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NORTH CASCADES NATIONAL PARK

NAME(S) OF STRUCTURE/SITE BRIDGE CREEK SHELTER			DATE OF CONSTRUCTION	SITE ID. NO.					
SITE ADDRESS/LOCATION	Bridge Creek Campground, off Stehekin Valley Road		<i>c. 1938</i> Addition(s)	SCALE 1:24000 UTM ZONE	EASTIN	QUAD NAME McGregor Mour		HING	00
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DESCRIPTION AND BACKGROUND HISTORY INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION DATE(S), PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS, MATERIALS, MAJOR ALTERATIONS, IMPORTANT BUILDERS, ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, ETC. Shelter. Wood frame set on log and rock foundation; square			CURRENT USE Shelter	ORIGINAL USE Shelter					

(14' x 14'); 1-story; wood shake siding (on 3 sides) over round log construction; wood-shaked saltbox roof with slightly extended eaves and extended ridgeline; entrance opening on northeast. Exterior features include exposed log purlins and rafters.

This shelter was built in the 1930s by the USFS using CCC labor. The CCCs were stationed down lake (Chelan) at 25-Mile Camp, but had a side camp (20 men) in Stehekin for many years. This shelter had new shakes installed on the roof by a YCC crew c. 1979.

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SIGNIFICANCE Eligible under Nat. Reg. Criterion C: significant as a distinct type of building. This is a good example of a 1930s-era USFS-designed backcountry shelter. It reflects the USFS design ethic of utilizing natural/native materials and siting structures with a sensitivity to the environment. Only a few regulation(designed and built according to USFS standards)shelters stand today within the NOCA; most were removed by the USFS and the NPS because of changing needs, philosophy, and liability problems. This shelter was built by the CCC. It possesses integrity of location, design, setting, workmanship, materials, feeling, and association.

