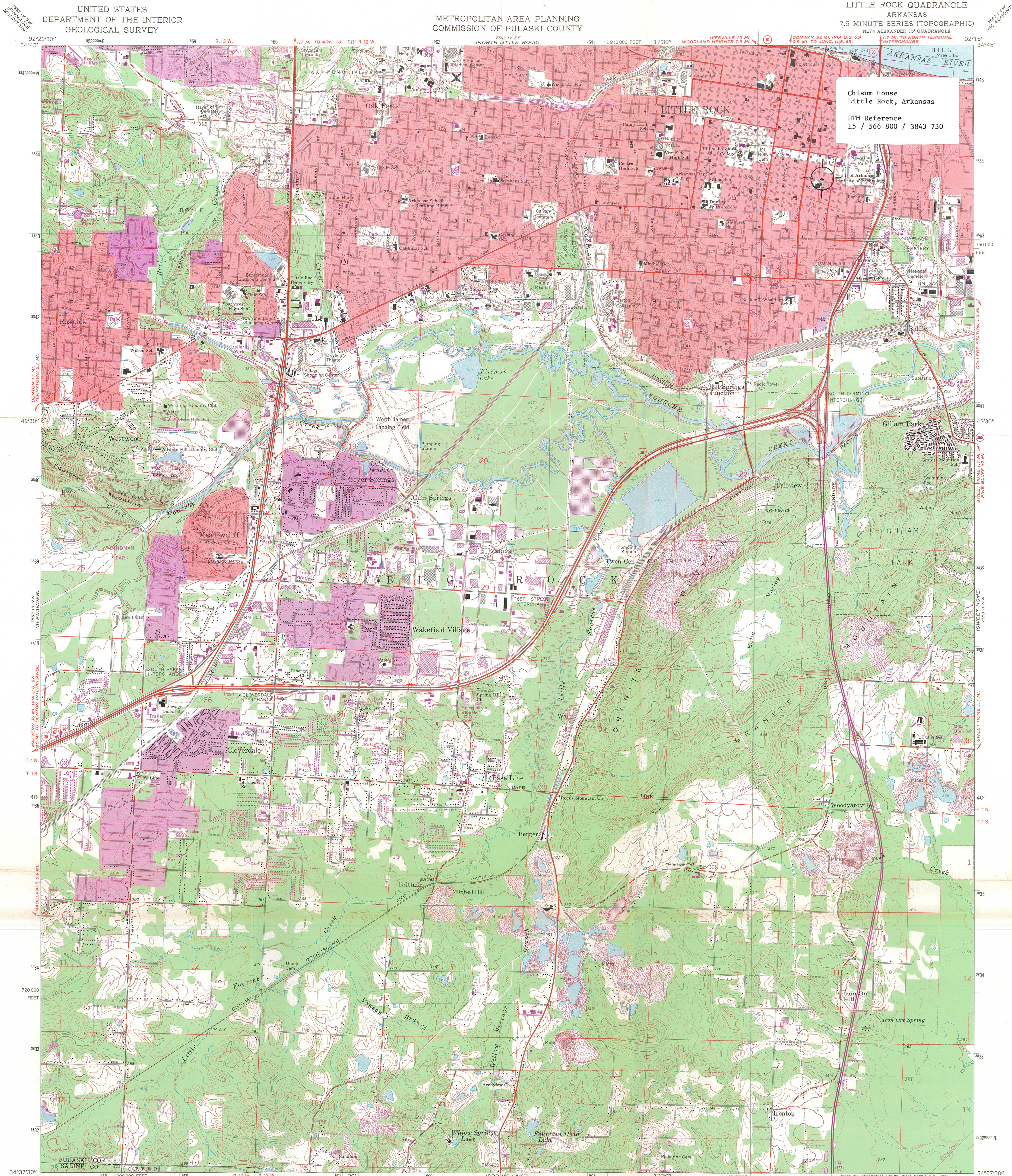
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DATE
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4 REQUIREMENTS

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. PROPERTY BOUNDARIES
2. NORTH ARROW
3. UTM REFERENCES



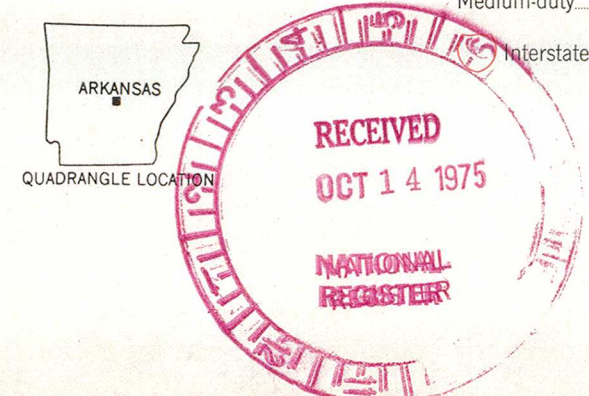
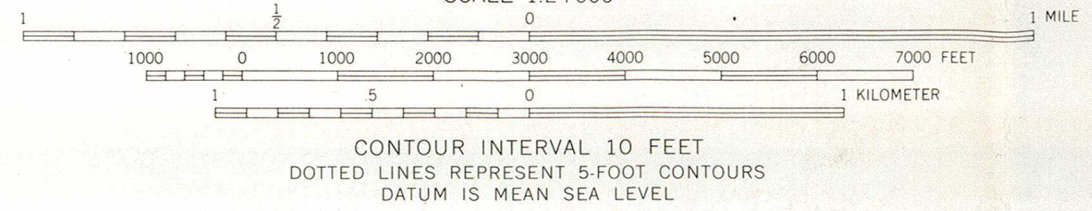
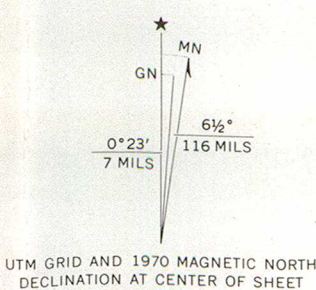
UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING
COMMISSION OF PULASKI COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK QUADRANGLE
ARKANSAS
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)

Chisum House
Little Rock, Arkansas
UTM Reference
15 / 566 800 / 3843 730

Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey
Control by USGS and USC&GS
Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial
photographs taken 1960. Field checked 1961
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grid based on Arkansas coordinate system, south zone
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 15, shown in blue
Red tint indicates areas in which only landmark buildings are shown
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where
generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked
Revisions shown in purple compiled from aerial photographs
taken 1970. This information not field checked
Purple tint indicates extension of urban areas



ROAD CLASSIFICATION
Heavy-duty ——— Light-duty ———
Medium-duty ——— Unimproved dirt ———
Interstate Route U.S. Route State Route

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.
NE 4 ALEXANDER 18' QUADRANGLE
N 3437.5—W 9215.7/5

1961
PHOTOREVISED 1970
AMS 7553 III NE—SERIES V884



ARKANSAS HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM

FIRST STATE CAPITOL • 300 WEST MARKHAM • LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201



October 6, 1975

Dr. William Murtagh
Keeper of the National Register
National Park Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C. 20240

Dear Dr. Murtagh:

Attached are National Register nominations for the following properties:

Gann House
Captain Archibald McKennon House
Casey House
Gifford House
Van Buren Historic District
Trinity Episcopal Cathedral
Ferguson House
Curran Hall
Harris House
Albert Pike Hotel
Boyd House
Jones House
Chisum House
Marlsgate
Watson-Sawyer House
Lester & Haltom #1 (oil) Well
Horner-Gladin House
Ready-Mayer House
Phillips County Library & Museum
Main Hall - Central College
Mount Olivet Methodist Church
Terry-Jung House

These nominations have been approved by a majority of the State Review Committee.

Sincerely,

Gene Richardson
State Historic Preservation Officer

GR:js

Enclosures

ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE ARKANSAS

Date Entered DEC 4 1975

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Horner, Sidney H., House	Helena Phillips County
Casey House	Mountain Home Baxter County
Chisum House	Little Rock Pulaski County

Also Notified

Hon. John L. McClellan
Hon. Dale Bumpers
Hon. Bill Alexander, Jr.
Hon. John P. Hammerschmidt
Hon. Wilbur D. Mills

Regional Director, Southwest Region

State Historic Preservation Officer
Mr. Gene Richardson
Acting Director
Dept. of Natural and Cultural Heritage
The Old State House
300 West Markham
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

NATIONAL REGISTER DATA SHEET

5M

1 NAME as it appears on federal register: **Chisum House** 2 OTHER NAMES:

3 date of entry: **12-4-75** 4 county code: **119**

5 LOCATION street & number **1320 Cumberland** city / town **Little Rock** vicinity of **AR** state **Pulaski** county **SW** 6 NPS REGION:

7 OWNER ☐ PRIVATE ☐ STATE ☐ MUNICIPAL ☐ COUNTY ☐ MULTIPLE ☐ FEDERAL (agency name): 8 ADMINISTRATOR:

9 EXISTING SURVEYS ☐ NABS ☐ HAER ☐ NHL 10 FUNDED? ☐ YES ☒ NO 11 CONGRESS. DISTRICT **2** 12 SOURCE of NOMINATION ☒ STATE ☐ FEDERAL if state who prepared form?

13 WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT? ☒ YES, NAME **CHS** 14 WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK? ☒ YES, NAME **CHS** 15 ACREAGE **<1** 16 LOCAL ☐ PRIVATE ORGANIZATION ☐

16 CONDITION ☐ deteriorated ☒ altered ☒ original site ☐ excellent ☐ ruins ☐ unaltered ☐ moved ☒ good ☐ unexposed ☐ reconstructed ☐ unknown ☐ fair ☐ unexcavated ☐ excavated

17 features: ☐ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-1 ☒ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-2 ☒ SUBSTANTIALLY INTACT-3 ☒ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ NOT INTACT-0 ☐ UNKNOWN-4 ☐ UNKNOWN-5 ☐ UNKNOWN-6 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-7 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-8 ☐ NOT APPLICABLE-9

18 ACCESS ☒ YES-Restricted ☐ YES-Unrestricted ☐ No Access ☐ Unknown 19 ADAPTIVE USE ☐ YES ☒ NO 20 SAVED? ☐ YES ☐ NO IS PROPERTY A HISTORIC DISTRICT? ☒ yes

21 AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE: ☐ ARCHEOLOGY-prehistoric-2 ☐ COMMERCE-6 ☐ ENGINEERING-11 ☐ LANDSCAPE ARCH.-15 ☐ POLITICS/GOV.-21 ☐ RECREATION-28 ☐ ARCHEOLOGY-historic-1 ☐ COMMUNICATIONS-7 ☐ ENTERTAINMENT-26 ☐ LAW-16 ☐ RELIGION-22 ☐ SETTLEMENT-29 ☐ AGRICULTURE-3 ☐ CONSERVATION-8 ☐ EXPLORATION-12 ☐ LITERATURE-17 ☐ SCIENCE-23 ☐ URBAN PLANNING-31 ☒ ARCHITECTURE-4 ☐ ECONOMICS-9 ☐ HEALTH-27 ☐ MILITARY-18 ☐ SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN-24 ☐ OTHER (SPECIFY) ☐ ART-5 ☐ EDUCATION-10 ☐ INDUSTRY-13 ☐ MUSIC-19 ☐ SOCIAL/CULTURAL-30 ☐ TRANSPORTATION-25

22 CLAIMS: explain 'first' ☐ 'oldest' ☐ 'only' ☐

23 functions WHEN HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT: **RESIDENCE** 24 dates of initial construction: **1894** 25 ETHNIC GROUP ASSOCIATION

26 architectural style(s): **Queen Anne & Eastlake Elements** 27 architect: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ 28 master builder: 29 engineer:

30 landscape architect / garden designer: 31 interior decorator: 32 artist: 33 artisan: 34 builder/contractor:

35 NAMES give role & date PERSONAL: EVENTS: INSTITUTIONAL:

36 NATIONAL REGISTER WRITE-UP **Frame, clapboarding, shingling; 2½ stories, irregular shape, hipped roof with gabled projections, interior chimneys, front off-center glazed double-door entrance, small 1-story Eastlake entrance porch with gable at entry and surmounting roofed balcony, 3-story square corner tower, with modified bell-cast roof, 2-story bowed side bay, round-arched gable openings; 2-story rear addition; interior alterations. Rare example of Queen Anne and Eastlake styling in city; built for the Jason Sowell family, early area social leaders.**

FEDERAL ASSISTANCE			2. APPLICANT'S APPLICATION		a. NUMBER		3. STATE APPLICATION IDENTIFIER		a. NUMBER AR 80705059											
1. TYPE OF ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> PREAPPLICATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPLICATION (Mark appropriate box) <input type="checkbox"/> NOTIFICATION OF INTENT (Opt) <input type="checkbox"/> REPORT OF FEDERAL ACTION			b. DATE Year month day 19 78 6 12		b. DATE Year month day ASSIGNED 1978 07 14															
4. LEGAL APPLICANT/RECIPIENT Dept. of Arkansas a. Applicant Name : Natural and Cultural Heritage b. Organization Unit : Ark. Historic Preservation Program c. Street/P.O. Box : Suite 500, Continental Bldg. d. City : Little Rock e. County : Pulaski f. State : Arkansas g. ZIP Code : 72201 h. Contact Person (Name & telephone No.) : Anne Bartley, State Historic Preservation Officer, 371-2763			5. FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO 92-600-1185-W			6. PROGRAM (From Federal Catalog) a. NUMBER : 150904 b. TITLE : Historic Preservation														
7. TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT'S PROJECT Chisum House-Little Rock, Pulaski County Rehabilitation of interior and exterior of this residence at 1320 Cumberland, Little Rock. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places.			8. TYPE OF APPLICANT/RECIPIENT A-State B-Interstate C-Substate District D-County E-City F-School District G-Special Purpose District H-Community Action Agency I-Higher Educational Institution J-Indian Tribe K-Other (Specify): Enter appropriate letter <input type="checkbox"/> A			9. TYPE OF ASSISTANCE A-Basic Grant B-Supplemental Grant C-Loan D-Insurance E-Other Enter appropriate letter(s) <input type="checkbox"/> A														
10. AREA OF PROJECT IMPACT (Names of cities, counties, States, etc.) Little Rock, Pulaski County, Ark.			11. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PERSONS BENEFITING			12. TYPE OF APPLICATION A-New B-Renewal C-Revision D-Continuation E-Augmentation Enter appropriate letter <input type="checkbox"/> A														
13. PROPOSED FUNDING a. FEDERAL \$ 6,000 .00 b. APPLICANT 14,500 .00 c. STATE .00 d. LOCAL .00 e. OTHER .00 f. TOTAL \$ 20,500 .00			14. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF: a. APPLICANT Second b. PROJECT Second 16. PROJECT START DATE Year month day 19 see 34 17. PROJECT DURATION 36 Months 18. ESTIMATED DATE TO BE SUBMITTED TO FEDERAL AGENCY Year month day 19 78 6 12			15. TYPE OF CHANGE (For 12c or 12e) A-Increase Dollars B-Decrease Dollars C-Increase Duration D-Decrease Duration E-Cancellation F-Other (Specify): Enter appropriate letter(s) <input type="checkbox"/>														
20. FEDERAL AGENCY TO RECEIVE REQUEST (Name, City, State, ZIP code) National Park Service, National Register			21. REMARKS ADDED <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No																	
22. THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT a. To the best of my knowledge and belief, data in this preapplication/application are true and correct, the document has been duly authorized by the governing body of the applicant and the applicant will comply with the attached assurances if the assistance is approved. b. If required by OMB Circular A-95 this application was submitted, pursuant to instructions therein, to appropriate clearinghouses and all responses are attached: (1) Dept. of Local Services (2) (3)			23. CERTIFYING REPRESENTATIVE a. TYPED NAME AND TITLE Anne Bartley, State Historic Preservation Officer b. SIGNATURE Anne Bartley c. DATE SIGNED Year month day 19 78 6 20			24. AGENCY NAME Department of the Interior 25. APPLICANT RECEIVED Year month day 19 78 7 26														
26. ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT Service Heritage Conservation and Recreation			27. ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE Grants Administration Div.			28. FEDERAL APPLICATION IDENTIFICATION														
29. ADDRESS 18th and C Streets NW, Washington, D. C. 20240			30. FEDERAL GRANT IDENTIFICATION 05-8817			31. ACTION TAKEN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. AWARDED <input type="checkbox"/> b. REJECTED <input type="checkbox"/> c. RETURNED FOR AMENDMENT <input type="checkbox"/> d. DEFERRED <input type="checkbox"/> e. WITHDRAWN			32. FUNDING a. FEDERAL \$ 6,000 .00 b. APPLICANT 14,500 .00 c. STATE .00 d. LOCAL .00 e. OTHER .00 f. TOTAL \$ 20,500 .00			33. ACTION DATE Year month day 19 78 8 15 34. CONTACT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Name and telephone number) Stephen D. Newman 202 523-5472			35. STARTING DATE Year month day 19 78 8 1 36. ENDING DATE Year month day 19 80 9 30			37. REMARKS ADDED <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
38. FEDERAL AGENCY A-95 ACTION			a. In taking above action, any comments received from clearinghouses were considered. If agency response is due under provisions of Part 1, OMB Circular A-95, it has been or is being made.			b. FEDERAL AGENCY A-95 OFFICIAL (Name and telephone no.) Same as #35														