

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM**

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DEPRESSION-ERA BUILDINGS

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NAME: Parkdale Ranger Station

LOCATION: Mt. Hood National Forest, Hood River Ranger District: Congressional District 2, Parkdale, OR (41); Hood River County (027)

ADDRESS: USDA Forest Service
Mt. Hood National Forest
2955 NW Division
Gresham, OR 97030

CLASSIFICATION/CATEGORY: Buildings/Site

DESCRIPTION:

Condition

Good Altered Original Site

Parkdale Ranger Station, Office #2005⁶: 1939; 24'x 42'; Rectangular, 1 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, basement, wood-shingled medium gable roof, center porch gable, south facade, supported by pairs of squared-timber posts with long curving inset brackets. Wall-shake exterior, vertical boards, battens every other board on all gable ends. Six-over-six double-hung sash windows, singly and in combinations with mullions. Single, large simple pine tree logo cut from two boards, center, porch gable pediment. Wood frame, shed-roofed fiberglass entrance above basement level door, concrete porch platform, side steps, center north elevation with elevated fiberglass walk connecting office with adjacent building. Additions do not appear to have resulted in significant structural alteration; architectural integrity largely intact.

Parkdale Ranger Station, Ranger's Residence #1057: 1939; 34' x 28'; Rectangular, 1 1/2 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, wood-shingled high gabled roof, center porch gable, south facade, small enclosed gabled porch, offset, north elevation, two gabled dormers south slope, one large shed-roofed dormer north slope of roof. Exterior end chimney, west gable end, of large, coursed, squared-rubble stone masonry. Wall shake exterior. Single sash window of thirty lights, mullion window with two divisions of eight vertical lights each, six-over-one double-hung sash windows. Main entry is a semi-circular arch of radiating brick voussoirs with keystone; two straight brick steps to porch platform. No decoration. No exterior material alteration; small shed-roofed

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lean-to, wall-shake exterior, abuts north elevation, offset. A narrow wood-frame buttress-like extrusion, wall-shake exterior, extends to eaves level offset on east gable end; original to building.

Ranger Residence Garage #1541: 1939; 20'x24'; Rectangular, 1 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, wood-shingled high gable roof, flemish-bond brick exterior end chimney, center north gable end. Wall-shake exterior. Six-horizontal and six vertical sash windows. Two vertical board, reinforced, slide-opening doors, south gable end; two vehicle capacity. Loft room, upper level. No exterior material alteration; small shed-roofed lean-to abuts north gable end, offset. No decoration.

Parkdale Ranger Station, Warehouse/Blacksmith Shop #2212, #1308: 1939; 60'x40'x24'; L-shaped, 1 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, medium gable with intersecting gable on north end. Wall-shake exterior. Four-over-four double-hung sash windows, singly and in combinations with mullions. No decoration. Fiber-glass shed roof above rear entrance, offset west elevation. Composition shingle roof material. Shed-roof open storage extends length of north elevation. Single divided structure formerly housed warehouse facilities and blacksmith shop; now functions as warehouse and recreation office. No significant structural alterations to exterior.

Parkdale Ranger Station, Machine Shop and Storage #2103: 1939; 56'x36'; Rectangular, 1 1/2 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, wood-shingled medium gabled roof, east slope extending to single pitch shed shape. Wall-shake exterior. Six horizontal-light sashes, lower level, nine light sashes upper level. Large vertical board, reinforced, slide-opening door offset on west (main) facade. Shed-roofed open storage abuts the width of north gable end and length of east elevation. No significant structural alterations to exterior.

Parkdale Ranger Station, Road Maintenance Office #1059: 1939; 22'x30'; Rectangular, 1 story, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, medium gabled roof verges project, with brackets, small gable porch offset on west (main) facade. Wall-shake exterior. Nine-light sash windows. No decoration. Formerly a residence, converted to office use. No obvious exterior structural alteration; composition shingle roof material.

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Parkdale Ranger Station, Gas House #2505: 1939; 16'x26'; Rectangular, wood frame, poured concrete foundation, medium gabled roof. Wall-shaked, gable ends above eaveline. No windows. Below the eaveline, original exterior wall materials replaced with Texture 1-11 grooved plywood siding, vertical application. No windows. Composition shingle roof material. No decoration.

SIGNIFICANCE:

The Parkdale Ranger Station (now Work Center) 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 the headquarters for field operation, and denotes, via the physical facilities required to carry out the agency's expanding responsibilities, the critical transition in the Service's development from custodial superintendence to extensive resource management. The Parkdale Ranger Station exemplifies the rustic architectural idiom developed by the Forest Service, Pacific Northwest Region, to impart Forest Service identity and to represent its purposes and ideals, and signifies the agency's particular interpretation of a singular expression of early twentieth century American architectural thought. Possessing high qualities of design and execution, the Work Center is a very good example of an architectural location invested with special aesthetic and associative values by the agency that created it.

GEOGRAPHICAL DATA:

Acreage: 4.18 ±

UTM Reference:

<u>Point</u>	<u>Zone</u>	<u>Easting</u>	<u>Northing</u>
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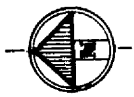
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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION:

Property is described in the Book of Deeds, Volume 25, page 28 in the Hood River County Courthouse. The boundaries are delineated as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of Section 32, Township 1 north, Range 10 east of the Willamette Meridian; thence westward along the center line of the highway or section line 312.3 feet to the southeast corner of the tract, thence west 480.2 feet along the section line to a point which is 240 feet east of the southeast corner of Lot 8 in Block 7 in the Parkdale Townsite Addition, thence north 300 feet parallel with said Block 7 in the Parkdale Townsite Addition, thence east 100 feet, thence north 100 feet, thence east 380.2 feet, thence south 400 feet to close on the southeast corner of the tract. Area of the tract is 4.18 acres, more or less.

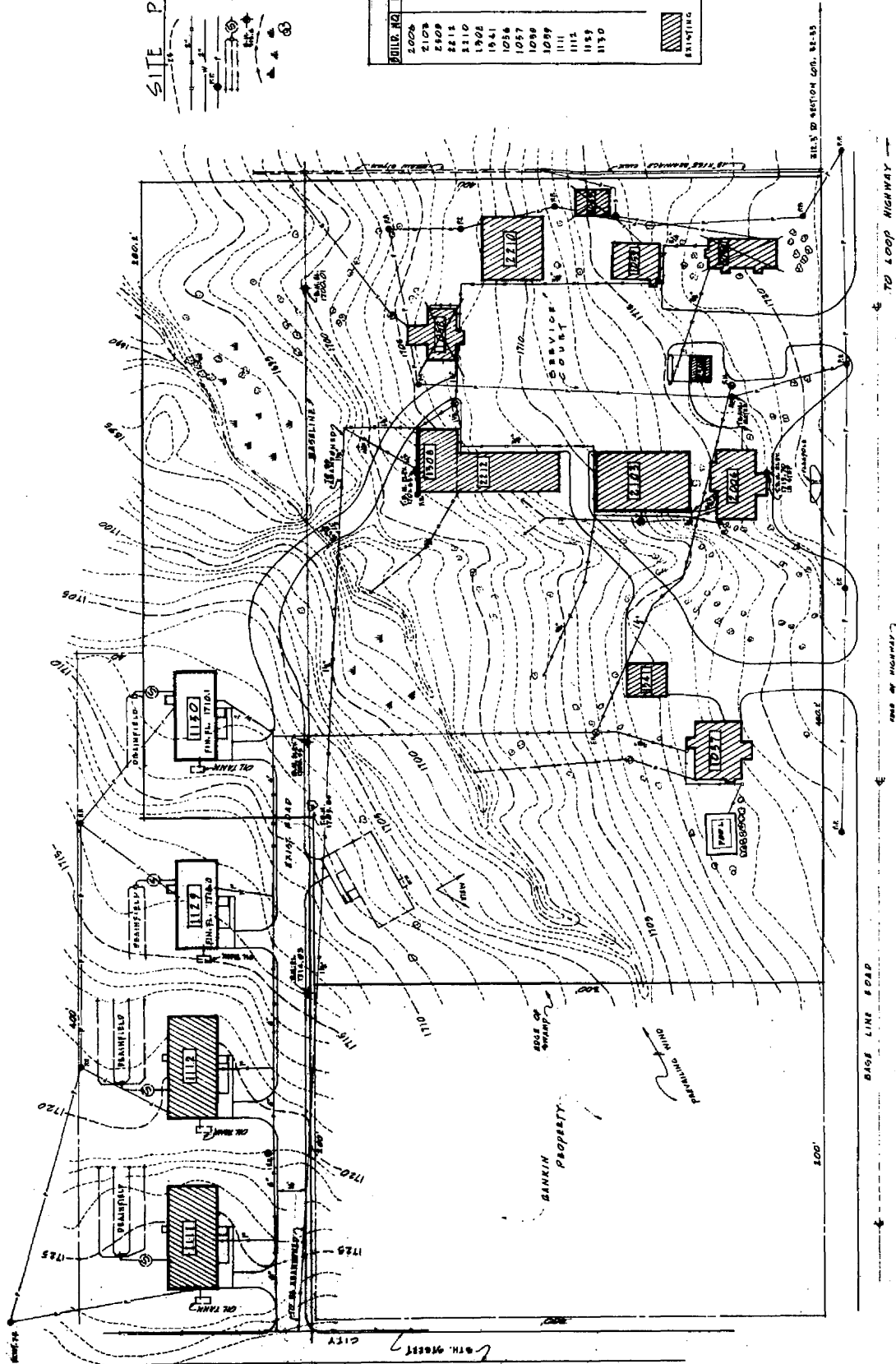


SCALE
1"=300'

SITE PLAN SYMBOLS

- EXISTING CONTOUR LINE X SIZE
- EXISTING WATER LINE X SIZE
- PROPOSED WATER LINE X SIZE
- POWER POLE'S LINE
- SEPTIC TANK & DRAINFIELD
- BENCH MARK
- DRAINWAY
- ALIBUSH
- EXIST. TREE

BUILD. NO.	DESCRIPTION	PLAN NO.
1006	OFFICE	
2108	W.F. WAREHOUSE	
2409	GAS & OIL HOUSE	
2415	EQUIP. SHED	
2410	FIRE WAREHOUSE	
1902	ENGINEERING OFFICE	
1941	GARAGE	
1054	RESIDENCE	205-8
1057	RESIDENCE	209-8
1099	RESIDENCE	370-2
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1153	RESIDENCE	370-2
1130	RESIDENCE	370-2

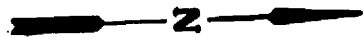


DESIGNED BY: _____ DATE _____
 DRAWN BY: S.L. ALBERTSON DATE 12/21/53
 APPROVED: _____ DATE _____
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 FOREST SERVICE
MT. HOOD NATIONAL FOREST
 THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION

SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN
 PARKDALE BANGER STATE
 SEC. 32 T. 14 N. R. 10 W.
 SCALE 1"=300'

E 9,000 E 9,200 E 9,400 E 9,600



NORTH DIRECTION IS APPROXIMATE
 COORDINATES ARE RELATIVE TO C
 SURVEY WHICH WAS NOT ORIENTED
 CARDINAL DIRECTIONS

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