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NAME: Store Gulch Guard Station #1020

LOCATION: Siskiyou NF, Illinois Valley RD; Congressional District 2; Vicinity

of Cave Junction, Oregon (41); Josephine County (033)

ADDRESS: USDA Forest Service

Siskiyou National Forest

200 NE Greenfield RD, P.O. Box 440

Grants Pass, OR 97526

CLASSIFICATION/CATEGORY: Building

DESCRIPTION:

x Excellent x Unaltered

x Original Site

Store Gulch Guard Station #1020: 1933; 320 sq. ft.; T-shaped, 1 story wood frame, poured concrete foundation, wood shingled medium gable roof with narrow center gable porch, semi-enclosed by solid porch wall, second gable abuts center of south wall forming a step rather than an intersection. Cedar bark exterior. Six-over-six double-hung sash windows. No decoration. No obvious exterior alteration.

SIGNIFICANCE:

The Store Gulch Guard Station typifies the construction projects undertaken by the Civilian Conservation Corps and signifies the aid to the local community provided by the emergency work-relief program through employment of youth and experienced craftsmen, purchase of building materials and camp supplies, and personal expenditures of enrollees. The property represents the Forest Service's presence in the locality, as intradistrict headquarters for field operation, anddenotes, via the physical facilities required to carryy out the agency's expanding responsibilities, the critical transition in the Service's development from custodial superintendence to extensive resource management. The Store Gulch Guard Station exemplifies the rustic architectural idiom developed by the Forest Service, Pacific Northwest Region, to impart Forest Service identity and to represent its purposes aned ideals, and signifies the agency's particular interpretation of a singular expression of early twentieth century American architectural thought. Possessing very high qualities of design and execution, the Guard Station is an excellent example of an architectural location invested with special aesthetic and associative values by the agency that created it.

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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA:

Acreage: less than 10 acres

UTM Reference:

Point

Zone

Easting 438091

Northing 4682935

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION:

That portion of SW1/4 OF NE1/4 OF NW1/4 LOT 5, SECTION 3, T38S, R9W Willamette Meridian. Lying north of Forest Road #4103.

