

COLORADO CULTURAL RESOURCES SURVEY

Historic Cultural Landscapes

This form, modeled on the Historic American Landscapes Survey (HALS) Short Format History Template, is intended to aid in documenting the identification and evaluation of many types of historical landscapes in Colorado, including historic archaeological landscapes. For guidance on completing this form and the required accompanying documentation (maps, photos), please refer to the instructions found at www.historycolorado.org/archaeologists/cultural-resource-forms and to the *Colorado Cultural Resources Survey Manual* at www.historycolorado.org/archaeologists/survey-manual. Prehistoric archaeological landscapes should still be recorded on the *OAHP Management Data Form* (#1400) and the appropriate component forms. Historic linear landscape features (ditches, roads, railroads, etc. in whole or part) documented independently of the surrounding landscape context during archaeological surveys should still be recorded on the *OAHP Management Data Form* (#1400), accompanied by the *OAHP Linear Component Form* (#1418). Post-World War II Subdivisions should be recorded on OAHP form #1403 b.

IDENTIFICATION

Property name: _____ o historic o current o other
Resource Count: ___ buildings ___ structures ___ objects ___ sites
Ownership: o federal o state o city o county o private o unknown
Owner(s) contact info: _____
Previously recorded resources associated with property (*provide list of OAHP site numbers*): _____

LOCATION

Street Address: _____
Municipality: _____ o vicinity
USGS quad (7.5'): _____ year: _____
Parcel number: _____
Parcel information: Lot(s): _____ Block: _____
Acreage: _____ o actual o estimated
PLSS information: Principal Meridian _____ Township _____ Range _____
_____ ¼ of _____ ¼ of _____ ¼ of _____ ¼ of section _____
Boundary Description and Justification: o historic o legal o other _____
please note that boundary on accompanying location map should conform to boundary as described

DESCRIPTION (*address all applicable features; include alterations and dates, when known*)

Natural Features

Topography:
Vegetation (include seasonal changes):
Water:
Geology:
Ecology:
Climate:

Designed / Cultural Features

Land Use patterns:
Planting patterns:
Boundary demarcations:
Spatial organization/layout:
Circulation networks:
Views and vistas:
Water features (functional and ornamental):
Buildings, Structures, Objects:*
Small-scale elements (markers, statuary, site furnishings, etc.):
Other (including ephemeral qualities – sounds, activities, wildlife, smells, etc.):

**list and briefly describe; attach Architectural Inventory Form (#1403) for each major resource*

Official eligibility determination (OAHP use only)

Date _____ Initials _____
____ Determined Eligible- NR
____ Determined Not Eligible- NR
____ Determined Eligible- SR
____ Determined Not Eligible- SR
____ Need Data
____ Eligible NR District -- contributing
____ Eligible NR District -- noncontributing

Cultural Landscape Classification

Site or District
Historic Designed Landscape
or
Historic Vernacular Landscape
or
Ethnographic Landscape

Type of Landscape

- Garden (private)
- Park (public)
- Green/Common/Plaza

- Boulevard/Parkway/Trail
- Other Transportation

- Agricultural
- Exhibition/Fairgrounds

- Mine/Quarry
- Other Industrial

- Campus
- Sports/Recreation

- Cemetery
- Commemorative/Memorial

- Residential Subdivision (other than Post-World War II)
- Office Park

- Traditional Cultural Property (TCP)

- Natural Landform or other Geological Formation

- Other (please specify): _____

DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY

Location: original moved date(s) moved: _____

Development date(s): _____ estimated actual source:

Designer(s) / builder(s): _____ attributed documented source:

Developmental history and evolution: *identify changes to landscape over time (additions, alterations, boundary alterations, demolitions):*

HISTORICAL ASSOCIATIONS

Original/historic use: _____ Current use: _____

Historical Background/Overview (identify sources of information):

HISTORIC CONTEXT EVALUATION*

Name of Historic Context:

Area(s) of significance:

Significant Person(s):

Period(s) of significance: _____

Significant Date(s): _____

Level of significance: National State Local

Discuss presence or absence of character-defining features needed to convey significance within this context:

Landscape retains Integrity of: location setting design materials workmanship association feeling

Discuss presence or absence of integrity within this context:

ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT

Existing designation? No Yes Individual property District

Designated property or district name:

Designating authority:

Designation date: _____

If the property is within the boundaries of an existing designated district, is it: Contributing Noncontributing

Individual site: Eligible Not Eligible Needs Data

Applicable NR Criteria: A B C D Applicable Criteria Considerations: A B C D E F G

Applicable SR Criteria: A B C D E

Summary:

Potential district: Eligible Not Eligible Needs Data

Applicable NR Criteria: A B C D Applicable Criteria Considerations: A B C D E F G

Applicable SR Criteria: A B C D E

Summary:

If there is NR district potential, itemize contributing and non-contributing resources:

RECORDING INFORMATION

Survey date:

Associated Report:

Photo log:

Surveyed by (include contact info):

Project sponsor (include contact info):

*For additional guidance on documenting and evaluating historic cultural landscapes, refer to the following National Register bulletins: *Guidelines for Evaluating and Registering Cemeteries and Burial Places; How to Evaluate and Nominate Designed Historic Landscapes; Guidelines for Evaluating and Documenting Rural Historic Landscapes; Guidelines for Evaluating and Documenting Traditional Cultural Properties; and Guidelines for Identifying, Evaluating, and Registering Historic Mining Properties.*