

STATE OF OREGON INVENTORY  
OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES  
State Historic Preservation Office  
Oregon State Parks, Salem, OR 97310



County Wasco  
 Theme Movie Industry, Recreation, Architecture  
 Name  
 (Common) Granada Theatre  
 (Historic) same  
 Address 221 East 2nd Street  
The Dalles, OR 97058  
 Present Owner The Dalles Cinema Associates  
9059 90th N.W.  
 Address Oak Harbor, WA 98277  
 Original Use Theatre  
 Date of Construction 1929

Physical description of property and statement of historical significance:

The Granada Theatre, erected in the 1920's in The Dalles, is a building in the Mission Style with specific affinities to Moorish elements in Spain. The three story building has vertical bands of brick on its south (front) elevation which are topped by small domes which are painted silver. A section of terra cotta tiles is located at the roof level on the center of the front elevation. Post War marquee. The windows are six-over-six, double hung sash. The building is used as a theatre and for commercial purposes.

In a 1929 feature article, The Dalles Chronicle described the building as "the finest and best equipped theater in the eastern part of the state, and having a seating capacity of between eight and nine hundred." "Modern in every respect, the theater is equipped with Vitaphone and Movietone, the only machines for the 'talkies' that can handle all of the big new productions."

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Recorded by Stephen Dow Beckham Date 7 July 1976  
 Updated by City Planning Department, 2/85  
 Sources consulted (continue on back if necessary): Chronicle, The Dalles, August 15, 1929.

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