

**Historic Resources Survey
City of McMinnville
Yamhill County, Oregon**

Site Information

Site Address

741 NE 3rd Street

Owner at Time of Survey

Southern Pacific

Map/Tax Lot

R4421BD04800

Current Zoning

C-3

Special Tax Assessment

No

Downtown Historic District

Yes

Subdivision Name

Rowland's Addition

Block

15

Lot

4

Lot Size

6,000 sq.ft.

Quadrant

NE

Site Number

12.14

Aerial Number

K-11

Resource Classification

B

Resource Number

896

Historic Significance

Primary Resource #440

Historic Information

Date of Construction

ca. 1912

Early Additions/ Remodels

Builder/Architect

Unknown

Historic Name

Southern Pacific
Semaphore

Original Use

Semaphore

Common Name

Southern Pacific
Sempahore

Present Use

Semaphore

Condition of Structure

Good

Comments (at time of Survey)

In need of paint.

Building Type

Commercial

Outbuildings

None

Building Style

Stories

Porch

Basement

Roof Style

Roof Type

Moved

Demolished

Year/Date

Permit Number(s)

Additions/ Alterations

Resource Information

Recorded By

Janice Rutherford

Date

6-29-1980

Sources

Historic Resource Survey
City of McMinnville
Yamhill County, Oregon

Statement of historical significance and description of property:

B896

This semaphore is probably original. It stands to the east of the depot on a segmented iron pole. A slender ladder of iron attached to the south side affords access to the lights. Hand operated, it has a pulley system attached to large levers within the depot.

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Original 1983 Survey Photo