

# Oregon Historic Site Record

LOCATION AND PROPERTY NAME			
address:	885 Summer St NE Salem, Marion County	historic name:	McGilchrist House
assoc addresses:	695 Summer St NE	current/other names:	
location descr:		block/lot/tax lot:	
		twنشp/rng/sect/qtr sect:	7S 3W 23
PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS			
resource type:	Building	height (stories):	2.5
elig evaluation:	eligible/contributing	total elig resources:	
prim constr date:	c.1917	NR Status:	
	second date:	date indiv listed:	
primary orig use:	Single Dwelling	orig use comments:	
second orig use:		prim style comments:	
primary style:	Foursquare (Type)	sec style comments:	
secondary style:		siding comments:	
primary siding:	Horizontal Board	architect:	
secondary siding:	Wood:Other/Undefined	builder:	
plan type:			
comments/notes:			
moved from 695 Summer St NE c.2003; This house has been moved to North Capitol Mall Heritage Park south of Mill Creek near D Street. It remains a State Office Building. (V Green 2009)			
GROUPINGS / ASSOCIATIONS			
Survey/Grouping Included In:	Type of Grouping	Date Listed	Date Compiled
North Mall Heritage Park	Other (rehab project)		2010
Salem -- Moved Capitol Mall Buildings	Thematic Grouping		2010
SHPO INFORMATION FOR THIS PROPERTY			
NR date listed:	N/A	106 Project(s):	None
ILS survey date:		Special Assess Project(s):	None
RLS survey date:		Federal Tax Project(s):	None
ARCHITECTURAL / PROPERTY DESCRIPTION			
<i>(Includes expanded description of the building/property, setting, significant landscape features, outbuildings and alterations)</i>			
Original house - Wieder, Van, House - demolished c.2003?? To make way for another house to be moved onto this lot.			
HISTORY			
<i>(Chronological, descriptive history of the property from its construction through at least the historic period - preferably to the present)</i>			
This house was built for William McGilchrist Jr. and wife Eva c.1917. Mr. McGilchrist was associated with the Imperial Furniture Company and the Royale Cafeteria; he also had interests in the insurance business. After her husband's death in the mid-1940s, Mrs. McGilchrist continued to reside in the house until 1955. The State of Oregon bought the property in 1957; it was occupied by Governor and Mrs. Robert Holmes from January 1957 through January 1959. It now serves as office space for the Oregon State Board of Optometry.			
RESEARCH INFORMATION			
Title Records	Census Records	Property Tax Records	Local Histories
Sanborn Maps	Biographical Sources	SHPO Files	Interviews
Obituaries	Newspapers	State Archives	Historic Photographs
City Directories	Building Permits	State Library	
Local Library:		University Library:	
Historical Society:		Other Respository:	
Bibliography:			
Salem City Directories; Oregon Blue Book; Marion County tax assessor records; General Services Office; Ticor Title Company			