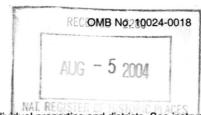
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Narrative Description
(Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets)
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7. Narrative Description

The Jackson Avenue Station (IRT) on the White Plains Road line is located in the east Bronx. The station was completed in 1904 as part of the original Interborough Rapid Transit (IRT) Contract 1. The tracks of the station are aligned in a roughly north-south direction parallel to Westchester Avenue. The elevated overpass on which the tracks and associated control houses rest dominates the complicated three-way intersection of East 152nd Street, Jackson and Westchester Avenues. The original station platforms measure approximately 200 feet and were extended ca. 1908 to 350 feet, and again after World War II to 525 feet. This narrative description was taken largely from the NYCT Historical Properties Survey: Phase II - Jackson Avenue Station Inventory Form (1994) and was supplemented with observations from field inspections undertaken in March of 2004.

General Characteristics and Construction Methods

The Jackson Avenue Station is an elevated, side platform station with two control houses set obliquely from one another across the tracks. The station is comprised of a pair of outboard platforms, platform canopies, two control house buildings, and sets of covered stairs connecting to the street level. The control houses, with their Queen Anne style principal facades centered about twenty feet above grade, are the most notable features of the station.

The following description of the construction of the elevated lines is taken from *The New* York Subway: Its Construction and Equipment, 1904:

The three-track viaducts are carried on two column bents where the tail is not more than 29 feet above the ground level, and on four-column tours for higher structures. The tops of the towers have X-bracing and the connecting spans have two panels of intermediate vertical sway bracing between the three pairs of longitudinal girders. In the low viaducts, where there are no towers, every fourth panel has zigzag lateral bracing in the two panels between the pairs of longitudinal girders.

The towers have columns consisting as a rule of web plate and four bulb angles. The horizontal struts in their cross-bracing are made of four 4x3-inch angles, latticed to form an I-shaped cross-section. The X-bracing consists of single 5x3.5-inch angles. The tops of the columns have horizontal cap angles on which are riveted the lower flanges of the transverse girders; the end angles of the girders are web-riveted to the transverse

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girders. The outside longitudinal girder on each side of the viaduct has the same depth across the tower as in the connecting span, but the four intermediate lines are not so deep across the towers. In the single trestle bents the columns are the same as those just described, but the diagonal bracing is replaced by plate knee-braces.

Almost all of the elevated control houses built by Heins & LaFarge were constructed in the same manner and Queen Anne style. The low, hipped-roof houses were built of steel framing with wood siding covered in copper sheets. Exterior surfaces were divided into panels that were fitted with finely corrugated copper sheeting to provide a slight change in the texture and color of the exterior surface. Ventilating dormers pierce the roof on two sides and projecting central bays dominate the street side of each house. The bay rests on corbelled brackets and extends through the roof line where it is toped by an ornamental fan gable with decorative finials. It is set with three narrow windows and is ornamented with a geometric pattern of circular and square panels. The standing seam metal roof is painted brick-red and features *fleur-de-lis* ridge-cresting and overhanging, bracketed eaves.

The interior of the control house is a small but tall space, spanned by a pair of steel arches (Photo 1). Each station typically contains a waiting area where a niche once housed a pot-bellied stove. Today many of the niches are filled with modern heaters. Original bathrooms have all been closed off from the public and most have been converted to utility rooms. Floors are constructed of wood plank and the ceilings and walls are finished in tongue and groove paneling.

Steel frame and wood decked parapets flank the control house on its two sides. These lead down to the steel and cast iron stairways, which are supported by Tuscan columns and diagonal bracing. Stair canopies are gabled roofs covered in standing seam metal and decorated with cast iron open work in the typical stylized fretwork and "C" scroll pattern seen throughout the IRT elevated stations. The stairs and verandas incorporate slender metal supports with gently fluted capitals. Metal safety treads line each step. Modern fluorescent box lighting illuminates many of the stairways, but a few original three-bulb light fixtures remain. At the bottom of each stairway is a gabled entry supported by squared columns that feature the same geometric pattern of circles and rectangles seen on the street sides of the control houses. This same pattern is repeated in the cornice of the entry. Two C-shaped brackets hold the original signage above the entry that states "Downtown" or "Uptown."

The platform canopies have a metal clad wooden roof supported by trussed steel T-frames and diagonally braces under the eaves. The projecting rafter tails are rounded at their ends for decorative effect.

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Circulation Patterns

The circulation pattern of this station incorporates two elevated platforms each reached via a pair of stairways leading up to each control house. The two control houses are staggered some 200 feet, which is common at diagonal intersections. The control houses are entered through side doors which lead into a waiting area that contains the ticket booth. There are banks of modern turnstiles and safety gates in the center of each control house. Two sets of double doors on the track side of the house lead to the platforms. Exits are blocked by "iron maiden" turnstiles, most of which are original and lead both into the station and to the parapets surrounding the stations. These lead directly to the stairways down to the street.

Uptown Control house, Platform and Stairs

The uptown control house suffered severe fire damage at an unknown date and has been closed for at least a decade (Photo 2). Construction is currently underway to restore the control house. It is enclosed in corrugated metal on three sides and all of the windows have been boarded shut. The corbelled brackets that support the projecting bay on the street side are all missing. No windows are visible as they all covered with metal sheeting (Photo 3). Despite damage to the roof and large sections of missing metal cladding, the ridge cresting is intact, but the finials on the bay have been lost

Security gates are in place along the front of the control house to block off pedestrian traffic (Photo 4). All traffic instead utilizes the parapet walkways which lead directly down to the street. The original turnstiles are in place on exits of this platform. At the top edge they are embossed with the words, "Percy Turnstiles – NY Roto-Date" (Photo 5).

On the open portions of the platforms, the original railings remain intact, but the original lampposts have been removed. The platform canopy, typical to all elevated IRT stations, has a metal-clad wood roof supported by trussed steel T-frames; the feet of the projecting rafters are cut in a circular motif (Photo 6). Windscreens extend only as far as the roof line of the canopies along the platforms on this side, providing an unobstructed view of the surrounding buildings and neighborhood (Photo 7).

The stairway and parapet rails all retain their original cast-iron open work in a rectangular and "C" curve motif. The stair canopies and verandas incorporate slender cast iron columns and the decorated gable—roofed entry remain.

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Downtown Control House Platform and Stairs

The exterior of the Downtown control house is largely intact, despite the loss of the central bracket beneath the projecting window (Photo 8).

The downtown (west) control house interior is essentially intact, with metal-clad half light doors, wood plank floors (about 10% concrete), and original tongue-and-groove wood walls on the far ends of the waiting areas. The windows the windows have been blocked up, but the frames are still visible on the interior. There are modern turnstiles and a modern steel and glass token booth has been added on the west wall (Photo 9). Modern fluorescent light boxes are suspended form the ceiling, which is finished in the same tongue-and-groove wood as the walls. It contains a pair of ornamental metal grill vents that open into the attic. The bay windows of the west facade are fully glazed; a rare example, although they have been re-glazed with metal-reinforced safety glass. The original wood plank floors are largely intact as well.

An unusual feature on the western side of the station is the set of covered stairs at the south end, which are cantilevered off the platform structure, instead of supported from below. The railing and canopy details on the west control house exterior and west stairs remain fairly intact. Lines of conduit are run along the center line of the canopy ceiling. The standing seam metal roof that once covered the stairways has been largely been replaced on this side with a newer version of the same material (Photo 10). In some areas, the new roof material was incorporated with the projecting cornices seen on each stair level, in other areas these cornices have been lost.

As on the Uptown platform, there are no windscreens beyond the end of the canopy, resulting in a much more open feeling and the ability to view the surrounding community. The original railings along the downtown platform are substantially intact (Photo 11). The original lamp fixtures have been replaced by modern, tall, arched lampposts with bell shaped shades.

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[] B	Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.	Community Planning and Development	
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8. Narrative Statement of Significance

As part of the Multiple Property Submission of the Historic Resources of the New York City Subway System, the Jackson Avenue Station (WPR), White Plains Road, is significant under Criterion A in the areas of transportation, community planning and development, and social history. The station also meets Criterion C in the areas of engineering and architectural design. The Jackson Avenue Station was opened in 1904 as one of several stations built (Under Contract 1) for the original Interborough Rapid Transit (IRT) system. It was one of thirteen elevated stations in the original IRT system. The Jackson Avenue Station retains a relatively high degree of integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association. As one of the 12 elevated stations built by the IRT under Contracts 1 and 2, Jackson Avenue, is significant at the local and national levels.

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William Barclay Parsons (1859-1902), a Columbia University-trained engineer, began to devise the plan for the creation of the subway system after he was named chief engineer of the Rapid Transit Commission in 1894. Although Parsons was not the first to utilize building techniques associated with underground rail construction, such as the cut-and-cover method, the early IRT system is undoubtedly one of the greatest public works projects ever undertaken.

The engineering and architecture of the early IRT stations was strictly divided between Parsons and the architectural firm he hired – Heins & LaFarge. While all of the structural elements were completed by Parsons, the architectural and artistic design of each station was left to George L. Heins and Christopher Grant LaFarge, a team already famous for the design of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in Manhattan and buildings at the New York Zoological Gardens in the Bronx. Heins & LaFarge drew on the ideas presented by the "City Beautiful" movement for their inspiration (HAER 1979:368). Proponents of the movement believed that by creating a beautiful municipality, its inhabitants would be inspired to a higher level of moral and civic virtue and the subway was to be no exception.

In 1891, the Report of the Rapid Transit Commissioners stated that every effort should be made "in the way of painting and decoration to give brightness and cheerfulness to the general effect" of the stations (in NYC Landmarks Preservation Commission, IRT Subway System Underground Interior Designation Report 1979: 4). Each subterranean IRT station had its own unique color scheme, while the elevated stations were built in an almost identical Queen Anne style with elaborate ironwork railings and simple but finely

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detailed control houses. The elevated stations of the original IRT line reflect the traditional use of Neo-Gothic design in railroad station buildings in America and Europe at the turn of the century, as well as a taste for period revival styles in public architecture associated with the City Beautiful movement.

The Jackson Avenue Station contributed to the ongoing development of the Bronx when it opened in 1904. At the time the neighborhood it served was considered a burgeoning residential area for the City's upper-middle class as many new apartment buildings sprang up.

The architectural integrity of the interior and exterior elements of this station has been preserved to a large degree, and still provides an important visual focus for this neighborhood. The Jackson Avenue Station is architecturally significant as a largely intact example of Queen Anne design by Heins & LaFarge (NYCT Historical Properties Survey: Phase II 1994: 8).

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10. Geographical Data

Verbal Boundary Description

The boundary of the Jackson Avenue Station – White Plains Road Line is shown as the bold line on the accompanying site plan entitled, "Jackson Avenue, Station Plan, White Plains Road Line – IRT Division, 1998." The above-ground station boundaries are also shown on the accompanying location map entitled, "Borough of the Bronx, Hagstrom Map Company, 2003." The designation for the Jackson Avenue Station includes all portions of the station at track level that fall within the boundaries of the current platforms, as well as the stairways and entrance canopies located at street level.

Boundary Justification

The boundaries for the Jackson Avenue Station represent the portions of the original station completed by 1904 and, due to the overall structural integrity of the station, include platform extensions. The boundaries are indicative of this station's period of significance 1904-1908.

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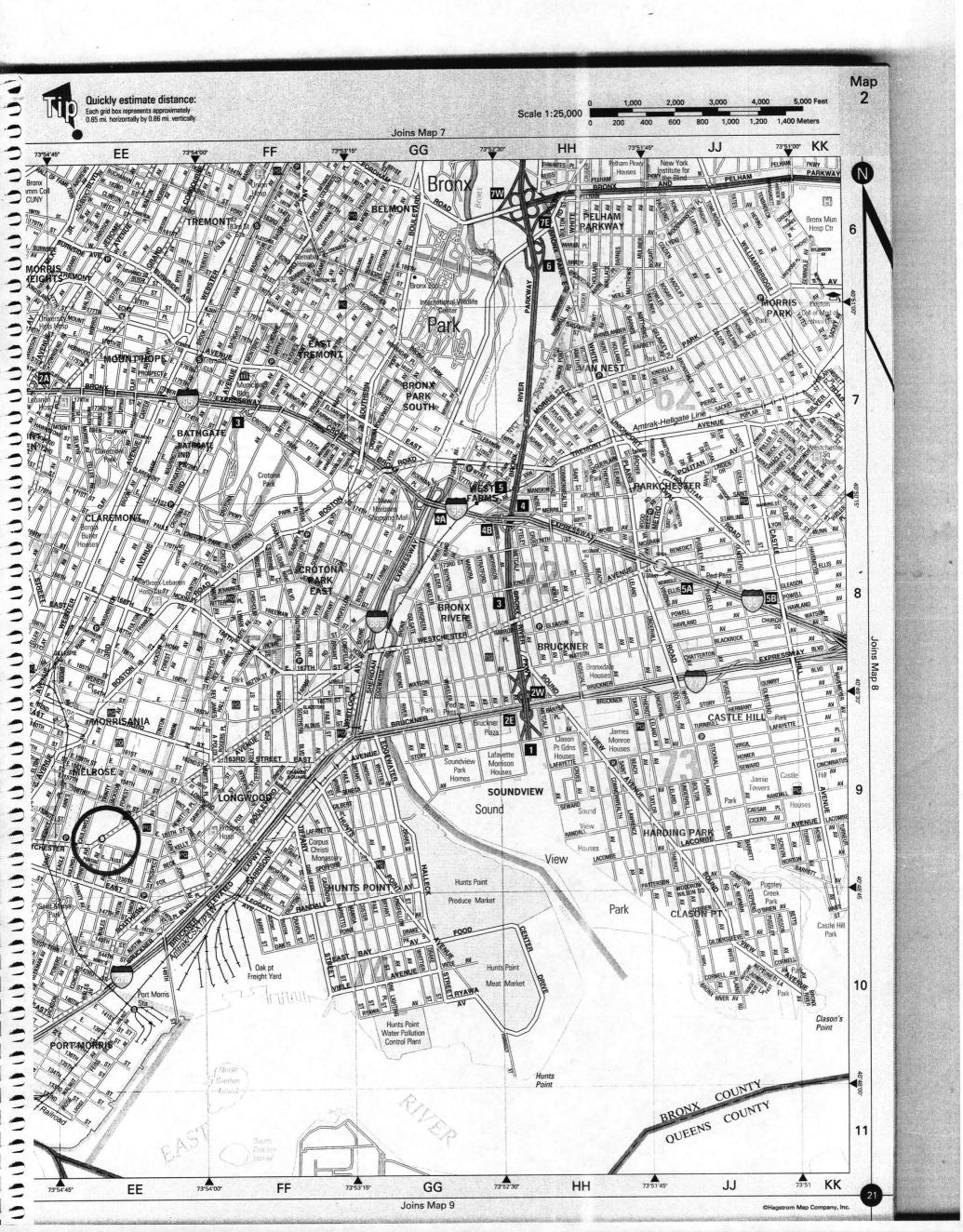
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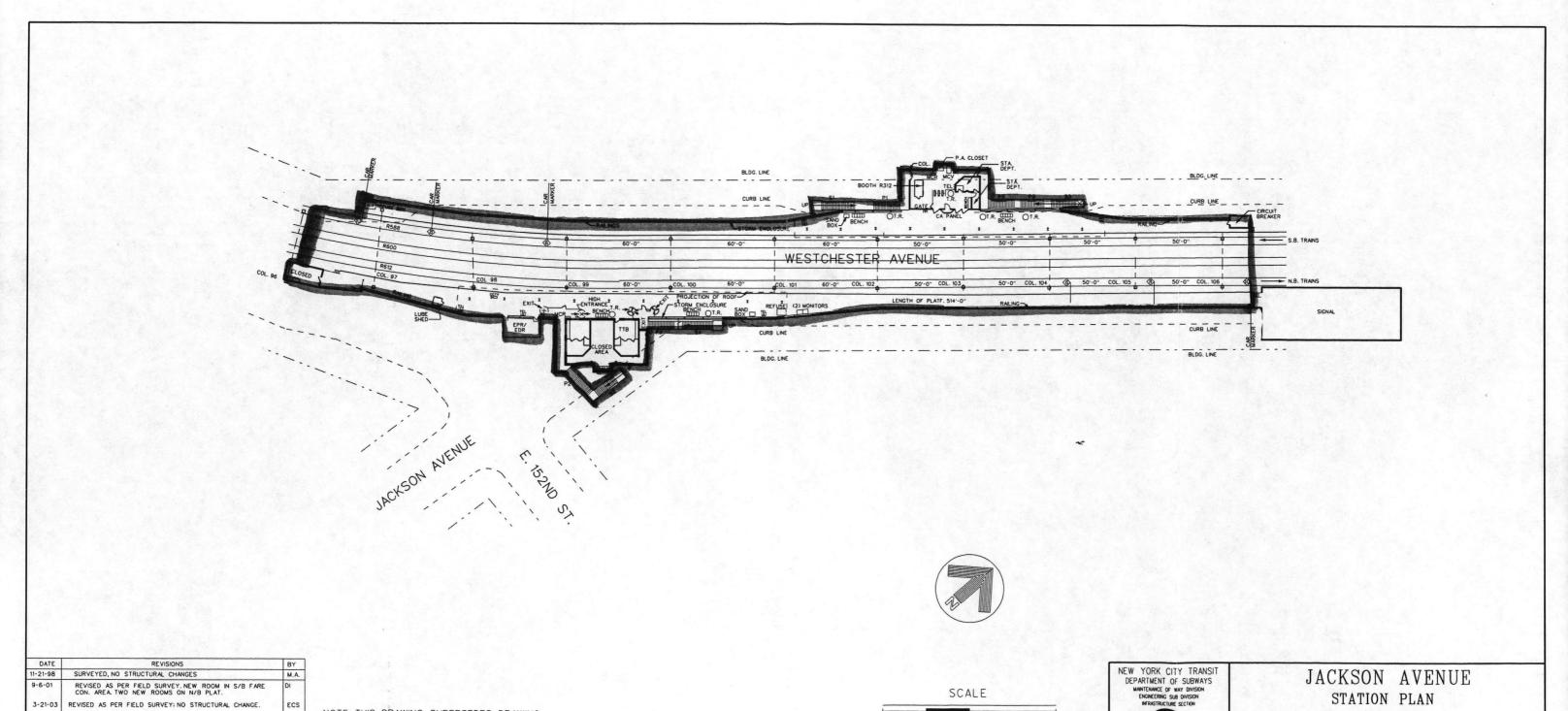
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- 1. Steel arches in interior of control house. View south.
- 2. Fire damage on the Uptown control house. View east.
- 3. Exterior of the Uptown control house. View west.
- 4. Platform in front of Uptown control house. View north.
- 5. Original turnstile in near Uptown platform. View east.
- 6. Downtown platform and view of Uptown control house from across the tracks. View southeast.
- 7. Uptown platform looking to open portion of Downtown platform. View south.
- 8. Exterior of Downtown control house. View east.
- 9. Interior of Downtown control house. View west
- 10. Stairway and exterior of the Downtown control house. View north.
- 11. Original railings located along the Downtown stairway. View northwest.

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Re:

The Historic Resources of the New York City Subway

System, New York, New York

Dear Ms. Pierpont:

I write on behalf of Chair Robert B. Tierney in response to your request for comment on the eligibility of The Historic Resources of the New York City Subway System (a multiple property listing) and the individual subway stations nominated for the State and National Registers of Historic Places.

In 1979, the Commission designated the subway stations at 33rd Street, 59th Street-Columbus Circle, 72nd Street, 79th Street, 110th Street, 116th Street-Columbia University, Astor Place, Bleecker Street, Borough Hall, City Hall, and Wall Street as part of the designation of the Interborough Rapid Transit System as a New York City landmark. The subway stations were designed by Heins & La Farge, while chief engineer William B. Parsons and his staff were responsible for the construction of the system. Mosaic sign panels and terra-cotta and faience plaques embellish each station.

The Commission has reviewed the materials submitted by the Historic Preservation Field Services Bureau and believes that the individual subway stations named above appear to meet the criteria for inclusion on the State and National Registers of Historic Places. The Commission believes that the subway stations at Jackson Avenue, Prospect Avenue, Simpson Street, Atlantic Avenue, Beverley Road, Dyckman Street, Times Square, and Main Street also appear to meet the criteria for inclusion on the State and National Registers of Historic Places.

Sincerely yours,

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cc: Robert B. Tierney, Chair Mary Beth Betts