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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPH FORM

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STATE Iowa	
COUNTY Polk	
FOR NPS USE ONLY	
ENTRY NUMBER NOV 19	DATE 1974

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME

COMMON: United States Post Office

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:

Second and Walnut Streets

CITY OR TOWN:

Des Moines

STATE:

Iowa

CODE

14

COUNTY:

Polk

CODE

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3. PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT: John H. Wetherell AIA

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NEGATIVE FILED AT:

1106 High Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50309

4. IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

North and West facades showing round columns on the principal facade and flat pilasters on the secondary side. Part of the 1935 addition to the South is also visible.

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U.S. Post Office

Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa

Photo by John H. Wetherall, AIA, 2/11/1974

Door detail and leaf lanterns.

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Closeup view of the Walnut Street (North) facade,
looking East across the Des Moines River.

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The North facade showing the Federal Office Building
constructed in the late nineteen sixties, which is across
Second Avenue.

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