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WEST VIRGINIA HISTORIC PROPERTY INVENTORY FORM

Street Address 66 North High Street	Common/Historic Name/Both ☐ ☐ ☐ Hampshire County Treasurer Office (Both)	Field Survey # 42	Site # (SHPO Only) HM-0174
Town or Community Romney	County Hampshire County	Negative No. 1A	NR Listed Date
Architect/Builder	Date of Construction c.1930	Style	
Exterior Siding/Materials Ashlar Stone	Roofing Material	Foundation	
Property Use or Function Residence ☐ Commercial + Other ☐	UTM #	Photograph (2" x 3" Contact)	
Survey Organization & Date Archer, Inc. Field Survey October 2006 and February 2007	Quadrangle Name Romney		
	Part of What Survey/FR# FR-5-233-HM-1		

Sketch Map of Property
or Attach Copy of USGS Map



Site No.

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Present Owners

Owners Mailing Address

Phone #

Describe Setting

_____ Acres

_____ Archaeological
Artifacts Present

Situated between the County Courthouse and the former jail building. It is part of the County's government campus that occupies the east side of the block.

Description of Buildings or Site (Original and Present)

_____ 2 _____ Stories _____ 7 _____ Front Bays

This massive T-shaped building has irregularly coursed, ashlar stone building has a flat-roof and a full, raised basement. The centrally placed entrance is located within an over-sized 1-story, stone entry portico. The portico's paired metal doors are topped by an attendant pair of windows. Attached stone benches are located on either side of the portico. Windows in the six remaining bays are arranged in pairs and fitted with modern units. Inverted stone crenelation accents the 2nd-story openings. This treatment is absent on side walls and rear ell.

(Use Continuation Sheets)

Alterations

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If yes, describe:

Yes

No

Additions

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If yes, describe:

Yes

No

Describe All Outbuildings

(Use Continuation Sheets)

Statement of Significance

Contributing. Construction suggests Depression-era WPA construction.

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Bibliographical References

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WEST VIRGINIA HISTORIC PROPERTY FORM CONTINUATION SHEET

NAME Romney Commercial Historic District

SITE# HM-0174

42. Hampshire County Treasurer Office (c. 1930)

66 North High Street

Deed Reference 397/757

Negative # 1A

Contributing: Field Survey #32



Situated between the County Courthouse and former jail building, this massive T-shaped, irregularly coursed, ashlar stone building is part of the County's government campus that occupies the east side of the block. The building sits back from High Street and overlooks a large yard. The flat-roofed, 7-bay structure features two stories and a full, raised basement. The centrally placed entrance is located within an over-sized 1-story, stone entry portico. The portico's paired metal doors are topped by an attendant pair of windows. Attached stone benches are located on either side of the portico. Windows in the six remaining bays are arranged in pairs and fitted with modern units. Inverted stone crenellation accents the 2nd-story openings. This treatment is absent on side walls and rear ell. Very little information has been written about this building. Its age and design suggest Depression-era WPA construction. The building is home to the Hampshire County Treasurer's Office and other County administrative functions.