

Historic Cultural Properties Inventory (HCPI) Base Form (FORM 1)

Historic Preservation Division, New Mexico Office of Cultural Affairs

For HPD Office use only: HCPI No. District No. NRHP: SRCP: Criteria: A B C D

NAME OF PROPERTY: **Paseo del Pueblo Norte 215 - 1st Presbyterian Church**
LOCATION OF PROPERTY: **215 PASEO DEL PUEBLO NORTE**
CITY OR TOWN: **Taos**
COUNTY: **Taos**

LOCAL REFERENCE NUMBER: **2005024**
UTM ZONE:
UTM EASTING:
UTM NORTHING:

DATE OF SURVEY: **2/19/2005**
PREVIOUS SURVEY? **Not Available**
PREVIOUS SURVEY DATE: **Not Available**

NAME OF PROJECT: **2005 CLG Survey**

PHOTOGRAPH:
ROLL NUMBER:
FRAME NUMBER:
NEGATIVE LOCATION:



PROPERTY TYPE: **Primary** PHOTOGRAPH VIEW: **east elevation of post-1957 addition**

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:
215 Paseo del Pueblo Norte is a Spanish Pueblo Mission Style stucco structure with flat parapets on 3 sides and a stepped central projecting mass on the west elevation that is capped with a cross at the peak. Entrance to the sanctuary is through recessed double-leaf wooden doors with a vertical slat/panel motif. Above this entrance is a small projecting balcony accessed by a single leaf multi-lite door. Windows in the building are wooden double hung units in a 6-over-3, 9-over-6, and 6-over-6 lite configuration. Along the south side of the sanctuary, a single story stucco addition is accessed by a single leaf 9-lite door that is located in a recessed area covered with an overhang with vigas. A modern addition similarly detailed stands across the east/rear of the building and is attached to the older structure by way of a covered walkway along the south. The building sits substantially off the street with a curved asphalt driveway leading to the front door. It is a large site that sits north of Kit Carson Park. There is a low stucco wall at the street.

CONSTRUCTION DATE KNOWN? **Yes** SOURCE FOR CONSTRUCTION DATE: **WAYNE A. MELL**
CONSTRUCTION DATE: **1951** to **1952**

SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATIONS? **post-1957 rear additions that house meeting and class rooms**

NOTES ON CONDITION: **Dissimilar**

WHO USES THE PROPERTY?: **1st Presbyterian Church**

SETTING: **Urban** RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: **Dissimilar**
IF URBAN SETTING, NATURE OF IT: **Commercial**

ADDITIONAL PERSPECTIVE: (Photo, drawing, footprint, etc.; indicate north arrow when possible)



NOTES ON ADDITIONAL PERSPECTIVE: south elevation of post-1957 addition
(If photo, include photo info, as in #10)

SURVEYOR BUSINESS NAME: **Ragins Research and Planning**
 SURVEYOR FIRST NAME: **Mary**
 SURVEYOR LAST NAME: **Ragins**
 SURVEYOR STREET ADDRESS: **9 Stone ridge Road**
 SURVEYOR CITY: **Santa Fe**

OWNER OR OTHER KNOWLEDGEABLE PEOPLE:
WAYNE A. MELL

SURVEYOR ZIP CODE: **87505**
 SURVEYOR TELEPHONE: **575.995.0852**
 SURVEYOR EMAIL:

IS THE PROPERTY ENDANGERED?: **NO**
 HOW IS THE PROPERTY ENDANGERED?:

The building was designed by John Gaw Meem. Construction began in 1951 and the building was dedicated on June 22, 1952. Elmer Montgomery was contractor/builder, and sub-contractors were Dow Bond and Paul Burt.

SIGNIFICANCE TO CURRENT COMMUNITY: **High**
 DESCRIPTION OF COMMUNITY SIGNIFICANCE: **architectural integrity and historic significance**

OTHER INFORMATION OF INTEREST: (Such as historical, legendary, structural, former ownership, etc.)

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Construction Date From: church history book

Individual Building Status

IS PROPERTY INDIVIDUALLY LISTED ON A REGISTER?:

INDIVIDUALLY LISTED ON SRCP?: **NO**

INDIVIDUALLY LISTED ON NRHP?: **NO**

IF NOT LISTED, IS IT ELIGIBLE?:

IF ELIGIBLE, WHY?:

Building Located In A Special Historic District?

IS PROPERTY IN SPECIAL HISTORIC DISTRICT? **YES**

DISTRICT NAME AND STATUS:

Taos Downtown Historic District - SRCP **NO**

La Loma Plaza Historic District - SRCP **NO**

Taos Historic Overlay Zone - Taos Only **YES**

Historic Cultural Properties Inventory (HCPI) Detail Form (Form 2)

Historic Preservation Division, New Mexico Office of Cultural Affairs >>Complete HCPI Form 1 before Form 2<<

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ARCHITECTURAL AND CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

STORIES ABOVE GRADE? 1.0

CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL:

PRIMARY VISIBLE CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL: General

NOTES ON VISIBLE CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL: The building sits substantially off the street with a curved asphalt driveway lead

FOUNDATION:

" Not Available"

GENERAL: Notes

Details

" Not Available"

EXTERIOR: Notes

Details

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Parking Area

ROOF: Notes

Details

stepped central projecting mass on the west elevation that is capped with a cross at the peak.

Flat
Flat Parapet

3 sides

DOORS: Notes

Details

Not Available

WINDOWS: Notes

Details

6-over-3, 9-over-6, and 6-over-6 lite configuration.

Double Hung
Glazed

PORCHES/PORTALES: Notes

Details

Not Available

CHIMNEYS: Notes

Details

Not Available

EXTERIOR WALLS : Notes

Details

Not Available

LANDSCAPING: Notes

Details

Not Available

LOCAL REFERENCE NUMBER:

OTHER SIGNIFICANT FEATURES Describe unique features.)

[Empty box for other significant features]

MODIFICATIONS: (For each entry, indicate source of the date. Enter "surveyor" if it is your own. If prior survey, give date.)

[Empty box for modifications]

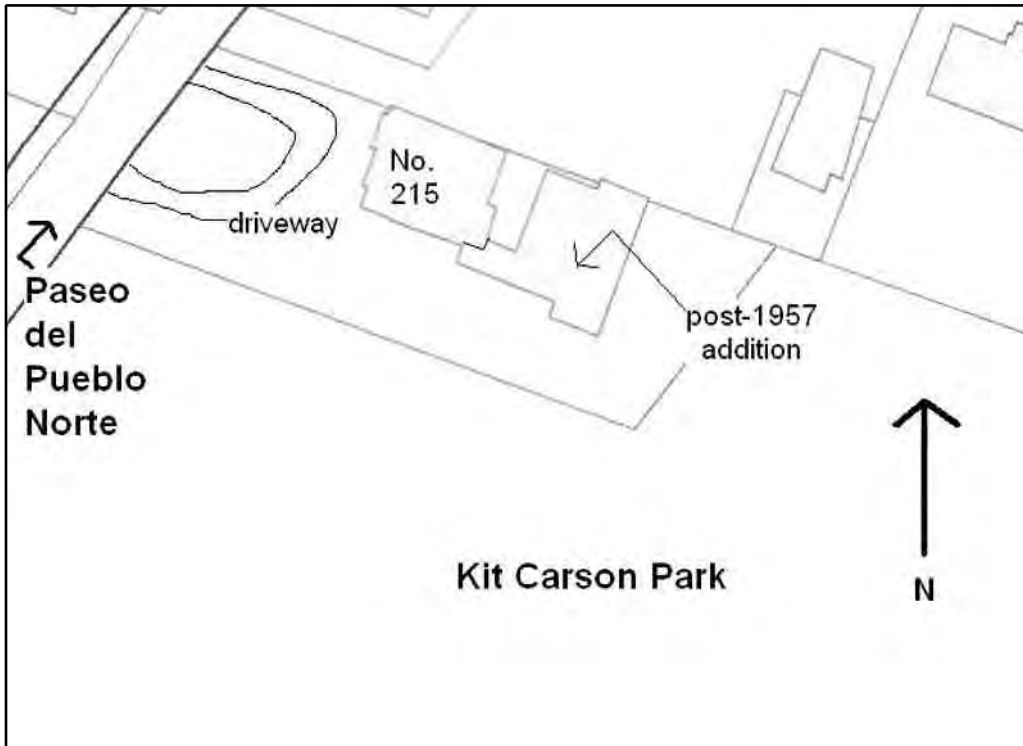
PRIMARY ARCHITECTURAL STYLE:

public use in commercial corridor, large set back from street

Spanish Pueblo Mission Style

SITE PLAN:

(Include footprint of building, porches and balconies, major landscape features, associated properties, walls, fences, gates, nearby roads, driveways, and north arrow.)



LOCATION OF, AND AVAILABLE DOCUMENTS

(Plans, histories, oral histories, maps, aerial photos, bibliographic references, etc. and where they can be found.)

[Empty box for location of and available documents]

SITE PLAN NOTES:

Site. Base map provided by Taos GIS. NTS.

ATTACHED OR ASSOCIATED PROPERTIES: (List and describe. Indicate whether surveys exist for these and provide survey numbers if known.)

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IF SO, ARE THEY ELIGIBLE FOR LISTING?: None



2005 Survey Photo 3