

ARIZONA STATE HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY

IDENTIFICATION

SURVEY AREA NAME: Kingman Historic Resources Survey
HISTORIC NAME: U.S Post Office
ADDRESS/LOCATION: 310 North 4th,
CITY/TOWN: Kingman
TAX-PARCEL NUMBER: 303-08-106
OWNER: City of Kingman
OWNER ADDRESS: 310 N. 4th
Kingman, Arizona 86401
HISTORIC USE: Post Office
PRESENT USE: Kingman Community Center
BUILDING TYPE: governmental
STYLE: Period Revival/Italian Influence
CONSTRUCTION DATE: 1935
ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Louis A. Simon, Supervising Architect; Neal A. Melich, Superv. Engineer
INTEGRITY: original site/ altered minor
CONDITION: good/well-maintained

DESCRIPTION

STORIES: 2 DIMENSIONS: (l) 50 (w) 70
STRUCTURAL MATERIAL: concrete
FOUNDATION MATERIAL: concrete
WALL SHEATHING: stucco
APPLIED ORNAMENT: canales of metal

SKETCH MAP:

COUNTY: Mohave SURVEY SITE: 5-23

USGS QUAD: Kingman Quadrangle
T 21N R 17W S 24 / SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF THE $\frac{1}{4}$
UTM Zone 11, E-768460, N-3897930

Description (contd.)

ROOF TYPE: flat
ROOF SHEATHING: built up
EAVES TREATMENT: flat parapet
WINDOWS: original-6/6 lite with 2/2 lite
sidelites in arched windows-recessed
ENTRY: replaced aluminum frame glass door
in original wood framing-recessed
PORCHES: concrete steps
STOREFRONTS: NA

NOTABLE INTERIOR: original tile retrievable
paneled over; original woodwork and floor
OUTBUILDINGS: lights and radiators
none

ALTERATIONS: Concrete exterior-reversible

PHOTOGRAPH ramp at front

PHOTOGRAPHER: J. Garrison

DATE: 4/84 VIEW: Southeast

NEGATIVE NUMBER.



SIGNIFICANCE:

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE: COMMERCE___ COMMUNITY PLANNING___ ECONOMICS___
 EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT___ GOVERNMENTAL x MILITARY___ RELIGION___ SCIENCE___
 THEATRE___ TRANSPORTATION___ TOURISM___ OTHER(specify)___

HISTORIC ASSOCIATIONS (be concise):

PROMINENT OCCUPANT/HISTORIC ASSOCIATION(S) _____

RELATIONSHIP TO LOCAL DEVELOPMENT Original Post Office. (See "Discussion" below.)

CULTURAL AFFILIATIONS _____

ARCHITECTURAL MERIT Modest Italian Revival influence on a government building.

MAJOR ARCH. FORM/MATERIAL _____

ENGINEERING/STRUCTURAL _____

DISTRICT/STREETSCAPE CONTRIBUTION Contributes to streetscape leading to courthouse.

DISCUSSION AS REQUIRED: One of several public buildings in area.

It stands as a monument to massive Federal building programs during the 1930's. The construction of the Post Office represents the first major Federal construction project in Kingman and its completion was a major event. Today, it serves as a symbol of Federal government importance to the local community.

CONTEXT: ISOLATED/RURAL___ RESIDENTIAL STREET___ COMMERCIAL x CENTRAL SQUARE___
 CBD:___ OTHER:_____

BIBLIOGRAPHY/SOURCES:

Mohave County Recorder's Office

LISTING IN OTHER SURVEYS: _____

NATIONAL REGISTER STATUS:

LISTED___ DETERMINED ELIGIBLE___ DETERMINED NOT ELIGIBLE___ NOT EVALUATED___

COMMENTS/DEVELOPMENT PLANS/THREATS:

Ref: Kingman MRA
 Item 7, p. 7
 Item 8, p. 20

SURVEYOR Garrison/Myers SURVEY DATE April 1984 DATE FORM COMPLETED July 25, 1984