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

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE: INDIANA	
COUNTY: HARRISON	
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ENTRY NUMBER AUG 28 1973	DATE

1. NAME

COMMON:
CORYDON Historic District

AND/OR HISTORIC:
INDIANA'S FIRST STATE CAPITAL (or) HISTORIC CORYDON

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:
CORYDON

STATE: **INDIANA** CODE: **18** COUNTY: **HARRISON** CODE: **061**

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Park <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) X MEMORIAL



4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME:
Varied Ownership

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN: **CORYDON** STATE: **INDIANA** CODE: **18**

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.:
Harrison County Recorder's Office

STREET AND NUMBER:
Harrison County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN: **Corydon** STATE: **Indiana** CODE: **18**

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:
Historic American Buildings Survey

DATE OF SURVEY: Federal State County Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:
Historic American Buildings Survey, National Park Service

STREET AND NUMBER:
801 19th Street, N. W. , Washington D. C. 20006

CITY OR TOWN: **Washington** STATE: **District of Columbia** CODE: **08**

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DESCRIPTION	
(Check One)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good
<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
(Check One) Largely	
<input type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered
(Check One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Corydon, the county seat of Harrison County, Indiana is laid out on a quarter section of land at the junction of Big Indian and Little Indian Creeks. Beautiful wooded hills surround the town. The business district clusters around the Public Square--many of the buildings in this area date back to the first half of nineteenth century. Some seven or eight buildings of Federal style of architecture remain today that were standing when Corydon was the capital of Indiana from 1813-1825.

On Capitol Avenue, the main north and south street which extends through the entire length of Corydon, is situated the original Harrison County Courthouse. This limestone building was loaned by the county to the State of Indiana and was used by the state as its capitol until its removal to Indianapolis in 1825. Across the street from the Old Capitol is an interesting three-story brick constructed in the 1830's by Dr. John Slemons. On the southwest corner of Capitol and Chestnut streets is "The Kintner House", an ornate brick hotel constructed in the early 1870's. On North Capitol at Big Indian Creek is "Cedar Glade" a rambling brick residence constructed and inhabited by the Jacob Kintner family who were wealthy Virginians--since 1849 this home has been owned by the McGrain family. Morgan's Confederate Raiders passed north on Capitol Avenue on July 9, 1863 in their raid across southern Indiana.

The main east and west street through Corydon is Walnut. On this street near the center of town is the two story brick headquarters and residence of Governor William Hendricks. In the same block to the east and on a high elevation is the First State Office Building--a one story brick which housed the offices of the auditor and treasurer of Indiana.

At the west end of High Street near Big Indian Creek is a sandstone memorial constructed over the stump of the Constitution Elm. In the yard at this elm is the log Westfall House credited as being the oldest house of Corydon. This home was also the residence of Col. Lewis Jordan who commanded the Home Guards during the Battle of Corydon. The only other log house yet remaining in Corydon is the old Branham home located on the west side of North Capitol between Walnut and High Streets.

On Oak Street, one block west of the Capitol is situated the two story brick residence of Col. Thomas Posey, son of Indiana's last territorial governor. Two-thirds of this building has been torn away; the remaining portion is the main part of the residence and is now a museum maintained by The Hoosier Elm Chapter DAR.

The remaining portions of Corydon contain more modern homes--many built in the latter nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Large shade trees line the narrow streets. Numerous homes of Corydon are furnished with furniture and antiques used in pioneer days.

Corydon is fifteen miles from the Ohio to the south, and a local line connects Corydon with the Southern Railroad seven miles to the north; thus Corydon has been slow to advance industrially. Much of the town remains unchanged except for the impact of several devastating fires.

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

- Pre-Columbian | 16th Century | 18th Century | 20th Century
 15th Century | 17th Century | 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) Capital of Indiana 1813-1825

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Historic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | | | |



STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Town of Corydon was laid out in 1808 by Harvey Meth on ground which had been entered from the U. S. Government by Governor William Henry Harrison. Harrison named the village Corydon for his favorite song. The same year, 1808, Harrison County, the fourth county to be organized in Indiana Territory, was formed and Corydon became the county seat.

Corydon became the Territorial Capital of Indiana, May 1813. From 1813 to 1816, the Territorial Legislature convened in Corydon. In June 1816, forty-three delegates from thirteen counties of the territory convened at the village capital of Corydon to draft Indiana's first constitution--the weather being warm, some of the sessions were held outside under a large elm tree. This tree has since been called "The Constitution Elm".

On December 11, 1816, when Indiana was admitted as a state, Corydon became its first capital. The first sessions of the state legislature and of the supreme court convened at Corydon. The United States courts also met at Corydon during the territorial stage and early statehood. All the first officers of the new state resided in Corydon. The capital remained at Corydon until 1825.

The State of Indiana never owned property in Corydon but borrowed or rented quarters. The little limestone Harrison County Courthouse was occupied as the Capitol. A small brick structure which is in excellent repair today was rented as an office for the state treasurer and auditor. The state's money was kept in strong boxes in the cellar of this building. The quarters occupied by Gov. William Hendricks' family and the room from which he conducted the official state business is also still in an excellent state of repair. The Col. Thomas Posey home is standing--Thomas Posey was the son of the last territorial governor, Thomas Posey. The younger Posey was U. S. Agent for Military Pensions in Indiana and maintained the pension agency in his home for some ten years after the capital was removed from Corydon to Indianapolis.

In 1816 early newspapers of the state were established in Corydon--they were the Indiana Herald and the Indiana Gazette. About this same time a branch of the Bank of Vincennes, the State Bank, was established in Corydon. A state law library was started at Corydon and the State Library had its beginning (see Continuation Sheet)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Biographical and Historical Souvenir for Clark, Crawford, HARRISON, Floyd, Jefferson, Jennings, Scott, and Washington Counties, Indiana--Illustrated, Compiled and Published by John M. Gresham & Co., Chicago, 1889 (Reproduced by Unigraphic, Inc., Evansville, Ind. 1969)
Illustrated Atlas and History of Harrison County, Indiana Published by F. A. Bulleit, Corydon, Ind. 1906
Historic Corydon, General Guide to Points of Interest, Published by The Hoosier Elm Chapter DAR, Corydon, 1929 (see Continuation Sheet)

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

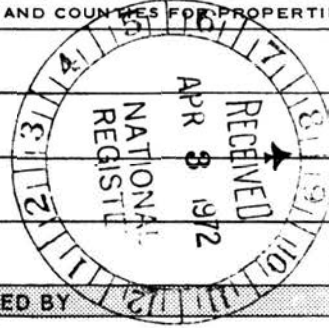
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CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE				
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	38°	12'	55"	86°	07'	43"			
NE	38°	12'	56"	86°	07'	09"			
SE	38°	12'	28"	86°	07'	09"			
SW	38°	12'	29"	86°	07'	44"			

NO UTM
CX

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: **40.4 acres**

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

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE



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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: **Frederick Porter Griffin, Past-President**

ORGANIZATION: **Harrison County Historical Society** DATE: **April 7, 1971**

STREET AND NUMBER: **116 East Walnut St. -- Box 55** Rev. Dec/ 29, 1972

CITY OR TOWN: **Corydon** STATE: **Indiana** CODE: **18**

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison 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. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National State Local

Name: *Joseph Peland*
 Title: Indiana State Liaison Officer
 Date: June 4, 1973

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Robert M. Utley
 Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date: 8/28/73

ATTEST:
for Joseph P. Griffin
 Keeper of The National Register
 Date: 8/22/73

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(Statement of Significance--continued)

as a small lending library operated from the John T. Jamison Tavern. In 1817, eleven Master Masons representing the nine lodges in Indiana assembled in Corydon and called a meeting at Madison to organize a Grand Lodge. Dr. David G. Mitchell, a local physician, organized Indiana's first medical society in 1820 at Corydon and he became its first president. Of all the prominent political figures that visited the wilderness capital, the most talked about was that of President James Monroe and General Andrew Jackson's visit to Corydon in June 1819.

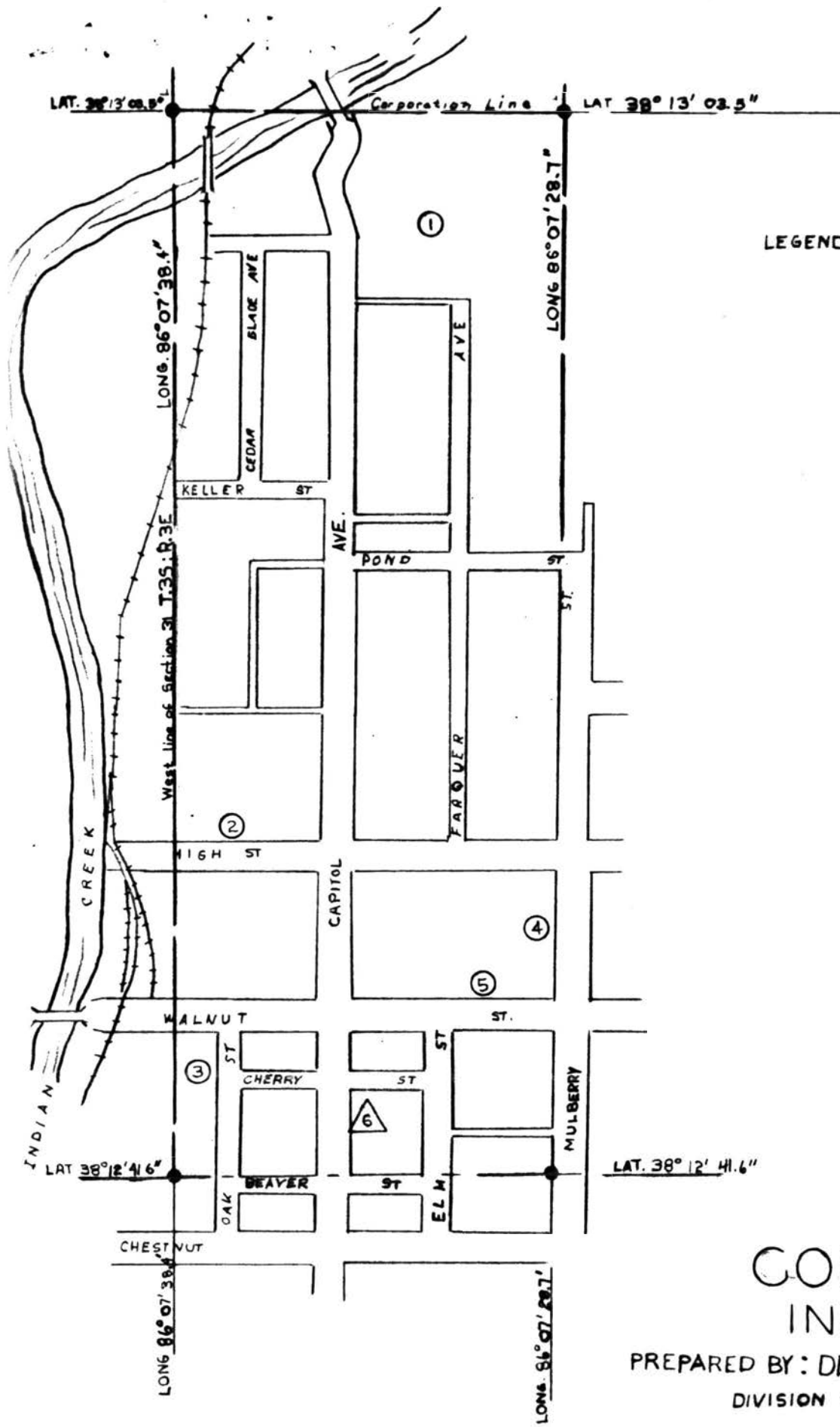
In July 1863, Corydon was in the path of Confederate General John H. Morgan's raiders. A battle took place on the south hill overlooking Corydon on July 9, 1863. Corydon was one of the few northern towns to be captured by the Confederates during the Civil War.

In pioneer days, there were numerous wilderness roads leading to Corydon from the Ohio River ferries some fifteen miles away. The main travelled road from Corydon to the northwest was the Governor's Trace which passed by Governor Harrison's Mill on Blue River and joined the Buffalo Trace near French Lick. Many of the early Indiana pioneers who came up from Kentucky passed through Corydon on their way to establish wilderness homes in central Indiana.

9. Major Bibliographic References (cont'd)

- The Corydon Statehouse, A Hoosier Shrine, The Department of Conservation, State of Indiana, Publication #94, 1930
- Long, Eleanor and Newell, Corydon--The Cradle of Our Commonwealth a pageant written for Indiana's Sesquicentennial and presented at the Harrison County Fairgrounds at Corydon, June 1966
- Funk, Arville L., A Sketchbook of Indiana History, Christian Book Press, Rochester, Ind., 1969, pp 25-36, pp 85-89, pp 110-120, pp 148-149, pp 155-160, pp 165-177
- Barnhart, John D. & Riker, Dorothy L., Indiana to 1816, The Colonial Period, Indiana Historical Bureau & Indiana Historical Society, Indianapolis 1971, pp 412-463





- LEGEND:
- ① CEDAR GLADE
 - ② CONSTITUTION ELM
 - ③ POSEY HOUSE
 - ④ FIRST STATE OFFICE BLDG.
 - ⑤ GOV. HENDRICK'S HOME
 - ▲ CORYDON CAPITOL



CORYDON INDIANA

PREPARED BY: DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF ENGINEERING

DATE: DEC 5, 1972

SCALE: 1"=300'

AREA: 40.4 \pm within rectangle

FILE: 5-9-2

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
PROPERTY MAP FORM

(Type all entries - attach to or enclose with map)

STATE Indiana	
COUNTY Harrison	
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1. NAME			
COMMON: CORYDON			
AND/OR HISTORIC: Indiana's First State Capital (or) Historic Corydon			
2. LOCATION			
STREET AND NUMBER: Northwest Quarter Sect. 31, Town 3 South, Range 4 East			
CITY OR TOWN: Corydon (160 Acres)			
STATE: Indiana	CODE 18	COUNTY: Harrison	CODE 061
3. MAP REFERENCE			
SOURCE: Corydon Chamber of Commerce			
SCALE:			
DATE: 1966--Indiana's Sesquicentennial year			
4. REQUIREMENTS			
TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS			
1. Property boundaries where required.			
2. North arrow.			
3. Latitude and longitude reference.			

Missing Core Documentation

Property Name	County, State	Reference Number
Corydon Historic District	Harrison County, IN	73000017

The following Core Documentation is missing from this entry:

Nomination Form

Photographs

USGS Map

National Register of Historic Places

Note to the record

Additional Documentation: 2016

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

REQUESTED ACTION: ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION

PROPERTY NAME: Corydon Historic District

MULTIPLE NAME:

STATE & COUNTY: INDIANA, Harrison

DATE RECEIVED: 07/29/16 DATE OF PENDING LIST:
DATE OF 16th DAY: DATE OF 45th DAY: 09/13/16

REFERENCE NUMBER: 73000017

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: Y SAMPLE: N SLR DRAFT: N NATIONAL: Y

COMMENT WAIVER: N

ACCEPT RETURN REJECT 9/13/2016 DATE

ABSTRACT/SUMMARY COMMENTS:

RECOM./CRITERIA Accept Additional Documentation
REVIEWER Patricia Andrews DISCIPLINE Historian
TELEPHONE _____ DATE 9/13/2016
DOCUMENTATION see attsched comments Y/N

If a nomination is returned to the nominating authority, the nomination is no longer under consideration by the NPS.

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Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase,
Additional Documentation

July 14, 2016

Harrison County, IN

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The included material is intended to provide additional documentation for the existing Corydon Historic District and the Boundary Increase as listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The original district was listed in 1973 and the amended district boundary increase in 1989. The specific goal of this document is to define contributing and noncontributing properties within the original historic district boundaries and to update the same information within the expanded historic district so that all properties within the boundaries would be defined. The additional documentation assigns ratings of contributing or non-contributing to resources in the 1973 Corydon Historic District, since none were assigned in 1973 or in 1989. A period of significance of c.1808-1930 was used, as noted in the 1989 Boundary Increase document. Ratings for the boundary increase area were adopted from the 1989 documentation, except if the building was demolished or substantially altered. The buildings were rated contributing or noncontributing based on the age and the intactness of the original structure. Contributing buildings were built pre-1930 during the period of significance and are representative of the building types and methods of construction typical of the period. They primarily maintain their original scale, massing, patterns of opening, and/or materials which contribute to the continuity of the district's historic fabric. A great number of buildings remain intact including residential, commercial, and mixed-use examples; all contributing to the density and historic character of Corydon's historic district. The additional documentation includes the following:

- new master map of both districts, showing the relationship between the two
- new master list of resources with ratings, corresponding to the map
- new images of the district, both original and boundary increase areas

Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase, Additional Documentation, 2016, Harrison County, Indiana

Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
118 East Elliot Avenue	O'Bannon House / N.C garage	C.
202 East Elliot Avenue	house	C.
206 East Elliot Avenue	house	C.
216 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. garage / N.C. shed	C.
222 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. shed	C.
226 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
228 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. shed	C.
101 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
113 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
117 East Elliot Avenue	house	C.
209 East Elliot Avenue	house / C. garage	C.
215 East Elliot Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
335 East Summit Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
339 East Summit Street	house	N.C.
322 East Summit Street	house / C. garage / N.C. shed	C.
328 Summit Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
334 Summit Street	house / N.C. shed	N.C.
230 West High Street	car wash	N.C.
220 West High Street	commercial building / N.C. commercial building / N.C. pole barn	N.C.
210 West High Street	Westfall-Jordan house / N.C. garage	C.
210A West High Street	Constitution Elm Memorial	C.
202 West High Street	house / C. garage	C.
118 West High Street	house	C.
120 East High Street	Gwartney-Richert House / C. barn	C.
200 East High Street	house	C.
208 East High Street	house	C.
214 East High Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
312 East High Street	St. Joseph Church	N.C.
342 East High Street	house	C.
346 East High Street	house	C.
356 East High Street	house	N.C.
221 West High Street	Blue Spring Bottling Works	N.C.
219 West High Street	warehouse	C.
201 West High Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
109 West High Street	house	N.C.
323 East High Street	house	C.
329 East High Street	house	C.
333 East High Street	house	C.
337 East High Street	house	C.
343 East High Street	house	C.
349 East High Street	house / C. garage	C.
355 East High Street	house / C. garage	C.

Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase, Additional Documentation, 2016, Harrison County, Indiana

Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
210 West Walnut Street	LNAC Railroad Depot	C.
210B West Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
204 West Walnut Street	commercial building / N.C. garage	N.C.
120 West Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
118 West Walnut Street	Payne House	C.
112 West Walnut Street	commercial building	C.
110 East Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
116 East Walnut Street	Maurice Griffin House	C.
126 East Walnut Street	State Historic Former Site / United Presbyterian Church	C.
NA *	Historic wood frame building	C.
NA **	Governor William Hendricks Headquarters	C.
NA ***	carriage house	C.
417 North Mulberry Street	First State Office Building / C. utility building	C.
300 East Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
322 East Walnut Street	house	C.
324 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
332 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
342 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
348 East Walnut Street	house	C.
354 East Walnut Street	house	C.
424 East Walnut Street	house	N.C.
436 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
500 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
516 East Walnut Street	house / NC. Shed / C. garage	C.
518 East Walnut Street	house	C.
520 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
528 East Walnut Street	house	N.C.
536 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
600 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
608 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
616 East Walnut Street	house / N.C. pole barn	C.
217 West Walnut Street	commercial building / C. warehouse	N.C.
207 West Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
235 Oak Street	house	C.
107 West Walnut Street	commercial building	C.
111 West Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
117 West Walnut Street	commercial building	N.C.
223 East Walnut Street	Dr. Bottorff House / C. garage	C.
301 East Walnut Street	house	C.
307 East Walnut Street	house	C.
315 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
319 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.

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Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
325 East Walnut Street	Habermel-Griffin House	C.
333 East Walnut Street	house	C.
339 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
343 East Walnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
355 East Walnut Street	house	C.
401 East Walnut Street	house	C.
419 East Walnut Street	Schneider House / C. garage	C.
425 East Walnut Street	house	C.
431 East Walnut Street	Dropsey House	C.
441 East Walnut Street	house / N.C shed	C.
517 East Walnut Street	house	C.
529 East Walnut Street	apartments	N.C
541 East Walnut Street	house	C.
206 North Oak Street	Jan-Mar Building	N.C
112 East Beaver Street	commercial building	N.C
117 West Beaver Street	Carnegie Library	C.
101 East Beaver Street	Armstrong Building	C.
103 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
105 East Beaver Street	commercial building	C.
109 East Beaver Street	commercial building	C.
113 East Beaver Street	commercial building	C.
115 East Beaver Street	commercial building	C.
119 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
100 East Chestnut Street	Shafer Building	C.
102-4 East Chestnut Street	Berlin Building	C.
110 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
202-206 East Chestnut Street	Bulleit Building	C.
214 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
220 East Chestnut Street	Ford Garage	C.
300 East Chestnut Street	gas station / Zimmerman Art Glass	N.C
306 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
318 East Chestnut Street	Funeral Home and Chapel	N.C
332 East Chestnut Street	Mowrer House / C.garage	C.
344A East Chestnut Street	gas pump	N.C
344 East Chestnut Street	store	N.C
400 East Chestnut Street	Henry Bulleit House / N.C. carriage house	C.
406 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
410 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
422 East Chestnut Street	house / C. shed	C.
424 East Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C
428 East Chestnut Street	Will Saffer House / N.C. garage / C. shed	C.
432 East Chestnut Street	J.J Bulleit House / C. garage	C.

Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase, Additional Documentation, 2016, Harrison County, Indiana

Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
440 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
500 East Chestnut Street	J.J Bulleit House / N.C garage	C.
510 East Chestnut Street	Joe Berder House / C. garage	C.
514 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
516 East Chestnut Street	Cort Sharp House / N.C. garage	C.
526 East Chestnut Street	Friedly House / C. garage	C.
528 East Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
540 East Chestnut Street	garage	N.C
600 East Chestnut Street	Former Corydon High School	C.
700 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
706 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
710 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
714 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
329 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
327 West Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
325 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
321 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
317 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
225 West Chestnut Street	apartments	N.C
217 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
215 West Chestnut Street	Church of Nazarene	N.C
207 West Chestnut Street	house / C. garage / C. shed	C.
123 West Chestnut Street	commercial building	N.C
117 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
322 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
318 West Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
314 West Chestnut Street	house	C.
101 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	N.C
109 East Chestnut Street	Corydon Post Office	C.
115 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
117 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
121 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
123 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	N.C
127 East Chestnut Street	Miles Building	C.
129 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
215 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	N.C
219 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
221 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
227 East Chestnut Street	Bulleit Building	C.
231 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
315 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
317 East Chestnut Street	Dr. Wolfe House / C. barn	C.

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329 East Chestnut Street	PSI Building	N.C
341 East Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C
351 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	C.
401 East Chestnut Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
411 East Chestnut Street	John Lopp House / C. lean-to	C.
417 East Chestnut Street	house / N.C. shed	C.
423 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
427 East Chestnut Street	Julia Bulleit-Walters-La Hue House / C. garage	C.
431 East Chestnut Street	house / C. carriage house / C.garage	C.
439 East Chestnut Street	commercial building	N.C
501 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
511 East Chestnut Street	house / C. garage	C.
515 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
517 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
523 East Chestnut Street	Harry Kepher House / C. garage	C.
529 East Chestnut Street	house	N.C
535 East Chestnut Street	house	C.
110 Hurst Lane	pole barn	C.
220 Hurst Lane	Corydon Jamboree	N.C.
222 Hurst Lane	warehouse	N.C.
224 Hurst Lane	warehouse / C. pole barn	N.C.
121 Water Street	house / C. garage	C.
123 Water Street	house / C. garage	C.
127 Water Street	house	C.
131 Water Street	house / N.C garage	C.
110 Water Street	commercial building / N.C. garage	N.C.
108 Water Street	house / N.C. shed	C.
106 Water Street	house / C. garage	C.
210 Water Street	commercial building	C.
506 Water Street	warehouse	C.
201 North Oak Street	Funeral Home	N.C
213 North Oak Street	house / C. garage	C.
215 North Oak Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C
217 North Oak Street	Hotel Corydon / C. House	C.
225 North Oak Street	Posey House / C. shed	C.
235 North Oak Street	house	C.
756 Cedar Glade Avenue	house	N.C
101 South Capitol Avenue	Kinter House	C.
115 South Capitol Avenue	Theater	N.C
121 South Capitol Avenue	commercial building	C.
116 South Capitol Avenue	former church	C.
105 North Capitol Avenue	Library	C.

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Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
109 North Capitol Avenue	Old Capital Bank and Trust Company / Library	C.
201 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	C.
203 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	C.
205 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	C.
209 North Capitol Avenue	First National Bank	C.
213 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	C.
219 North Capitol Avenue	Chase Bank	N.C.
233 North Capitol Avenue	Former County Jail	N.C.
303 North Capitol Avenue	O'Bannon Publishing	C.
405 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	N.C.
415 North Capitol Avenue	Victor Bulleit House	C.
419 North Capitol Avenue	William Henry Harrison House and Braham Tavern	C.
425 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
429 North Capitol Avenue	Denbo-Hurst-Miles House	C.
501 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
515 North Capitol Avenue	James-Whitten Gibson House	C.
519 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
525 North Capitol Avenue	Dr. Reader House	C.
531 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
601 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
609 North Capitol Avenue	Lottich House	C.
615 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
621 North Capitol Avenue	Funk-Keller House / C. garage	C.
629 North Capitol Avenue	house	N.C.
633 North Capitol Avenue	R.L. Miller House	C.
701 North Capitol Avenue	house / C. garage	C.
707 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
711 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
715 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
723 North Capitol Avenue	house	N.C.
729 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
737 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
739 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
743 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
751 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
753 North Capitol Avenue	Mitchell-Atwood House / C. garage	C.
200 North Capitol Avenue	First State Capitol Building	C.
300 North Capitol Avenue	Former Harrison County Courthouse	C.
400 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	N.C.
402 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	N.C.
416 North Capitol Avenue	house	C.
426 North Capitol Avenue	commercial building	N.C.

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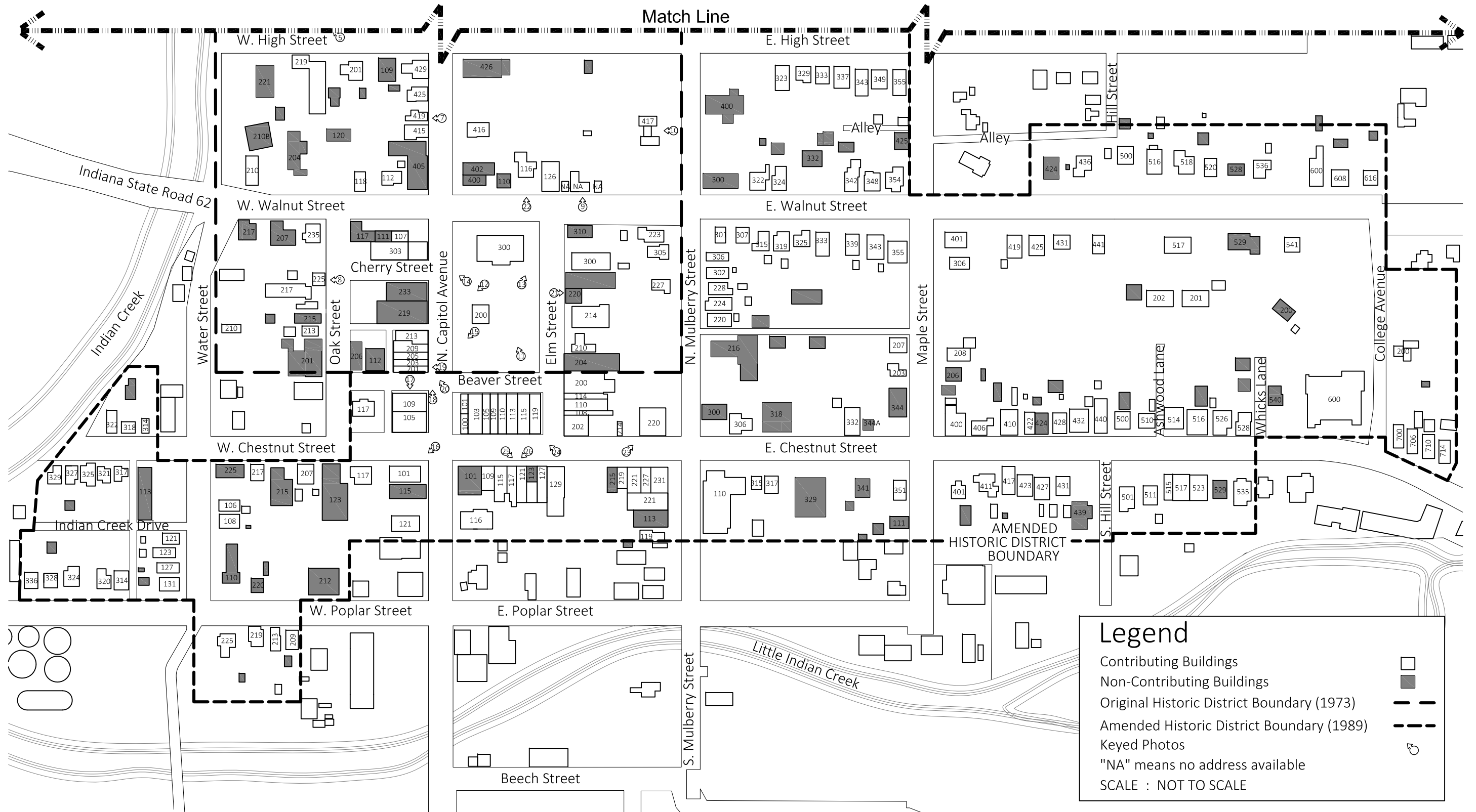
Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
500 North Capitol Avenue	Gresham House	C.
508 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
514 North Capitol Avenue	Robert Trace Well House / C. garage	C.
524 North Capitol Avenue	Applegate House / C. garage	C.
604 North Capitol Avenue	Applegate -Hays House / C. garage	C.
614 North Capitol Avenue	Wolf-Applegate House / N.C. garage	C.
622 North Capitol Avenue	Self House / C. garage	C.
706 North Capitol Avenue	house / C. garage	C.
714 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
720 North Capitol Avenue	Keller-House	C.
730 North Capitol Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
738 North Capitol Avenue	Blessinger House / C. garage	C.
746 North Capitol Avenue	house / C. garage	C.
748 North Capitol Avenue	house / C. garage	C.
754 North Capitol Avenue	Judge T.J Wilson House / N. C. garage	C.
766 North Capitol Avenue	Albert McGrain House	C.
764 North Capitol Avenue	Dowling McGrain House / N.C. garage	C.
772 North Capital Avenue	Kintner -McGrain House / C. carriage house	C.
108 North Elm Street	commercial building	C.
110 North Elm Street	Odd-Fellows Building	C.
114 North Elm Street	commercial building	C.
200 North Elm Street	commercial building	C.
204 North Elm Street	commercial building	N.C.
210 North Elm Street	Miller-Shireman	C.
214 North Elm Street	Corydon United Methodist church	C.
220 North Elm Street	commercial building	N.C.
300 North Elm Street	Masonic Lodge	C.
310 North Elm Street	Tourist Information Center	N.C.
601 North Farquar Avenue	house	N.C.
609 North Farquar Avenue	house / C. utility building	N.C.
613 North Farquar Avenue	house	N.C.
729 North Farquar Avenue	house	N.C.
514 North Farquar Avenue	house	C.
522 North Farquar Avenue	Methodist Parsonage / C. garage	C.
600 North Farquar Avenue	Applegate House / C. garage	C.
610 North Farquar Avenue	Major Funk House / N.C. garage	C.
616 North Farquar Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
624 North Farquar Avenue	Applegate House / N.C. shed	C.
628 North Farquar Avenue	house	C.
708 North Farquar Avenue	house	C.
712 North Farquar Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
716 North Farquar Avenue	house	N.C.

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Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
724 North Farquar Avenue	house / N.C. garage	C.
730 North Farquar Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
736 North Farquar Avenue	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
227 North Mulberry Street	Henry Heth House	C.
305 North Mulberry Street	Dr. Ulen House / C. garage	C.
501 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
521 North Mulberry Street	house	C.
531 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
601 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
605 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
611 North Mulberry Street	house	C.
615 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
801 North Mulberry Street	house	N.C.
604 Best Avenue	house	C.
612 Best Avenue	house	C.
113 South Mulberry Street	commercial building	N.C.
119 South Mulberry Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
216 North Mulberry Street	Corydon Christian Church / N.C. garage	N.C.
220 North Mulberry Street	house / C. garage	C.
224 North Mulberry Street	house / C. garage	C.
228 North Mulberry Street	house / C. garage	C.
302 North Mulberry Street	house / C. garage	C.
306 North Mulberry Street	Jonathan Bines House	C.
400 North Mulberry Street	Disciples of Christ Church	N.C.
520 North Mulberry Street	St. Joseph School	N.C.
600 North Mulberry Street	house / C. garage	C.
608 North Mulberry Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
614 North Mulberry Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
620 North Mulberry Street	house	C.
624 North Mulberry Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
628 North Mulberry Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
203 North Maple Street	house	C.
207 North Maple Street	house	C.
425 North Maple Street	house	N.C.
521 North Maple Street	house / C. utility shed	C.
525 North Maple Street	house / C. utility shed	C.
539 North Maple Street	garage	N.C.
529 North Maple Street	house	C.
206 North Maple Street	house / N.C. shed	N.C.
208 North Maple Street	house / C. garage	C.
306 North Maple Street	house	C.
202 Ashwood Lane	house / N.C. garage	C.

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Street Address	Description / Notable Features	Contribution Rating (of primary structure)
200 Whicks Lane	house / C. utility shed	N.C.
201 Whicks Lane	house / C. garage / N.C. pole barn	C.
200 College Avenue	house / N.C. shed	C.
212 West Poplar Street	commercial building	N.C.
220 West Poplar Street	house / N.C. garage	N.C.
314 West Poplar Street	house	C.
320 West Poplar Street	house	C.
324 West Poplar Street	house	C.
328 West Poplar Street	house / N.C. car shed	C.
336 West Poplar Street	house	C.
225 West Poplar Street	house	C.
219 West Poplar Street	house / N.C. garage	C.
213 West Poplar Street	house / C. garage	C.
209 West Poplar Street	house / N.C. garage	C.



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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0001

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Angela Klear

Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 700 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NE, photo 1 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0002

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Angela Klear

Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 700 Block North Capitol Avenue, looking SE, photo 2 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0003

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Angela Klear

Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 700 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking SW, photo 3 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0004

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Angela Klear

Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 500 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NE, photo 4 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0005

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Angela Klear

Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of West High Street, looking NW, photo 5 of 26.

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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0006

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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View of 200 Block of West High Street, looking N, photo 6 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0007

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 400 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking W, photo 7 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0008

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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View of 200 Block of Oak Street, looking W, photo 8 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0009

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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View of 100 Block of East Walnut Street, looking N, photo 9 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0010

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 400 Block of North Mulberry Street, looking W, photo 10 of 26.

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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0011

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View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NW, photo 11 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0012

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking SW, photo 12 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0013

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Kleer
Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NE, photo 13 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0014

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NW, photo 14 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0015

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking SW, photo 15 of 26.

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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_00016

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
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View of 100 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking SW, photo 16 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_00017

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 100 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking S, photo 17 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_00018

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking N, photo 18 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_00019

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking W, photo 19 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_00020

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 200 Block of North Capitol Avenue, looking NW, photo 20 of 26.

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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0021

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 200 Block of Elm Street, looking W, photo 21 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0022

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 7/24/16

View of 100 Block of East Walnut Street, looking N, photo 22 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0023

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 200 Block of East Chestnut Street, looking NE, photo 23 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0024

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 100 Block of East Chestnut Street, looking NW, photo 24 of 26.

IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0025

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation
Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana
Photographer: Angela Klear
Date photographed: 4/3/16

View of 100 Block of East Chestnut Street, looking SW, photo 25 of 26.

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IN_CorydonHistoricDistrictAdditionalDocumentation_0026

Corydon Historic District, Additional Documentation

Corydon, Harrison County, Indiana

Photographer: Arthur Turcotte

Date photographed: 11-15-14

View of 100 Block of East Chestnut Street, looking SE, photo 26 of 26.



1850
This house was built by the late General James M. Smith, a prominent citizen of the community. It is a fine example of the architecture of the period and is well preserved. It is now owned by the Smith family.















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National Register of Historic Places
Memo to File

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The Correspondence consists of communications from (and possibly to) the nominating authority, notes from the staff of the National Register of Historic Places, and/or other material the National Register of Historic Places received associated with the property.

Correspondence may also include information from other sources, drafts of the nomination, letters of support or objection, memorandums, and ephemera which document the efforts to recognize the property.

ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE **INDIANA**

Date Entered **AUG 28 1973**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Corydon <i>Historic District</i>	Corydon Harrison County
Beiger Home	Mishawaka St. Joseph County
Oliver (Joseph D.) Residence	South Bend St. Joseph County

Also Notified

Hon. Vance Hartke
 Hon. Birch Bayh
 Hon. Lee M. Hamilton
 Hon. John Brademas

Director, Northeast Region

**State Historic Preservation Officer
 Mr. Joseph D. Cloud, Director
 Department of Natural Resources
 State of Indiana
 608 State Office Building
 Indianapolis, Indiana 42604**

PHR MMOTT: pcl 9/4/73

DATE OF RECEIPT 4/3/72 YES NO NUMBER REGISTER:

DATA PAGE

PHOTO (S) _____

PHOTO DESCRIPTION (S) _____

MAP (S) _____

MAP DESCRIPTION (S) _____

LOGGED _____

ACKNOWLEDGE 4/3/72 _____

RESUBMIT 6.14.73 _____



REVIEW

HISTORIAN Okay, Sanders 10/3/72

ARCHEOLOGIST

ARCHITECT Well written form, but Betsey's point is well taken - Perhaps send them a copy of a map from another district (Murfreesboro, Tenn) to show them what we want. Chambers 10-4-72

ASST. KEEPER

KEEPER

WRITER/EDITOR

DIRECTOR, OAHP

EDITORIAL PROCESSING, EDITOR The acreage is excessive. All bldgs. mentioned individually qualify, but the entire 160 acres has not been justified. We need either a diagram identifying specifically all bldgs. in district or a reduced area encompassing only the early structures.

EDA 10/2/72

Federal Registry Entry _____ Annual Edition Entry _____

Logged _____ Card _____

COMMENTS: WORKING NUMBER 4.3.72.443

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WHEN THE PROPERTY IS RESUBMITTED.
NAME OF PROPERTY Corydon, Indiana

DATE: 10/31/72

The attached National Register Inventory-Nomination form is being returned to your office for clarification of the information indicated below.

1. Name. _____
2. Location. _____
3. Classification. _____
4. Owner of Property. _____
5. Location of Legal Description. _____
6. Representation in Existing Surveys. _____
7. Description. The individual buildings mentioned all seem quite good, but we question the merit of a 160 acre tract. Could you provide a plot plan showing the historic structures in relation to one another? Or should you consider making individual nominations for them?
8. Statement of Significance. _____
9. Bibliography. _____
10. Geographical Data.
 - a. Longitude and Latitude Coordinates. _____
 - b. Acreage. _____
11. Form Prepared By. _____
12. Certification. Not signed by State Liaison Officer.
- Photographic Coverage. Need approx 8x10 photos rather than the 8 crossed page of pictures.
- Map Coverage. See instruction booklet for mapping areas of more than 10 acres.
- Other. _____

Clarification or correction of the above items must be made prior to the initiation of our professional review. Correction of these technical errors does not necessarily insure that the nomination will then satisfy National Register criteria in full.

Thank you for your attention to the above items checked.

SIGNED: James P. [Signature]

SPELLING?

PROPERTY Corydon STATE Ind.

WORKING NUMBER 43.72.443

Harrison

TECH REVIEW
Photos 7
Maps 4

CONTROL REVIEW ~~photo forms 7 photos~~
~~at a very incorrect~~

cm
6-19-73

HISTORIAN not much info. in form but probably is good district - need to ~~show them~~ show them how to write district nominations

OK
Accept
AML
6/20/73

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN They still have not provided adequate photo forms. This is pure laziness.

Return
6-29-73
C.S.H.H.

ARCHEOLOGIST Need photo forms - otherwise accept.

RETURNED
KHC
6/29/73

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

BRANCH CHIEF

KEEPER

Accept
8/22/73

National Register write-up 2-19-74

Send-back 7.9.73 8-2-73

Federal Register entry 10-2-73

Re-submit 7-26-73 8/16/73

Entered AUG 28 1973

NAME OF PROPERTY Corydon, Ind.

The attached National Register Inventory-Nomination form is being returned to your office for clarification of the information indicated below.

1. Name. _____

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3. Classification. _____

4. Owner of Property. _____

5. Location of Legal Description. _____

6. Representation in Existing Surveys. _____

7. Description. _____

8. Statement of Significance. _____

9. Bibliography. _____

X 10. Geographical Data.

a. Longitude and Latitude Coordinates. Longitude (or Latitude) appears to be off . Please check.

b. Acreage. _____

11. Form Prepared By. _____

12. Certification. _____

X Photographic Coverage. Please send a photo form with each photo. No carbon copies.

Map Coverage. Please send a map form with each map. Maps should have the coordinates written on them.

Other. _____

Clarification or correction of the above items must be made prior to the initiation of our professional review. Correction of these technical errors does not necessarily insure that the nomination will then satisfy the National Register criteria in full.

Thank you for your attention to the above items checked. Thanks,

SIGNED: Charles A. Henry

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WHEN THE PROPERTY IS RESUBMITTED. DATE: 8/2/73
NAME OF PROPERTY Corydon, Ind.

The attached National Register Inventory-Nomination form is being returned to your office for clarification of the information indicated below.

- 1. Name. _____
- 2. Location. _____
- 3. Classification. _____
- 4. Owner of Property. _____
- 5. Location of Legal Description. _____
- 6. Representation in Existing Surveys. _____
- 7. Description. _____
- 8. Statement of Significance. _____
- 9. Bibliography. _____
- 10. Geographical Data.
 - a. Longitude and Latitude Coordinates. appear to be incorrect
Please recompute.
 - b. Acreage. _____
- 11. Form Prepared By. _____
- 12. Certification. _____
- Photographic Coverage. _____
- Map Coverage. Please use a map bearing an identified system of coordinates, preferably an original USGS, which allows us to check latitude-longitude.
- Other. Please write the coordinates and the name of the property on the map

Clarification or correction of the above items must be made prior to the initiation of our professional review. Correction of these technical errors does not necessarily insure that the nomination will then satisfy the National Register criteria in full.

Thank you for your attention to the above items checked. *Heiko*
SIGNED: Heiko

STATE OF INDIANA



INDIANAPOLIS

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

46204

June 4, 1973

Dr. William J. Murtagh
Keeper of the National Register
United States Department of the Interior
Room 3209
1100 "L" Street
Washington, D. C. 20005



Dear Dr. Murtagh:

As the State Liaison Officer for Indiana I herewith resubmit the nomination forms for:

Historic Corydon Area (Harrison County), Indiana.

Sincerely,

Joseph N. Cloud
Director
Indiana Department of
Natural Resources

JDC:mfs



DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
State Office Building

James M. Ridenour
DIRECTOR

November 15, 1985

Carol D. Shull
Acting Chief of Registration
D O I, NPS
W 434
Washington, D.C. 20240

Dear Ms. Shull:

A problem has arisen in identifying the boundaries of the Corydon Historic District in Harrison County, Indiana, which was listed in the National Register on August 28, 1973.

The nomination was prepared and the district was listed before Indiana had any staff for its program. As a result, the file is incomplete, and we have had some difficulty in trying to trace the various stages through which the nomination passed. As nearly as we can tell, the initial nomination was submitted to Washington in April, 1972, with a boundary encompassing 160 acres. It was returned to the State on October 31, 1972, asking that the acreage be reduced, and requesting the State Liaison Officer's signature. The nomination was resubmitted on June 4, 1973. However, we are unclear on exactly what information was included in the final application. I am writing to ask your assistance in determining what the final, approved boundaries were for the district.

We have two different copies of the back page of the nomination form. One shows the Indiana State Historic Preservation Officer's signature, dated June 4, 1973. However, that page has the latitude and longitude coordinates for a 160 acre area (although it says "40.4 acres"). The other back page in our file shows the latitude and longitude coordinates for a 40.4 acre area, with a notation, "Revised January 1973." We are guessing that the latter is the area that was finally approved, but there is no signature on this copy. We also have a sketch map showing the latter coordinates, but we have no way of knowing from our files whether this map was submitted to the Register. A copy of the map, dated December 5, 1972, is enclosed. To further complicate matters, according to Patrick Andrus of your staff, the file for the National Register's file for the Corydon District is missing.

It appears to have been the intent of both the State Historic Preservation Officer and the National Register to list the 40.4 acre area outlined on the December 5, 1972 map, but we need your verification of the boundaries to be certain, especially since a controversy on the issue has arisen at the local level. It would, of course, be best if the Corydon file could be located. However, if it cannot be found, we would like to request that

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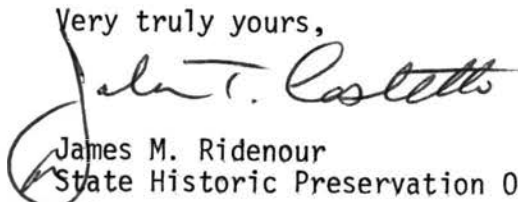
you make an official determination on the District's boundaries.

It is our opinion that the Corydon Historic District boundaries form a rectangle bounded by Mulberry Street on the east; Beaver Street on the south; the west line of Section 31, Township 3 South, Range 4 East, on the west; and the Corydon corporation line on the north. The latitude and longitude coordinates are as follows:

	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
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NE	38° 13' 03.5"	86° 07' 28.7"
SE	38° 12' 41.6"	86° 07' 28.7"
SW	38° 12' 41.6"	86° 07' 38.4"

We would appreciate a timely response from you on this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Long of my staff, at 317/232-1646.

Very truly yours,


James M. Ridenour
State Historic Preservation Officer

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cc: Miriam Rowe, Main Street Corydon

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Mr. James R. Ridenour
Director, Department of Natural
Resources
608 State Office Building
Indianapolis, Indiana 42604

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Our file on the district is missing the photographs originally submitted. If your office has copies of these photos we would appreciate having a set. Thank you for your interest in maintaining the integrity of the National Register list.

Sincerely,

Carol D. Shull (SSd.)

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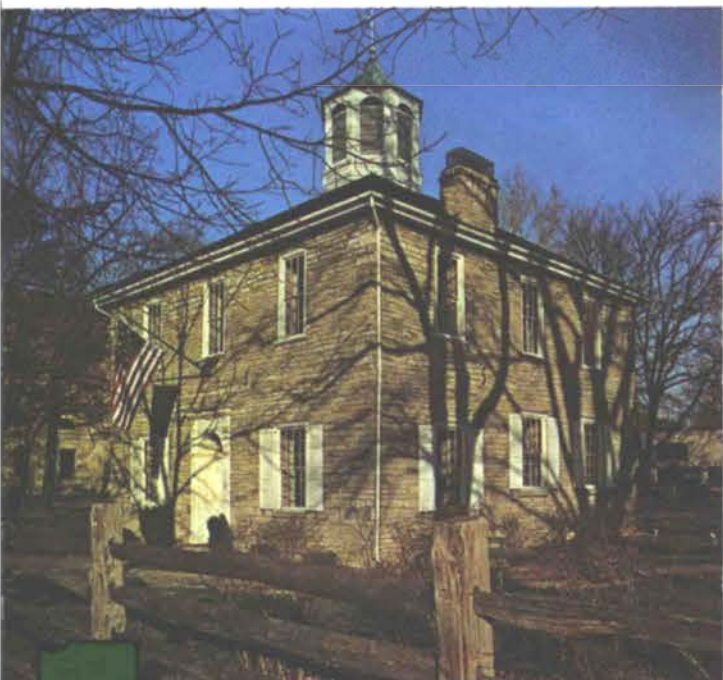
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See and Tour...
Scenic Historic

CORYDON

INDIANA



Constructed in 1811-1812 at a cost of \$3,000, this historic building served as the Harrison County Court House. However, when the Territorial Capital was moved from Vincennes to Corydon in 1813, the two-storied, limestone structure became the center of the government for the Indiana Territory. Achieving statehood in 1816, Indiana elected to retain the capitol building as the site of state government. Corydon instantly became the first Capital of Indiana.

INDIANA'S FIRST STATE CAPITOL

See the Spectacular WYANDOTTE CAVES

One of the nation's most magnificent and inspiring natural wonders is Wyandotte Caves located just east of Corydon (in Crawford County) on U. S. Highway 460. This system of caves is the second largest of its kind in the world. Electrically lighted, the caves offer tours to see giant formations estimated to be more than 50 million years old. Dining facilities are available as well as accommodations in a hotel, picnicing and cabins.



LEAVENWORTH OVERLOOK

Follow U. S. 460 fifteen miles west and visit this famous overlook. High above the Ohio River, you'll see the Oxbow Bends in the river below . . . as well as a U. S. Navigation Dam just down river from this point.



CORYDON COUNTRY CLUB

The new Corydon Country Club offers family recreation. A fine clubhouse, large swimming pool and 9-hole golf course are available to members.



THE 20,000 ACRE HARRISON-CRAWFORD STATE FOREST:

Summer camping, picnicing, swimming, youth camps, and several large herds of deer are preserved in the Harrison State Forest. The State Forest encompasses an area of 20,000 acres of wildlife and timberland, along the Ohio and Blue Rivers. Excellent campsites, shelter houses, floating boat dock and ramp are maintained for your recreation.

CORYDON is a fine place to visit . . . a great place to live. Churches of major denominations welcome tourist visitors and area residents. Progressive young-peoples programs are in progress. The District schools of Corydon are among the best in the nation. Harrison County Hospital is located in Corydon. This modern facility contains 55 beds and offers the finest of medical services. The Corydon Public Library contains a wealth of information for children and adults. Approximately 10,000 books are housed within the structure. Truck and rail service is used for area manufacturers and industries of furniture, kitchen cabinets, meat packing, sand and gravel, concrete products, dairy, poultry and stock feeds, popcorn and chick hatcheries. Corydon is the scene of the FIRST State Capitol, State Legislature, State Supreme Court and State Library. The Grand Lodge, F. & A.M. of Indiana was organized in Corydon.



① **CEDAR GLADE:** The original part of this stately home was built in 1808 by Jacob Kintner, Sr., formerly of Virginia and a wealthy landowner. Years later in 1849, Thomas McGrain, Sr., traded his property in Louisville, Kentucky, for this plantation. From an architectural and historic viewpoint, Cedar Glade is a source of great interests, both interior and exterior. The home still remains in the possession of descendants of the McGrain family.



② **THE CONSTITUTION ELM:** In the summer of 1816 Indiana delegates met under the spiraling branches of one of the largest elms of its kind in the world to draft Indiana's first state constitution. This awesome, deciduous tree measured 132 feet from tip to tip of its branches, five feet in diameter and roughly fifty feet tall. Gradually the mammoth tree succumbed to age and by 1925 was totally dead. The limbs were removed but the huge trunk was encircled by a sandstone memorial, erected by the state, again to preserve a significant, historic Hoosier monument.



③ **POSEY HOUSE:** 1817 was a banner year for Corydon and Southern Indiana for yet another home of statewide significance was constructed: the Posey House. Colonel Thomas Lloyd Posey, son of the Territorial Governor, held positions as the U. S. Pension Agent, State Adjutant General and Cashier of the Corydon Branch Bank. The building is now a museum, owned and operated by The Hoosier Elm Chapter, D.A.R., open daily to the public.

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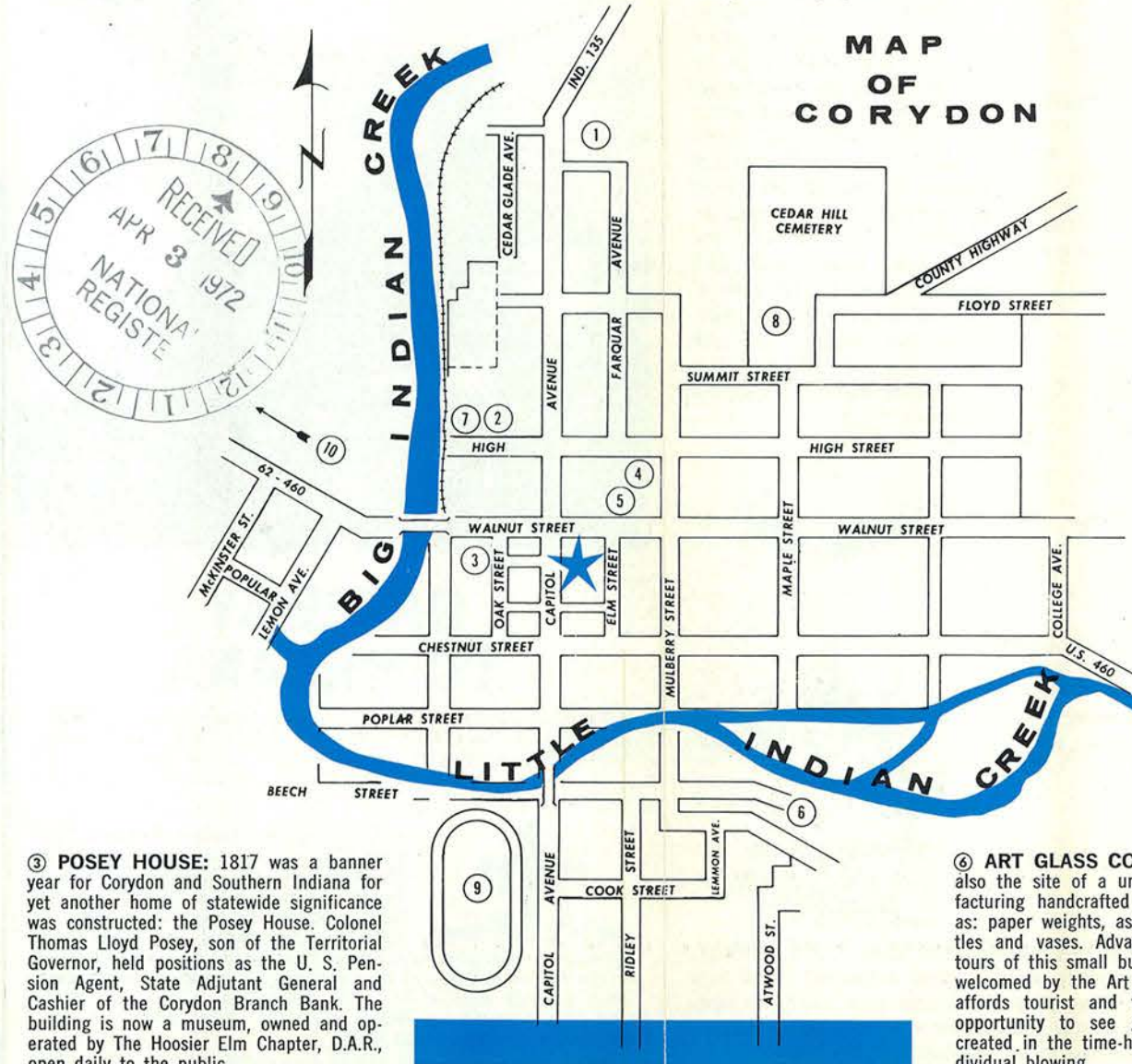
SITES AND SCENES OF A STORIED CITY:

⑦ **OLDEST HOUSE IN CORYDON:** Constructed of logs by the Westfall family in 1807, this home was also occupied by Colonel Lewis Jordan who commanded the Corydon Home Guards during the battle of Corydon in 1863.

⑧ **CEDAR HILL CEMETERY:** The first interments in this cemetery date back to the year of the founding of Corydon, 1808, and also contains the graves of soldiers from every conflict starting with the Revolution.

⑨ **FAIRGROUNDS:** The year was 1860. The event was the first Harrison County Fair and for over a century this annual event attracts thousands of fair-goers and a myriad of displays and events, from harness racing to 4-H projects.

⑩ **HARRISON COUNTY STATE FOREST:** 20,000 sprawling, forested acres comprise this natural mecca of scenic beauty. Partially rolling, bordered by the Blue and Ohio Rivers, the Harrison State Forest has excellent shelter houses, floating boat dock and ramp, a youth camp and camping sites.



MAP OF CORYDON



④ **FIRST STATE OFFICE BUILDING:** Erected in 1817, this building housed the first offices of the Indiana State Auditor, William Lilly, and State Treasurers, Daniel Lane and, eventually, Samuel Merrill. The modest, by comparison, State funds were kept for safe-keeping in a strong box in the cellar directly below the Treasurer's office. Later, after the capital was moved to Indianapolis, the building was used as a school by the Harrison County Seminary. The Brewster family has owned the home since 1871.



⑤ **GOVERNOR HENDRICKS' HOME:** Again in 1817 another storied structure was built in Corydon; a gubernatorial mansion, the executive headquarters of William Hendricks, Indiana's governor. His term spanned four years, 1821 to 1825. Later a renowned jurist and prominent political figure, William A. Porter, occupied the home for many years. Also a former Speaker of the House of Representatives, Judge Porter left the home to his heirs and it has remained in their possession since 1841.



⑥ **ART GLASS COMPANY:** Corydon is also the site of a unique industry, manufacturing handcrafted glass novelties such as: paper weights, ash trays, perfume bottles and vases. Advanced reservations for tours of this small but unusual factory are welcomed by the Art Glass Company. This affords tourist and traveler alike a rare opportunity to see glass products being created in the time-honored method of individual blowing.

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Indiana



GATEWAY TO INDIANA

Spanning the "Beautiful Ohio" river between Brandenburg, Kentucky and Mauckport, Indiana, is the new Matthew E. Welsh Bridge. This impressive concrete and steel structure, completed in 1966, united two of the most scenic regions of both states and opened a new "gateway" to North and South commerce.



MORE ABOUT INDIANA'S FIRST CAPITOL: At first, the downstairs of the Old Capitol was used by Indiana's House of Representatives while the Supreme Court and Senate occupied the upstairs chambers. In 1825 the state capital was moved from

Corydon to Indianapolis to accommodate population changes. Restoration of the capitol building itself was begun in 1929 to preserve the structure as it originally stood in 1816. The memorabilia, antiques, furnishings and other accessories on display in the Old Capitol Building are remnants from Indiana-American history.

Thus, a Hoosier shrine was created as a monument to Indiana's rich, sometimes legendary, legacy. Open every day of the year for public tours.

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Re: Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase, Harrison County, Indiana - Additional Documentation

Dear Dr. Toothman,

Enclosed is additional documentation for the Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase, Harrison County, Indiana. The property was listed in the National Register of Historic Places on August 28, 1973, and the Boundary Increase area was listed on June 27, 1989.

The Corydon community hopes to solve several issues with this submittal of additional documentation. First, there was no proper map of the original 1973 district; the boundary increase focused solely on the added area in both mapping and inventories of resources. Second, the 1973 documentation did not enumerate contributing or non-contributing resources. Lastly, there are no digital images of either area in the official National Register record.

The enclosed documents remedy this by including maps of both areas, with addresses and ratings for all buildings. An inventory of all resources in both areas is also included, along with a set of current digital images of resources in both areas. To determine contributing v. non-contributing status, the period of significance from the boundary increase document was used. Please note that the boundary as approved in 1989 physically cuts through some resources; there was no intent to change the boundary in this submittal, therefore, the map depicts these resources and their relationship to the boundary as-is. Any resource touching or partially within the boundary was assessed for integrity and included in the map and inventory.

We believe that we have met all processing requirements stipulated in 36 CFR Part 60. The enclosed discs contain the true and correct copy of the additional documentation for the Corydon Historic District and Boundary Increase (Harrison County, Indiana) to be added to the National Register of Historic Places.

Please address any questions you or your staff may have about this nomination to my National Register staff members, Paul Diebold or Holly Tate.

Sincerely,

Cameron F. Clark
State Historic Preservation Officer

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