

MONTANA HISTORICAL ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION

1 Reference #	Date: Winter 1980	
2 Photo # 14	Direction N NE E (SE) S SW W NW	CONTACT PHOTO
3 Historic Name: Anderson School		
3a Common Name:		
4 Address: Gallatin Gateway, MT		
5 Program Area: Gallatin County	6 County Code 031	State Code 030
7 Legal Description: 200' x200' lot, E boundary is Anderson Rd., N boundary is Pasha Ln		
8 Owner & Address: Gallatin County Superintendent of Schools		
9 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private 301 West Main, Bozeman, MT		

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

10 Year Built: 1916 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Factual <input type="checkbox"/> Estimate	11 Location <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Moved
12 Architect (if known):	
13 Builder/Original Owner (if known)	
14 Exterior Materials: <input type="checkbox"/> Stone <input type="checkbox"/> Brick <input type="checkbox"/> Stucco <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Log <input type="checkbox"/> Terra-cotta <input type="checkbox"/> Concrete <input type="checkbox"/> Shingle <input type="checkbox"/> Other Materials (specify):	
15 Condition: <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/> In Ruins <input type="checkbox"/> No Longer Exists	
16 Retention of Original Design: <input type="checkbox"/> Altered <input type="checkbox"/> Major <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered	
17 Present Use: school	18 Original Use: school
19 Please describe the present general physical appearance of the structure and site. To the extent possible, please also describe changes that have occurred to the property over the years, noting the approximate dates at which they occurred. The Anderson School is a one story, detached, square, frame building with a hip roof and clapboard siding. There are five large windows on the west wall and four smaller square windows on the south wall. The central entry door is flanked by one large and one small window of each side and covered by an open hip roofed porch. A gable roofed dormer extends from the east and west sides of the roof. To the west of the building is a long frame stable.	

SIGNIFICANCE

20a Reason for significance: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Historical Associations <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architectural and Engineering design and appearance <input type="checkbox"/> Presence of historic or prehistoric information
20b Please justify the historical significance; noting important persons, events and/or historical patterns associated with structure, site and surrounding area. The Anderson School is one of the two extant examples of the square, hip roofed school house type (H) in Gallatin County. This type is characterized by the use of popular design elements and materials. The style of the building was strongly influenced by the bungalow style which was popularized by magazines such as the "American Builder" and "The Craftsman". The foundation is concrete which represents advances in local availability of materials and construction techniques. The building very closely resembles plan C-3 from W.R. Plew's bulletin on school house design published in 1919.

20c Please justify how the location, design, details, materials, and/or workmanship contribute to the property's significance.

20d Please note if the extant structure/site may demonstrate or yield information about its historic use or construction.

21 Neighborhood Context: Unrelated Compatible Integral element
 Major component of the neighborhood

21a If the structure/site contributes to the value of a larger grouping of structures and sites, please describe the visual or historic relationships that the individual structure/site has to that grouping.

22 Environmental/Economic threats to survival: Private Development Zoning
 Public Works Projects Vanadalism Deterioration Other (specify):

23 Recognition in existing historical surveys:

24 Sources of Documentation: Annual Trustee Reports 1896-1934

SIGNIFICANCE continued

25 Agency Prepared For:

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 Phone # _____ Date: _____
 Organization: School of Architecture, MSU, Bozeman

PREPARED BY:

27 Staff Evaluator: _____ Date: _____ Permission to Nominate Yes No

28 National Register Status: Listed Currently nominated
 Appears to meet NR Criteria A B C D Does not appear to meet NR Criteria
 Eligible Yes No As part of a district Yes No Individually Yes No

29 UTM References: Zone 12 Easting 491900 Northing 5049175

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30 Please Return to: State Historic Preservation Office
 Montana Historical Society
 225 N. Roberts St.
 Helena, Montana 59601

31 SHPO Comments: