

Oregon Historic Site Record

LOCATION AND PROPERTY NAME			
address:	500 13th St SE Salem, Marion County	historic name:	Salem Southern Pacific Railroad Station
assoc addresses:	498 13th St SE	current/other names:	Southern Pacific Railroad Depot; Salem Train Station; Salem Passenger Station & Freight Depot
location descr:		block/lot/tax lot:	
		twshp/rng/sect/qtr sect:	7S 3W 26
PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS			
resource type:	Building	height (stories):	1.0
elig evaluation:	eligible/significant	total elig resources:	2
prim constr date:	1918	NR Status:	Individually Listed
	second date:	date indiv listed:	02/12/2010
primary orig use:	Rail Related	orig use comments:	
second orig use:		prim style comments:	
primary style:	Beaux Arts	sec style comments:	
secondary style:		siding comments:	
primary siding:	Brick:Other/Undefined	architect:	J.H. Christie (Southern Pacific Architect)
secondary siding:	Terra Cotta: Other/Undefined	builder:	Stebinger Bros. (Portland)
plan type:			
comments/notes:			
HABS OR-184; DOE 2/8/1982 Baggage Depot addressed separately, 498 13th St SE.			
GROUPINGS / ASSOCIATIONS			
Survey/Grouping Included In:	Type of Grouping	Date Listed	Date Compiled
Salem Inventory Update RLS 2009	Survey & Inventory Project		2009
SHPO INFORMATION FOR THIS PROPERTY			
NR date listed:	02/12/2010	106 Project(s)	Special Assess Project(s): None
ILS survey date:		SHPO Case	Agency Effect Eval
RLS survey date:		14-1591	05/07/2015 no adverse effect
date:		13-0212	03/04/2013 no adverse effect
			Federal Tax Project(s): None
ARCHITECTURAL / PROPERTY DESCRIPTION			
<i>(Includes expanded description of the building/property, setting, significant landscape features, outbuildings and alterations)</i>			
Refer to scanned documents links.			
HISTORY			
<i>(Chronological, descriptive history of the property from its construction through at least the historic period - preferably to the present)</i>			
This is the third depot built on essentially the same site; the plan for building appears to be a stock plan similar in style to depots constructed Reno, Nevada and Oakland, California. Over the years the station has served such trains as the "Cascade," the "Shasta," the "West Coast," and the "Willamette Valley Express." All Southern Pacific functions have been relocated and the building now serves as the Amtrak station.			
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:			
"Stations West" by Ed Culp, Caldwell, Idaho, 1972; Salem Inventory 1982 & 1989			