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NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

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Coronado National Forest

The Coronado National Forest includes over 1.2 million acres of predominantly mountainous terrain within the basin and range country of southeastern Arizona. The region is characterized by isolated mountain ranges that rise from the savannahs. Some peaks reach over 9000 ft. The Coronado National Forest has a complex administrative history. In November of 1906, the Baboquivari, Huachuca and Tumacacori Forest Reserves were created. These three forests were consolidated into the Garces National Forest in 1908. In 1902, the Santa Rita and Santa Catalina Forest Reserves were created. In 1907, the Dragoon National Forest was created. On July 2, 1908, the Santa Rita, Santa Catalina and Dragoon National Forests were consolidated under the name of the Coronado National Forest, with Garces National Forest added in 1911.

Atascosa Lookout House (Figures 64 - 65) (SE 1/4, Section 18, T23S R12E) UTM: 12/486100E/3476120N Santa Cruz County, Arizona

Tubac vic., Coronado N.F.

This lookout house is located on the Nogales Ranger District and was erected in 1930 or 1933 by the Forest Service. The lookout is no longer being used as a fire detection facility but is now a rest area for hikers. This lookout is an L-4 type wooden house with dimensions of 14 ft by 14 ft. Historic photographs indicate minimal modification since 1933. The lookout is accessible by trail only. The associated outhouse and stone cistern were also built in 1933 and show no modification. This lookout house, cistern and outhouse have retained their integrity of original design, construction, workmanship, materials, setting, location and association and are recommended for National Register eligibility. The boundary of the Atascosa lookout house is a square which measures 60 ft by 60 ft with the lookout house in the northeast corner. The area surrounding the lookout house within the boundary is not considered a "buffer area," but is integral to the setting of the property (see attached map).

Barfoot Lookout Complex (Figures 66 - 69) (NE 1/4, Section 33, T17S R30E) UTM: 12/663275E/3532280N Cochise County, Arizona

Portal vic., Buena Vista Peak

Barfoot lookout is located on the Douglas Ranger District and was built in 1935, possibly by a CCC crew. The lookout house is an L-4

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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA FOR NOMINATED PROPERTIES

<u>Forest/Property</u>	<u>Quad</u>	<u>UTM</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>County</u>
<u>Apache/Sitgreaves NF</u>					
PS Knoll Lookout Complex	Big Lake	12/648400E/3735900N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Apache (001)
Bear Mountain Lookout Complex	Blue	12/672350E/3711750N	1.4 acre	AZ (04)	Greenlee (011)
Lake Mountain Lookout Complex	Sponseller	12/613520E/3780140N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Apache (001)
Deer Springs Lookout Complex	Clay Springs	12/553350E/3796100N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Navajo (017)
Promontory Butte Lookout Complex	Promontory Butte	12/498900E/3802700N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
<u>Carson NF</u>					
Canjilon Mountain Lookout Cabin	Cebolla	13/379150E/4047600N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Rio Arriba (039)
<u>Coconino NF</u>					
Moqui Lookout Cabin	Blue Ridge Reservoir	12/484785E/3824550N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
Woody Mountain Lookout Tower	Bellefont	12/431755E/3888880N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
Mormon Lake Lookout Cabin	Mormon Lake	12/460860E/3860360N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
Buck Mountain Lookout Tower	Happy Jack	12/461990E/3835980N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
Lee Butte Lookout Tower and Cabin	Stoneman Lake	12/450970E/3854610N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Coconino (005)
<u>Coronado NF</u>					
Atascosa Lookout House	Ruby	12/486100E/3476120N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Santa Cruz (023)
Barfoot Lookout Complex	Rustler Park	12/663275E/3532280N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Cochise (003)
Lemmon Rock Lookout House	Mt. Lemmon	12/519850E/3588475N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Pima (019)
Webb Peak Lookout Tower	Webb Peak	12/601030E/3619620N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Graham (009)
West Peak Lookout Tower	Blue Jay Peak	12/590175E/3622420N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Graham (009)
Heliograph Lookout Complex	Mt. Graham	12/607960E/3612880N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Graham (009)
Monte Vista Lookout Cabin	Chiricahua Peak	12/659500E/3522100N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Cochise (003)
Silver Peak Lookout Complex	Portal	12/670325E/3531200N	Less than 1	AZ (04)	Cochise (003)
<u>Gila NF</u>					
Mogollon Baldy Lookout Cabin	Mogollon Baldy Peak	12/724120E/3683780N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Catron (003)
Mangas Mountain Lookout Complex	Mangas Mountain	12/748620E/3771000N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Catron (003)
Reeds Peak Lookout Tower	Reed's Peak	13/233780E/3670600N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Grant (017)
Bearwallow Mountain Lookout Complex	Bearwallow Mountain	12/716810E/3703340N	1.8 acre	NM (35)	Catron (003)
Black Mountain Lookout Cabin	Black Mountain	12/758000E/3696440N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Catron (003)
Hillsboro Peak Lookout Tower and Cabin	San Lorenzo	13/240260E/3649260N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Sierra (051)
El Caso Lookout Complex	Slaughter Mesa	12/731110E/3776220N	Less than 1	NM (35)	Catron (003)

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Multiple Resource Area
Thematic Group

Name National Forest Fire Lookouts in the Southwestern Region TR
State ARIZONA and NEW MEXICO

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

11. Lee Butte Lookout Tower and Cabin
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

12. Atascosa Lookout House
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

13. Barfoot Lookout Complex
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

14. Lemmon Rock Lookout House
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

15. Webb Peak Lookout Tower
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

16. West Peak Lookout Tower
Substantive Review

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17. Heliograph Lookout Complex
Substantive Review

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Attest _____

18. Monte Vista Lookout Cabin
Substantive Review

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Attest _____

19. Silver Peak Lookout Complex
Substantive Review

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20. Mogollon Baldy Lookout Cabin
Substantive Review

Keeper Patrick Andrus 1/28/88
Attest _____

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
EVALUATION/RETURN SHEET

Substantive Review

Atascosa Lookout House (National Forest Fire
Lookouts in the Southwestern Region TR) Santa
Cruz County
ARIZONA

Working No. DEC 14 1987
Fed. Reg. Date: 2/7/89
Date Due: 1/14/88 - 1/28/88
Action: ACCEPT 1-28-88
 RETURN
 REJECT
Federal Agency: USFS

- resubmission
- nomination by person or local government
- owner objection
- appeal

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

*Significant as an example of
a US Forest Service L-4 house
type.*

Recom./Criteria Accept - C
Reviewer Noble
Discipline Historian
Date 1/28/88
see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: technical corrections cited below
 substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name

2. Location

3. Classification

Category	Ownership Public Acquisition	Status Accessible	Present Use

4. Owner of Property

5. Location of Legal Description

6. Representation in Existing Surveys

Has this property been determined eligible? yes no

7. Description

Condition	Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
		<input type="checkbox"/> moved date _____

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- alterations/integrity
- dates
- boundary selection

8. Significance

Period _____ Areas of Significance—Check and justify below _____

Specific dates _____ Builder/Architect _____
Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- applicable criteria
- justification of areas checked
- relating significance to the resource
- context
- relationship of integrity to significance
- justification of exception
- other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____
Quadrangle name _____
UTM References _____

Verbal boundary description and justification _____

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

____ national ____ state ____ local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

title _____ date _____

13. Other

- Maps
- Photographs
- Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: _____



USFS Lookout Thematic Nomination (Region 3)

Figure 64

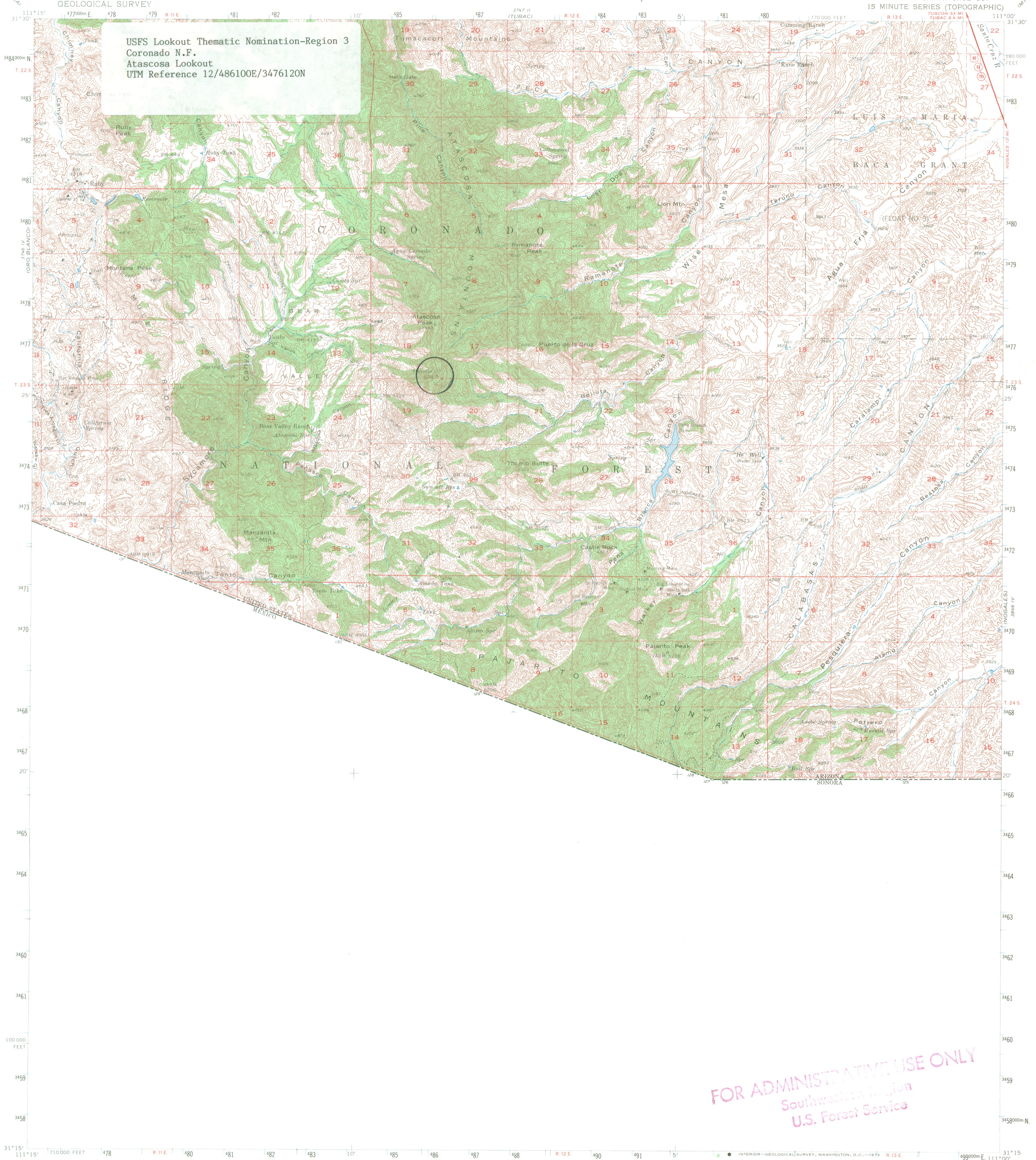
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2. Santa Cruz Co., AZ
3. W. South
4. 7/30-86
5. Recreation Dept., USFS Regional Office, Albuquerque, N.M.
6. View to the N
7. COR-1986-MMS-1 #2



USFS lookout Thematic Nominations (Region 3) Figure 65

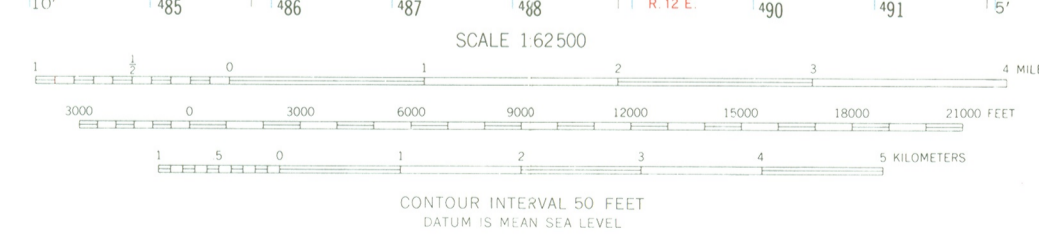
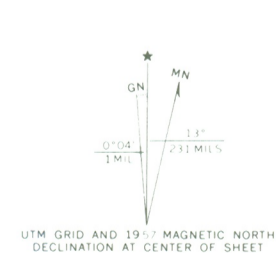
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4. 7/30-86
5. Recreation Dept. USFS Regional Office, Albuquerque
6. view to NE
7. COR-1986-MMS-1 #3

USFS Lookout Thematic Nomination—Region 3
Coronado N.F.
Atascosa Lookout
UTM Reference 12/486100E/3476120N



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10,000-foot grid based on Arizona coordinate system,
central zone.
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 12, shown in blue
Dashed land lines indicate approximate location



ROAD CLASSIFICATION
Heavy-duty ——— Light-duty ———
Unimproved dirt ———
U.S. Route ——— State Route ———

RUBY, ARIZ.
N3115—W11100/15
1957
AMS 3746 I—SERIES V798

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