

A. RECORDER:

1. Name(s) Alice Lynch, John Beck 2. Date 1 Sept 78
 3. Address BLM - ADD
 4. Project Iditarod Trail Inventory

B. SITE REFERENCE/LOCATION:

(Ruins)

1. Field Designation Cabin #1, Hante Trail 2. (AHRS) Designation OPH-014
 3. Name of Site ^{ARC} Brown Creek Shelter Cabin
 4. Map Name Ophir (A-2) Map Scale 1:63,360
 5. Latitude 63 Deg. 2 Min. 26.96 Sec. / Longitude 156 Deg. 52 Min. 10.47 Sec.
 6. Legal Description NE 1/4, NW 1/4 Sec. 25, T 28 S, R 10 E (KR)
 7. Aerial Photo Reference _____, Photo Scale _____
 8. UTM Grid Reference Zone 6; X 687651.328 Y 3305237.661
 9. Bibliographic References (manuscripts, etc.) ARC Annual Report, 1979/12.1.

C. LAND USE CONDITIONS:

1. Present Land Use NONE
 2. Recent Surface Modifications NATURAL DETRIORATION OF STRUCTURES.
 3. Natural Erosion: Kind NONE Extent _____
 4. Vandalism: No ☒ Yes _____; Heavy _____ Medium _____ Light _____
 5. Past Surface Modifications Clearing for cabin
 6. Future Surface Modifications Continued deterioration of structure
 7. Property Owner/Manager BLM (State selected)

D. ENVIRONMENTAL DESCRIPTION:

1. Vegetation at Site Low herbaceous veg; sparse spruce growth
 2. Surrounding Vegetation Open spruce woodland
 3. Topography at Site E bank of small stream, elev. between 900-1000 ft.
 4. Surrounding Topography NE OF JUNCTION ON STEEL CREEK
 5. Geology (surface/bedrock) stream deposits
 6. Nearest Water to Site: Distance 40-50 ft. Direction W Type STEEL CREEK

1. Thickness (sod) _____, Description _____

No subsurface testing done; aerial recon only

2. Thickness (soil) _____, Description _____

3. Samples Taken: No _____ Yes _____; Number/Description _____

F. FIELD NOTES/PHOTOGRAPHS:

1. Field Book(s) on file BLM-ADO Pages _____

2. Photographs Taken: B&W ☒ Color Slides _____ Color Prints _____, Description of Subject(s) Aerial views of site only

G. ARCHAEOLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS/DATA COLLECTED:

1. Estimated Extent of Site (use sketch map) Cabin + immediate surroundings, ca. 25 ft

2. Complexity of Site Building dating from late 20's

3. Stratigraphy: No ☒ Yes _____ (attach profile) 4. Number of Cultural Components 1

5. Number of Test Pits Dug 0 (indicate their relative positions on sketch map)

6. Organic Preservation: No _____ Yes ☒; Good _____ Moderate _____ Poor _____

7. Faunal: No ☒ Yes _____; Description (ID) _____

8. Human Remains: No ☒ Yes _____; Description _____

9. Charcoal: No ☒ Yes _____ Collected _____; Description/Provenience _____

10. Other Features 1 log cabin (collapsed); Hunter trail PASSES SOUTH OF SITE

11. Artifacts: No ☒ Yes _____ Collected _____; Description _____

H. SKETCH MAP ATTACHED:

1. Indicate North, give scale, provide appropriate labels, and include landmarks