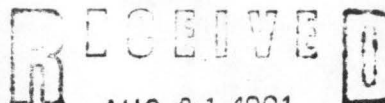


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United States Department of the Interior
National Park ServiceNational Register of Historic Places
Registration Form

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NATIONAL
REGISTER

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1. Name of Property

historic name Fox Motel House

other names/site number Resource #WHO740

2. Location

street & number Highway 367 ☐ not for publication N/A
city, town Bald Knob ☐ vicinity N/A
state Arkansas code AR county White code 145 zip code 72010

3. Classification

Ownership of Property

- ☒ private
☐ public-local
☐ public-State
☐ public-Federal

Category of Property

- ☒ building(s)
☐ district
☐ site
☐ structure
☐ object

Number of Resources within Property

Contributing	Noncontributing
1	_____ buildings
_____	_____ sites
_____	_____ structures
_____	_____ objects
1	0 Total

Name of related multiple property listing:

Historic and Architectural Resources
of White County, Arkansas

Number of contributing resources previously
listed in the National Register N/A

4. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, I hereby certify that this
☒ nomination ☐ request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the
National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60.
In my opinion, the property ☒ meets ☐ does not meet the National Register criteria. ☐ See continuation sheet.

Signature of certifying official

Arkansas Historic Preservation Program

State or Federal agency and bureau

Date

5-13-90

In my opinion, the property ☐ meets ☐ does not meet the National Register criteria. ☐ See continuation sheet.

Signature of commenting or other official

Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

5. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby, certify that this property is:

- ☐ entered in the National Register.
☐ See continuation sheet.
☐ determined eligible for the National
Register. ☐ See continuation sheet.
☐ determined not eligible for the
National Register.
☐ removed from the National Register.
☐ other, (explain:)

Signature of the Keeper

Date of Action

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Domestic/ Hotel

Current Functions (enter categories from instructions)

Vacant/ Not in Use**7. Description**

Architectural Classification

(enter categories from instructions)

Late 19th and 20th Century American
Movements/ Craftsman

Materials (enter categories from instructions)

foundation concretewalls weatherboardroof asphalt shingle

other _____

Describe present and historic physical appearance.

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Description

The Fox Motel House is a one-and-one-half story, wood frame Craftsman residence. The side gable house block with its shed roof porch and rear gable roof ell constitutes a somewhat rambling plan. One square exterior brick chimney is attached to the south side of the house, just to the west of the front porch. The roof material is composition shingle, the walls are sheathed in weatherboarding, and the structure rests upon a continuous, concrete block foundation.

The eastern or front elevation is composed of a brick and wood porch surmounted by a low, spreading doghouse dormer. The dormer is lighted with two nine-pane fixed windows and decorated with triangular knee braces and exposed rafters. The wall beneath the porch is fenestrated with four symmetrically-placed nine-over-one wood sash windows flanking a central nine-pane entrance door. The porch features exposed cornice rafters and a curved box cornice which spans the length of the porch between the two brick corner piers. The cornice on the sides of the porch is arched. A brick, solid balustrade connects the piers with the wall and extends toward the porch stairway and low stoops.

The northern and southern elevations are similar in composition, the only exception being the gabled projecting bay toward the western end of the northern elevation. Otherwise both elevations are fenestrated with a variety of nine-over-one wood sash windows and entrances. The cornices are ornamented with knee braces and exposed rafters here also.

The western elevation features one window in the rear of the first rear gable roof ell and a sliding wood door in the rear of the second rear gable roof ell.

The Fox Motel House has suffered only the replacement of a few original windows; otherwise it is virtually unaltered. It is unoccupied and in fair condition.

8. Statement of Significance

Certifying official has considered the significance of this property in relation to other properties:

☐ nationally ☐ statewide ☒ locally

Applicable National Register Criteria ☐ A ☐ B ☒ C ☐ D

Criteria Considerations (Exceptions) ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G

Areas of Significance (enter categories from instructions)

ARCHITECTURE

Period of Significance

c. 1925

Significant Dates

c. 1925

Cultural Affiliation

N/A

Significant Person

N/A

Architect/Builder

unknown

State significance of property, and justify criteria, criteria considerations, and areas and periods of significance noted above.

☒ See continuation sheet

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Significance

Criterion C, local significance

The Fox Motel House (Part E, Historic Context #4) is the best example in Bald Knob of a single story, wood frame, side-gable entry, Craftsman style residence. It reveals the more traditional Craftsman floor plan with a distinct, shed roof porch which projects from the side of the side gable plan. Though simply detailed, the Fox Motel House combines the low, spreading qualities of true Craftsman design with the "honest" expression of structural elements and restrained use of decoration to create a design that is both identifiably Craftsman in inspiration and aesthetically successful.

9. Major Bibliographical References

See "Historic and Architectural Resources of White County, Arkansas," Section H.

Previous documentation on file (NPS):

- ☐ preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested
- ☐ previously listed in the National Register
- ☐ previously determined eligible by the National Register
- ☐ designated a National Historic Landmark
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- ☐ recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

☐ See continuation sheet

Primary location of additional data:

- ☐ State historic preservation office
- ☐ Other State agency
- ☐ Federal agency
- ☐ Local government
- ☐ University
- ☐ Other

Specify repository: _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of property _____

UTM References

A

Zone	Easting	Northing
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C

Zone	Easting	Northing
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B

Zone	Easting	Northing
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D

Zone	Easting	Northing
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☒ See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description

☒ See continuation sheet

Boundary Justification

☒ See continuation sheet

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organization Arkansas Historic Preservation Program date 2 April, 1990

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city or town Little Rock state Arkansas zip code 72201

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Acreage of property: Less than one

UTM References:

A 15/630420/3908620

Verbal Boundary Description:

Beginning at the point formed by the northwestern edge of State Highway 367 with a perpendicular line running along the northeastern elevation of the house, proceed northwesterly along said line to its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the northwest elevation; thence proceed southwesterly along said line to its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the southwestern elevation; thence proceed southeasterly along said line to its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the northwestern edge of State Highway 367; thence proceed northeasterly along said line to the point of beginning.

Boundary Justification:

This boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: NOMINATION

PROPERTY NAME: Fox Motel House

MULTIPLE NAME: White County MPS

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED: 8/01/91
DATE OF 16TH DAY: 8/31/91
DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

DATE OF PENDING LIST: 8/15/91
DATE OF 45TH DAY: 9/15/91

REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001267

NOMINATOR: STATE

REASONS FOR REVIEW:

APPEAL: N DATA PROBLEM: N LANDSCAPE: N LESS THAN 50 YEARS: N
OTHER: N PDIL: N PERIOD: N PROGRAM UNAPPROVED: N
REQUEST: N SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: ☒ NATIONAL: N

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT ☒ RETURN ☐ REJECT ☐ DATE 9/13/91

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

See attached comments

RECOM./CRITERIA Return
REVIEWER Harper
DISCIPLINE Historian
DATE 9/13/91

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

___count ___resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

___historic ___current

DESCRIPTION

___architectural classification
___materials
___descriptive text

SIGNIFICANCE

Period Areas of Significance--Check and justify below

Specific dates Builder/Architect
Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

___summary paragraph
___completeness
___clarity
___applicable criteria
___justification of areas checked
___relating significance to the resource
___context
___relationship of integrity to significance
___justification of exception
___other

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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

___acreage ___verbal boundary description
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ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

___sketch maps ___USGS maps ___photographs ___presentation

OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

Signed Patrick Andrews

Phone _____

Date 9/13/91

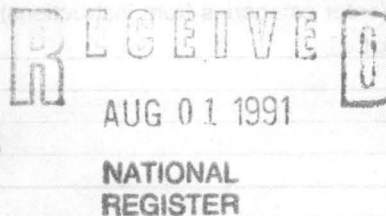
Fox Motel House
White County MPS
White County, ARKANSAS

Reviewer's Comments

The boundaries of this property are presently located along building lines. A resource listed in the National Register should include all features of the property which contribute to its significance. In almost all cases this includes its historic setting. Page 77 of National Register Bulletin 16, Guidelines for Completing National Register of Historic Places Forms, states that "the boundaries of buildings should include the land surrounding the building, unless the lot occupied by the building contains no surrounding land as in the central business district of most cities."

Please revise the boundaries to include the property historically associated with the resource. If a portion of the original setting has lost its integrity, please explain.

Marilyn Harper
Historian
Sept. 16, 1991

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code AR

county White

code 145

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☐ not for publication N/A☐ vicinity N/A

3. Classification

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☒ private☐ public-local☐ public-State☐ public-Federal

Category of Property

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Number of Resources within Property

Contributing

1

Noncontributing

buildings

sites

structures

objects

1

0

Total

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Signature of certifying official

Arkansas Historic Preservation Program

State or Federal agency and bureau

Date

5-13-90

In my opinion, the property ☐ meets ☐ does not meet the National Register criteria. ☐ See continuation sheet.

Signature of commenting or other official

Date

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Signature of the Keeper

Date of Action

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Historic Functions (enter categories from instructions)

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Areas of Significance (enter categories from instructions)

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Period of Significance

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Significant Dates

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Cultural Affiliation

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Significant Person

N/A

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- ☐ Other

Specify repository: _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of property _____

UTM References

A

Zone	Easting	Northing

B

Zone	Easting	Northing

C

Zone	Easting	Northing

D

Zone	Easting	Northing

☒ See continuation sheet

Verbal Boundary Description _____

☒ See continuation sheet

Boundary Justification _____

☒ See continuation sheet

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Criterion C, local significance

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Acreage of property: Less than one

UTM References

A 15/630420/3908620

Verbal Boundary Description:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwestern edge of State Highway 367 with a perpendicular line running parallel to the northeastern elevation of the house and located 50 feet to the northeast thereof, proceed northwesterly along said line for a distance of approximately 200 feet to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running parallel to the northwestern elevation of the house; thence proceed southwesterly for a distance of approximately 200 feet along said line to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running parallel to the southwestern elevation; thence proceed southeasterly along said line for a distance of approximately 200 feet to a point formed by its intersection with a perpendicular line running along the northwestern edge of State Highway 367; thence proceed northeasterly for a distance of approximately 200 feet along said line to the point of beginning.

Boundary Justification:

The original lot has been subdivided during the non-historic period, resulting in an indefinite current lot boundary; therefore, this boundary includes all the property historically associated with this resource that retains its integrity.

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White County MPS
ARKANSAS

Date Listed

91001189	Edie, James W., House	9-5-91
91001303	El Paso Bank	9-5-91
91001269	Elm Street House Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001327	✓ Emmer, Joe, House	7/12/92
91001198	✓ First Christian Church	7/12/92
91001206	✓ First United Methodist Church	7/12/92
91001324	✓ Floyd Cotton Gin Substantive Review	7/12/92
91001267	✓ Fox Motel House	7/12/92
91001185	Freeman, Wood, House No. 1	9-5-91
91001181	Freeman, Wood, House No. 2	9-5-91
91001318	✓ Frizell, Dr., House	7/12/92
91001263	Garrard, Lizzie, House	9-5-91
91001281	✓ Gooden, Milt, House	7/12/92
91001311	✓ Gordon, Leonard, Homestead, Hexagonal Grain Crib	7/21/92
91001323	✓ Gravel Hill Baptist Church	7/21/92
91001334	✓ Gray House	7/21/92
91001194	✓ Gray, Louis, Homestead, Barn	7/21/92
91001294	Gray, Rufus, House	9-5-91
91001335	✓ Gray--Kincaid House	7/21/92
91001357	✓ Griffithville School Substantive Review	7/13/92
91001358	✓ Hale, Thomas Jefferson, General Merchandise Store	7/21/92
91001222	Hall, Fred, House	9-5-91
91001204	✓ Hammond, Mary Alice, House	7/21/92
91001304	✓ Harper, Roy, House	7/21/92
91001340	Hartsell, Morris, Farmstead Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001205	Hassell House	9-5-91
91001312	Hays, Brady, Homestead Substantive Review	9-13-91
91001348	Herring Building	9-5-91
91001317	✓ Hickmon, Marshall, Homestead	7/21/92
91001316	Hickmon, U. L., Hardware Store	9-5-91
91001180	Hicks, Ida, House	9-5-91
91001191	✓ Hilger, Louis N., Homestead, Livestock Barn	7/21/92
91001258	✓ Hill Farm	7/21/92
91001236	✓ Hoag House	7/21/92
91001309	✓ Holly Grove School Substantive Review	7/13/92
91001352	✓ Honey Hill Christian Union Church	7/21/92
91001188	Hoofman Farmstead Barn	7/22/92
91001184	✓ Hoofman, Arthur W., House	7/22/92
91001238	✓ Hoofman, Tobe, Farmstead	7/22/92
91001283	✓ Hopewell District No. 45 School Substantive Review	7/13/92
91001207	Hunt House Substantive Review	9-13-91

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: RESUBMISSION

PROPERTY NAME: Fox Motel House

MULTIPLE NAME: White County MPS

STATE & COUNTY: ARKANSAS, White

DATE RECEIVED: 6/29/92

DATE OF PENDING LIST:

DATE OF 16TH DAY:

DATE OF 45TH DAY: 8/13/92

DATE OF WEEKLY LIST:

REFERENCE NUMBER: 91001267

NOMINATOR: STATE

DETAILED EVALUATION: Y

☒ ACCEPT ☐ RETURN ☐ REJECT 7/12/92 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

Excellent, virtually unaltered example of Craftsman style bungalow.

Concerns raised in earlier return have been addressed

RECOM./CRITERIA Accept/C
REVIEWER Harper
DISCIPLINE Historion
DATE 7/12/92

DOCUMENTATION see attached comments Y/N see attached SLR Y/N

CLASSIFICATION

___count ___resource type

STATE/FEDERAL AGENCY CERTIFICATION

FUNCTION

___historic ___current

DESCRIPTION

___architectural classification
___materials
___descriptive text

SIGNIFICANCE

Period Areas of Significance--Check and justify below

Specific dates Builder/Architect
Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

___summary paragraph
___completeness
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ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTATION/PRESENTATION

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OTHER COMMENTS

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to

_____ Phone _____

Signed _____

Date _____



Fox Model House

Bald Knob, Arkansas. white

Photograph by Steve Mitchell

January, 1987

Negative on file at AHPP

North Elevation



Fox Motel House
Bald Knob, Arkansas white
Photograph by Steve Mitchell
January, 1987
Negative on file at AHPP
East elevation



Fox Motel House
Bald Knob, Arkansas white
Photograph by Steve Mitchell
January, 1987
Negative on file at AHPP
South Elevation

Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64500033