

HISTORIC INFLUENCES ON THE URBAN LANDSCAPE IN NEW MEXICO

Also, some thoughts on trees.

Points of Conversation

- Broad historic overview
- Trees



NATIVE COMMUNITIES



- Densely Populated
- Communal Space
- Multi-level

Taos Pueblo, 1936.

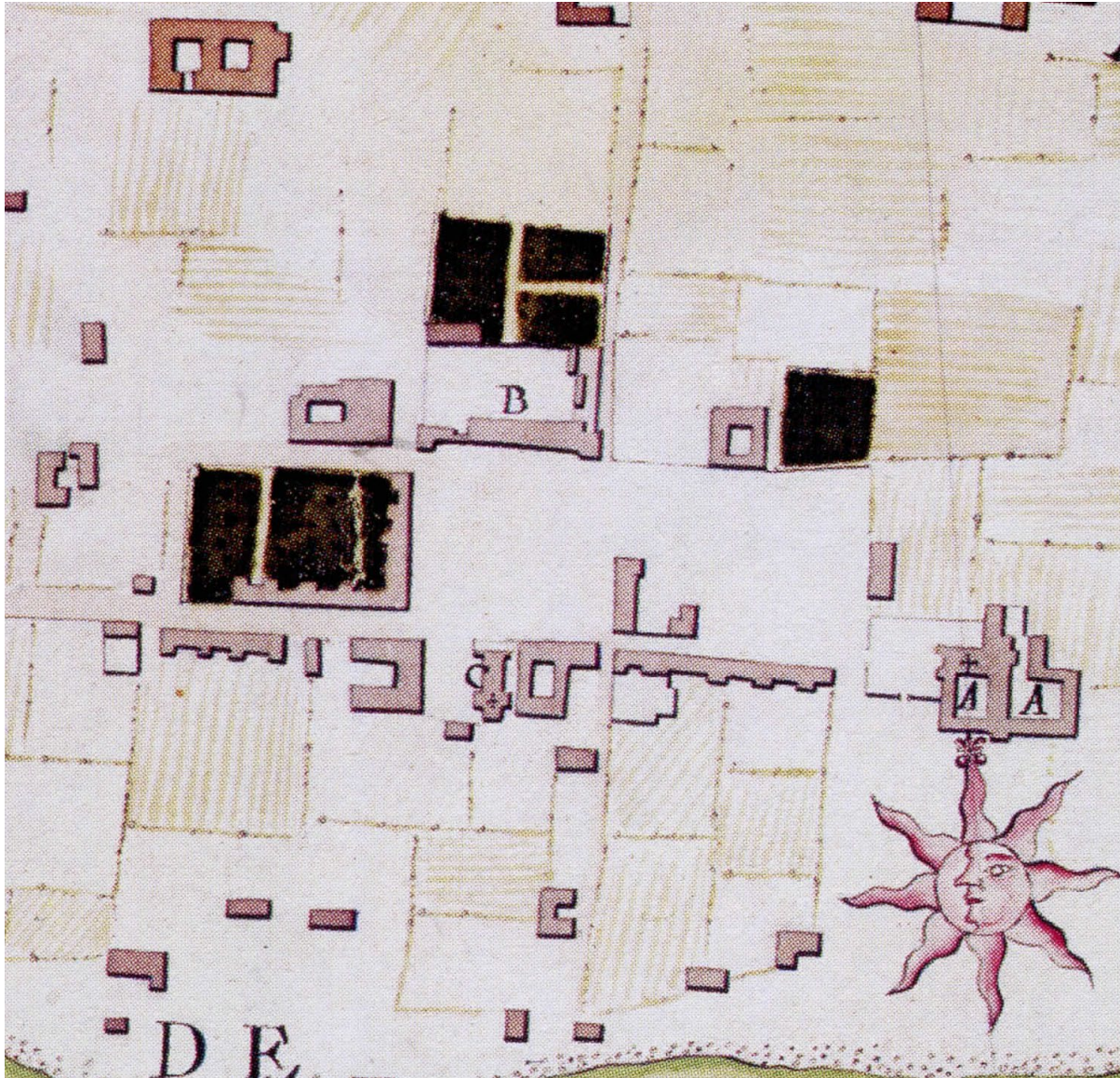
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NATIVE COMMUNITIES



Gran Quivira.
Google Earth

SPANISH COLONIAL ERA



- Laws of the Indies
- New Tree Species

Santa Fe, 1766.
Historicsantafe.org

SPANISH COLONIAL



Apple



Peach



Cherry



Walnut

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Santa Fe, 1885.
Princeton University Libraries Special Collections.

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Santa Fe, 1917.
Fenyes-Curtin-Paloheimo Collection

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San Miguel Church, Santa Fe 1880.
Denver Public Library Special Collections

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San Miguel Church, Santa Fe, 2024.
Google Earth

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Street in Old Albuquerque, 1890

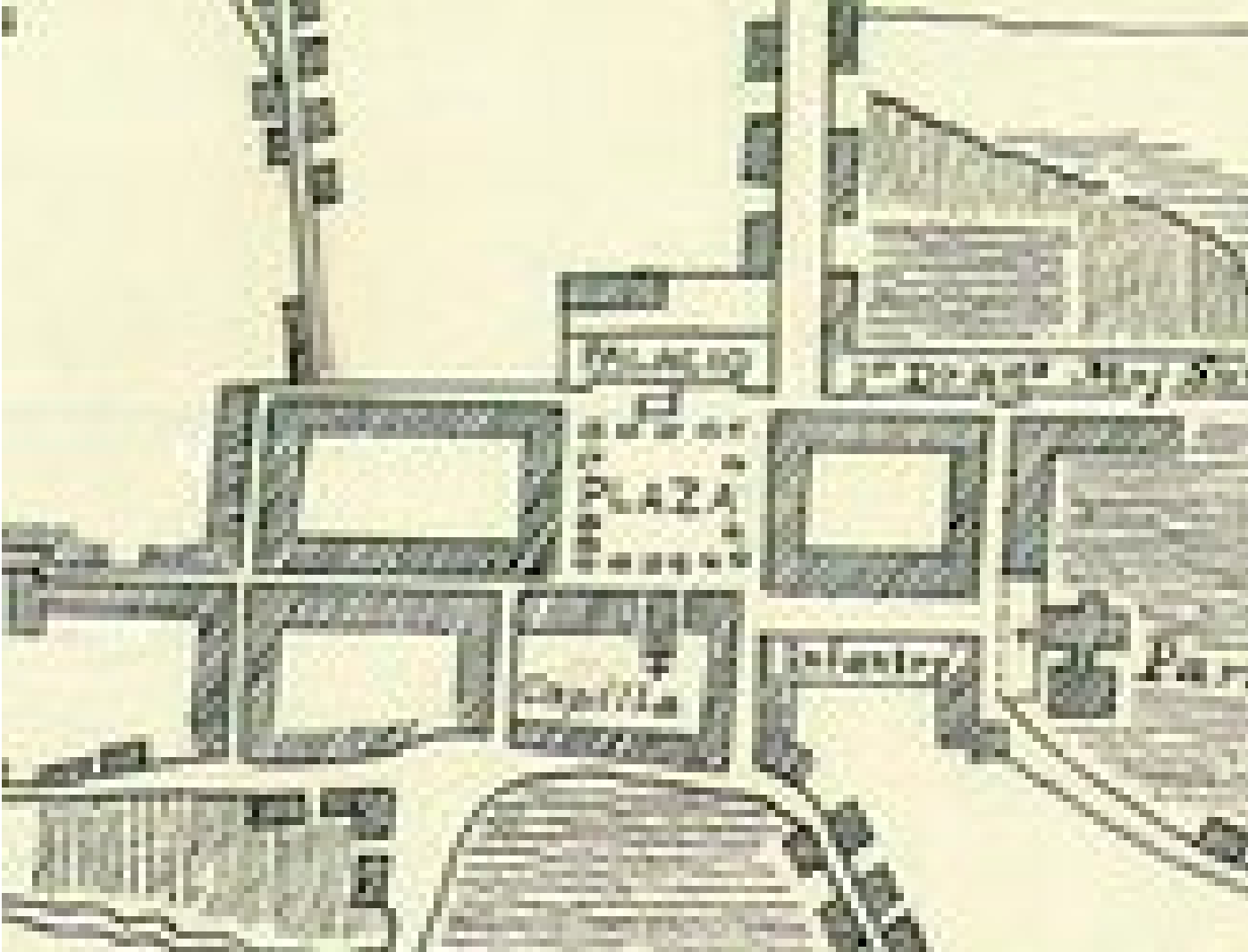
Center for Southwest Research, University Libraries, University of New Mexico.

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Old Town Albuquerque

TERRITORIAL PERIOD



- Railroad
- New Tree Species

Santa Fe, 1846
Historicsantafe.org

TERRITORIAL



MARLIN
American Elm



Horse Chestnut

TERRITORIAL



Railroad (Central) Avenue, Albuquerque, 1890
Albuquerque Museum, gift of Walter C. Haussamen

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Albuquerque, 1895
Albuquerque Museum, gift of Walter C. Haussamen

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Robinson Park, Albuquerque, 1930
Albuquerque Museum, gift of John Airy

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Robinson Park, Albuquerque, 1930
Albuquerque Museum, gift of Louise Kahn

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Historic Map of Albuquerque, 1886
Knowol.com

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



- Growth
- Cars

Imperial 400 Motel, Albuquerque, 1970
Albuquerque Museum, gift of Nancy Tucker

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Vehicle-oriented Commercial Buildings

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



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Nob Hill 1959

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Nob Hill, 1999

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Nob Hill, 2008

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Nob Hill, 2018

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Nob Hill, 2023

STATEHOOD/20TH CENTURY



Siberian Elm (*Ulmus pumila*)



Chinese Elm (*Ulmus parvifolia*)
Lacebark Elm



NOW



Nob Hill



NOW



Green Stormwater Infrastructure

COOL THINGS IN DEMING



Neoclassical Courthouse

COOL THINGS IN DEMING



Epic Pine Trees

COOL THINGS IN DEMING



Planted Median with Vernacular Rock Curb

COOL THINGS IN DEMING



Would you look at that!

WHEN IS THE BEST TIME TO PLANT A TREE?

SANTA ROSA GETS IT!



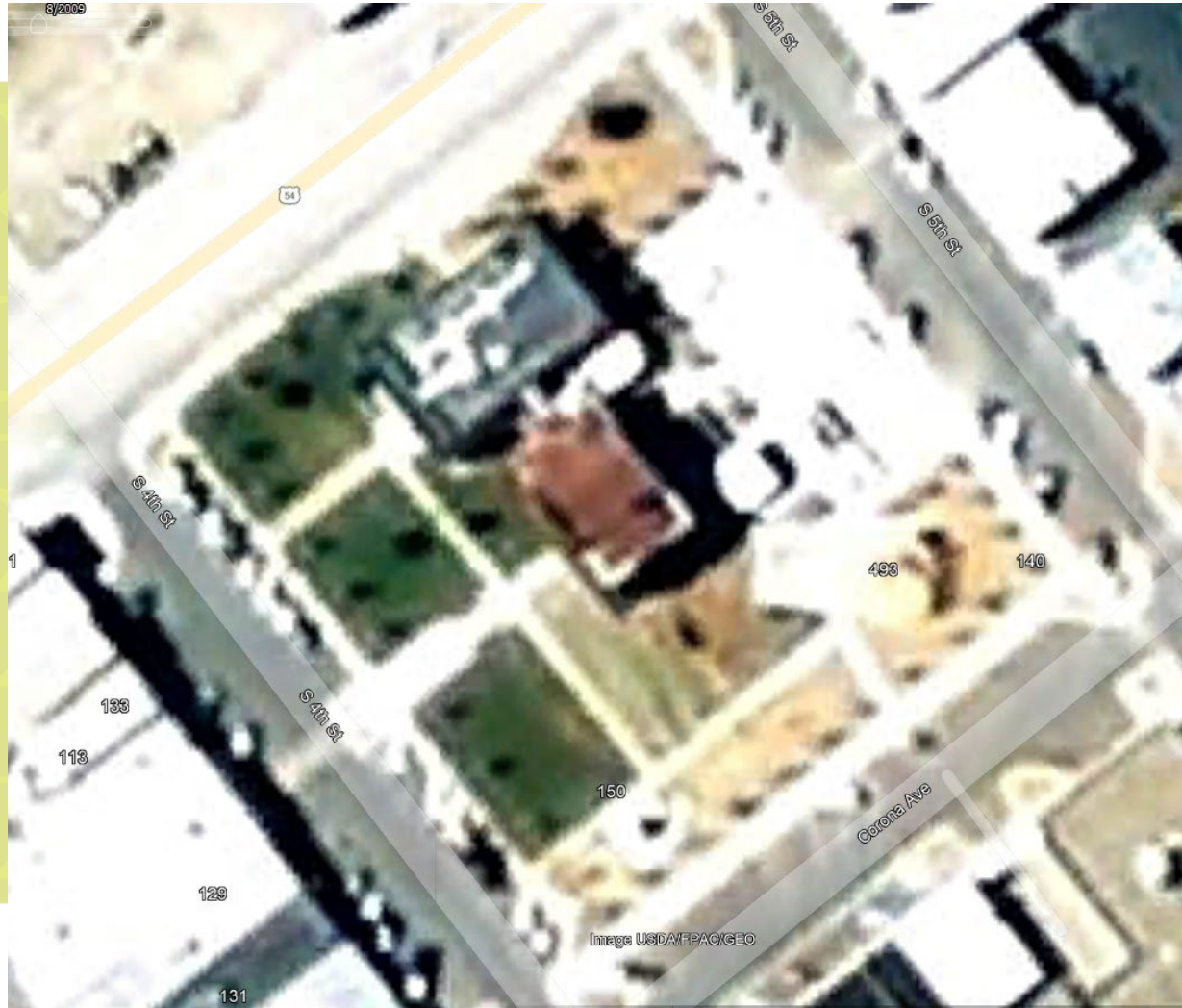
Courthouse Square 2024 – Santa Rosa

SANTA ROSA GETS IT!



2005

SANTA ROSA GETS IT!



2009

SANTA ROSA GETS IT!



2024

GO PLANT SOME TREES!
AND IRRIGATE THEM!