# HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY FORM

Resource Address: **774 Chestnut St Abilene Texas 79601 United States** County: Taylor Historic name: Christopher/Cortez House Present name: Christopher/Cortez House Local place name: Visible from public right of way: Yes Ownership: Owner/Address: / Land unit size: Site/Setting:

## **Historical Information**

Historic Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling Construction Date: ca. 1900-1909, 1905\* Original or Significant Owners: Significant Date/Period: Areas of Significance:

#### **Architectural Information**

Category: building, domestic building Structural: undetermined Stories: 1.5, Bays: 3 Form or Plan: gabled ell, L Foundation: piers General condition: Good Basement:

# **Historical Summary:**

Lat/Long: 32.440908000000000, -99.7348539999999800 [WGS84] UTM: Zone 14S, 430922.5116 mE, 3589546.3589 mN Parcel No.

Current Function: Domestic: Single Dwelling Architect: Builder: Developer:

Style: Folk/Traditional and Late Victorian Exterior Material(s): original wood siding Roof Material: replacement asphalt shingles Roof Type: Hipped gable Windows: Unknown/Obscured multi/multi Chimney(s): Porch: single-story single-bay open porch Additions (1940's)
Alterations
Moved
Other
Ancillary structures:

Status (Current Listing or Designation) Evalu

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State/Province:	indiv.	district 🗌	landmrk.
Local:	✔ indiv. □	district 🗌	landmrk.

Evaluation	(Preparer's	Assessment of Eligibility)
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Recommendation
Individually eligible
Eligible as contributing resource
Not eligible / non-contributing
Not determined

Level of potential eligibility
National
State
Local

Lan	dmark potential
	National
	State
$\Box$	Local



Side view 1991

#### **Description/Remarks**

This is a 1.5-story, 3-bay domestic building in the Folk/Traditional style with Late Victorian influences built in 1905. The structural system is undetermined. The foundation is piers. Exterior walls are original wood siding. The building has a hipped gable roof clad in replacement asphalt shingles. There is a single-story, single-bay open porch characterized by a shed roof clad in asphalt shingles with square wood posts.

Date source: Taylor CAD

## Survey and Recorder

Project: City of Abilene - Historic Buildings and Districts Prepared By: Hill

Inventoried: 10/22/2012 9:47:42 am Last updated: 01/06/2017 10:18:27 am by Hayden Brodowsky / Sequence/Key no.: 58 Report Title/Name: Texas SHPO Grant to update existing Survey Level of Survey:

Reconnaissance Intensive

Survey Date: 10/2011 Previous Surveys:

Additional Research Recommended?

Inventory Sheet : Christopher/Cortez House : 774 Chestnut St Abilene Taylor Texas