

ASHLAND CULTURAL RESOURCE INVENTORY
SURVEY FORM
COUNTY: JACKSON

IDENTIFICATION:

Hist. Name Ashland Public Library Date of Construction: 1912
Common Name: Ashland Public Library Original Use: Library
Address: Gresham & Siskiyou Blvd Present Use: Library
Ashland, Oregon Architect: Ferris, George A.
Owner: City of Ashland Builder: Moyer, A.S.; Van Natta, John
Ashland, Oregon Style: American Renaissance
T/R/S: 39S 1E 9 Bldg. Struc. Dist. Obj.
Map No: 9BD Tax Lot: 6700 Ranking: Primary
Addition: Pracht's Addition
Block: Lot: 1 Quad: Ashland

THEME:

Statewide Inventory of Historic Properties Theme: 7c.; 8b.
 Archaeology Industry Mining
 Agriculture Military Social/Education
 Commerce Politics/Government Transportation
 Exploration and Settlement Religion Other Library

DESCRIPTION:

Plan Type/Shape: Rectangular No. of Stories: One
Foundation Material: Concrete Basement (Y/N): Yes
Roof Form and Material: Hipped; composition material; shed roof on addition
composition material
Wall Construction: Reinforced concrete Structural Frame: Masonry
Primary Window Type: Single light and one-over-one, double hung sash
Exterior Surfacing Materials: Reinforced concrete; wood trim
Decorative Features: Wood decorative trim in windows at front entry;
"Library, 1912" over front entry; dentil trim under cornices
Other: Pedimented gable over front entry; cornice with brackets; wood
replacement doors; wide eaves; flight of concrete steps to front entry.
Condition: Excellent Good Fair Poor Moved (Date)
Exterior Alterations/Additions (Dated) Rear addition; concrete, one
story (1955)
Noteworthy Landscape Features:
Associated Structures:
Known Archaeological Features:

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SIGNIFICANCE: (continued)

Ashland Public Library

The Ashland Public Library is highly significant to Ashland and the Southern Oregon region as a representative of Carnegie Library construction which contributed so much to communities across the nation during the first years of the twentieth century.

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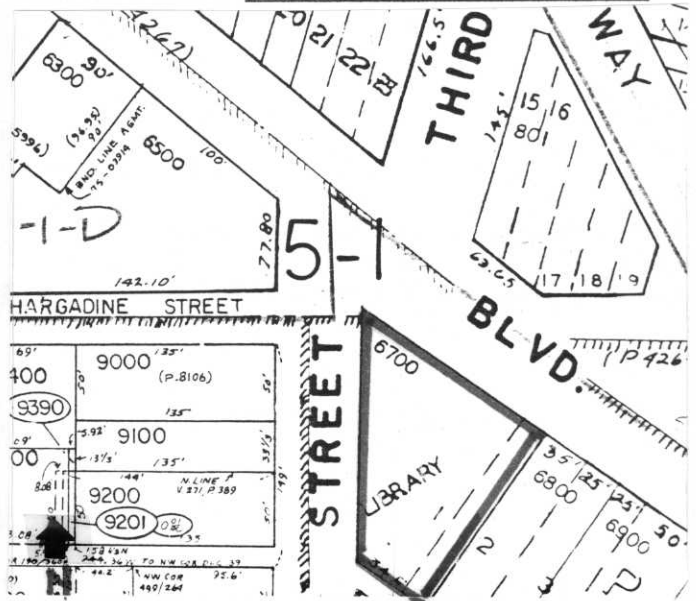
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Ashland, Oregon Quadrangle: Ashland (1953)



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Graphic and Photo Sources:
Jackson County Assessor Map

City of Ashland Topographic Map;

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