

United States Department of the Interior  
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places  
Inventory—Nomination Form

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TEXAS HISTORIC SITES INVENTORY FORM—TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION (rev.8-82)

1. County Ellis ELL  
WX 5. USGS Quad No. 3296-234 Site No. 963  
 City/Rural Waxahachie UTM Sector 701-3586 PHOTO NO. 21

2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Date: Factual 1895 Est. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address 501 N GRAND 7. Architect/Builder Unknown  
 Contractor \_\_\_\_\_

3. Owner J. A. Loftis, Jr. 8. Style/Type modified L-plan  
 Address 215 Overhill, 75165 9. Original Use residential  
 4. Block/Lot West End/Blk 23/Lot 1 Present Use residential

10. Description Modified L-plan two-story frame dwelling w/ weatherboard siding; hip roof w/ gables w/ wood shingles; wood sash double-hung windows w/ l/l lights; single-door primary entrance w/ transom; multi-bay porch wraps around S. & E. elev. w/ turned wood posts, jig-sawn brackets; interior brick chimney; single-

11. Present Condition good

12. Significance ARCHITECTURE: This is one of the city's finest examples of the modified L-plan house type. The plan reflects the influence of the Victorian style on the traditional, widely-built L-plan dwelling. The irregular form appealed

13. Relationship to Site: Moved Date \_\_\_\_\_ or Original Site (describe) in a residential area in the far W. end of the city.

14. Bibliography Tax Rolls, Sanborn Maps 15. Informant \_\_\_\_\_  
City Directories, Cemetery Records 16. Recorder Hardy-Heck-Moore/MEH Date July, 1985

DESIGNATIONS

PHOTO DATA

TNRIS No. \_\_\_\_\_ Old THC Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 RTHL  HABS (no.) TEX \_\_\_\_\_  
 NR:  Individual  Historic District  
 Thematic  Multiple-Resource  
 NR File Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

B&W 4x5s \_\_\_\_\_ Slides 2  
 35mm Negs

YEAR	DRWR	ROLL	FRME		ROLL	FRME
		19	5	to		
		70	6	to	70	10
				to		

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 City/Rural Waxahachie UTM Pt. 14/701400/3586880  
 2. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Acreage Less than one acre

Description, continued: bay pedimented porch at facade corner substitutes for the tower found on more elaborate examples; jig-sawn corner brackets & bargeboards; irregular massing & plan creates a picturesque effect.

Significance, continued: to the late nineteenth-century builder, and this example has retained much of its original fabric.



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Multiple Resource Area  
Thematic Group

Name Waxahachie Multiple Resource Area  
State Ellis County, TEXAS

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

21. House at 106 Kaufman

Substantive Review Keeper

Patrick Andrews 9/24/86

Attest

Beth L. Savage 9/24/86

22. House at 111 Brown

Entered in the National Register Keeper

Attest

Melone Byers 9/24/86

23. House at 111 Williams

Substantive Review Keeper

Attest

Patrick Andrews 9/24/86

Beth L. Savage 9/24/86

24. House at 113 East Ross

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Attest

Melone Byers 9/24/86

25. House at 301 Turner

Substantive Review Keeper

Attest

Patrick Andrews 9/24/86

Beth L. Savage 9/24/86

26. House at 320 East Marvin

Entered in the National Register Keeper

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Melone Byers 9/24/86

27. House at 418 North College

Substantive Review Keeper

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Patrick Andrews 9/24/86

Beth L. Savage 9/24/86

28. House at 501 North Grand

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Attest

Melone Byers 9/24/86

29. House at 512 North Grand

Substantive Review Keeper

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Patrick Andrews 9/24/86

Beth L. Savage 9/24/86

30. House at 523 Highland

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

House at 501 North Grand (Waxahachie MRA)  
Ellis County  
TEXAS

Working No. AUG 11 1986  
Fed. Reg. Date: 2/2/88  
Date Due: 9/11/86 - 9/25/86  
Action:  ACCEPT 9-24-86  
 RETURN  
 REJECT  
Federal Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Entered in the  
National Register

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review:  sample  request  appeal  NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria \_\_\_\_\_  
Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_  
Discipline \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: \_\_\_\_\_ technical corrections cited below  
\_\_\_\_\_ substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Has this property been determined eligible?  yes  no

7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	
	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	
	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection



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**8. Significance**

Period \_\_\_\_\_ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates \_\_\_\_\_ Builder/Architect \_\_\_\_\_  
Statement of Significance (*in one paragraph*)

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- applicable criteria
- justification of areas checked
- relating significance to the resource
- context
- relationship of integrity to significance
- justification of exception
- other

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**9. Major Bibliographical References**

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**10. Geographical Data**

Acreage of nominated property \_\_\_\_\_  
Quadrangle name \_\_\_\_\_  
UTM References \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal boundary description and justification \_\_\_\_\_

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**11. Form Prepared By**

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**12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification**

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

\_\_\_\_ national      \_\_\_\_ state      \_\_\_\_ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature \_\_\_\_\_

title \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_

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**13. Other**

- Maps
- Photographs
- Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_





"Historic Resources of Waxahachie, Texas"  
Multiple-Resource Nomination;  
Waxahachie, Ellis County, Texas  
Photo: Hardy-Heck-Moore, Inc., 1985-86  
Negative filed at the Texas Historical  
Commission, Austin, Texas  
Subject: House - Site No. 963  
501 N. Grand  
Camera looking: 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: 64000856