



THOMAS SCOTT RESIDENCE

9938 - 85 AVENUE NW

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Edmonton

DESCRIPTION OF HISTORICAL PLACE

The Thomas Scott Residence consists of a two-storey, wood-frame residential building in a mid-block location on a residential street in the historic Strathcona neighbourhood.

HERITAGE VALUE

The 1912 Thomas Scott Residence is significant because of its architecture, which is an excellent example of the Four-square style, that became popular during the Edwardian Era. Derived from American Colonial and Classical Revival precedents, it was typified by the use of symmetry and classical detailing.

The Thomas Scott Residence is also significant with the development of the Strathcona community, one of Edmonton's oldest settled neighbourhoods, dating from the arrival of the railways in 1892, and a separate city until amalgamation with Edmonton in 1912.



CHARACTER DEFINING ELEMENTS

The Four-square architecture of the Thomas Scott Residence is expressed in character defining elements such as:

- + form, scale and massing;
- + hipped roof configuration with central brick chimney and front gable over the projecting two-storey front bay;
- + wide overhanging eaves;
- + full-width, open front verandah with full-width second-floor balcony, both with wood balustrades;
- + wood double-hung and fixed sash windows; and
- + upper cedar shingle cladding and lower cedar clapboard siding separated by a continuous horizontal wood belt course.

Designated as a Municipal Historic Resource through Bylaw 12226 in June 2000.

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