

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION FORM B - BUILDING

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MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BLVD
BOSTON, MA 02125

Town Provincetown
Place *(neighborhood or village)*
Address 205-209 COMMERCIAL ST
Building ID 531
Parcel No. (PID) 11-1-004-0
Mapbase # 11-1-004
Building Area 9001.515
Historic Name
Present Use Commercial
Original Use Commercial
Date of Construction 1920
Source Tax assessment
Style/Form Classical Revival, Vernacular
Architect/Builder
Exterior Material brick
Foundation brick
Wall/Trim brick
Roof Flat with parapet
Outbuildings/Secondary Structures
 1-story store added on front

Photograph

(3"x3" or 3-1/2"x5" black and white only) Label photo on back with town and property address. Record film roll and negative numbers here on the form. Staple photo to left side of form over this space. Attach additional photos to continuation sheets.

Roll	Negative(s)



Sketch Map

Draw a map showing the building's location in relation to the nearest cross streets and/or major natural features. Show all buildings between inventoried building and nearest intersection or natural feature. Label streets including route numbers, if any. Circle and number the inventoried building. Indicate

Major Alterations *(with dates)*

Contemporary addition

Condition Good
Moved no yes **Date**
Acreage 0.296
Setting

Recorded by Vanessa Zeoli
Organization Kise Straw & Kolodner
Date *(month/year)* September 2003
Form Status new update

Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

Follow Massachusetts Historical Commission Survey Manual instructions for completing this form.

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ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

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Describe architectural features. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings in the community.

205-209 Commercial St. is a 1-story, 5-bay vernacular Classical Revival-style commercial building; gable parapet roof has a built-up roof surface, interior brick chimney on east side of roof; exterior is clad in brick with a band of stucco at the cornice; building sits on a brick foundation; fenestration includes 4-pane wood casements, 8-pane wood casements, 4/4 wood DHS, keystone lintels; primary entrance is accessed by a door set in a former garage entrance that is closed up with plywood; coat-of-arms with symbol at each end of front façade; a large 1-story 3-bay flat-roof addition with wide eaves extends from the front façade; addition is accessed by a modern aluminum and glass door and its fenestration includes a 6-pane fixed wood storefront window.

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

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Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. *If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*