LOCATION AND PROPERTY NAME

historic name: Lewis School

Portland

block nbr: _____ lot nbr: _____ tax lot nbr: _____

township: _____ range: _____ section: _____ 1/4: _____

height (# stories): 1

total # ineligible resources: 1

elig. evaluation: not eligible/non-contributing

primary constr date: 1952 secondary date: 1956

primary orig use: School

secondary orig use:

primary style: Contemporary

secondary style:

primary siding: Standard Brick

secondary siding:

plan type: School (General)

ARCHITECTURAL / PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

(Include expanded description of the building/property, setting, significant landscape features, outbuildings, and alterations)

Description Summary

Situated in the Woodstock neighborhood of southeast Portland, Meriwether Lewis Elementary School is located at 4401 SE Evergreen Street. The school occupies the northwest portion of the 5.49-acre campus. The primary entrance to the campus is from the south on SE Evergreen Street. The

HISTORY

(Chronological, descriptive history of the property from its construction through at least the historic period [preferably to the present])

Lewis School
4401 Evergreen St
Portland, Multnomah County

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: Multnomah County Library
University Library: Portland State University Library
Historical Society: Oregon Historical Society
Other Repository: PPS Archives

Bibliography: Bibliography

McMath, George. "A Regional Style Comes to the City." In Space,Style and Structure: Buildings in Northwest America. Ed. Thomas Vaughan, 467-499. Portland: Oregon Historical Society, 1974.

Ogata, Amy F. "Building for Learning in Postwar American Elementary Schools." Journal of the Society of Architectural Historians, Vol. 67, no. 4, December 2008: 562-591.
(Oregonian Arson Delays School Opening (09-05-1982).

Perkins, Lawrence B and Walter D. Cocking. Schools. New York: Reinhold Publishing Corporation, 1949.

Portland Public Schools Chronology Binder.

Portland Public Schools. Repairing, Rehabilitating and Modernizing the School Plant. Portland: Portland Public Schools. Office of the Superintendent, 1945.

_____. Lewis Elementary School. Fac

South elevation facing west

West elevation

East elevation facing northwest

South elevation facing northwest

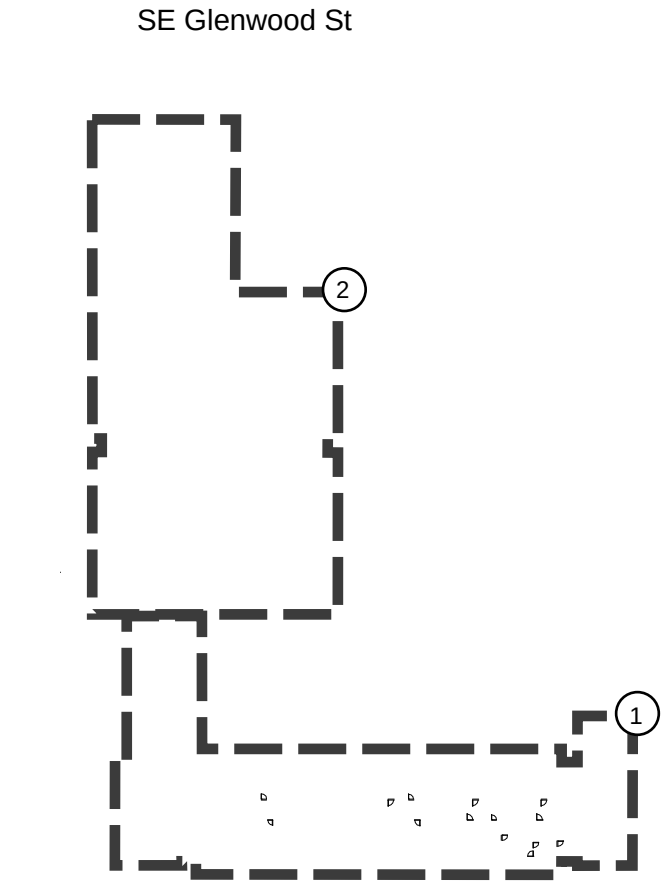
North elevation

Lewis School
Exterior Photos
ENTRIX 2009

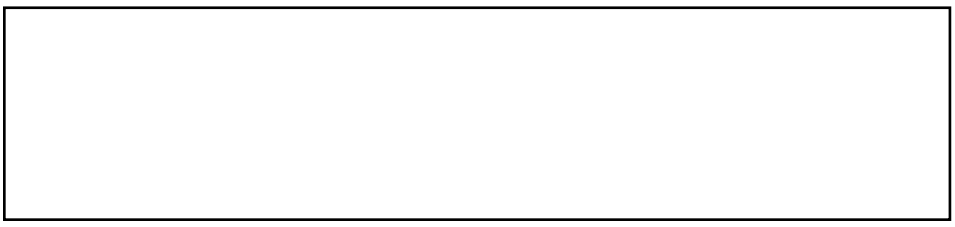
Lewis School

4401 SE Evergreen St, Portland OR, 97206

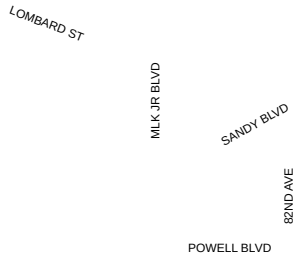
View Site in Google Maps



Aerial photo © 2009 Metro, Portland OR Imagery Date: July 12, 2007



1952 elevation drawing for Meriwether Lewis Primary School.



Historical Signi cance and Building Integrity

- Contrib: High Signi cance
- Contrib: Moderate Signif.
- Non-Contributing

Building Periods

1. Original Building (267A), 1952
2. Classroom Addition (267B), 1956