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CITY QUAD LOT Dal 3296-331

NAME: McFarlin Memoiral Auditorium COUNTY: Dallas
ADDRESS: 6405 Hillcrest Road CITY: Dallas
Dallas, Texas 75275 UTM: 14/707205/3635975

ARCHITECT/BUILDER: R. H. Hunt DATE: 1926 PERIOD: _____
OWNER: SMU STYLE: Georgian Revival
THEME: Classical

DESCRIPTION: Massive rectangular structure with facades divided into stepped planes,
Doric columns incorporated into main entrance classical reference reinforced with
pilasters, heavy dentilled cornice, and Grecian motifs executed in stone.

BUILDING MATERIAL: wall: Brick, stone roof: slate
PHYSICAL CONDITION: good SITE: original or moved _____ date _____
ALTERATIONS: 1961 interior remodeling (H.G. Barnard)

SIGNIFICANCE: a good southwestern example of Georgian Revival architecture in a planned
academic setting.

AREA OF SIGNIFICANCE: Architecture/Education LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: regional, state
DESIGNATION: NR NHL RTHL HABS HAER HESI HSI OTHER: _____
ORIGINAL USE: auditorium PRESENT USE: auditorium and offices
RELATIONSHIP TO SURROUNDINGS: faces main campus quadrangle
ACREAGE/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION: See below

BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA: So. Meth. U., Founding Years, Thomas 1974; Architecture at SMU, White 1966
SEE INFO/CORRESPONDENCE FILES: _____
RECORDED BY: Bennett Miller INFORMANT: Ray G. Marsh
DATE: 09/28/79 PHOTO DATA: Danny Hardy, THC, 7/27/79
(rev. 6-79)

Acreage - approximately one acre.

Structure with apron described as follows:
Begin at point on curb of Boaz Lane approximately 280' south of intersection
of Boaz and University Boulevard. Proceed west approximately 260' to eastern
boundary of parking lot, then south approximately 175', then east approximately
260' to curb of Boaz Lane, then north approximately 175' to point of origin.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Thomas, Mary M., Southern Methodist University, Founding and Early Years, 1924, Historical and Architectural monographs excerpted from above reference; supplied by SMU and on file at THC

White, James F., Architecture at SMU, SMU Press, Dallas, 1966, p. 3-11

10. Geographical Data

UTM NOT VERIFIED
ACREAGE NOT VERIFIED

Acreege of nominated property individually, less than one
 Quadrangle name Dallas, Texas Quadrangle scale 1:24000

UMT References See individual data sheets

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Verbal boundary description and justification

See individual data sheets.

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code

11. Form Prepared By

name/title Linda C. Flory, Historian

organization Texas Historical Commission date May 11, 1980

street & number P.O. Box 12276 telephone 512-475-3095

city or town Austin, state Texas

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service.

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

title Texas State Historic Preservation Officer date 5-14-80

For HCRS use only

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register

[Signature] date 9/27/80
Keeper of the National Register

Attest: [Signature] date 9/22/80
Chief of Registration



GEORGIAN REVIVAL BUILDINGS OF SOUTHERN METHODIST
UNIVERSITY *Thematic Resources*
McFarlin Memorial Auditorium
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SMU Campus

Dallas, Dallas County, Texas

PHOTO: Danny Hardy, 7/27/79
negative on file at THC

VIEW: east elevation, camera facing west

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Please refer to the map in the
Multiple Property Cover Sheet
for this property

Multiple Property Cover Sheet Reference Number: 64000844