Form 10-306

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM
FOR FEDERAL PROPERTIES
(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

1. NAME

COMMON:
Ranger's Dormitory (B-76)

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
Grand Canyon National Park, SE1/4 of Sec. 23, T31N, R2E, G & SR BM

CITY OR TOWN:
Grand Canyon

STATE:
Arizona

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:
Third

COUNTY:
Coconino

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)

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<th>District</th>
<th>Site</th>
<th>Object</th>
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<tr>
<td>Building</td>
<td>Structure</td>
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OWNERSHIP (Check One)

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<th>Both</th>
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<tr>
<td>Public Acquisition:</td>
<td>In Process</td>
<td>Being Considered</td>
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STATUS (Check One)

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<th>Occupied</th>
<th>Unoccupied</th>
<th>Preservation work in progress</th>
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ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC (Check One)

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<th>Yes:</th>
<th>Restricted</th>
<th>Unrestricted</th>
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PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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<th>Park</th>
<th>Transportation</th>
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<td>Museum</td>
<td>Scientific</td>
<td>Other (Specify)</td>
<td>Bachelor</td>
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<td>Entertainment</td>
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<td>Quarters</td>
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4. AGENCY

National Park Service

REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS: (If applicable)
Western Regional Office
San Francisco, CA

STATE:
California

CITY OR TOWN:
Western Regional Office

STREET AND NUMBER:
Box 450 Golden Gate Ave., 94102

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:
Coconino County Courthouse

CITY OR TOWN:
Flagstaff

STATE:
Arizona

CODE:
04

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:

DATE OF SURVEY:

<table>
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DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:

STATE:

ENTRY NUMBER:

RECEIVED:

JUN 20 1974

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ENTRY DATE:
SEP 5 1975
Condition

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<th>Excellent</th>
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<th>Ruins</th>
<th>Unexposed</th>
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Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

Preservation recommended (needs repair and repainting)

With but a few minor changes, this structure on the exterior resembles its original appearance. It was constructed of large stones laid in cement. It has wood gable ends and a wood shingle roof with wood log rafters. It has an off-center main door at the front, and entrance here is at ground level. The east end also has a door, but the ground slopes to the back of the building, requiring steps at the east door. Today, these steps are of concrete which apparently was laid some years after the construction of the building. A small cement block addition, roughly 8' x 10', was put on the rear of the building in recent years to hold the heating plant for the structure.

The overall exterior dimensions of the building are approximately 55' x 25'.

The interior of the structure has an entrance hall and a large room at the west end and a center hall that extends from it to the east exit. Rooms are off both sides of the center hall.

The structure has a stone fireplace and chimney on the west end.

Boundary: The historic land embraced in this site is bound by the road on the north, the road on the West, an asphalt pathway to the south, and an asphalt pathway to the east.

Class VI lands: 1 acre

Cost: current maintenance adequate
### 8. SIGNIFICANCE

**PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)**

- [ ] Pre-Columbian
- [ ] 16th Century
- [ ] 18th Century
- [X] 20th Century
- [ ] 15th Century
- [ ] 17th Century
- [ ] 19th Century

**SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)** 1921

**AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)**

- Aboriginal
- Prehistoric
- Historic
- Agriculture
- Architecture
- Art
- Commerce
- Communications
- Conservation
- Education
- Engineering
- Industry
- Invention
- Landscape
- Architecture
- Literature
- Military
- Music
- Political
- Religion/Philosophy
- Science
- Sculpture
- Social/Humanitarian
- Theater
- Transportation
- Urban Planning
- Other (Specify)

**STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE** 3rd Order

Apparently built in 1921, as a dormitory for workers at Grand Canyon National Park, and sometime prior to 1927, it became a Ranger's Dormitory. Later, it was used as nurse's quarters and for a short period in recent years, it was a clinic. It has been returned to a Ranger's Dormitory and is used today to house unmarried seasonal rangers.

Little else is known about the history of this structure.

This structure, one of the earliest built in Grand Canyon by the National Park Service, typifies a type of housing the Service has supplied to its unmarried employees, and as such, it is a significant representative of a phase of the administrative history of Grand Canyon National Park.
Building Folders in Operations' files at Grand Canyon National Park

Director, National Park Service, Annual Report, 1922 (Washington: G.P.O., 1922)

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY

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APPARENT ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 1 acre

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

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STATE: Arizona
CODE: 04
COUNTY: Coconino
CODE: 2005

NAME AND TITLE: F. Ross Holland, Jr., Historian
BUSINESS ADDRESS: Denver Service Center, NFS
STREET AND NUMBER: 7200 W. Alameda
CITY OR TOWN: Denver
STATE: Colorado
CODE: 08

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

State Liaison Officer recommendation:
☑ Yes
☐ No
☐ None

State Liaison Officer Signature:

In compliance with Executive Order 11593, I hereby nominate this property to the National Register, certifying that the State Liaison Officer has been allowed 90 days in which to present the nomination to the State Review Board and to evaluate its significance. The recommended level of significance is ☐ National ☐ State

Director, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

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Date: 9/5/75

ATTEST:

Keeper of The National Register

Date: 9/2/75
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3. PHOTO REFERENCE
PHOTO CREDIT: F.R. Holland, Jr.
DATE OF PHOTO: May 1972
NEGATIVE FILED AT: Denver Service Center

4. IDENTIFICATION
DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.

2. East (front) side of dormitory
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1. South end of dormitory

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