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SITKA HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

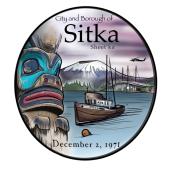
Regular Monthly Meeting Harrigan Centennial Hall May 14, 2025 6:15 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL
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- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. March 10, 2025 Regular Meeting
- IV. GUEST &/OR PERSONS TO BE HEARD
- V. REPORTS & CORRESPONDENCE
- VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
 - b. Memorial and Street Naming Policy
- VII. NEW BUSINESS
 - c. Review and recommendation of a detached garage at 301 Park Street
 - d. Section 106 review of a cell tower at 404 Sawmill Creek Road
 - e. Review and discussion of past nominations for historic districts in Sitka
- VIII. SET NEXT MEETING DATE(S):

(2nd Wednesday of the Month, 6:15 p.m. **Harrigan Centennial Hall**) **Wednesday, June 11, 2025** – Regular Monthly Meeting

IX. ADJOURNMENT



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Regular Monthly Meeting Harrigan Centennial Hall April 9, 2025 6:15 p.m.

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Chair Littlefield called the meeting to order at 6:17 p.m.

Present: Roby (Koolyéik) Littlefield (Chair), Yeidikook'áa Dionne Brady-Howard (arrived at 6:21 p.m.), James (Kushxeet) Poulson, Steve Íxt'Ík Éesh Johnson, Candace Rutledge, Nicole Fiorino, Karen Lucas, Scott Saline (Assembly Liaison) Staff: Amy Ainslie, Kim Davis, Ariadne Will Public: L'duteen Jerrick Hope-Lang, Cindy Stiles, Katelyn Stiles, Anne Pollnow,

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II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

M/Johnson-S/Rutledge moved to approve the agenda with New Business moved to before Old Business. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. March 10, 2025 Regular Meeting

M/Poulson-S/Johnson moved to approve the March 10, 2025 meeting minutes. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

IV. GUEST &/OR PERSONS TO BE HEARD

Anne Pollnow said that the Sitka Woman's Club was informed it was a recipient of a CLG grant. She also requested the commission advocate to protect resources located in the vicinity of the site of the proposed seaplane base.

Commissioner Lucas asked about the status of the Sea Walk. Staff said they believed the project was set to move forward following Section 106 procedure and follow-up.

V. REPORTS & CORRESPONDENCE

Will informed the commission that Steve $I\underline{x}$ t'İk Éesh Johnson had been nominated to the remaining empty seat, and that the commission was now filled. She said that heat

pump building permits pertaining to buildings listed on the National Register of Historic Places would go before the commission unless the panel said otherwise. She also said that she had contacted the state and learned the commission was able to nominate properties to the National Register.

VI. OLD BUSINESS

b. Historic Preservation Plan

Will presented the commission with a summary of public comment from the April 1 input meeting, including rankings of the plan's goals and actions. The commission said it wanted more mention of STA as a partner in the plan and requested staff forward an updated version to STA for review. The commission said it was otherwise pleased with the plan draft presented.

M/Poulson-S/Rutledge moved to forward the Historic Preservation Plan draft—following edits from the April 1 input meeting—to STA for approval and comment within 60 of its receipt by STA. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

c. Memorial and Street Naming Policy

Commissioner Brady-Howard said the subcommittee had not yet met to discuss updates and rewrites to the memorial and street naming policy. The commission clarified that it wanted an overhaul of any existing policy, rather than an edit to what already existed.

Commissioner Johnson directed staff to collect information on the unsubmitted Lincoln Street downtown historic district nomination.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

d. Review and recommendation of deck construction at 300 Baranof Street.

Will introduced a request for recommendation for deck construction at 300 Baranof Street. The applicant was looking to install a door to a backyard area and patio/deck. The commission noted that the building was not a part of a historic district or grouping of historic buildings. No public comment was received.

M/Johnson-S/Poulson moved to recommend approval of the deck construction at 300 Baranof Street. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

e. Discussion of an appeal regarding the demolition permit for a structure at 203 Kaagwaantaan Street

Ainslie provided the commission an update regarding the demolition permit for a structure at 203 Kaagwaantaan Street. In the time since the commission's March 10 meeting, STA had submitted a letter asserting interest in the property because of its history. Ainslie said that after a review of code, it was determined that the letter was not so definitive that the permit could not be issued by the Planning Department. Ainslie said that she had signed the permit on April 4, but due to

apparent interest in an appeal, the permit would not be passed to the Building Department until a 14-day appeal period lapsed on April 18, 2024.

Ainslie said the commission could choose to voice support for the appeal in the form of a letter if desired. She said too that the commission could elect to pass relevant information to STA for the purposes of an appeal. The commission moved on the former but not the latter.

Four members of the public gave comment in support of an appeal by STA.

During discussion, the commission remarked on the short appeals timeline. Ainslie said that STA could file an initial appeal, to be followed up after the lapse of the appeal period with further information.

Commissioners Brady-Howard and Johnson recused themselves from the votes, as they both sat on the STA Tribal Council. Both participated in discussion.

M/Rutledge-S/Lucas moved to recommend Sitka Tribe of Alaska file an appeal of the demolition permit at 203 Kaagwaantaan Street. Motion passed 5-0 by roll call vote.

M/Lucas-S/Rutledge moved to provide a letter to the CBS Municipal Administrator supporting STA's appeal of the demolition permit at 203 Kaagwaantaan Street due to the historical nature of the property. Motion passed 5-0 by voice vote.

Following the vote on Item E, Chair Littlefield recessed the meeting at 7:30 p.m. The meeting resumed at 7:38 p.m.

f. Review and recommendation of deck replacement at 468 Katlian Street. Will introduced a request for review of a deck replacement at 468 Katlian Street. The applicant was proposing the replacement an existing deck and enclosing a small porch.

Commissioner Johnson asked staff if the construction would involve digging, and requested the applicant be informed of procedures for encountering human remains if digging was to be involved with the construction.

M/Johnson-S/Fiorino moved to recommend approval of the deck replacement at 468 Katlian Street. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

g. Review and recommendation of entryway at 331 Lincoln Street.Will presented the commission with a request for review of an entryway and window at 331 Lincoln Street. The applicant was looking to reinstall an entryway at the Coliseum Theater, and place a window next to the existing doorway.

No public comment was received. Commissioner Poulson noted that the building was likely eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places, and that it had once been a part of the Moose Lodge.

M/Johnson-S/Brady-Howard moved to recommend approval of the entryway and window at 331 Lincoln Street. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

h. Review and recommendation of new awning at 334 Lincoln Street.

Will introduced a request for review of a new awning to be placed along the back of the commercial building at 334 Lincoln Street. The awning was to extend three feet from the existing structure, and was to run 51 feet along the structure's side to protect doors and an electrical box from rain.

No public comment was received. The commission clarified with staff that the awning was to be a hard awning, made of wood, rather than a soft one.

M/Johnson-S/Fiorino moved to recommend approval of a new awning at 334 Lincoln Street. Motion passed 7-0 by voice vote.

VIII. SET NEXT MEETING DATE(S):

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IX. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Littlefield adjourned the meeting at 8:20 p.m.

ATTEST:		
Ariadne Will		
Planner I		

Sítka Historic Preservation Commission

For Request for Review of Potential Impacts to Heritage Resource(s)

A. Contact Name Josh McGlone Address 107 Bah FT EN City SHROW State Zip 998 Phone 907-738-3846 Fax email McGlone Cor	335 15truction@
B. Agency undertaking project: (circle) Private City State Federal Department	
C. Date Agency received proposed project:	
D. Are Federal funds involved (grants, funding, agency)	yes no x
E. Are State funds involved (grants, funding, agency)	yes no
F. Will the project affect a National Historic Landmark or a site in the National Register of Historic Places? (See Appendix A)	yes no
G. Is the site listed in the Alaska Heritage Resource Survey inventory? If yes, Site Number Preservation Status (refer to AHRS inventory for more information)	yes no
H. Is the Project within the Sitka Indian Village or Downtown Sitka	yes no N
I. Build date of current structure 1984	
J. Describe the proposed project To build a detached garage	
K. Purpose/Objectives for the undertaking Storage and working on progests	
 L. Attach: Copy of a map of the proposed project including latitudinal and longitudinal information Property owner information Any other pertinent information 	(
Mail Coversheet and attachments to:	
Sitka Historic Preservation Commission C/O City and Borough of Sitka 100 Lincoln Street Sitka, Alaska 99835	
Notes to Applicant: Review will take place only during regular commission meetings or on an as needed basis. Projects along Lincoln or Katlian Streets will require review with Planning Department staff. The meetings are public and convene the second Wednesday of each month as advertised. Review process may take up to 60 days. The SHPC reserves the right to request additional information and/or time to review projects. FOR THE CHAIR OF THE HPC ONLY:	
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City and Borough of Sitka Public Works Department



FOUNDATION ONLY PERMIT

CBS BLDG DEPT

This permit is issued to the undersigned with the understanding that the applicant assumes all responsibility for the construction of the foundation, realizing that the plans have not been completely checked nor approved for construction, as to the loads presumed to be carried on the foundation or as to the superstructure to be erected thereon. Note that a sprinkler main cannot be run under the building it serves.

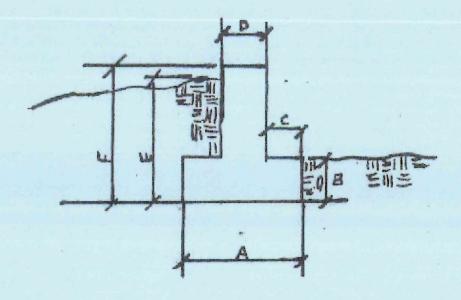
Before the foundation is used or a permit is issued for the construction of any structure on the foundation, the same must be made to conform in every manner with current ordinances and laws governing the construction of foundations for buildings. In issuing this permit, the municipality makes no warranties concerning compliance with either codes or ordinances and takes no responsibility for any failure of compliance or its consequences.

City approval of this permit does not authorize encroachment into any easement, required zoning setback, or recorded or unrecorded utility easement. Note that not all easements are reflected on plats. Nor does approval invalidate any covenants or subdivision plat restrictions. We strongly recommend a title search prior to any construction.

No work above the sole plate is to be started before a building permit has been issued. This permit must be submitted with a plot plan showing the location of <u>all</u> existing and proposed structures, and **showing** discharge of drainage from yards, roofs, and foundations.

STREET ADDRESS: 50/ Park ST
OWNER/APPLICANT: Josh M-Glone CONTACT PHONE: 738-3846
OWNER/APPLICANT SIGNATURE: 21/11/1/25 DATE: 4-14-25
CITY ENGINEER/utilities connection application req'd for new structures:
PLANNING DIRECTOR:ELECTRIC DEPT:
BUILDING OFFICIAL:WATER/WASTEWATER DEPT:
DRAINAGE:SPRINKLER MAIN LOCATION:
FLOOD ZONE:
Elevation certificate is required for any structure located within a flood plain.
<u>Unless specifically approved otherwise, this permit does NOT authorize construction of a stem wall or retaining device more than four (4) feet in height.</u>
COMMENTS:

TYPICAL FOOTING/STEM WALL MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS



SINGLE STORY	2 STORY	3 STORY
A = 12"	A = 15"	A = 18"
B = 6''	$\mathbf{B} = 7$ "	B = 8''
C = 3''	C = 3 1/2"	C = 4''
$\mathbf{D} = 6''$	D = 8"	$\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{10''}$
E = 18"	$\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{18''}$	E=24"
F = VARIES	F = VARIES	F = VARIES

NOTE:

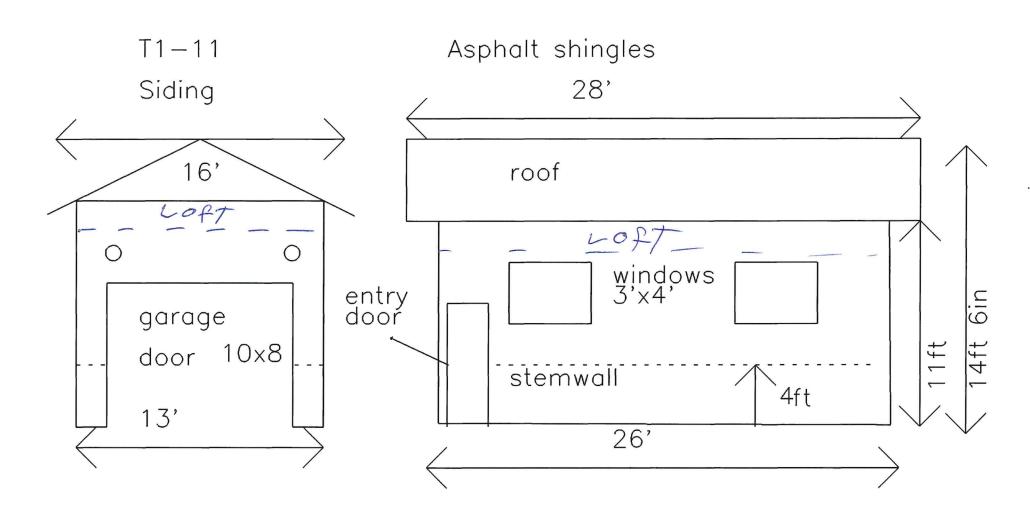
- 1. Additional design criteria include but are not necessarily limited to the following:
 - a. Frost Depth: 18" (Base of footing, or base of non-frost susceptible fill, must be 18" or more below grade)
 - b. Seismic: 0.2 second spectral response, $Ss = 0.97 \ g \ 1.0$ second spectral response, $S1 = 0.50 \ g$
 - c. Wind Speed, fastest 3-second gust 120 mph
 - d. Snowload 50 psf ground snow load
- 2. Reinforcing steel shall be designed for each structure following either the criteria outlined in the 2012 IRC (for residential) or 2012 IBC (for public/commercial), or other nationally recognized standards.

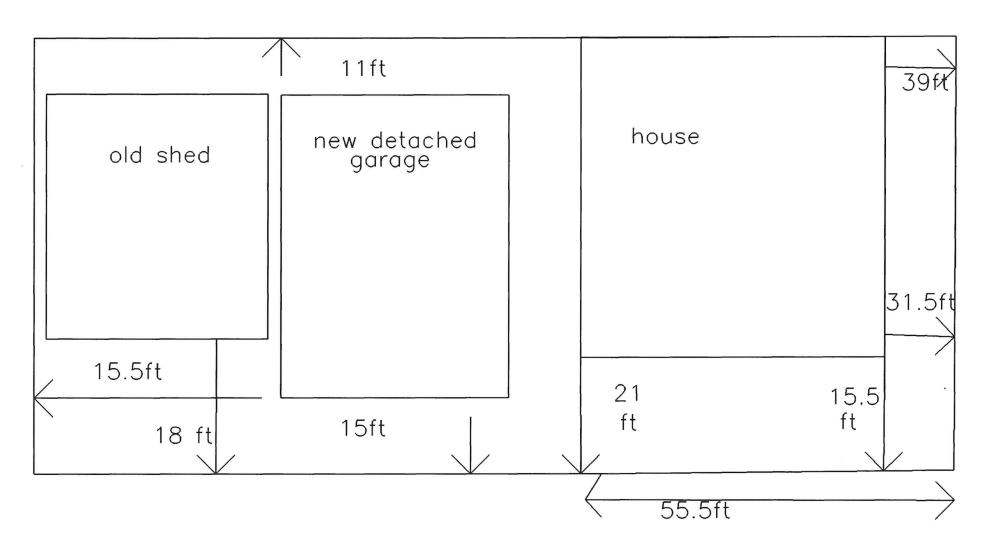




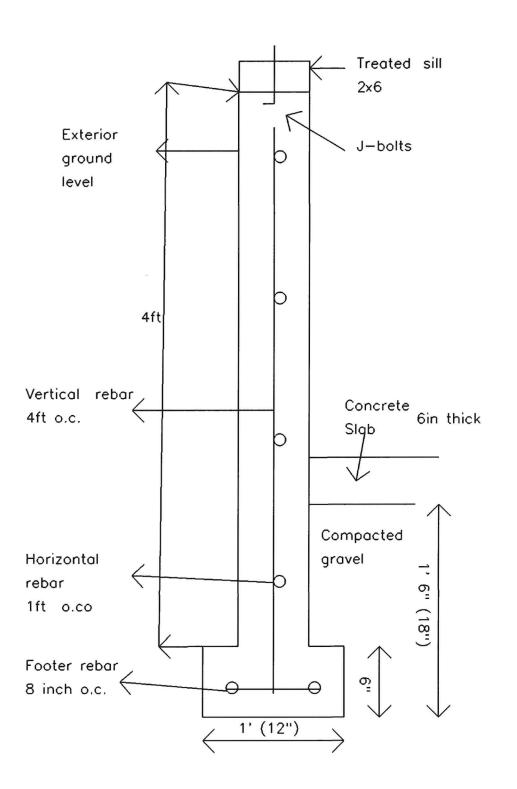
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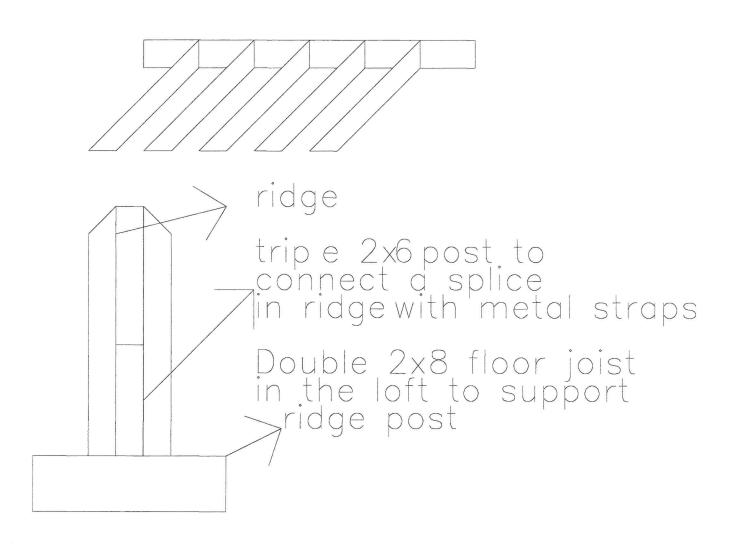






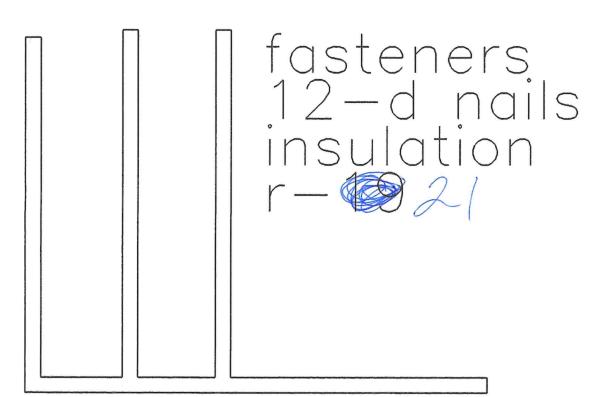


roof framing ridge2x12 rafters 2x10 simpsom hangers tie down sheeting 5/8 cdx fasteners12d,10d,teco nail r-30 insulation,baffles eav and ridge vent



wall framing 2x46studs 2ft O.C. headers

6 4x12 sheeting t1-11 siding





other materials use interior wall sheeting 1/2 cdx vapor barrier, house wrap asphalt shingles 15# felt, self adhesive membrane gutters Electrical to be done by home owner new service entry power from the city







April 24, 2025

City and Borough of Sitka c/o Planning & Community Development Attn: Amy Ainslie, Planning Director 100 Lincoln St., 2nd Floor Sitka, AK 99835 907-747-1814 planning@cityofsitka.org

Sitka Historical Society & Museum Attn: Sabra Jenkins, President 330 Harbor Drive Sitka, AK 99835 907-738-3766 sitkaempress@yahoo.com

Subject: Invite to Comment

SWAN LAKE

404 Sawmill Creek Rd, Sitka, Sitka Borough, AK 99835

EBI Project No.: 032990-PR

Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, the regulations promulgated thereunder and interagency agreements developed thereto, EBI Consulting, Inc., on behalf of AT&T Mobility, LLC, provides this notice of a proposed telecommunications facility installation at the address listed above.

EBI would like to inquire if you would be interested in commenting on this proposed project. Please refer to the attached plans for additional details.

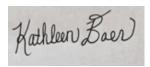
Please note that we are requesting your review of the attached information as part of the Section 106 process only and not as part of the local zoning process. We are only seeking comments related to the proposed project's potential effect to historic properties.

Please submit your comments regarding the proposed project's potential effect on historic properties to EBI Consulting, to my attention at 21 B Street, Burlington, MA 01803, or contact me via telephone at the number listed below. Please reference the EBI project number. We would appreciate your comments as soon as possible within the next 30 days.

Note that this project will be entered into the Federal Communication Commission's e106 System, which will send notifications of the project throughout the Section 106 process.

Sincerely,





Kathleen Baer Senior Architectural Historian 856-412-3272 kbaer@ebiconsulting.com

Appendices: Maps and Project Drawings

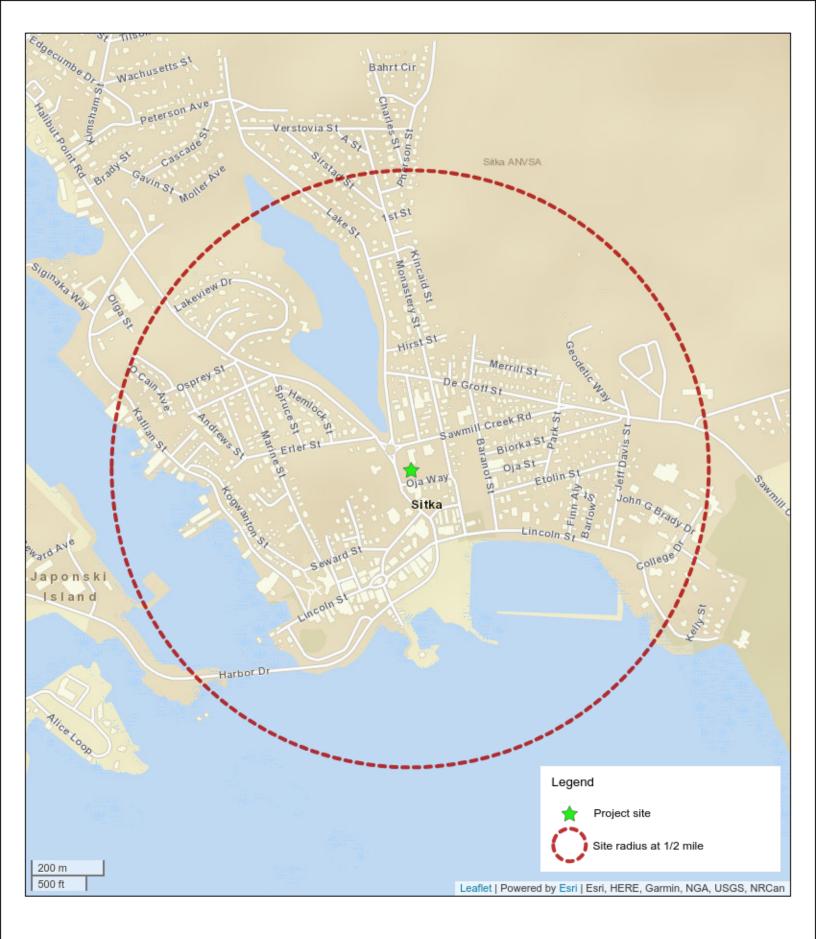




Figure 1: Site Location Map SWAN LAKE 404 Sawmill Creek Rd Sitka, AK 99835







Figure 2: Topographic Map

SWAN LAKE 306 Lake St Sitka, AK 99835



CODE COMPLIANCE

ALL WORK AND MATERIALS SHALL BE PERFORMED AND INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT EDITIONS OF THE FOLLOWING CODES AS ADOPTED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNING AUTHORITIES.

- ALASKA BUILDING CODE 2021/IBC 2021
- ALASKA FIRE CODE 2021/IFC 2021 ALASKA MECHANICAL CODE 2021/IMC 2021
- ALASKA FUEL GAS CODE 2021
- ALASKA ELECTRICAL CODE 2020



PROPOSED BUILD LTE ONLY 1C: USID FA CODE

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⊹MasTec **Network Solutions**



SITE NUMBER: JN3050

SITE NAME: **SWAN LAKE**

MONOPOLE / WALK-UP-CABINET (WUC) SITE TYPE:

ADDRESS: 404 SAWMILL CREEK RD SITKA, ALASKA, 99835

APN: 1-2356-000

PROJECT TEAM

APPLICANT / LESSEE: AT&T MOBILITY ARCHITECT / ENGINEER: M SQUARED WIRELESS: 7277 164TH AVE NE 1387 CALLE AVANZADO REDMOND, WA 98052 SAN CLEMENTE, CA 92673 CONTACT: CONTACT: MICHAEL EMΔII · MONTELLO

PHONE: (949) 391-6824 PHONE: MICHAEL@MSQUAREDWIRELESS.COM

M SQUARED WIRELESS SITEDEV@MSQUAREDWIRELESS.COM PHONE: (619) 669-8872

AT&T MOBILITY 7277 164TH AVE NE REDMOND, WA 98052 CONTACT PHONE

CONSTRUCTION MANAGER: MASTEC

SITE ACQUISITION:

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VICINITY MAP

LOCAL MAP

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

AT&T WIRELESS PROPOSES TO CONSTRUCT AN UNMANNED TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY. THE SCOPE WILL CONSIST OF THE FOLLOWING:

PROPOSED AT&T POWER / TELCO / FIBER TO SITE LOCATION WITH ASSOC. EQUIPMENT INSTALL

PROPOSED CHAIN LINK FENCE ENCLOSURE WITH INSTALL ANTI-CLIMB BARRIER

INSTALL (1) PROPOSED MONOPOLE

INSTALL (1) PROPOSED AT&T PRE-MANUFACTURED WALK-UP-CABINET

• INSTALL (1) PROPOSED AT&T ANTENNA T-ARM MOUNT ASSEMBLY WITH (12) MOUNTING PIPES

• INSTALL (6) PROPOSED AT&T PANEL ANTENNAS

 INSTALL (0) FROPOSED AT&T PANEL ANTENNAS
 INSTALL (12) PROPOSED AT&T RUS @ ANTENNA LEVEL
 INSTALL (2) PROPOSED AT&T SURGE PROTECTION "SQUIDS" @ ANTENNA LEVEL

 INSTALL (1) PROPOSED AT&T GPS UNIT MOUNTED TO PROPOSED PRE-MANUFACTURED WALK-UP-CABINET (WUC)

INSTALL (1) PROPOSED AT&T 30KW DIESEL EMERGENCY BACKUP GENERATOR WITH BELLY TANK

 IINSTALL (2) PROPOSED AT&T 24PR FIBER TRUNKS • INSTALL (6) PROPOSED AT&T DC POWER TRUNKS

SITE INFORMATION

SITKA SUPER MOTEL 8, INC. PROPERTY OWNER:

JOHN EMMI PO BOX 4850

ABERDEEN, ALASKA 57402

JURISDICTION: CITY/BOROUGH OF SITKA COUNTY: CITY/BOROUGH OF SITKA

1-2356-000 ZONING CLASSIFICATION: COMMERCIAL C-1 LATITUDE (NAD 83): N 57° 3' 29.8224' LONGITUDE (NAD 83): W 135° 20' 2.724' GROUND ELEVATION: 250.4 FT. TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION:

UNMANNED OUTDOOR PROPOSED USE: TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY

A.D.A COMPLIANCE: FACILITY IS AN UNMANNED EQUIPMENT SPACE NOT INTENDED FOR HUMAN HABITATION. HANDICAP ACCESS IS NOT REQUIRED PER A.D.A

AT&T

TOWER OWNER: POWER PROVIDER

FIBER PROVIDER:

OCCUPANCY GROUP:

DO NOT SCALE DRAWINGS

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FAIRBANKS: 1-907-459-6400

STATEWIDE: 1-800-478-3121

OR **DIAL 811**!

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- 2. TURN LEFT TOWARD AIRPORT RD
- 3. TURN RIGHT ONTO AIRPORT RD 4. CONTINUE ONTO HARBOR DR
- 5. CONTINUE ONTO F-99/LAKE ST
- 6. ARRIVE AT 306 LAKE STREET, SITKA, ALASKA 99835

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ISSUED FOR:

SITKA, ALASKA, 99835

404 SAWMILL CREEK RD

SWAN LAKE

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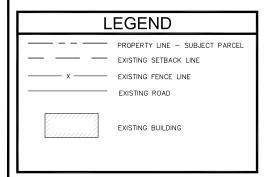
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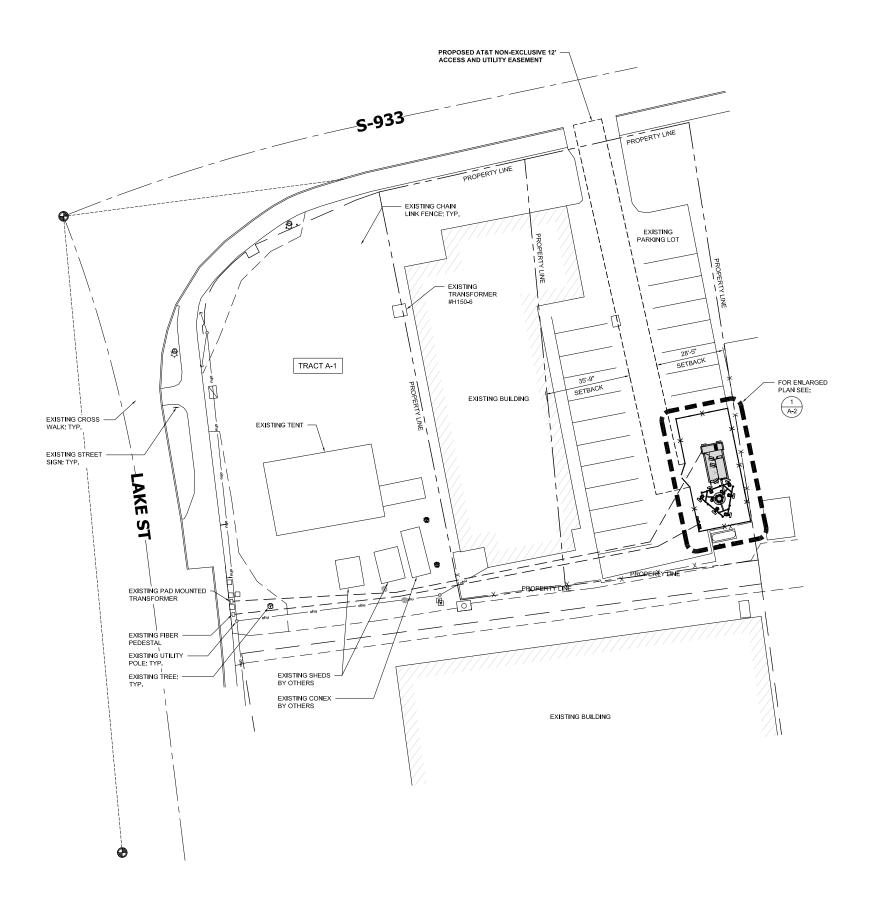
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NOTES:

- THE WIRELESS COMMUNICATION FACILITY COMPLIES WITH FEDERAL STANDARDS FOR RADIO FREQUENCY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TELECOMMUNICATION ACT OF 1996 AND SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS AND ANY OTHER REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED BY STATE OR FEDERAL REGULATORY AGENCIES.
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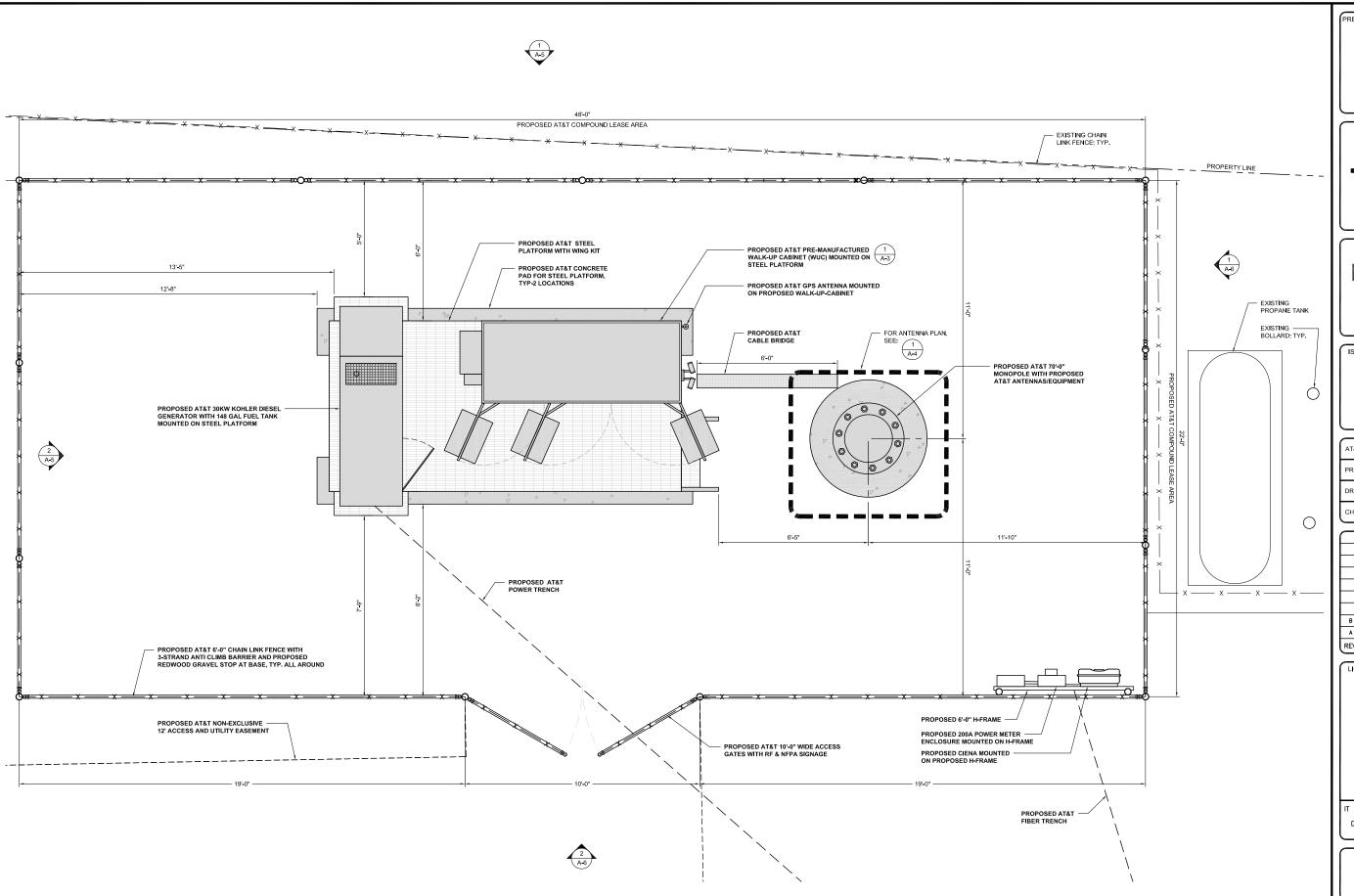
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24"x36" SCALE: 1" = 20'-0" 11"x17" SCALE: 1" = 40'-0"







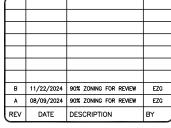


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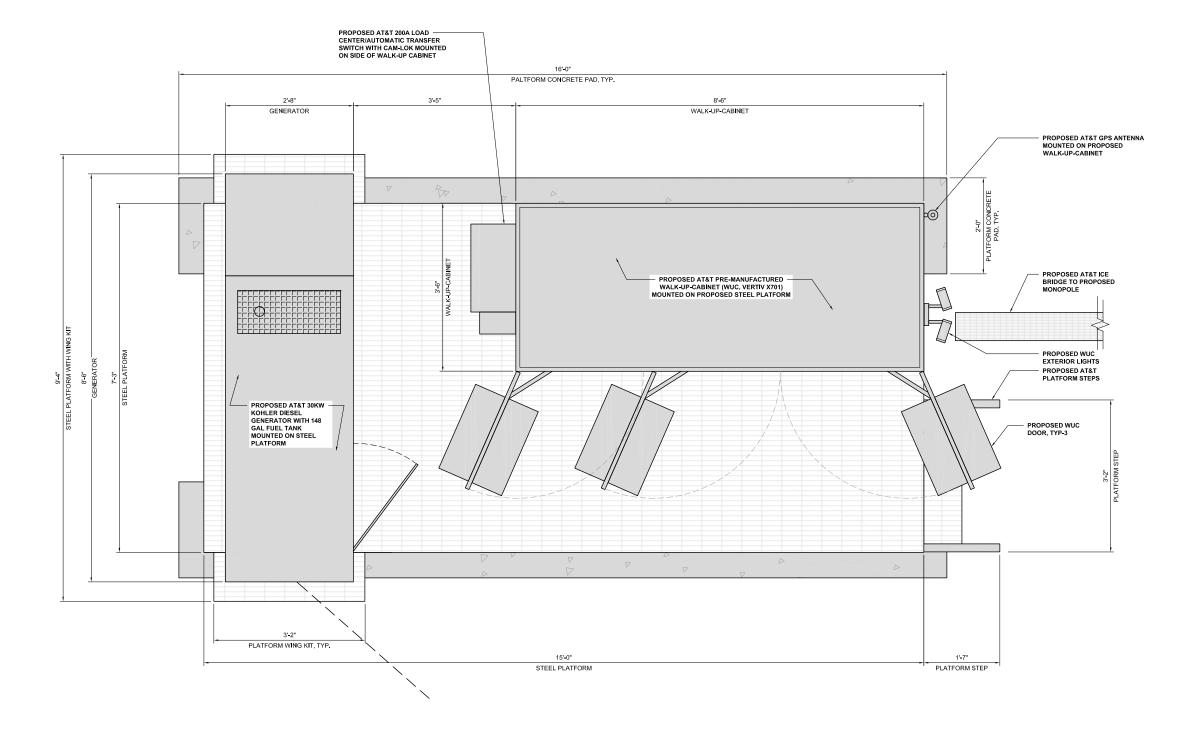
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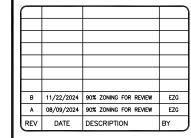


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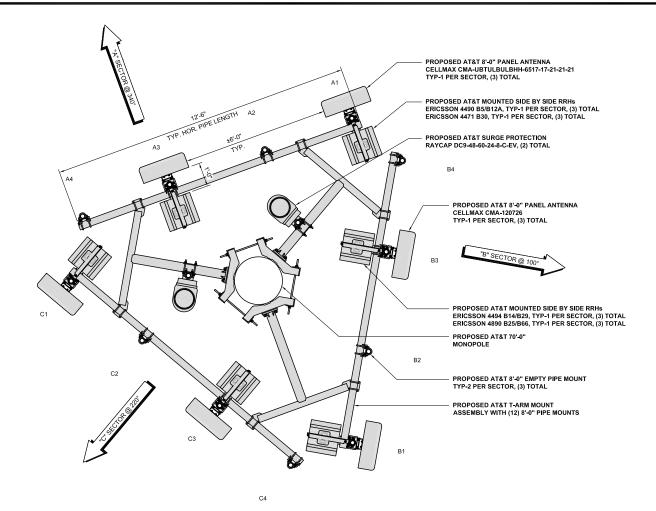
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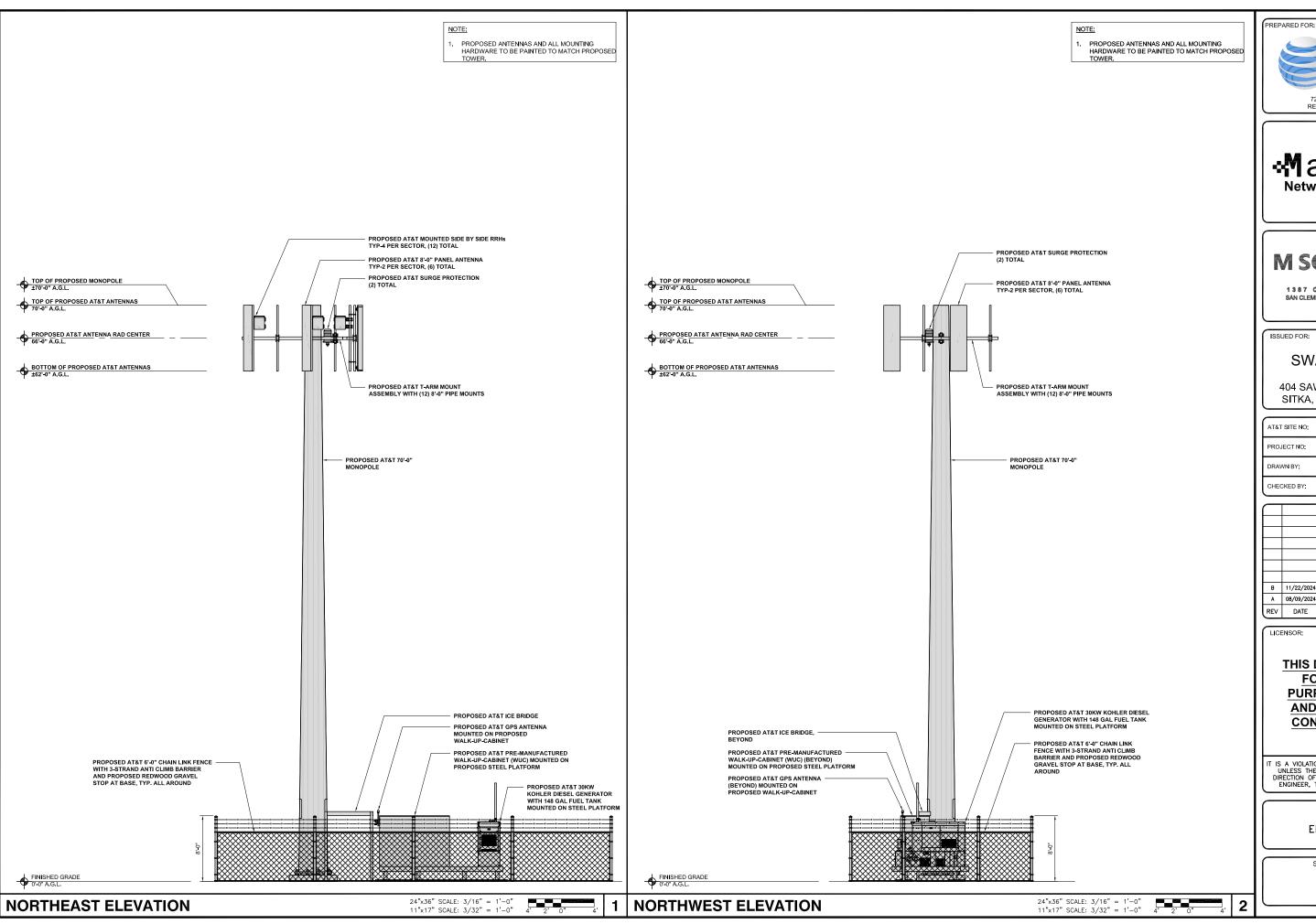
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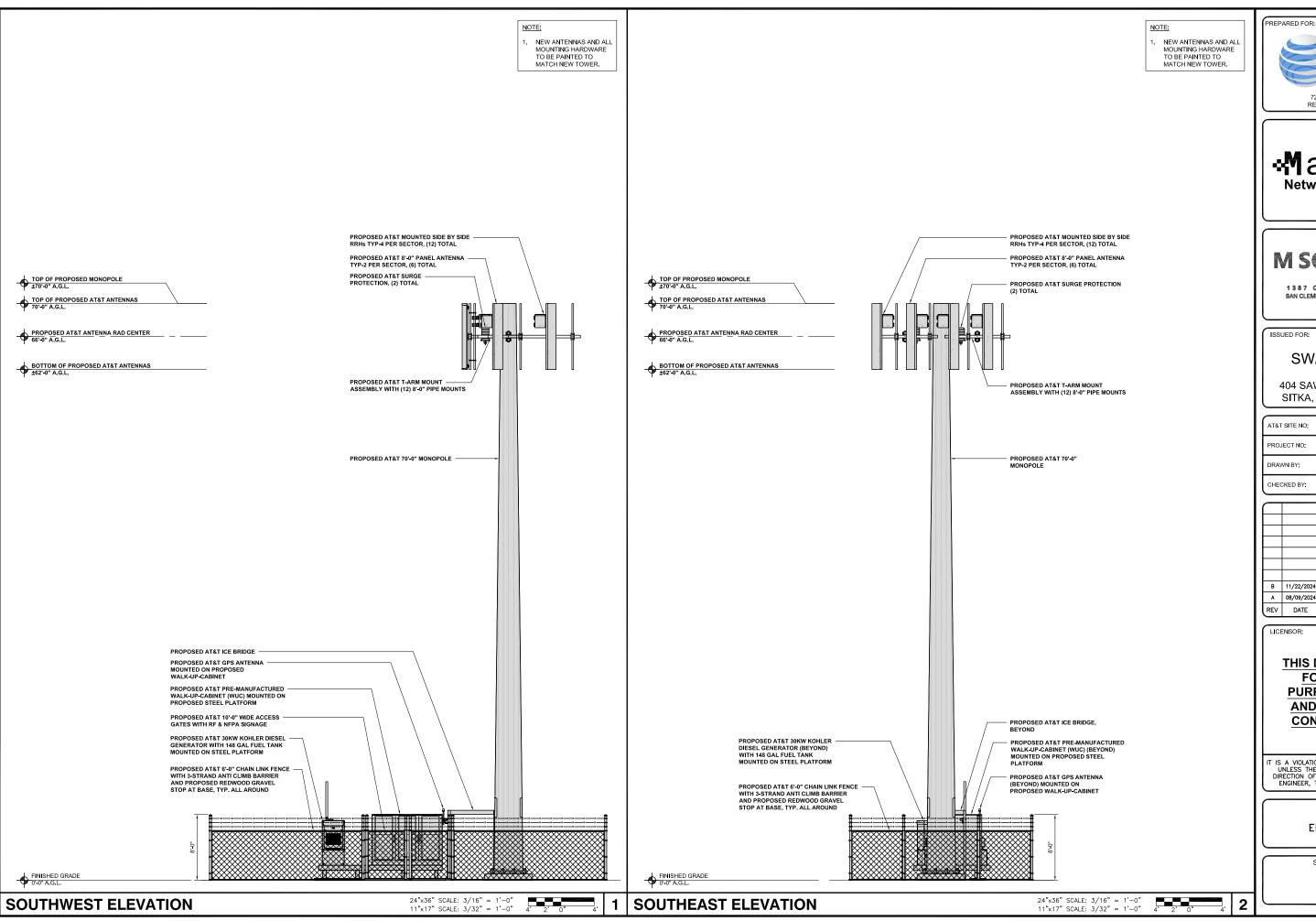
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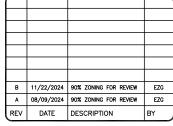
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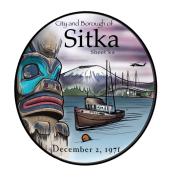
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MEMORANDUM

To: Chair Littlefield and Historic Preservation Commission Members

From: Ariadne Will, Planner I

Date: May 9, 2025

Subject: Historic District Nominations and Discussion

At the April 9 Historic Preservation Commission meeting, Commissioners requested background information regarding the nomination of historic districts in Sitka to the National Register of Historic Places.

Staff has provided background documents and written summary and analysis that may be pertinent to further discussion regarding historic districts.

Overview of Historic District Nominations

The Planning and Community Development Department has record of historic district nominations for both the Lincoln Street Historic Business District and the Sitka Indian Village Historic District. The Sitka Indian Village nomination was submitted in 2009; the Lincoln Street nomination form was somewhat completed in 2014 but never finalized or submitted.

Sitka Indian Village Nomination

In 2009, Sitka Tribe of Alaska completed and submitted a historic district nomination for Sitka Indian Village. The Planning Office retains a near-complete copy of this nomination in its records. The nomination form explains that the historic district nomination by STA was one of the results of a 2006 Historic Preservation Grant from the National Park Service.

In a recent phone call with staff at the State Historic Preservation Office, the CBS Planning Office mentioned the historic district nomination of the village. SHPO staff said it was unsure what became of the nomination after its review, and that the nomination is believed to have been held up somewhere at the federal level. SHPO staff suggested STA resubmit the existing historic district nomination form.

Lincoln Street Historic Business District Nomination

In 2013—with funding from a CLG grant—CBS contracted with True North Sustainable Development Solutions to conduct a survey of historic structures along Lincoln Street. Between 2013 and 2014, True North conducted that survey and put together a draft nomination of the district to the National Register.

Documents indicate that the draft nomination form included within True North's 2014 report was perceived as a complete nomination form by the Historic Preservation Commission. HPC recommended the submittal of the draft nomination form at its January 14, 2015 meeting and the form was then forwarded to the Planning Commission, which recommended the nomination's submittal at its March 3, 2015 meeting. Following Planning Commission recommendation, the draft nomination was scheduled to appear before the Assembly on May 12, 2015. It is believed that between March 3 and May 12, CBS received a letter (undated) from True North stating the draft nomination was not intended to serve as a submitted nomination to the National Register. True North said further research was necessary before submittal and offered additional consulting services at that time. It does not appear True North provided CBS with an editable version of the draft nomination form, though CBS retains a watermarked version of the draft within True North's final 2014 report.

Historic District Ordinances

Historic districts may also be formed by way of city ordinance. Planning Office staff has reached out to the City and Borough of Juneau (CBJ) regarding the formation of historic districts within CBJ; in preliminary conversations, it appears that the function of historic districts in Juneau is similar to the function of the map used by CBS staff to determine whether a building permit requires HPC review. Those conducting building projects within CBJ historic districts are invited but not required to take projects for recommendation by Juneau's Historic Resources Advisory Committee. The CBS process is more extensive in that it is mandatory for all projects falling within the identified area to receive HPC review.

CBJ staff also said that actions regarding historic districts have been conducted largely with support from CLG grants and aided by internal support from a former staff member who specialized in historic preservation planning, but who no longer works at CBJ.

Implementation of Historic District Ordinances and Nominations

Were CBS to create an ordinance identifying historic districts and creating planning and zoning restrictions within those districts, a funding source—such as CLG grants—will need to be identified and pursued. HPC, the Planning Commission, the Assembly, and Planning staff, in conjunction with other CBS departments, would need to carefully consider the purpose of such an ordinance, the ability of CBS to implement and enforce regulations put forth by said ordinance, and the broader community's receptiveness to proposed regulations.

Further, consideration and implementation of an ordinance regarding historic districts, and how they will function for Sitka specifically, will require significant staff time for research, drafting, public input sessions, and review. Staff time for such a project will require approval from the Assembly.

Nominations to the National Register will require less consideration and reflection by the broader community but will also lack the regulatory process HPC has shown interest in at previous meetings. As with an ordinance regarding historic districts, the completion of nomination forms by CBS may require additional funding and staff time.

Recommendations

Staff requests HPC provide additional direction regarding the researching and creation of historic districts and welcomes any questions HPC has regarding different regulatory options for historic districts. HPC should also discuss the desired timing for historic district project work: key considerations include the next round of available CLG grant funding and the municipality's budget cycle (project proposals for the following fiscal year are generally due by December).

HPC may also consider contacting STA regarding the 2009 nomination of Sitka Indian Village—though STA may want to modify the existing nomination form prior to submittal, much of the application remains relevant and the staff member who completed the form in 2009 remains a staff member at STA.

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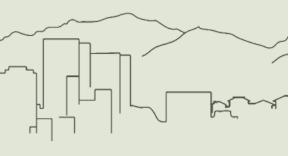
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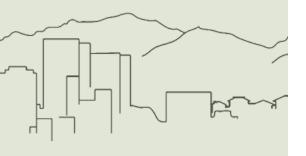
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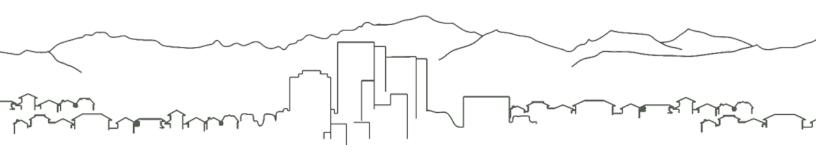


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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The City and Borough of Sitka, Sitka Historic Preservation Commission, and the Revitalize Sitka Working Group, under a Certified Local Government (CLG) grant, have interest in preparing a National Register nomination narrative for Lincoln Street, with the primary goal to evaluate the significance and determine whether or not the downtown business area is a historic district eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). Assessing the potential for additional historic districts along Lincoln Street is yet another component to the CLG grant.

True North Sustainable Development Solutions, LLC, (TNSDS) was contracted by the Sitka Historic Preservation Commission to conduct a survey, research the historic significance, and assess the physical integrity of the historic properties along Lincoln Street. Specific emphasis was placed on inventorying and evaluating those historic properties between the Petro Marine Station and the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel so that a determination of eligibility (DOE) can be prepared to assess the potential for establishing a historic business district and including it on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). The area along Lincoln Street, east of the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel was also included in the survey, but it was less intensive. A team of historic preservation professionals surveyed the entire length of Lincoln Street in January of 2014, documenting and photographing all buildings and the streetscape from the Petro Marine Station to the Sitka National Historical Park (Totem Park).

Research was conducted into the dates of construction and alterations as far as could be determined. By developing a historic context and identifying areas and periods of significance, researchers were able to determine that roughly half of the downtown businesses in the survey area show a high degree of physical integrity and therefore convey a feeling and association with a period of militaristic build-up and subsequent commercial growth in the Sitka area beginning in the late 1930s and continuing into the mid-1960s, when a fire destroyed much of the downtown area. From this, the Sitka Historic Business District (SIT-00988) was defined and determined eligible for inclusion in the NRHP.

The Sitka Historic Business District is comprised of a total of 31 commercial and mixed-use buildings, of which 18 are contributing to the district. Further preliminary investigation was conducted into the potential for additional historic districts along Lincoln Street. As a result, a potential second historic district was identified along the eastern portion of Lincoln Street, from its intersection with Lake Street, to where it ends at Metlakatla Street. The second district, loosely termed the Sitka Historic Mission District, contains 28 properties that are historic in age, as well as a National Historic Monument and a National Historic Landmark. Eleven of the 28 properties are currently listed on the NRHP, either as individually eligible or as contributing properties of a listed historic district/landmark. Further investigation will have to be undertaken to determine the significance of this area as it relates to local and regional events and various patterns of development.



INTRODUCTION

In October of 2012, the Revitalize Sitka Working Group (RSWG), a body of community members and downtown merchants established that it was of vital importance to the health and wellbeing of the community of Sitka, Alaska to promote a downtown that was healthy, sustainable, and vibrant. Through regular meetings, a notion evolved that local accessibility, a healthy visitor industry, economically thriving businesses, as well as an aesthetically pleasing downtown are aspects of a lively downtown commercial district. This group developed a common understanding that a preservation-based commercial district revitalization was not only in the best interest of locals by protecting and preserving Sitka's history, but also an opportunity to support and enhance Sitka's visitor industry. Due to the significant number of historic properties in the downtown area, the prospect of one or more historic districts was explored. The Sitka Historic Preservation Commission submitted a grant application to the Alaska Office of History and Archaeology (OHA), who administers federal Historic Preservation Funds for the state, for funds to establish a historic district. The Historic Preservation Fund Grant is offered by way of Sitka's Certified Local Government. The City and Borough of Sitka (CBS) was awarded a CLG grant in fall of 2013 and hired True North Sustainable Development Solutions, LLC, (TNSDS), a historic preservation firm from Anchorage, Alaska. TNSDS completed a historic structures survey of the entire length of Lincoln Street, with emphasis placed on the downtown business area. TNSDS researched historic images, newspaper archives, Alaska Office of History and Archaeology (OHA) repositories, and publications relating to the business area of downtown Sitka. From this research, a statement of significance was developed for a period dating from 1937 to 1966, which was a time when World War II build-up aided in the commercial growth. Building types and styles were identified for properties in the business district, and evaluation considerations were established to aid in the determination of whether or not individual properties retained enough physical integrity to contribute to a downtown historic business district. Once it was established that a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP existed in the downtown commercial area, a National Register narrative was prepared for the Sitka Historic Business District. The Sitka Historic Business District (SIT-00988) is comprised of 31 commercial and multi-use buildings, with 18 contributing and 13 non-contributing properties. The survey of historic buildings along Lincoln Street also resulted in identifying a potential second historic district from its intersection with Lake Street to at the end of Metlakatla Street. The second district, loosely termed the Sitka Historic Mission District, contains 28 properties historic in age (45 years or older). Eleven of the 28 properties are currently listed on the NRHP either individually or as contributing properties to a National Historic Landmark. A strong religious missionary presence was established on Lincoln Street, beginning with the Russians in 1840. The Episcopal, Presbyterian,

and Catholic Churches followed after the U.S. Purchase of Alaska, and their history is conveyed through the residential homes, churches, schools, industrial, and civic buildings that make up the built environment along the eastern portion of Lincoln Street.

This report contains findings and recommendations from the survey, research, and evaluation of the Sitka Historic Business District. A portion of this report also pertains to the initial findings of a potential second historic district along Lincoln Street. Recommendations for future action of both historic districts are also provided.

CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA VISION FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Since the mid-1970s, the CBS has diligently planned for economic growth within the community. Beginning with basic development plans and continuing with detailed neighborhood plans, the CBS has been proactive in balancing commercial, tourism, and residential needs as the community has grown. Below is a synopsis of the planning efforts by the CBS that have led to the current Lincoln Street project, which was spearheaded by the RSWG and the Sitka Historic Preservation Commission.

The Sitka City Planning Department, CBS, with aid from the Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs, prepared a comprehensive development plan for Sitka in 1976.¹ This comprehensive plan addressed a variety of community concerns and recommends the establishment of a historic preservation commission and the completion of a historic buildings survey of downtown Sitka.

In January of 1982, Construction Engineering Services and Stocker Construction completed a Downtown Commercial Building Historical and Structural Survey for the State of Alaska Division of Community Planning, Department of Community and Regional Affairs, and the City and Borough of Sitka. The report provided a general inventory of buildings known to be historic in age throughout Sitka, along with recommendations for rehabilitating structures.²

In April of 1993, the CBS passed an ordinance creating the Sitka Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) in an effort to undertake historic preservation actions, including the development of a plan to protect and preserve cultural resources within Sitka.

City and Borough of Sitka, Comprehensive Development Plan for the City and Borough of Sitka, (Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs, Juneau, 1976).

² Construction Engineering Services and Stocker Construction, Downtown Commercial Building Historical and Structural Survey, (City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska Division of Community Planning, 1982.)

The commission currently consists of ten members, with meetings held the second Wednesday of every month. The commission generated the HPC Plan in 1994. The goal of this plan was to protect, promote, and enhance historic resources.³ A key component to the plan was to establish and maintain an inventory of known prehistoric, historic, and architectural resources of the CBS, and to review and make recommendations concerning undertakings that may impact cultural resources. A second component of the plan was to garner local support and address local preservation concerns of Sitka residents. The Sitka HPC was also made responsible for overseeing CLG grants obtained for preservation-related projects and for serving as an advisory to the CBS on issues and topics relating historic properties in Sitka.

In 1997, the CBS completed a Gateway Community Planning Effort. The project took data obtained from a 1996 workshop in Sitka and used the information to generate design recommendations and a range of alternatives for development types for various planning districts in Sitka, including the "Lincoln Street District." Goals of the plan for Lincoln Street were to provide a better experience for visitors while accommodating the practical needs of the residents, and to capitalize on the small-scale character of the street and its unique architecture. Guidelines for development and redevelopment along the business sector of Lincoln Street included design guidelines for building exteriors, including roof types, massing, wall cladding, paving, and landscape finishes.

An Inventory of Historic Sites and Structures was completed in September of 1997 by Vanguard Research for the Sitka HPC and the CBS.⁵ The project was the first effort for Sitka as a CLG to meet state and federal regulations and to obtain base data for future planning efforts. The report documented historic buildings and sites located within the CBS through archival research that included the Alaska OHA database and archives, the Tongass National Forest archives, Bureau of Indian Affairs report files, and published academic, scholarly, and ethnographic accounts in the region.

In 1999, the CBS completed a comprehensive plan with established goals and policies, as well as a detailed map of land use recommendations.⁶ The plan was designed to provide useguidance for city infrastructure improvements, education, transportation, and recreation enhancement opportunities, while maintaining the historic character of the various neigh-

3 City and Borough of Sitka, Sitka Historic Preservation Commission Plan (Sitka; Historic Preservation Commission, 1994). borhoods in Sitka. A section designated for recreation and culture highlighted the need for aesthetic improvements in the downtown business corridor along Lincoln Street and recommended various land use options for the business area to elevate foot traffic and increase heritage tourism.

The Sitka Visitor Industry Plan was completed in 2007 by Agnew Beck Consulting of Anchorage, under the supervision of the Long Range Planning and Economic Development Commission. The plan was a continuation of tourism planning that had begun in 2005 with the CBS Assembly. A collaborative effort for obtaining community input and addressing concerns pertaining to visitor and community issues was part of this planning effort. The resulting documents provided recommendations for tackling public concerns and presented new ideas and perspectives for future planning. Increasing and improving promotion of Sitka's heritage and historic resources was identified as a key strategy for increasing tourism.

The Sitka Economic Development Association holds an annual "State of the Sitka Economy" business-planning event. In 2008, a special report was presented by McDowell Group, Inc., to clarify and expand the information presented in the March 2008 meeting. In addition to the normal overview of the Sitka economy, a special section addressed Sitka's role in the regional tourism and seafood industries. The report concluded by summarizing Sitka's economic development issues and opportunities. The creation of a downtown historic district and promoting heritage tourism was identified as a possible economic development opportunity.⁸

In 2010, the Sitka Historic Preservation Plan was drafted by Sea-Level Consulting, under the guidance of the Sitka Historic Preservation Commission. Such plan was initiated by the Sitka Historic Preservation Commission to identify goals and objectives for historic preservation and provide guidance for cultural resource management within the City and Borough of Sitka. Its development was funded in part by a Federal Historic Preservation Fund, administered by the Alaska OHA, for use by local CLGs. Matching funds needed for the grant were provided by the City and Borough of Sitka. The Sitka HPC, the Alaska OHA, and the general public were responsible for reviewing and commenting on draft plans throughout its development. The final version of the Sitka Historic Preservation Plan is still pending approval from all reviewing parties.

⁴ City and Borough of Sitka, Gateway Community Planning Effort Design Workshop Recommendations, Range of Alternatives (Sitka, 1997).

⁵ Robert Betts and Dee Longenbaugh, Inventory of Historic Sites and Structures, City and Borough of Sitka, Alaska (Vanguard Research, Sandpoint, 1997).

⁶ City and Borough of Sitka, 199 Comprehensive Plan Goals and Policies (Sitka, 1999).

⁷ Agnew::Beck Consulting, Visitor Industry Plan draft (Long Range Planning and Economic Development Commission, Sitka, 2007).

⁸ McDowell Group, Inc., State of the Sitka Economy, Summary Report, (Sitka, Alaska, Sitka Economic Development Association, 2008).

⁹ Anne E. Pollnow, Sitka Historic Preservation Plan: A Guide to Cultural Resource Management, editor Robert DeArmond (Sitka Historic Preservation Commission 2010).

Since the mid-2000s the Southeast Regional Health Consortium (SEARHC) and Sitka Community Hospital have been facilitating a community summit with a mission to serve our great state as a model for community wellness by creating a healthy community where Sitkans strive for and enjoy a high quality of life. The annual summit in 2012 determined that a key a priority to a path of wellness was to improve upon, beautify, and revitalize Sitka's downtown commercial district. As a result, the RSWG was formed and made up of interested downtown merchants and property owners. In March of 2013, the RSWG submitted an application for a Historic Preservation Fund Grant using the CLG status of the city. Approval for use of funds was given by the Alaska OHA to complete a historic structures survey and to study the potential for a historic district on Lincoln Street.

Intent and Purpose

The intent of the Historic Structures Survey Report (HSSR) and National Register of Historic Places Nomination Narrative for Lincoln Street is to define a downtown historic district(s) with a commercial focus. From this, CBS will be able to better identify goals and actions necessary to best preserve and attract visitors into the downtown area as a means for improving economic development. This may involve future efforts for creating design guidance for retaining historic character, promoting heritage tourism, and having access to federal tax credits for rehabilitating Certified Historic Structures (CHS).

APPLYING NATIONAL REGISTER CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION

Section 101 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) (16 USC 470a[a]) established the NRHP as a means to catalog historic properties significant in American history, architecture, archaeology, engineering, and culture. NHPA defines "historic properties" as prehistoric and historic districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects listed or eligible for inclusion on the NRHP including artifacts, records, and material remains related to the property (16 USC 470w, Sec. 301.5). A DOE for the NRHP is based on a description and evaluation of a property; a statement of significance; a selected list of sources; and maps, photographs, or other illustrations. Consideration is given to both the criteria of significance and integrity of the site condition. The evaluation should consider the historic context of the property, including its relation to other known historic properties.¹⁰ The NRHP (36 CFR 60.4) outlines the criteria (A-D) for determining the eligibility for a historic property as follows:

The quality of significance in American history, architecture, archaeology, engineering, and culture is present in districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects that possess integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association and

- (a) that are associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history; or
- (b) that are associated with the lives of persons significant in our past; or
- (c) that embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction, or that represent the work of a master, or that possess high artistic values, or that represent a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction; or
- (d) that have yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history. (36 CFR 60.4)

Certain classes of historic properties that are not ordinarily eligible for the NRHP, but may be determined eligible under certain circumstances include cemeteries, birthplaces or graves of important people, religious properties, moved structures, reconstructed buildings, commemorative properties or properties achieving significance within the last fifty years (36 CFR 60.4). Such properties will qualify if they are integral parts of districts that do meet the criteria if they fall within the following categories:

- (a) A religious property deriving primary significance from architectural or artistic distinction or historical importance;
 or
- (b) A building or structure removed from its original location but which is significant primarily for architectural value, or which is the surviving structure most importantly associated with a historic person or event; or
- (c) A birthplace or grave of a historical figure of outstanding importance if there is no appropriate site or building directly associated with his productive life.
- (d) A cemetery which derives its primary significance from graves of persons of transcendent importance, from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events; or
- (e) A reconstructed building when accurately executed in a suitable environment and presented in a dignified manner as part of a restoration master plan, and when no other building or structure with the same association has survived; or
- (f) A property primarily commemorative in intent if design, age, tradition, or symbolic value has invested it with its own exceptional significance; or
- (g) A property achieving significance within the past 50 years if it is of exceptional importance.

¹⁰ Alaska Department of Natural Resources [ADNR], Alaska Office of History and Archaeology (OHA), Standards and Guidelines for Investigating and Reporting Archaeological And Historic Properties in Alaska Series No. 1, (Anchorage, Alaska, Department of Natural Resources and State Parks, 2003).

According to the National Register Bulletin 15, issued by the National Park Service as an aid to evaluating historic properties, an historic district "possesses a significant concentration, linkage, or continuity of sites, buildings, structures, or objects united historically or aesthetically by plan or physical development."11 In essence, a district needs to visually convey the sense of a unified whole, either in appearance or purpose. A district must also be significant for historic, architectural, archaeological, engineering, or cultural values. Therefore, a district that is significant will usually meet Criterion C, in addition to Criteria A or B. While a district can have both individual and uniform features and one or more focal points, the grouping must "achieve significance as a whole within its historic context."12 A district may contain properties that do not contribute to the district, but the proportion of contributing to non-contributing properties will vary with each evaluation. Finally, "a district must be a definable geographic area that can be distinguished from the surrounding properties."13

Evaluating Physical Integrity

The requirements for a site or property to be listed on the NRHP must demonstrate or display the attributes necessary to qualify as significant, possessing certain aspects of integrity consistent with the evaluation criteria of the NRHP. The integrity of a structure, site, or property is categorized and evaluated by its ability to retain integrity and express significance in accordance with the NRHP criteria. This criterion provides seven characteristics that are to be utilized to assess integrity and assist in making

a determination as to whether or not a property is eligible for inclusion in the NRHP. These seven attributes are location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association. The following tables give an illustration of how these attributes can be applied while demonstrating a basis for asking the what, when, and why questions of a specific site, structure, or property that will sustain assessments of integrity and provide the foundation for DOE's. The information displayed in Table 1 shows the seven aspects of integrity, and explains how they can be united to produce integrity. The information provided in Table 2 discusses the seven aspects of integrity in relation to the NRHP criteria A through D.

Although the entire length of Lincoln Street was subject to a survey, only those buildings from the Petro Marine Station to just beyond the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel were subject to an intensive survey and evaluated and assessed using National Register Criteria to determine whether or not a historic district(s) eligible for NRHP listing exists. Research into the history of the buildings that we subjected to an intensive survey included review of archived copies of the Daily Sentinel Newspaper housed at the Sitka Public Library, the University of Alaska Anchorage Consortium Library, and the University of Alaska Fairbanks Elmer E. Rasmuson Library, review of archived telephone directories housed at the Alaska State Library in Juneau, regional business licenses searches at the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, the National Archives and Records Administration. Seattle Of-

Table 1. Seven Aspects of Integrity in Evaluating Properties for Inclusion in the NRHP		
Location	Location is the place where the historic property was constructed or the place where the historic event occurred. The relationship between the property and its location is often important to understanding why the property was created or why something happened. The actual location of a historic property, complemented by its setting, is particularly important in recapturing the sense of historic events and persons. Except in rare cases, the relationship between a property and its historic associations is destroyed if the property is moved.	
Design	Design is the combination of elements that create the form, plan, space, structure, and style of a property. It results from conscious decisions made during the original conception and planning of a property (or its significant alteration) and applies to activities as diverse as community planning, engineering, architecture, and landscape architecture. Design includes such elements as organization of space, proportion, scale, technology, ornamentation, and materials.	
	A property's design reflects historic functions and technologies as well as aesthetics. It includes such considerations as the structural system; massing; arrangement of spaces; pattern of fenestration; textures and colors of surface materials; type, amount, and style of ornamental detailing; and arrangement and type of plantings in a designed landscape.	

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¹¹ NR Bulletin 15, 5.

¹² NR Bulletin 15, 5.

¹³ NR Bulletin 15, 5.

Table 1. Seven Aspects of Integrity in Evaluating Properties for Inclusion in the NRHP — Continued

Setting

Setting is the physical environment of a historic property. Whereas location refers to the specific place where a property was built or an event occurred, setting refers to the *character* of the place in which the property played its historical role. It involves *how*, not just where, the property is situated and its relationship to surrounding features and open space.

Setting often reflects the basic physical conditions under which a property was built and the functions it was intended to serve. In addition, the way in which a property is positioned in its environment can reflect the designer's concept of nature and aesthetic preferences.

The physical features that constitute the setting of a historic property can be either natural or manmade, including such elements as:

- Topographic features (a gorge or the crest of a hill);
- · Vegetation;
- Simple manmade features (paths or fences); and
- Relationships between buildings and other features or open space.

These features and their relationships should be examined not only within the exact boundaries of the property, but also between the property and its *surroundings*. This is particularly important for districts.

Materials

Materials are the physical elements that were combined or deposited during a particular period of time and in a particular pattern or configuration to form a historic property. The choice and combination of materials reveal the preferences of those who created the property and indicate the availability of particular types of materials and technologies. Indigenous materials are often the focus of regional building traditions and thereby help define an area's sense of time and place.

A property must retain the key exterior materials dating from the period of its historic significance. If the property has been rehabilitated, the historic materials and significant features must have been preserved. The property must also be an actual historic resource, not a recreation; a recent structure fabricated to look historic is not eligible. Likewise, a property whose historic features and materials have been lost and then reconstructed is usually not eligible.

Workmanship

Workmanship is the physical evidence of the crafts of a particular culture or people during any given period in history or prehistory. It is the evidence of artisans' labor and skill in constructing or altering a building, structure, object, or site. Workmanship can apply to the property as a whole or to its individual components. It can be expressed in vernacular methods of construction and plain finishes or in highly sophisticated configurations and ornamental detailing. It can be based on common traditions or innovative period techniques.

Workmanship is important because it can furnish evidence of the technology of a craft, illustrate the aesthetic principles of a historic or prehistoric period, and reveal individual, local, regional, or national applications of both technological practices and aesthetic principles. Examples of workmanship in historic buildings include tooling, carving, painting, graining, turning, and joinery. Examples of workmanship in prehistoric contexts include projectile points; beveled adzes; birdstone pipes; and worked bone pendants.

Feeling

Feeling is a property's expression of the aesthetic or historic sense of a particular period of time. It results from the presence of physical features that, taken together, convey the property's historic character. For example, a rural historic district retaining original design, materials, workmanship, petroglyphs, unmarred by graffiti and intrusions and located on its original isolated bluff, can evoke a sense of tribal spiritual life.

Association

Association is the direct link between an important historic event or person and a historic property. A property retains association if it is the place where the event or activity occurred and is sufficiently intact to convey that relationship to an observer. Like feeling, association requires the presence of physical features that convey a property's historic character. For example, the Sitka National Monument, the remains of a Tlingit fort and battle-ground upon which Tlingit and Russians fought in 1804 whose natural and manmade elements have remained intact since the battle.

^{**} U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service (USDOI, NPS), National Register Bulletin 15: How to Apply the National Register Criteria for Evaluation, (Washington, D.C., Interagency Resource Division, 1997), 44-45.

Table 2. Assessing Integrity of Historic Properties			
Criteria	Integrity Retained If:	Integrity Lost If:	
A & B	The property is still on its original site (Location), and The essential features of its setting are intact (Setting), and It retains most of its historic materials (Materials), and It has the essential features expressive of its design and function, such as configuration, proportions, and patterns (Design), and these features are visible enough to convey their significance.	The property has been moved during or after its Period of Significance (Location, Setting, Feeling, and Association), except for portable structures, or Substantial amounts of new materials have been incorporated (Materials, Feeling, and Workmanship), or It no longer retains basic design features that convey its historic appearance or function (Design, Workmanship, and Feeling).	
C	The essential features of the property's design are intact, such as walls, roofs, windows, and doors, and the features are visible enough to convey their significance (Design, Workmanship, and Feeling), and Most of the historic materials are present (Materials, Workmanship, and Feeling), and Evidence of the craft of construction remains, such as the structural system, and original details (Workmanship), and The property is still sited on its original lot (except in the case of portable structures) (Setting, Location, Feeling, and Association).	The essential features of the structure's design such as walls, roofs, windows, and doors are substantially altered (Design, Workmanship, and Feeling), or Considerable amounts of new materials are incorporated (Materials, Workmanship, and Feeling), or It is no longer in a place that conveys its original function and purpose (Setting, Location, Feeling, and Association).	
D	The property must have, or have had, information that contributes, or can contribute to our understanding of human history or prehistory, and The information must be considered important.	Generally not applicable to historic period structures, buildings, or objects. Most commonly applies to historic or prehistoric archaeological sites.	

Source: Data adapted from USDOI, NPS, National Register Bulletin 15, 44-45.

fice, and the Alaska State Library in Juneau, and historic photograph searches using the Alaska Digital Archives and the collections at the Sitka Historical Society and Museum. Build dates for all buildings located on Lincoln Street were obtained with assistance from the Sitka Clerk of Court. A reconnaissance survey was completed along the portion of East Lincoln Street, from its junction with Lake Street, to the end of Metlakatla Street (Lincoln Street turns into Metlakatla at the Totem Park), to determine if there is a second historic district eligible for NRHP listing. However, a full evaluation for these buildings was not completed because more research is necessary to apply the National Register Criteria. Regardless, Alaska Building Inventory Forms were completed for every building on Lincoln Street recorded as 45 years of age or older, including those along the western end of Lincoln Street and those along the east end of Lincoln Street.

SITKA HISTORIC BUSINESS DISTRICT

Existing Conditions and Uses

The proposed Sitka Historic Business District is an active commercial area in downtown Sitka. It is centered on East Lincoln Street, which is a heavy vehicle and pedestrian traffic zone. Near the center of the district is the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel, a Russian Orthodox church situated on a round-a-bout in the middle of East Lincoln Street. East Lincoln Street is two-way with sidewalks extending to the curb and with curbside parking on both sides of the street. Streetlights are present along the Sitka Pioneers Home and the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. Buildings along this section of East Lincoln Street, from the Petro Marine Station to Lake Street, are street front, encompassing the entire square footage of the lot. They are mostly one to three stories tall (a few

taller examples are present) with a parapet roof (Figure 1). Exterior facades are generally commercial in nature, with store-fronts containing large plate glass windows with kickplates below, glazed entrance doors, and awnings to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. Commercial signage is present either on the awnings or hanging from them. The buildings are primarily clad in wood lap or concrete siding, and ordered fenestration of upper level windows can be seen. Small stone retaining walls, interpretive signage, and alleyway sidewalks are characteristics of the streetscape. The viewshed within the district is primarily to the east and the west, where beautiful natural landscape scenes can be seen of Sitka Harbor to the west, and the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel with the surrounding mountains to the east.



Figure 1. East Lincoln Street as seen from the intersection with Lake Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

The proposed district area is heavily used as a commercial center and a tourist destination, with numerous retailers closing their doors seasonally when tourism wanes. However, many of the mixed-use buildings containing upper levels have both civic and private office space and remain open throughout the year to serve the community of Sitka (Figure 2). The use of the buildings today are similar to some of the historic uses of the buildings. Buildings vary from single use (i.e. restaurant) to mixed use, such as a building with its first level functioning as commercial space and the upper level(s) consisting of residential apartments. Common building uses in the district are commerce, trade, domestic, social, government, recreation, healthcare, and defense. A commemorative historical site and small totem park are both present in the western extent of the district.



Figure 2. East Lincoln Street, western extent, as seen from the intersection with Barracks Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

Property Types and Architectural Styles

Property Types

As previously mentioned, the types of properties observed in the core commercial area of downtown Sitka reflect a wide variety of uses. The following use categories depicted in Table 3 from National Register Bulletin 16, How to Complete the National Register Registration Form, 14 are present within the Sitka Historic Business District:

Architectural Styles

The buildings in downtown Sitka span the entirety of the town's history. The district includes Russian buildings from the mid-19th century, various styles from the later part of the 19th and early to mid-20th century. They exhibit a variety of architectural styles that together give the feel and visual identity of a commercial district. The result is a district that is varied in style and uniform in feel and function.

Russian Colonial (1784 – 1867)

Russian settlement started in North America after 1741. As settlements developed in the Aleutians, Kodiak Island and the southern coast of Alaska, the Russian Colonial esthetic developed. At first, the style was a quick adaption to the land. However, Russian Colonial architecture soon evolved to incorporate the traditional vernacular building techniques used in Russia (Figure 3). The only location in the United States where this type of architecture is found in Alaska and California. Today, there are only four Russian Colonial buildings that survive in North America, with three of those being in Alaska: the Russian Bishop's House

¹⁴ U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service (USDOI, NPS), How to Complete the National Register Registration Form, (Washington, D.C., Interagency Resource Division, 1997).

Table 3. Property Use Types Found in the Sitka Downtown Historic Business District.				
Category	Subcategory	Property Name		
Commerce/Trade	Specialty Store	Service Transfer Building Fur Gallery Brenner's The Cellar Russian American Company Building 29 Russell and Company Old Harbor Books and Coffee Sitka Outlet Store Sitka Bazaar Saint Michael's Store		
	Business	Random House Building Franklin Building		
	Department Store	Ben Franklin Gifts		
	Restaurant	Cable House and Station Ernie's Bar/Robertson's Art Gallery Columbia Bar Homeport Eatery		
Social	Meeting Hall	Moose Family Center		
Domestic	Multiple Dwelling	Cathedral Arms Apartment Building		
	Hotel	Sitka Hotel		
Government	Post Office	U.S. Post Office Building		
	Government Office	Troutte Center		
	City Hall	Sitka Post Office and Court House		
Religion	Religious Facility	Sitka Lutheran Church Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel		
Health Care	Hospital	Sitka Pioneers Home		
	Medical Business / Office	Harry Race Building		
Recreation and Culture	Theater	Coliseum Theater		
	Monument/Marker	Castle Hill Totem Square		
Vacant / Not In Use	Vacant / Not In Use	322 Lincoln Street		

(Sitka, AK), Building 29 (Sitka, AK), Rotchev House (Fort Ross, CA), and the Russian American Magazin (Kodiak, AK).¹⁵ It is the least represented type of Colonial architecture in Alaska. Features and concepts of this style are evident in the Russian Orthodox churches that post-date the Russian Colonial era.

The stylistic features of a Russian Colonial style building are:

- Horizontal interlocking log construction
- Rectangular or polygonal plan
- Community setting on a promontory at head of a bay or mouth of a river
- Somber or severe mode of expression

Guidance from the Alaska SHPO on eligibility potential indicates:

All Russian Colonial era buildings are identified in Alaska and listed in the National Register of Historic Places as National Historic Landmarks.¹⁶

¹⁵ Alaska Office of History and Archaeology (OHA), *Alaska Architectural Style Guide* (Anchorage, Alaska, Office of History and Archaeology, 2013), 5.

¹⁶ OHA, Alaska Architectural, 5.



Figure 3. Example of a Russian Colonial style building, 206 East Lincoln Street (©TNSDS 2014). Also known as the Tilson Building (Building 29), this example of Russian Colonial architecture has compromised architectural significance due to alterations; the building was originally a log structure, with wood shingle roof, and has seen numerous changes through time. It is currently a National Historic Landmark, listed for its association with U.S. Political and Military Affairs.¹⁷

Mission / Spanish Revival (1890 - 1940)

Mission/Spanish Revival is a common style in the southwestern United States and Florida. In many ways, this style was a Spanish Colonial area response to the Colonial Revival styles found in other parts of the country. The 1915-1916 Panama-California Exposition in San Diego popularized this style. These elaborately designed buildings showed elaborations found throughout Latin America (Figure 4). The style quickly spread from the publicity associated with the exposition.

The primary stylistic features of a Mission/Spanish Revival building are:

- · Low pitched roof with little or no eave overhang
- Red tile roof covering
- Prominent arch above door or windows
- Asymmetrical façade
- Stucco wall surface

The secondary stylistic features of a Mission/Spanish Revival building are:

- Carved doors
- Spiral columns or pilasters
- Tile work
- Decorative window grills
- Arcaded walkways

Guidance from the Alaska SHPO on eligibility potential indicates:

The Mission/Spanish Colonial style is extremely rare in Alaska. This style will likely be encountered with individual buildings and may exist within a historic district. To be eligible, a Mission/Spanish Colonial building should have a tile roof, low-pitched roof and stucco. Other primary and secondary features should be present, but are not necessary. Extreme flexibility should be exercised when applying integrity.¹⁸



Figure 4. Example of a Mission / Spanish Revival style building, 120 Katlian Avenue (©TNSDS 2014). The Sitka Pioneer's Home is currently listed on the NRHP for being exemplary of the Mission / Spanish Revival style and for its association with the first senior citizens social welfare plan in the United States.¹⁹

<u>Modernistic (1920 – 1940)</u>

Modernistic designs take a simple approach to building exteriors, minimizing decorative features and emphasizing the functional features of the building. Smooth surfaces and, minimal openings, and strong lines were used to place emphasis on the horizontal or vertical aspect of the buildings (Figure 5). Early forms of the Modernistic movement, such as Art Deco with its decorative chevrons and arrows, were common in public and commercial buildings in the 1920s and 1930s, 20 with less frequent occurrence in domestic architecture. Private residences were rarely designed in the style, however, apartment buildings did use the design frequently. Art Moderne, also known as Streamline Moderne, became a more prevalent form after roughly 1930, as the world moved into the machine age, and included decorative horizontal line work on exterior walls. 21 The style embodies the movements

¹⁷ Kathleen Lidfors, National Register Nomination Russian American Building Number 29, the Tilson Building, (Anchorage: Alaska, National Park Service Alaska Region, 1986).

¹⁸ OHA, Alaska Architectural, 11.

¹⁹ Frank Sisson and Alfred Mongin, *National Register Nomination for the Sitka Pioneer's Home*, (Anchorage, Alaska, Alaska Division of Parks, 1977).

²⁰ Virginia and Lee McAlester, A Field Guide to American Houses, (New York, Alfred A. Knopf, Incorporated), 2006: 465.

²¹ McAlester, A Field Guide to American Houses, 2006: 465.

found in automobiles, planes, trains and ships, such as unique window shapes and advances in aerodynamics.

The primary stylistic features of a Modernistic building are:

- Smooth surfaces, usually of stucco
- Flat roofs with coping or parapets
- Asymmetrical façade
- A minimum of one of the following decorative elements: zigzags, chevrons, sunburst, fluting, banding or other references to the machine age

The secondary stylistic features of a Modernistic building are:

- Metal sash windows, sometimes found in ribbons to accentuate the horizontal plane
- Glass brick and tile used to decorate the building
- Corner windows or rounded porthole windows
- Cantilevered awnings (sometimes curved)
- Additional decorative features that are distinctly non-Western

Guidance from the Alaska SHPO on evaluation considerations for the Modernistic movement is obtained through the combined guidance proved for both Art Deco and Streamline Modern styles:

Clusters of this building type do not exist. Modernistic buildings will most often will be considered for individual eligibility. To be eligible, Modernistic building must have all the primary but not all the secondary characteristics. Inappropriate treatment to the concrete surfacing can result in ineligibility. Due to their relative scarcity, evaluators should exercise flexibility when assessing integrity. Modernistic buildings can contribute to the eligibility of a district that has a variety of architectural styles.²²



Figure 5. Example of Modernistic, Art Deco style building, 100 East Lincoln Street (©TNSDS 2014). The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House is listed on the NRHP for its association with 1930s and 1940s government activities in Sitka, and for being exemplary of the Modernistic Movement in federal architecture. It was designed by Gilbert Stanley Underwood, a prominent architect who designed numerous federal buildings across the U.S., including the Anchorage Federal Building.²³

Commercial Vernacular

Commercial vernacular is a term used to describe commercial buildings with little or no stylistic traits. The term encompasses buildings with obvious storefronts, generally set in a business or commercial area (Figure 6). While no formal stylistic features have be established by the Alaska SHPO, the following traits are generally seen:

- First level store front comprised of large display windows flanking a centered or off center entrance door
- Upper level or levels containing numerous secondary functions such as private practices, trade shops, lodging, or dwelling
- Roof flat or gabled, often with parapet or false front
- Signage announcing the businesses located within
- Ribbons of windows on upper levels
- · Awning over entrance door

The Alaska SHPO has not provided guidance on eligibility potential for commercial vernacular buildings.



Figure 6. The Harry Race Building is an example of a Commercial Vernacular style building, 106 East Lincoln Street (©TNSDS 2014). It has not been evaluated for its NRHP eligibility prior to this effort.

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES NOMINATION NARRATIVE

Baranof Island, on which Sitka is located in the Alaska Southeast, was inhabited by the Tlingit Indians prior to discovery by Euro-Americans. One of three native groups to reside in the Southeast coastal area, the Tlingit lived in established villages spread throughout the region. They originally made contact with Russians in 1741 and began trading with Europeans beginning in the 1770s.²⁴ Rich in fur-bearing sea mammals, the area was identified as ideal for a permanent settlement by the Russians in the 1790s, and an agreement was made in 1797 between Russian Alexander Baranov and the Tlingit for a parcel of

²² OHA, Alaska Architectural, 15.

²³ Linda Millard and Amanda Welsh, National Register Nomination for the Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House, (Ketchikan, Alaska: Stephen Peters and Associates, Architects, 1997).

²⁴ Naske, Alaska, 23.

land for the location of a settlement.²⁵ The settlement of New Archangel was soon established.

New Archangel, established at its present location by the Russians in the early decades of the 19th century, served as the Russian capital from 1808 to 1867 and was the headquarters for the Russian American Company. Later renamed Sitka, it quickly became the largest Russian settlement in Alaska. The Russian Orthodox Church was headquartered at the Russian Bishop's House site, serving as the cultural and educational center for the ROC in Alaska until the mid-twentieth century. Masses were celebrated at the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel in the center of Lincoln Street. Photographs and maps made at the time of transition to US ownership in 1867 show the stretch between Castle Hill in the west and the cathedral in the east as a busy thoroughfare, containing the main governmental, commercial, and religious buildings in Sitka (Figure 7).

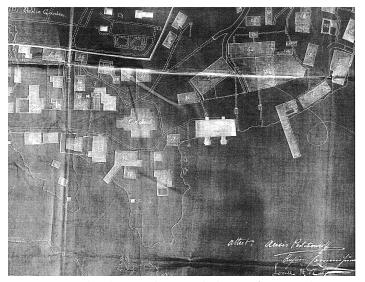


Figure 7. A map dated to 1867 depicting the layout of East Lincoln Street near the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel (National Archives, RAC 1867).

As the largest Euroamerican settlement in Alaska at the time, Sitka became the territorial capital of American Alaska in 1867 under military jurisdiction and would remain so until 1906, with the emergence of Juneau as a major population center due to prolific gold mining activities. ^{28,29}

The population of Sitka initially suffered from the exodus of Russian citizens following the sale of Alaska. During the 1870s,

however, there was a slow buildup of population within Southeast Alaska. Most of these newcomers were prospectors or miners, filtering up from the placer mines in the Cassiar Mountains of British Columbia. This period also saw the establishment of the fishing and canning industry throughout the Southeast, although the industry did not experience its major growth until after the turn of the century.³⁰ In 1870, the Alaska Commercial Company (ACC) was formed from the remnants of the RAC, and would continue prove active across the territory in fur, fishing, and trading businesses. With primary management of the ACC located in Sitka, it was an efficient organization, and powerful. "The ACC alone possessed the capital to build and maintain the ships needed to bring labor and supplies to the different parts of the vast territory."³¹ In addition, gold-bearing quartz veins were discovered near Sitka.³²

The discovery of abundant quantities of placer gold in the Juneau region in 1880 served to divert miners and prospectors from the Sitka area. By 1890, Juneau had become a settlement of more than 1,250 individuals, shifting the economic focus in the region away from Sitka.³³ Sitka remained the center of territorial governance, however, first for the Army until 1877 and then for the Navy beginning in 1879. By that time, Sitka only contained 360 residents (Figure 8).³⁴



Figure 8. The western portion of Lincoln Street, view facing west, ca. 1885 (DeGroff, Lincoln Street, West, Sitka, Alaska, ca. 1886–1890, Alaska State Library).

Despite the low population settled in Sitka, there remained a large Tlingit population. During the 1880s, there was increasing interest in the area by missionaries hoping to convert and educate the Native population of the area. Reverend Sheldon

²⁵ Naske, Alaska, 64.

²⁶ Lydia Black, *Russians in Alaska*, (Fairbanks: University of Alaska Press, 2004), 162.

²⁷ Joaqlin Estus, NRHP Nomination: Russian Bishops House (Washington, D.C., National Park Service 1983).

²⁸ Barbara Sweetland Smith, NRHP Nomination: Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel, (Washington, D.C., National Park Service), 1985

²⁹ Black, Russians in Alaska, 285.

³⁰ Claus-M. Naske, Alaska: A History, (Norman: University of Oklahoma, 2011), 111.

³¹ Naske, *Alaska*, 112.

³² Naske, *Alaska*, 113.

³³ Naske, *Alaska*, 113.

³⁴ Naske, *Alaska*, 115.

Jackson, a Presbyterian minister with experience along the northwest coast of the United States, arrived in Sitka in 1882 and established a missionary school in the abandoned Russian barracks. The Sheldon Jackson School grew quickly, aided by the transfer of students from Wrangell, Alaska following the burning of the school in that nearby town. An educational and trade school in addition to missionary activities, the school later became known as the Sheldon Jackson College and is currently listed as a National Historic Landmark. A museum founded by Jackson served to showcase disappearing artifacts of the Alaska Natives he taught.³⁵

In addition to the Sheldon Jackson School, Sitka held two publically funded schools by 1888. The schools were racially segregated, with a school for white children located in the old Russian hospital on East Lincoln Street and a second school for Native children located near the entrance to the Native village near what is now Katlian Street.³⁶ The timber and milling industry also began to take shape during this time, with the construction of the first sawmill by Sheldon Jackson in 1882,37 which burned in 1940.38 The presence of milled lumber in plentiful supply would lead to a small shipbuilding industry by 1900. From 1900 to 1960 more than 100 vessels larger than 32 feet in length were built in Sitka.³⁹ At its peak, Sitka had eight boat shops, with many builders being of Native Alaskan decent. Many local fishermen built their own wooden boats, and local schools, such as the Sheldon Jackson School and the local BIA school, provided instruction on how to build wooden boats. Boat building began to dwindle during World War I; however, Sitka remained a boat-working center, with operations focusing more on repair than building.⁴⁰

During the early 1900s, there was an increased interest in tourism throughout Alaska. Viewed and billed as an adventure vacation, guidebooks began to appear that offered adventurous tourists advice on how to get to Alaska, where to visit, and what to see. Sitka features prominently in these guidebooks, as a port stop for steamers up from Seattle as well as a destination in itself. In 1910, one guide advertised nearly daily service to Southeast Alaska by ships from Seattle and Vancouver.⁴¹ The population of Sitka had grown to 1,175 residents by 1920,⁴² and

by 1939 the number nearly topped 2,000.⁴³ The community was largely self-sufficient yet still relied on a certain amount of tour-ism-generated income. Commercial business owners planned for expected summer tourism numbers (Figure 9). Commercial cruise lines were continuing to add to their schedules in response to interest right up until the outbreak of World War II. In 1940, the *Sitka Sentinel* reported that "this is another indication that the Territory will see this year's greatest tourist movement in history." ⁴⁴



Figure 9. View of western portion of Lincoln Street, facing east, in 1938 (photograph courtesy of SHS).

In 1937, with hostilities looming in the build up to World War II, the US government recognized the strategic position of Sitka for defense purposes. With a string of islands stretching across the northern Pacific almost to Asia, Alaska was in a unique position to offer refueling stations for naval air forces patrolling the North Pacific against potential Japanese or Russian aggression. The US Navy "designated its old reservation on Japonski Island as the Naval Seaplane Base, Sitka," reclassified in 1938 as a Fleet Air Base and in 1939 as a Naval Air Station. Between 1929 and 1939, the population of Sitka doubled, reaching almost 2,000 people. More than 1,700 workers found employment during the construction of Japonski Island through the course of World War II.

With the population explosion resulting from the establishment of the air base on Japonski Island, building construction became a leading industry for Sitka. Housing was in short supply and many outdated commercial buildings were in need of

³⁵ Sheldon Jackson NHL nomination, 16.

³⁶ Kristen Griffin, Evaluation of National Register Eligibility; Lincoln Street School, Sitka, Alaska. Report submitted to the Sitka School District, 2003.

³⁷ Michael Kell, Cultural Resource Management Report Sawmill Creek Road Upgrade, Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities, Juneau, 2012.

^{38 &}quot;Fire at Sawmill," Sitka Sentinel, January 12, 1940.

³⁹ Sitka Maritime Heritage Society, A Short History of Sitka, Alaska, 2014.

⁴⁰ Sitka Maritime Heritage Society, A Short History of Sitka, Alaska, 2014.

⁴¹ Hallock C. Bundy, *The Valdez-Fairbanks Trail*, (Seattle: Alaska Publishing Co., 1910), 17.

⁴² U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Census of the United States, Population, First Series, Number of Inhabitants, Alaska (Washington, D.C., Bureau of the Census), 1920.

⁴³ U.S. Department of Commerce, 16th Census of the United States, Population, First Series, Number of Inhabitants, Alaska (Washington, D.C., Bureau of the Census), 1940.

^{44 &}quot;They're coming in 1940," Sitka Sentinel, March 26, 1940.

⁴⁵ Antonson, An Administrative History, 80.

^{46 &}quot;Population of Sitka nearly doubles," Sitka Sentinel, March 5, 1940.

⁴⁷ Antonson, An Administrative History, 80.

being replaced. Beginning in full force in 1940, more construction projects were undertaken within Sitka than ever before. The school-age population of Sitka continued to increase, as much as 50% in any given year, leading to pleas for federal aid in construction of a school with facilities capable of handling the rising number of students.⁴⁸ Complete with beautiful land-scape and historic background, Sitka prided itself on having a bright commercial future within the Southeast.⁴⁹

Following the bombing of Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 and the subsequent entrance of the US into World War II, Alaska was closed to all civilian activity. In March 1942, Major General Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr, then in charge of Army operations in Alaska, issued a proclamation that evacuated all dependents of armed services personnel and "restricted civilian travel and transportation to, from, and within Alaska."50 Despite these evacuations and the closing of all tourist activity to the territory, the population of Sitka remained high with the arrival of naval air troops at Japonski Island. The commercial district continued to thrive on the monetary support of the large population. Soldiers frequenting commercial establishments in Sitka would frequently spend nights in the US Post Office building on Lincoln Street if they had missed the last transport to the island base. In addition, the military officers often offered social opportunities to the residents of Sitka, hosting dances and gatherings (Figure 10).51



Figure 10. Military parade along Lincoln Street, the U.S. Court House and Post Office can be seen in the background, ca. 1940 (photograph courtesy of SHS).

Following the end of World War II and the lifting of travel restrictions to Alaska, tourists began to arrive, spurred on by new publicity brought about by the role Alaska played in national defenses during the war. Tourist industries flourished, and Sitka became a favorite tourist stop. Steam ship lines offered organized passenger service and tours of the town as well as other areas throughout Southeast Alaska.⁵² Lincoln Street, as the main commercial hub of Sitka, was again the center for new construction as businesses demanded upgrades to outdated buildings not previously replaced during the military period. It also served as a tourist draw in its own right, with the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel at one end and Castle Hill on the other. Lincoln Street, which even in Russian times extended further east than the cathedral, saw even greater construction along its eastern commercial route. The route was tightly bound by government and civil buildings on its west end, religious facilities on its east end, and the waterfront to the south. The businesses that thrived along this route included pharmacies, restaurants, clothing stores, and hotels. Some of the businesses left distinct marks on the street, such as the Harry Race Pharmacy, which gave its name to the Harry Race Building at the west end of the street, the Sitka Hotel, which has been a landmark since its opening in March of 1940, and the Ben Franklin Store, which has survived over the intervening decades. Two hotels, the Sitka Hotel and the Millmore Hotel, were located on Lincoln Street, although the latter fell to fire in 1942.53 There were also several bars, such as the Columbia Bar and the Silver Foam Cocktail Bar, and restaurants like the Anchorage Café and Arcade Café. There were several clothing stores, such as Connie's Dress Shop operated out of the Sitka Hotel during the 1940s and Holt's Mens Shop (Figure 11). Sears Roebuck and Company also had a store on Lincoln Street (Figure 12).



Figure 11. Holt's Mens Shop on Lincoln Street, ca. 1940 (photograph courtesy of SHS).

^{48 &}quot;Federal assistance needed," Sitka Sentinel, February 27, 1940.

^{49 &}quot;Johnson praises growth of Sitka," Sitka Sentinel, January 23, 1940.

⁵⁰ Naske, *Alaska*, 191.

^{51 &}quot;Navy personnel to give dance Saturday," Sitka Sentinel, March 8, 1940.

⁵² Antonson, An Administrative History, 89.

⁵³ DeArmond, From Sitka's Past, 150.



Figure 12. Sears Roebuck and Company store on Lincoln Street, 1943 (photograph courtesy of SHS).

On January 2, 1966, a fire broke out on Lincoln Street that according to news articles destroyed 20% of the business district, including the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. A total of seventeen businesses were destroyed, in the area directly surrounding the cathedral on the east end of the main commercial area.⁵⁴ Rebuilding began almost immediately, with relief funds coming first from religious organizations and later from commercial interests.⁵⁵ It was during this rebuilding period that styles and massing of commercial buildings on Lincoln Street began to change, from modest and traditional one to three story buildings with flat roofing, large storefronts, parapets, and awnings to protect the storefronts from inclement weather (Figure 13) to newer construction trending toward more modern materials, larger massing, and modern aesthetic styles.



Figure 13. The Sitka Bazaar Building, located at 215 Lincoln Street, survived the 1966 fire and still looks as it did in this 1968 photograph (photograph courtesy of SHS).

Sitka continues to serve as a transportation hub in southeast Alaska, serving as a tourist port for cruise lines traveling from Seattle up through the Inside Passage. It has become largely dependent on tourism trade, with many shops and businesses along Lincoln Street closing their doors for the relatively sparse winter season. The summers in Sitka, however, see a continuity of the tourism tradition that stretches to well before World War II and brought money to build the commercial district of Lincoln Street.⁵⁶

Statement of Significance

Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.

Lincoln Street has been the commercial and social center of Sitka, Alaska since before the U.S. purchase of Alaska from the Russians in 1867. The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel ensured that this area was the heart of the settlement during the Russian Colonial period, as it continued to be following the US purchase. One of the first acts passed by the newly formed city government following the purchase was to rename the main commercial thoroughfare, from Main Street to Lincoln Street.

In 1937, with hostilities looming due to WWII, the US government recognized the strategic position of Sitka for defense purposes. In 1937, the US Navy "designated its old reservation on Japonski Island as the Naval Seaplane Base, Sitka." Soon after, in February of 1938, it was designated the Fleet Air Base. ⁵⁷ By September 1939, the facility had been designated a Naval Air

^{54 &}quot;20% of business district burns in spectacular fire," The Daily Sentinel, January 3, 1966.

^{55 &}quot;Owners of lost businesses discuss rebuilding plans," The Daily Sentinel, January 4, 1966.

⁵⁶ Robert N. DeArmond, From Sitka's Past, (Sitka, Alaska, Sitka Historical Society, 1995).

⁵⁷ Antonson, An Administrative History, 80.

Station leading to massive construction efforts in and around Sitka. Contractors alone brought in nearly 1,700 laborers, a number that was more than the estimated population of Sitka at that time. Soon after, personnel from the US Army and Navy arrived to staff the facility. Throughout World War II, troops stationed at Japonski Island provided an economic boom for the town of Sitka.⁵⁸ The population influx brought about by the military buildup contributed to an increase in construction and commercial activity in Sitka's downtown business district along Lincoln Street. A large majority of the commercial buildings located both to the east and west of the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel were built during the 1940s.

Following the end of World War II and the lifting of travel restrictions to Alaska, tourists began to arrive, spurred on by new publicity brought about by the role Alaska played in national defenses during the war. Sitka became a favorite tourist stop. Steamship lines offered organized tours of the town as well as other areas throughout Southeast Alaska.⁵⁹ Construction along Lincoln Street continued through the 1950s as a tourism industry began to grow and Lincoln Street became a tourist destination. The commercial buildings along this stretch dating to the 1940s to 1950s are largely uniform in style and massing, consisting of one to three story buildings with flat roofing, large storefronts, parapets, and awnings to protect patrons from inclement weather.

On January 2, 1966, a fire broke out in Sitka that, according to news articles, destroyed 20% of the business district, including the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. A total of seventeen businesses were destroyed in the area directly surrounding the cathedral on the east end of the main commercial area. Rebuilding began almost immediately, with the fire opening up existing property lots to new construction near the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. Construction methods and styles shifted, with newer construction trending toward more modern materials, larger massing, and modern styles. Those buildings that survived the fire, however, have largely retained the original features and still serve as the heart of the commercial district in downtown Sitka.

Qualifying Characteristics and Evaluation Considerations

Commercial buildings were built specifically for the exchange of goods and services. During the first part of the 19th century, enterprising business owners began to construct their street-facing façades to catch and hold the attention of the casual observer. In this manner, the business could attract clientele and

profits. The advent of plate glass windows set in metal allowed storefronts to have large display areas for goods and services offered. Decorative elements such as decorative kickplates, colorful siding, and eye-catching signage also contributed to the shift in commercial storefronts. These elements, when present in several buildings in close proximity to one another, create a commercial district that is both visually stimulating and unified.

For the purpose of this report, two key feature types will be discussed. The first and most important is a discussion of qualifying features – that is, those visual elements of the buildings within the downtown commercial area that allow the buildings to contribute to the district as a whole. These features are then broken down into two subcategories, consisting of primary and secondary features. For a building to contribute to the downtown commercial district, it must contain all of the primary features (Figure 14) and several of the secondary features. Arguments can be made for those buildings that do not comply with one of the primary features but which may contain all of the secondary features. These features are:

Primary Features:

- Parapet
- Storefront
- Awning
- · One-to-Three stories

Secondary Features:

- Wood lap or spray concrete siding
- Ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings
- Commercial entity signage
- Ornamented/pronounced kickplate below the storefront windows

A second feature type is a character-defining feature. These are features that contribute to the overall visual continuity of the district without being contributing elements themselves. These include:

- Stone retaining wall
- Sidewalk paving style materials, patterns, etc.
- Viewshed
- · Purpose and use of the building

⁵⁸ Antonson, An Administrative History, 89.

⁵⁹ Antonson, An Administrative History, 42.

⁶⁰ Herbert Gottfried and Jan Jennings, American Vernacular: Buildings and Interiors, 1870 – 1960 (New York: W.W. Norton and Company, Inc., 2009), 233 – 234.



Figure 14. Example of a contributing building in the Sitka Historic Business District with primary features identified (©TNSDS 2014).

Contributing and Non-Contributing Properties

By applying the identified qualifying features for the Sitka Historic Business District to each building identified as 45 years old or older, the contributing status of each building can be determined. Buildings that retain three out of four of the primary qualifying features and most of the secondary features are considered contributing resources to the district. The qualifying features reflect the period of significance for the majority of the building stock in downtown Sitka. Thirty-five property lots were surveyed and 31 lots were found to have buildings that are 45 years old or older. Out of the 31 lots with buildings historic in age, 18 were identified as retaining enough features to be considered contributing to the historic district (Table 4).

Address	Name	District Status
2 Lincoln Street	Cable House (SIT-00212)	Non-Contributing
100 Lincoln Street	Sitka Post Office and Court House (SIT-00313)	Non-Contributing
101 Lincoln Street	Castle Hill (SIT-00002)	Non-Contributing
106 Lincoln Street	Harry Race Building (SIT-00965)	Contributing
108 Lincoln Street	Fur Gallery (SIT-00966)	Contributing
118 Lincoln Street	Sitka Hotel (SIT-00967)	Contributing
124 Lincoln Street	Brenner's (SIT-00968)	Non-Contributing
130 Lincoln Street	Ernie's (SIT-00969)	Non-Contributing
132 Lincoln Street	Random House (SIT-00970)	Contributing
200 Lincoln Street	The Cellar (SIT-00971)	Contributing
206 Lincoln Street	Russian American Company Building 29 (SIT-00013)	Contributing
208 Lincoln Street	Russell's (SIT-00972)	Contributing
214 Lincoln Street	Ben Franklin (SIT-00973)	Contributing
224 Lincoln Street	Sitka Lutheran Church (SIT-00004)	Non-Contributing
236 Lincoln Street	Franklin Building (SIT-00974)	Non-Contributing
322 Lincoln Street	SIT-00975	Contributing
328 Lincoln Street	Columbia Bar (SIT-00976)	Contributing
329 Harbor Drive	Troutte Center (SIT-00977)	Non-Contributing
334 Lincoln Street	U.S. Post Office (SIT-00978)	Contributing
197 Katlian Avenue	Totem Square (SIT-00046)	Non-Contributing
120 Katlian Avenue	Sitka Pioneers Home (SIT-00097)	Non-Contributing
201 Lincoln Street	Old Harbor Books and Coffee (SIT-00979)	Contributing
203 Lincoln Street	Sitka Outlet Store (SIT-00980)	Contributing
209 Lincoln Street	Homeport Eatery (SIT-00981)	Contributing
215 Lincoln Street	Sitka Bazaar (SIT-00982)	Contributing
221 Lincoln Street	St. Michael's Store (SIT-00983)	Contributing
237 Lincoln Street	Cathedral Arms Apartments (SIT-00984)	Contributing
239 Lincoln Street	Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel (SIT-00010)	Non-Contributing
321 Lincoln Street	Service Transfer Building (SIT-00985)	Contributing
331 Lincoln Street	Coliseum (SIT-00986)	Non-Contributing
337 Lincoln Street	Moose Lodge (SIT-00987)	Non-Contributing

There are several NRHP-listed resources located within the Sitka Historic Business District that do not contribute to the district. These buildings, such as the U.S. Post Office and Court House, the Sitka Pioneers home, and the prominent Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel, are not commercial vernacular buildings, nor do they have primary and/or secondary architectural

features that convey the sense of history associated with the period. The area of significance for the district is "commerce" with a period of significance from 1937 to the mid-1960s. The majority of the buildings located within the district date to the period of significance and are able to convey a stylistic sense of that period (Figure 15).

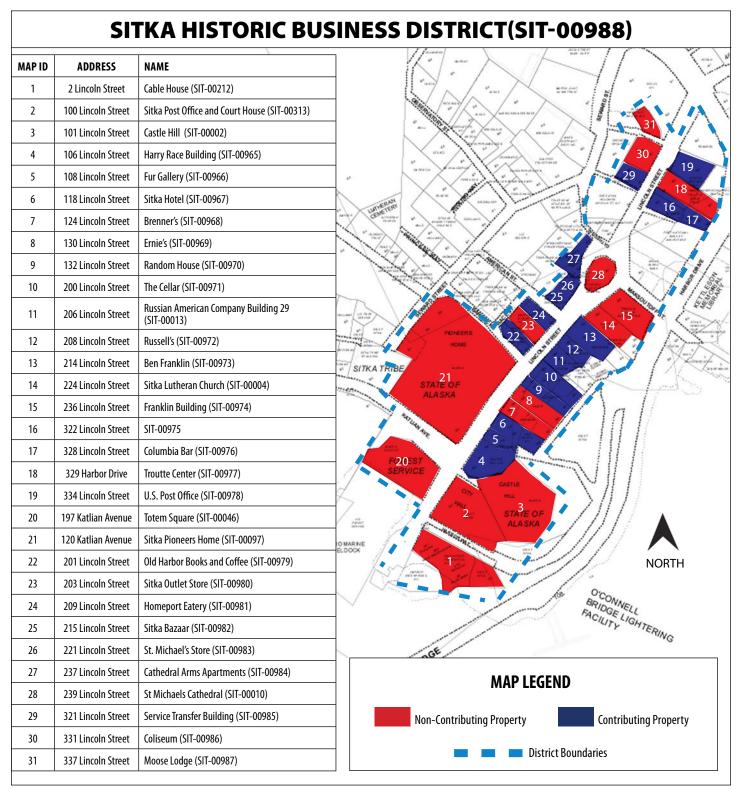


Figure 15. Map depicting the location, boundaries, and contributing status of the buildings within the downtown business area of Sitka.

Historic Structures Assessments

2 Lincoln Street, Cable House (SIT-00212)

The Cable House, located at 2 Lincoln Street, is a two-story timber frame building constructed in a 19th Century Neo-Russian style prior to 1910 and is currently on the extreme southwestern edge of Lincoln Street (Figure 16). It has a low, shingled, hipped roof with deep overhanging eaves supported by stylize brackets and a concrete block foundation. It is covered in wood lap siding. Fenestration consists of symmetrical paired one-overone sash windows on each side of the house, with two pairs in the first story on each façade, and a combination of paired or single one-over-one sash on the second story facades. A central one-over-one window is centered above the main entrance on the north facade as well as above the entrance on the south façade. The entrances are wood-panel doors with a fixed light, set beneath wooden rectangular hipped-roof porches. The Cable House is centrally located on the property, with a paved drive leading to parking and a separate garage, and a broad landscaped lawn to the north. A paved walkway also leads from Lincoln Street to the main entrance. The Cable House was listed on the NRHP in 1979 for its association and significance with the Washington Alaska Military Cable and Telegraph Service.

As the Cable House was constructed prior to 1910 and was not initially intended to operate as a commercial building, it is not considered to be contributing to the historic district. The building holds none of the qualifying characteristics of the commercial district such as storefront, parapet, and location against the streetscape.



Figure 16. The Cable House at 2 Lincoln Street, view facing northwest (©TNSDS 2014).

100 Lincoln Street, Sitka Post Office and Court House (SIT-00313)

The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House, located at 100 Lincoln Street along the south side of the street, is a three-story reinforced concrete Art Deco building constructed between 1937 and 1938 as a federal government post office and courthouse (Figure 17). It has a concrete slab roof and a poured concrete foundation with raised basement. Fenestration consists of oneover-one sash windows set in vertical, recessed panels separated by ornamental spandrels with Art Deco motifs. The main entrance is centrally located in the northern façade and consists of paired metal-framed glass doors. The original entrance, on the second story, is still in evidence and leads onto what is now a concrete patio. In the 1990s, the front of the building was altered, with concrete panel additions bringing the first story out to the street, which mimics the scale and style of the adjacent commercial center of Lincoln Street. The entrance was also altered at that time, with the paired concrete stairs being filled in but reflected in the new design. The words "United States Post Office and Court House" are set into the concrete just below the roof parapet, with "Sitka, Alaska" set just below. The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House was constructed as part of the New Deal, which saw the construction of much-needed federal buildings across the country and Alaska in particular. The building was listed on the NRHP in 1997.

The US Post Office is not considered to be a contributing resource to the Sitka Historic Business District. The building was constructed prior to the period of significance as part of New Deal Depression activities. The building's does not have the commercial features necessary to be a contributing structure, such as parapet, awning, or storefront. Adaptations made in the 1990s added projections that bring the building to the same setback against the street as the other buildings in the district, however, these adaptations are not original and are not in keeping with the original form of the building.



Figure 17. Sitka Post Office and Court House, located at 100 Lincoln Street, view facing south (©TNSDS 2014).

101 Lincoln Street, Castle Hill (SIT-00002)

Castle Hill is a hill located just to the south of the intersection of Lincoln and Katlian Streets. Originally the site of Tlingit homes prior to 1804, it became the permanent site of the Russian settlement of New Archangel (Figure 18). It was used as a militaristic fort and lookout for the protection of the settlement. Alexander Baranov lived atop the hill in a two-story home used for governance and referred to as "Baranov's Castle." In 1955, the site was cleared of construction and was named a park. In 1965, a circular stone parapet with space for six cannon, pilasters with interpretive plaques, and flagpoles were constructed as part of the Alaska Purchase Centennial celebrations. Foot access to the site from Lincoln Street consists of a paved path running through the alley between the U.S. Post Office and Court House building and the Harry Race Building, leading to steep stone steps. Handicap ramp access leads from the hill to the south, where a parking lot is located. As the site of the official raising of the American flag following purchase of Alaska, Castle Hill was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1966.

Castle Hill is non-contributing to Sitka Historic Business District. While the property is historic in its own right, it is not a commercial property. It does not contain a building of any sort, and operates as an historical park celebrating the purchase of Alaska from Russia and chronicling the history of the area.



Figure 18. Castle Hill, at 101 Lincoln Street, view from on top of hill facing south (©TNSDS 2014).

106 Lincoln Street, Harry Race Building (SIT-00965)

The Harry Race Building, located at 106 Lincoln Street, is a two-story rectangular commercial building constructed in 1942 (Figure 19). The siding, which extends to the ground, obscures the foundation material and the roof is built-up. The north-facing street façade of the building is clad in vertical wooden siding, raised panel on the lower story and grooved on the upper,

with fixed aluminum storefront windows along the streetscape below a shingled awning. The upper story contains office space with paired one-over-one metal sash windows. Access to the upper story is provided by means of a centrally placed stair, delineated on the exterior by means of a break in the awning to showcase a fixed sixteen-light window, with wood sash, placed over double aluminum framed glass doors. The awning tapers to ends over the door, but a sheet of Plexiglas connected to the awning ends protects the entry from inclement weather. The west and east façades, which each face alleyways separating the building from its neighbors, is aesthetically divided into upper and lower stories by means of siding, with the ground story covered in stucco and the upper story a continuation of the red wood siding seen on the front. The building was constructed to maximize lot space, facing directly onto the streetscape with minimal alley access providing access to the rear of the building.

Harry Race Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1942, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate).



Figure 19. The Harry Race Building, 106 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

108 Lincoln Street, Fur Gallery (SIT-00966)

The Fur Gallery building, is located on the south side of Lincoln Street and faces north. It is a two-story rectangular commercial building constructed in 1940 to maximize lot size, with a large alley along the western façade and sharing a firewall with the adjacent Sitka Hotel (Figure 20). It has a flat roof with parapet and hidden foundation. The street façade contains two store-

fronts with separate access consisting of aluminum fixed storefront windows and aluminum framed glass commercial doors with transoms. Siding on the lower level is stone veneer and is separated from the upper story by a metal-roofed awning. The upper story is clad in vertical channel grooved wood siding painted off-white, and contains a ribbon of wood sash casement windows: five paired sets of paired single casement windows placed to either side. The windows, roofline, and corners are trimmed in green wood that is continued in the awning. The west façade of the building, facing the alley, continues the siding of the street façade in the upper story but contains wood framed one-over-one sash windows. The lower story is clad in stucco. A green corrugated metal awning across the façade of the building protects the entrance from inclement weather and connects to the adjacent Sitka Hotel, with a pediment in the awning oriented to provide a continuous visual front across the two buildings as opposed to delineating any individual aspect of the Fur Gallery building. A drainage system of scuppers runs along the west façade. The name of the building, denoting the commercial entity, is evident along the second story street façade in attached metal letters reading "Fur Gallery."

108 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style seen in the district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate). Additionally, the building is situated adjacent to the Sitka Hotel, and the awning is constructed in such a way that it has visual continuity with the neighboring building.



Figure 20. The Fur Gallery, 108 Lincoln Street, view facing south-southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

118 Lincoln Street, Sitka Hotel (SIT-00967)

The Sitka Hotel, located at 118 Lincoln Street, is a three-story rectangular commercial building constructed on the south side of Lincoln Street in 1939 (Figure 21). Built to fill the entire lot, it shares a firewall with the adjacent Fur Gallery building to the west and is connected to 124 Lincoln Street to the east by means of a faux front blocking an alley from street view and access. It is clad in spray concrete on all levels with brick veneer laid along the kick plate on the first story. It has a flat roof with parapet and a hidden foundation. The street façade, facing north, abuts the sidewalk. The main entrance is recessed and offset from center. An aluminum awning protects the entrance from inclement weather and extends across the faux wall blocking the alley to the east and continues across the Fur Gallery building to the west. A pediment in the awning is centered over the main entrance, offset from the center of the building, and marked with Queen Anne style detailing at the very peak. The main level contains several plate-glass storefront windows with aluminum framed glass entry doors. Vinyl one-over-one sash windows with false shutters mark the upper two stories of the building. A slightly pink finish to the spray concrete marks the roofline, and a Plexiglas sign reading "Sitka Hotel" is placed in the direct center of the building's top story.

The Sitka Hotel is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1939, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). It was also constructed to help alleviate a housing shortage caused by the construction of the Naval Air Station on Japonski Island, and the public rooms on the first floor of the hotel served as temporary commercial space for tenant businesses.



Figure 21. The Sitka Hotel, 118 Lincoln Street, view facing south-southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

124 Lincoln Street, Brenner Building (SIT-00968)

The Brenner Building, located at 124 Lincoln Street, is a two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1930 on the south side of the street (Figure 22). It is a rectangular building constructed to maximize property space with the alley to the west fenced off from access. The entire building is clad in red painted wood shiplap siding with brown trim. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. Wood-framed plate glass storefront windows and a shingled awning mark the north-facing street façade. Access to the building is provided through metal-framed glass doors: one angled across the corner of the storefront and a second at the northeast corner of the building providing access to the second story. The second story windows on the street façade are wood sash two-overtwo windows. The windows visible along the eastern façade consist of groupings of single-light casement windows framing a single-light fixed window with occasional use of paired single-light casement windows. The awning is supported by rectangular posts on concrete blocks that connect to the awning with decorative, dark green brackets. The building has undergone extensive restoration efforts in recent years. These efforts included attention to Neoclassical Revival details, such as a broken pediment in the parapet and detailed moldings at roofline, and window lintels on the second story.

The Brenner Building is considered to be a non-contributor to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside of the period of significance for the historic district and has undergone extensive remodeling in recent years, creating a false sense of history. The result is that it embodies all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings) required for inclusion in the district, and while it visually continues the feel of the district, it is not considered to be a contributing building due to construction date and renovations.



Figure 22. The Brenner Building, located at 124 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

130 Lincoln Street, Ernie's Bar & Robertson's Art Gallery (SIT-00969)

130 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, single-story vernacular commercial building built in 1974 on the south side of the street (Figure 23). It has been altered since construction to resemble two separate buildings. It was constructed to maximize the property space, with a narrow alley to the west and sharing a firewall with 132 Lincoln Street to the east. It has a built-up roof with false front and a poured concrete foundation. The entire building is covered in vertical wood siding with storefronts along the north-facing street façade. The west portion of the building, designated as 128 Lincoln Street, has a centrally oriented storefront with wood framed plate-glass storefront windows framing a centrally placed, metal door with single light. The siding on the west half of the building is dull gray vertically grooved plywood with purplish wood trim. A raised flat false front parapet tops the building, rising higher than the roof level and containing a simple rectangular cornice with decorative brackets. A black pipe extends from above the entrance with a sign reading "Robertson's Art Gallery and Custom Framing." The eastern portion of the building is clad in brown board-andbatten wood siding. The storefront on this half of the building has a side orientation, with the recessed entrance to the west of two wood framed fixed plate glass storefront windows that are much smaller than it's neighbors. The false front parapet extends much higher than that to the west and it supports a large triangular, shingled awning to protect the storefront. This half of the building has a sign reading "Ernie's Old Time Saloon" suspended from the awning.

130 Lincoln Street is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1974, well outside the period of significance, it has a modern appearance and smaller massing than the contributing structures to the district. It does not have a parapet over the awning, giving it a stubby feel, no storefront display, and only half of the building is covered by an awning.



Figure 23. Ernie's Bar and Robertson's Art Gallery, 130 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

132 Lincoln Street, Random House (SIT-00970)

The Random House building is a rectangular, two-story vernacular commercial building on the south side of the street constructed in 1950 (Figure 24). It was built to maximize property space, and shares firewalls with the buildings on either side. It has a built-up roof and a hidden foundation. The lower story of the north-facing street façade has a brick veneer and centered storefront while the upper story is clad in panels sprayed in concrete. A flat awning is slightly angled towards the building to facilitate drainage away from the streetscape and it separates the two stories. The lower story has aluminum framed plate glass storefront windows framing a central metal-framed glass door, accented by wooden pilasters with decorative stone veneer bases. A metal-framed glass door with transom at the extreme west side of the street façade provides access to the second story. The second story contains a ribbon of ten oneover-one sash windows, of which several are replacement aluminum and are not painted to match the older wood sash windows. The firewall connecting the building to the adjoining 130 Lincoln Street has been extended out from the original side of the building so that it runs flush with 130 Lincoln Street, which is built closer to the street. A plastic and aluminum sign is fixed to the awning and anchored to the façade with cables, and reads "Random House: Gift items, party goods, cards, records, flowers by wire."

The Random House building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 24. Random House Building, 132 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

200 Lincoln Street, The Cellar (SIT-00971)

200 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, one-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street (Figure 25). It was built to maximize property space, and shares a firewall with 132 Lincoln Street to the west, with a narrow alley to the east. It has a built-up roof and poured concrete foundation. The majority of the building is clad in gray sawtooth shingle asbestos siding. The lower story of the north-facing street façade is devoted to a centrally oriented storefront consisting of aluminum framed fixed plate glass windows framing recessed metal framed double glass doors. A massive shingled triangular awning extends across the entire second story, extending beyond the west end of the building across an addition and attaching to the east side of 132 Lincoln Street. Attached to both 200 and 132 Lincoln Street is a small, one-story attachment with a recessed metal-framed glass door, and clad in wood shiplap siding painted off-white with red trim. This coloring plan extends to the first of the plate glass windows in the main building.

200 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 25. The Cellar at 200 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

206 Lincoln Street, Russian American Company Building 29 / Tilson Building (SIT-00013)

The Tilson Building, also known as Russian American Company Building No. 29, is located at 206 Lincoln Street (Figure 26). It is a three-story log structure of the Russian Colonial style constructed on the south side of the street. It has a raised-seam metal, side-gabled roof with four gabled dormers and a partial basement. Construction dates vary from 1835 to the 1850s,

however, it was the last Russian building to be used in Sitka for commercial purposes. The building has undergone substantial renovation, including the addition of wood lap siding on the main and western façades, vinyl shiplap siding on the second story east facade, and wood shingle in the eastern gable end. Plate glass storefront windows are present in the northeast and northwest corners of the building, and a flat angled awning to protect the storefronts from inclement weather runs the entire length of the building. A brick-veneer kickplate has also been added along the northern façade of the building. Fenestration consists of one-over-one vinyl sash windows set in the second story and four-over-four wood sash windows in each of the four north-facing third story dormers. The storefront to the northwest contains a metal-framed glass door centrally placed within the display, while the entrance to the northeast is a wood-framed glass door to the extreme east of the display. A panel door with a single light is located in the center of the north façade. An addition to the south side of the building, not visible from Lincoln Street, has extended the roofline into a saltbox form. Plexiglas has been placed over the northeast corner of the first story to reveal and protect the original logs of the building. It is significant as one of the few remaining Russian structures in Alaska, and it was included in the NRHP as a National Historic Landmark in 1987.

The Tilson Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian Period prior to 1850, it is has undergone numerous renovations during the interceding 160 years. In its present form, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 26. The Tilson Building/Russian American Building Number 29 at 206 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

208 Lincoln Street, Russell's Sporting Goods (SIT-00972)

208 Lincoln Street is a rectangular two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street (Figure 27). It has a built up roof with parapet and a hidden poured concrete foundation. The north-facing main front and the west alley facing façades of the building are covered in gray wood lap siding with white wooden trim. The east façade, also facing a narrow alley, is covered in metal vertical siding. The primary north-facing façade is dominated by a centrally oriented storefront with cobble-stone veneer kickplate below a wood-shingled triangular awning. The awning has wooden scalloped trim. The main entrance is through a metal-framed glass door with transom framed by paired plate glass display windows. A secondary entrance is located at the east of the main façade, consisting of a metal door with single light and leading to the second story. The second story is marked by three sets of paired one-over-one wood framed sash windows. The roof's parapet is marked by a bracketed cornice, which contains a compass arrow and geometric decorative elements in a contrasting lighter gray color.

208 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributor to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed in 1940, inside the period of significance for the historic district, but has undergone extensive remodeling in recent years. The result is that it embodies all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings) required for inclusion in the district. While the building is not individually eligible for listing, it is considered to be contributing due to the visual continuity it conveys to the historic district.



Figure 27. Russell's Sporting Goods, 208 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

214 Lincoln Street, Ben Franklin Store (SIT-00973)

The Ben Franklin Store is a rectangular single story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1964 on the south side of the street (Figure 28). It was built to maximize property area, with very narrow alleys on the east and west sides. It has a builtup roof and poured concrete foundation. The east and west façades of the building are covered with raised seam metal siding. The north-facing front façade is dominated by two storefronts and is almost entirely plate glass display windows, the two shops only visually separated by sprayed concrete pilasters. The two recessed storefronts contain paired metal-framed glass doors with transoms. Each recess is framed by paired metal-framed plate glass display windows; the larger store on the west has an additional pair of display windows abutting the west wall. The display windows rest on a brick-veneered kick plate and are topped by a shallow, triangular, wood-shingled awning that meets the roofline. Signage consist of wooden signs hung from the awning in front of each store, reading "The Totem" in front of the eastern store and "Ben Franklin Store" in front of the larger western store. A wooden panel painted to resemble to a totem pole covers the spray concrete pilaster at the eastern corner of the main façade.

The Ben Franklin Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1964, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 28. The Ben Franklin Store, 214 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

224 Lincoln Street, Sitka Lutheran Church (SIT-00004)

The Sitka Lutheran Church, located at 224 Lincoln Street, is a rectangular church constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street (Figure 29) on the site of the original Finnish Lutheran Church, which dated to 1840. The rectangular church was constructed to maximize lot size, incorporating the wall and basement of a previous church that had been destroyed by fire in 1966. It has a gable roof, the north side of which is steeply sloped and covered with asphalt shingles, and the south side of which is flattened and covered in copper roofing. The building is clad in rough aggregate precast concrete panels. The main entrance is at the northeast corner of the church, with a recessed entry that spans the entire height of the building, allowing the gable roof to protect the entrance from inclement weather. The entrance consists of wood-framed glass doors with sidelights, topped by a solid wood transom below a 12-light fixed wood sash window that extends to the roofline. A set of three metal interlocking crosses rise from the northeast corner of the building just inside the covered main entrance and extend up through the roofline. A secondary entrance is in the northwest corner of the building and consists of metal-framed glass doors below an asphalt-shingled awning just wide enough to protect the entrance. Vertical wood railings connect the awning with the roof creating a vertical emphasis. Signage for the church is reserved to a series of small panels fixed to the north façade, and include a informational display case for services and times, a metal commemorative plate bearing the build date for the church, and a small brown panel that displays a brief history of the church location.

The Sitka Lutheran Church is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1966 to replace the original church destroyed by the fire in January 1966, it is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the district.



Figure 29. The Sitka Lutheran Church, 224 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

236 Lincoln Street, Franklin Building (SIT-00974)

The Franklin Building is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street at the junction with Maksoutoff Street (Figure 30). It was constructed to maximize property area, with the west façade facing Maksoutoff Street and the north façade facing out onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with an angled copper parapet on all sides and a poured concrete foundation. The exterior of the building consists of vertical aggregate concrete veneer panels, punctuated by vertical sections of curtain wall. The façades are nearly identical in fenestration, with the exception of the main entrance centered on the north façade. It consists of double metal-framed glass doors, accentuated by a copper awning the width of the entrance, which projects almost to the end of the sidewalk. Each window bay on the lower story contains two metal-framed plate glass display windows topped by smaller transom. Decorative metal panels in the curtain window configurations are set at the bottom of each story. Paired hopper transom windows topped with plate glass picture windows occupy the upper story. Carved wooden totem poles have been centered in each of the concrete veneer sections, serving as a visual continuation between the two stories.

The Franklin Building is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it contains few of the necessary features for visual continuity for the commercial district.



Figure 30. The Franklin Building, located at 236 Lincoln Street 322 Lincoln Street (SIT-00988)

322 Lincoln Street (SIT-00975)

322 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street (Figure 31). It was constructed to maximize property area, abutting the sidewalk and with a narrow alley to the west providing access to parking in the rear. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building has a cobblestone veneer on the lower story and raised seam sheet metal siding on the parapet and roofline. The main fa-

çade faces north and contains a centrally oriented storefront consisting of paired metal framed glass doors with three fixed plate glass display windows to either side. An additional identical window is placed on the west side of the building facing the paved drive and a secondary metal door is evident near the southwestern corner. An awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and is divided into three asphalt-shingled hipped roof sections. The building is currently vacant and contains no signage.

322 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 31. 322 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

328 Lincoln Street, Columbia Bar (SIT-00976)

The Columbia Bar, located at 328 Lincoln Street, is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed ca. 1910 on the south side of Lincoln Street (Figure 32). It was built to maximize the property lot, facing directly onto Lincoln and sharing narrow alleys with the neighboring buildings to the east and west. It has a gable roof clad in corrugated metal hidden behind a rectangular false parapet and a concrete foundation. The main façade, facing north, is clad in wood shingle siding in the upper story and wood lap siding in the lower story. The east and west facades, facing narrow walkways, are clad in corrugated metal. Fenestration is simple, with a large woodframed plate glass display window in the lower story slightly off from center, a second small wood-framed fixed window near the western edge of the main façade, and a single set of paired wood sash windows in the upper story. There are two entrances on the main facade, both wood panel doors with fixed single light windows. The building has no awning or signage and the commercial space in the lower story is vacant.

The Columbia Bar is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in ca.1910 outside of the period of significance, it nonetheless is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains most of the primary features (parapet, storefront, and massing) and several of the secondary features (wood lap siding, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 32. The Columbia Bar, 328 Lincoln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

329 Harbor Drive, Troutte Center (SIT-00977)

The Troutte Center, is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street (Figure 33). It was built to maximize the property lot, with the main façade facing north directly onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a concrete foundation. The main north façade has vinyl lap siding with stone veneer along the first story storefront and corners of the building; the east and west facades are painted concrete block. Fenestration consists of a series of plate glass storefront display windows across the first story and an evenly spaced row of six sliding glass windows in the upper story. The lower story contains two storefronts separated by a single metal-framed glass door with transom that provides access to a central staircase to the upper story. Storefront entrances are recessed, with paired metal-framed glass doors with transoms. The kickplate below the display windows is stone veneer. Paired red raised-seam metal hipped awnings protect the storefronts from inclement weather; a metal clad pent protects the upper story windows. Signage for the resident commercial entities hangs from the underside of the awning.

The Troutte Center Building is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside the period of significance (1967) and has un-

dergone extensive renovation in recent years. While it contains several of the necessary features, the massing of the building and necessary features is such that it does not convey visual continuity with the rest of the historic district.



Figure 33. Troutte Center, 329 Linocln Street, view facing southeast (©TNSDS 2014).

334 Lincoln Street, U.S. Post Office (SIT-00978)

334 Lincoln Street is a rectangular one-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1965 on the south side of the street (Figure 34). It was built to maximize property area, sharing a firewall with the building to the west and having a narrow alley to the east. The building has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in wood lap siding with darker wood trim. The main façade faces north onto Lincoln Street and contains two recessed storefronts. Each storefront contains paired metal-framed glass doors flanked by two fixed plate glass display windows with transoms to either side. The kickplate below the display windows is painted a contrasting green with white rectangles in relief, a motif that is repeated in the bulkhead over the doors. A triangular asphalt-shingled awning, supported by timber trusses, protects the storefronts from inclement weather. The parapet is worked to resemble three pinnacles centered over the building. Each parapet holds signage related to the commercial entities housed within: the sign to the east advertises the US Post Office, while the central and western pinnacles contain signs for the Mountain Miss store. Additional signage for these businesses also hangs from the underside of the awning.

334 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1965, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pro-

nounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 34. The U.S. Post Office at 334 Lincoln Street, view facing southwest (©TNSDS 2014).

197 Katlian Avenue, Totem Square (SIT-00046)

Totem Square, located at the northwest end of Lincoln Street, is an open square park (Figure 35). It contains a totem pole in the center of the open landscaped grass with interpretive signage detailing the history of Sitka and the totem iconography. It is bordered to the east by a paved parking area that opens onto Katlian Ave, to the south by Lincoln Street, and to the west by a stone wall protecting the park and sidewalk from Sitka Harbor just beyond.

Totem Square is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. It contains no building and serves no commercial purpose. It serves as an open area for area residents and tourists and presents information on the history of Sitka.



Figure 35. Totem Square, 197 Katlian Avenue, view facing northeast (©TNSDS 2014).

120 Katlian Avenue, Sitka Pioneers Home (SIT-00097)

The Sitka Pioneer's Home is a wide U-shaped three-story reinforced concrete Mission Revival building (Figure 36) constructed on the north side of Lincoln Street to the east of the junction with Katlian Street. It was constructed in 1934 for the purpose

of housing Alaska's aging pioneers. It was constructed with a Spanish quarry tile roof with copper flashing, cupolas, detailing, and dormers with six-over-six sash windows. It also has a full basement and attic over a poured concrete foundation. Fenestration consists of even rows of one-over-one metal sash windows in all stories. An entrance vestibule topped by a metal-railed patio and containing six-over-nine double-hung wood sash windows emphasizes the main entrance, set in the center of the building and facing out onto Totem Square. The entrance is recessed within this vestibule and has paired metal-framed eight-light glass doors with sidelights and transom. Faux corbeling at the roofline consists of a row of small concrete arches. The building is situated near the center of the property, allowing for a large landscaped front lawn, and several outbuildings including a nurse's home, administrator's wing, and parking. A large statue, "The Prospector," was added to the front lawn area in 1949. The Sitka Pioneer's Home was listed on the NRHP in 1979 for its significance as the first facility constructed in Alaska to provide housing for the territory's aging pioneer population. The sponsoring pension program was the first of its kind to be implemented in the United States.

The Pioneers Home is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1934, outside the period of significance, the building is in the Mission Revival style and has no commercial function. It contains none of the features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. The building is, however, listed individually on the National Register of Historic Places.



Figure 36. The Sitka Pioneer's Home, 120 Katlian Avenue, view facing northeast (©TNSDS 2014).

201 Lincoln Street, Old Harbor Books and Coffee (SIT-00979)

201 Lincoln Street is a two-story vernacular gable-end commercial building constructed in 1890 (Figure 37) on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with Barracks Street. It was built to maximize property space, with the foundation and floor level rising in increments toward the rear of the building in line with the sloping location. It also shares a firewall with 203 Lincoln Street to the east and is built directly along the line of the street. The roof is a moderate gable covered in rolled metal roofing, and consists of two parts with the

rear section to the north being slightly higher than that along the street front, in keeping with the slope of the landscape. The building is largely clad in white painted wood lap siding with yellow half-cove shingles in the gable end. The lower story of south-facing street façade is dedicated to storefront; with large vinyl trimmed plate glass fixed storefront windows centered on recessed aluminum doors with fixed single-light windows. The storefront is decorative in nature, with yellowpainted sign band and kick plate paneling and red and blue painted wood detailing and trim. Half-cove shingles cover the rectangular space directly above the door. The second story of the front façade is a false rectangular front, jutting through the gable to give a rectangular appearance more in keeping with the remaining streetscape. The west façade of the building, facing Barracks Street, is marked by a row of fixed plate glass windows over smaller awning windows. A triangular asphalt shingled awning runs directly above the storefront across the entire façade. The awning is broken by a pediment centered across the building, slightly offset from the main entrance. A secondary entrance on the extreme east of the building provides access to the second story. A brown and white metal sign is fixed to the upper reaches of the false front and reads "Old Harbor Books."

201 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Although constructed prior to the period of significance in 1890, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Historic photographs from the period of significance show the building is nearly unchanged in character since the period of significance.

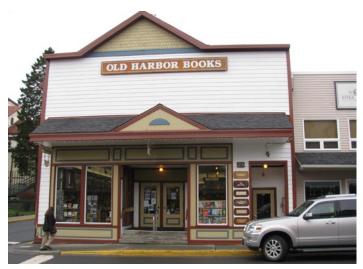


Figure 37. Old Harbor Books and Coffee, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

203 Lincoln Street, Sitka Outlet Store (SIT-00980)

203 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the north side of the street (Figure 38). It was built to maximize property size, sharing a firewall with 201 Lincoln Street to the west and having only an extremely narrow alley with the neighboring building to the east. The south portion of the building has a flat roof with parapet while the north portion has a gable roof. The building has a hidden poured concrete foundation. The south-facing primary façade of the building is clad in vinyl lap siding with wood trim, while the surface area visible in the alley is stucco. The front façade is dominated by a centrally oriented storefront with double metal-framed glass doors framed by large plate glass storefront windows. The second story is marked by three sets of windows consisting of large plate fixed windows over narrow single-light paired awning windows. The wall contains a raised parapet, lending height to the front façade. A triangular asphalt-shingled awning separates the two levels. A secondary door is evident in the alley as well as a window in the second story; these features indicate that the alley was once more substantial than it is currently, as presently the alley is too narrow to allow for human passage.

203 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 38. The Sitka Outlet Store, 203 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

209 Lincoln Street, Homeport Eatery (SIT-00981)

209 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1923 on the north side of Lincoln Street (Figure 39) at the intersection with American Street. It was built to maximize the property area, with a shared firewall with the American Legion Building to the west. It has a flat built-up roof and a concealed poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in wooden lap siding painted a pale blue gray with openings trimmed in flat wood. The primary façade faces south directly onto Lincoln Street and is dominated by a recessed entrance, triangular wood-shingled awning, and falsegabled parapet. The wood-framed glass main entrance door is centrally placed and raised above the street level by a series of five wooden steps. It is framed by a pair of metal framed plate glass display windows within the recess. Larger plate glass display window configurations are placed to each side of the recessed entrance, each consisting of a central window framed by narrow fixed windows with decorative false mullions. The upper story is plain and only contains signage for the resident business, "Homeport Eatery," in metal lettering fixed to the siding. A secondary entrance and emergency fire escape on the west side of the building, abutting the American Legion Building, contains a metal panel door with single light.

209 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historical Commercial District. Although constructed outside the period of significance in 1923, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 39. Homeport Eatery, 209 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

215 Lincoln Street, Sitka Bazaar (SIT-00982)

215 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1966 on the northeast corner of the intersection of American and Lincoln streets (Figure 40). It was constructed to maximize the property lot, with the primary façade facing south onto Lincoln Street and the secondary façade facing west into American Street. The building has a raised-seam metal-clad hipped roof and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in white spray concrete panels with blue contrasting pilasters running the full height of the building. The two façades are similar in appearance, each with a centrally placed recessed entrance placed inside a pointed arch. Large wood sash plate glass display windows are nestled inside hexagonal openings in the spray concrete panels. The area directly surrounding the windows contains white wood lap siding. The second story contains windows identical in placement, one window between each pilaster, but which consist of wood sash sliding windows. An overhead door is located at the northwest corner of the building to provide automotive access for the building's commercial entity. An awning stretches across both façades of the building, angled towards the building and containing vegetation. A sign reading "Sitka Bazaar: Made in Alaska Gifts" is attached to the top of the awning over the main entrance, and a smaller sign hangs from the awning just below.

The Sitka Bazaar is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in ca. 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although an exact build date is difficult to determine, photographic evidence from 1966 and 1968 show that the building is virtually unchanged in the intervening years.



Figure 40. Sitka Bazaar, 215 Lincoln Street, view facing north (©TNSDS 2014).

221 Lincoln Street, Saint Michael's Store (SIT-00983)

221 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building (Figure 41) constructed following the 1966 fire on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize the property area, with narrow alleyways separating it from its neighbors to the east and west. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The main façade of the building, which faces south onto Lincoln Street, is clad in board-and-batten wood siding with wood trim while the alleyfacing east and west façades consist of painted concrete. The lower level contains two identical storefronts, each containing a metal-framed glass door with transom to the east of three wood sash plate glass display windows. An additional entrance, providing access to the upper story, is situated on the southwest corner of the building and consists of a metal-framed glass door with transom. The upper story is marked by three sets of windows, each consisting of a plate glass fixed window flanked by narrower casement windows. An asphalt-shingled awning is suspended over the entrances to provide protection from inclement weather. Plywood cutouts have been added over the windows and door of the western storefront to create shapes resembling the dome of St. Michael's Cathedral (ogee arches) and the siding has been painted a vibrant green. Signs suspended from the awning in front of each storefront read "St. Michael's Cathedral Store" to the west and "Grandfather Frost Russian Christmas Store" to the east.

221 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed following the fire of 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 41. Saint Michael's Store, 221 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

237 Lincoln Street, Cathedral Arms Apartments (SIT-00984)

The Cathedral Arms Apartments, located at 237 Lincoln Street, was constructed in 1950 on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with Cathedral Way (Figure 42). It is a rectangular seven-story mixed-use commercial and residential building with a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete basement constructed to maximize the property area. The building is clad in concrete panels painted in vertical sections of alternating cream and green. The four corners of the building are angled, creating bay window sections for each corner apartment. The ground story of the building houses commercial entities with four storefronts along Lincoln Street and two overhead doors along Cathedral Way. Entrances are metal-framed glass doors flanked by metal-framed plate glass display windows and topped by fixed transom windows. The windows in the upper stories, which house residential apartments, consist of one-over-one metal sash windows in symmetrical formation across the west, south, and east façades. The corner bay windows are visually accentuated by copper sheeting applied to resemble thick sills. A utility house caps the roof and an awning runs across the building above the first story to shelter the storefronts from inclement weather. Signage is attached to the lower side of the awning announcing the commercial entity of each storefront.

The Cathedral Arms Apartments is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although larger than the one-to-three stories specified by the primary features, the building when viewed along the streetscape is in keeping with the surrounding built environment.



Figure 42. Cathedral Arms Apartments, 237 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

239 Lincoln Street, Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel (SIT-00010)

St. Michael's Cathedral, located at the corner of Lincoln and Makoutoff Streets, is a reconstructed cruciform Russian Orthodox church (Figure 43) constructed over a period from 1967 to 1977 to replace the original church destroyed by a fire in 1965 that devastated Sitka's downtown area. It is a concrete and steel building designed to replicate the original wood lap sided log building. It is a one-story church with two-story bell tower and a central copper onion dome set directly over the main alter with a threebar cross. The flanking wings to the north, south, and east have shingled gable roofs. A clock is set into the bell tower over the main entrance. The bells are set in an octagonal belfry topped by a copper pinnacle and three-bar cross. Fenestration throughout the main story consists of paired four-over-eight sash windows, many of which are false and merely wood painted to mimic the original. The hexagonal dome base contains twenty-light wood sash windows in each face, and six-light sash windows are evident just below the capping onion pinnacle. The main entrance, consisting of paired wood-panel doors, is at the center of the east façade, facing out onto Lincoln Street, and capped by a shedroof shingled awning. The church was burned in a fire in January of 1966; reconstruction began almost immediately based upon drawings and documentation made in 1961 as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey. The church was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1962 and placed on the NRHP in 1966.

The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian period and replaced in 1967 following construction by fire in 1966, the building is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary or secondary features necessary for visual continuity for the historic commercial district.



Figure 43. Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel, 239 Lincoln Street, view facing northeast (©TNSDS 2014).

321 Lincoln Street, Service Transfer Building (SIT-00985)

321 Lincoln Street is the Service Transfer Building, a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the north side of the street (Figure 44). It was built to maximize the property area, with a narrow alley on the east side of the building abutting the Coliseum Theater and a narrow paved drive providing access to rear parking to the west. The building has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in wood lap siding with blue wood trim. The lower level contains one storefront situated at the southwest corner of the building consisting of large fixed plate glass display windows. A metal door with single light is located just to the east of the last display window, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door is located at the southeast corner of the building. Fenestration along the upper story of the main façade consists of vinyl sash windows with decorative mullions and accentuated lintels: one centered on the facade and a set of paired windows to either side. The initial windows along the east and west façades are also vinyl sash with decorative mullions, after which fenestration changes to one-over one sash windows. The lower story of the eastern façade contains three fixed wood sash windows: one nine light and a pair of nine lights, framing a secondary entrance with a white panel door. A flat angled awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and stretches from the southwest corner to the overhead door on the eastern side of the front facade. A chimney rises from the flat roof. The parapet is stepped in the center to provide a more decorative appearance. Signage hangs from the awning in front of two storefronts. The sign located in front of the western-most storefront reads "Winter Song" while the second sign to the east reads "Eclipse Designs Artisan Jewelry."

321 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Figure 44. Service Transfer Building, 321 Lincoln Street, view facing north (©TNSDS 2014).

331 Lincoln Street, Coliseum Theater / Moose Lanes (SIT-00986)

The Coliseum Theater, located at 331 Lincoln Street, is a rectangular two-story commercial building (Figure 45) constructed in 1955 along the north side of Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in spray-concrete panels. The main façade faces south onto the street and is characterized by a stylized horizontal recessed band just below the roofline, painted red with black trim to contrast with the gray of the rest of the building. The southeast corner is curved. The main entrance is through a wooden addition that shares a wall with the Moose Lodge to the east. It is one-story and consists of double wooden doors with single-light window panels. Fenestration once consisted of narrow horizontal bands of glass blocks just below the decorative red band, but these have since been painted over to keep light from entering the movie theater. A marquee sign fixed just below the roofline on the main façade of the theater announces movies and times; a second sign reading "Coliseum Theater" is attached to the entrance addition just above the doors. The theater is situated against the rear of the property, allowing for a narrow row of parking in front of the theater. The application of a Modernistic Style exterior appears to have occurred post-construction, with window openings covered over, and horizontal line-work applied to the stucco exterior rather than incised into the wall.

The Coliseum Theater is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, outside the period of significance, it contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and stylistic modifications mean that this building does not represent any visual continuity for the district.



Figure 45. The Coliseum Theater / Moose Lanes, 331 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

337 Lincoln Street, Moose Lodge (SIT-00987)

337 Lincoln Street, also known as the Moose Lodge, is a two-story commercial building constructed in 1920 on the north side of Lincoln Street (Figure 46). The form of the building is irregular and made to adapt to the size of the lot, which trends northeast to southwest. It is a rectangular building set at an angle to the street and the southeast corner of the building has been angled, although the roof continues, creating a large overhang. It has a rolled metal, hipped roof and a poured concrete foundation. The lower story is glad in channeled plywood siding and the upper story is clad in sprayed concrete. The main entrance is along the eastern façade. The windows are one-over-one throughout both the upper and lower stories, with both wood and vinyl sash types. A shingled triangular awning running the length of the eastern façade protects the entrance from inclement weather. A bell hangs from the southeast corner roof overhang, along with a sign reading "Moose Family Center."

The Moose Lodge is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, outside the period of significance, it contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and orientation of the building mean that it does not represent any visual continuity for the district.



Figure 46. Moose Lodge, 337 Lincoln Street, view facing west (©TNSDS 2014).

POTENTIAL SITKA HISTORIC MISSION DISTRICT

Under the current CLG grant, the 0.8 miles of East Lincoln Street through to the end of Metlakatla Street was assessed for its potential as a historic district. Through review of tax assessor's records and reconnaissance survey, 28 buildings were identified as being 45 years old or older and may warrant further investigation (Table 5). Thirteen of those 28 buildings are already listed on the NRHP, as individually listed properties, contributing to a NRHP-listed historic district, or as part of a National Historic Landmark (Table 5). Newly identified properties that have not been previously recorded were assigned an AHRS number from the Alaska OHA, as well as an overarching AHRS number for the entire Sitka Historic Mission District (SIT-00989).

Table 5. Sitka Historic Mission District SIT-00989, Potential Contributing Properties				
Address	Name			
419 Lincoln Street	Hanlon Osbakken House (SIT-00191)*			
501 Lincoln Street	Russian Bishop's House (SIT-00009) *			
503 Lincoln Street	Old School (SIT-00316) *			
601 Lincoln Street	Emmons House (SIT-00258) *			
603 Lincoln Street	Old St Gregory Catholic (SIT-00990)			
609 Lincoln Street	St Peters Episcopal See House (SIT-00195) *			
611 Lincoln Street	St Peters Episcopal Church (SIT-00029) *			
705 Lincoln Street	Conway House (SIT-00991)			
709 Lincoln Street	SIT-00992			
711 Lincoln Street	SIT-00993			
102 Barlow Street	SIT-01003			
719 Lincoln Street	SIT-00994			
105 Jeff Davis Street	Houk House (SIT-00223) *			
801 Lincoln Street	Sheldon Jackson Campus (SIT-00026) *			
803 Lincoln Street	Sheldon Jackson Museum (SIT-00007) *			
833 Lincoln Street	Pear Cottage (SIT-00255) *			
834 Lincoln Street	Sage Building (SIT-00224) * Sheldon Jackson College Sawmill (SIT-00554) *			
835 Lincoln Street	Presbyterian Manse, Vista House (SIT-00215) *			
839 Lincoln Street	SIT-00996			
901 Lincoln Street	SIT-00997			
102 Kelly Street	SIT-00998			
104 Kelly Street	SIT-00999			
106 Kelly Street	SIT-01000			
108 Kelly Street	SIT-01001			
101 Metlakatla Street	SIT-01002			
105 Metlakatla Street	SIT-01004			
109 Metlakatla Street	SIT-01005			

^{*}Denotes resource already listed on the NRHP.

A review of the associated historic contexts for historic properties already listed on the NRHP revealed a common development pattern. Four different ecclesiastical groups were established along Lincoln Street, beginning at the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the intersection of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) and continuing east to where such development ends near the Totem Park. Property lots owned by the four groups contain both historic buildings and buildings of more recent construction. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and other properties owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska

Native youth from 1882 until 1972. The Catholic and Episcopal establishments are situated in between the Russian Bishop's House and the Sheldon Jackson Campus. There are at least four property lots, including the massive Sheldon Jackson lot, that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district (Figure 47).

Currently, the CLG grant for Lincoln Street does not cover an intensive survey or development of a full historic context. As such the proposed boundaries for the district are anticipated to change and it is possible that more properties associated with the early establishment of religion and exploration in Southeast Alaska will be identified.



Figure 47. Aerial image of possible Sitka Mission District. Boundary extent yet to be determined.

Preliminary Historic Narrative

Alaska has long been considered a land of opportunity for western interests, including the expansion of theological beliefs. Numerous religious groups have come to Alaska to establish themselves across the vast region in an attempt to provide spiritual guidance to both indigenous and confirmed peoples. Eighteenth and nineteenth century Alaska was a place where the existing religious and cultural identities of Natives and colonists dynamically interacted in a process of mutual transformation. Both ordained priests and missionaries were charged with bringing the word of God and the truth of the gospel to the vast reaches of Alaska. Early forays to Alaska were achieved via steamship, with many routes following the inside passage in Southeast Alaska, with port stops in Ketchikan, Wrangell, Sitka, and Juneau. Sitka, previously known as the Russian capital of St. Michael the Archangel, was a trading post, redoubt, and center of Russian Orthodoxy in Southeast Alaska.

The eastern expanse of Lincoln Street (previously known as Beach Street), from its intersection with Lake Street to where it ends at Metlakatla Street, has been home to ecclesiastical strongholds since the Russian period. Following the Russian period, four mainstream Christian religious entities have main-

tained a presence on East Lincoln Street: the Russian Orthodox Church, the Presbyterian Church, the Episcopal Church, and the Roman Catholic Church. The entities, while having different spiritual focal points, and to some degree, differing political interests, did promote similar areas of social welfare and missionary work.

Beginning early in Sitka's history as a Russian capital, the Russian American Company built a large administrative and educational headquarters for the Russian Bishop on Lincoln Street. Built between 1841 and 1843, the building housed classrooms, administrative offices, living quarters, a chapel, a formal church, and the Bishop's quarters, from which he led all Orthodox congregations in Alaska. Students were taught Russian, English, religion, mathematics, navigation, history, and bookkeeping. The Presbyterian Board of Home Missions followed a similar ecclesiastical trajectory in Sitka, beginning in 1877, ten years after the U.S. purchased Alaska. In 1882, a large swatch of land set north of East Lincoln Street and bounded to the east by Metlakatla Street was patented in the name of the Presbyterian Church. The large parcel initially supported 15 educational buildings and one Native Alaskan church under the Sitka Industrial Training School. The Presbyterian missionary Sheldon Jackson oversaw the construction of the school, which was rebuilt in 1910 using a campus design drafted by a team of architects who were prominent in the church. Wealthy parishioners, who believed both spiritual and vocational education were best for the congregations, financed small educational cottages and bungalow housing. Students learned to read and write English, honed homemaker skills, raised livestock, worked in the school woodmill, and helped to construct new campus buildings. Later renamed the Sheldon Jackson School, the institution was key in the education of Native Alaskans during the first half of the twentieth century and in the transformation of Southeast Native Alaskan cultures. Through education that emphasized English, students were taught to adopt elements of Euro-American culture.

The Episcopal Church established a presence in Sitka around the same time as the Presbyterian Church, which received an ordained Bishop for the region in 1896. The focus of the Episcopal Church in Alaska was in reaching individuals in remote rural areas. The growing number of miners and trappers in the area brought a desire for spiritual salvation. The Bishop designed and built a church and stand-alone residence on East Lincoln Street: St. Peter's By The Sea Church in 1899, and the Bishop's house or the Holy See House completed in 1905. The Episcopal Church helped to establish mission churches for both Native Alaskans and Sourdoughs, and provided much needed social services in the form of hospitals, schools, and libraries, thus caring for parishioners' bodies and souls.

The Catholic Church was also interested in Sitka as early as 1867, when a request from the community was sent to the Bishop of Vancouver Island requesting a priest be established in Sitka as the U.S. took ownership of Alaska. Until 1885, which is when the land that old St Gregory's Catholic Church currently sets on was purchased by the Archbishop, a visiting priest from Wrangell held mass in an old barn on Lincoln Street. A log church was built, and, then replaced in 1922 by the existing church that faces Baranof Street. A resident priest was not continuously in occupancy until 1940, when the church began to flourish. Aside from the feeding and sheltering of the poor, the Jesuit-led congregation provided educational facilities, a convent, child care, and travelling ministry, similar to the Episcopal Church, that provided guidance in remote logging camps and villages in southeast Alaska.

The persona of the religious entities that helped to shape Sitka and Alaska can be seen in the built environment of Sitka, along East Lincoln Street. Each ecclesiastical group purchased land early in the formation of the community of Sitka and they remain as tenants on those same lots. Each group has a religious complex that contains historic buildings with good architectural integrity, sufficient to convey a sense of regional history. The spatial layout of the lots along East Lincoln Street suggest a cohesive grouping that may be a potential historic district. An intensive survey, along with research into each building that is historic in age, is recommended to determine if a historic district is present.

CONCLUSION AND PRESERVATION RECOMMENDATIONS

This study was undertaken with the intent of evaluating the potential for an historic district along Lincoln Street. To accomplish this goal, a survey of Lincoln Street was undertaken, with photographs taken and architectural descriptions completed. Following research into the history of Lincoln Street, it was determined that roughly half of the downtown business survey area shows a high degree of integrity remaining from the period of militaristic build-up and subsequent commercial growth in the Sitka area in the late 1930s through the mid-1960s and should be considered for inclusion on the NRHP as the Sitka Historic Business District (SIT-00988). A context and historic narrative was developed to further this conclusion and has previously been discussed. It is recommended that the district be considered for inclusion on the NRHP.

Additionally, the remainder of Lincoln Street stretching from the intersection of East Lincoln Street and Lake Street to the Totem Park was surveyed and evaluated. Due to the large presence of historic churches as well as the Sheldon Jackson Historic District, it is recommended that this area be evaluated as a second potential historic district. This district would be based on the missionary presence within Sitka and focus on the areas of Lincoln Street surrounding the churches. Further research will need to be conducted into the chronology of missionary activity within Sitka as well as on the history of development of this stretch of Lincoln Street.

Finally, it is recommended that the CBS consider creating a Local Historic District to encompass both of these potentially eligible historic districts. The result would be a unified local Lincoln Street Historic District. The purpose of doing so would be to pull tourists from the main downtown tourist area directly surrounding the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel further along Lincoln Street. This would help to showcase the rich history and architectural gems present in the further reaches of Sitka, and aid in the growth of tourism economy for the entire city of Sitka.

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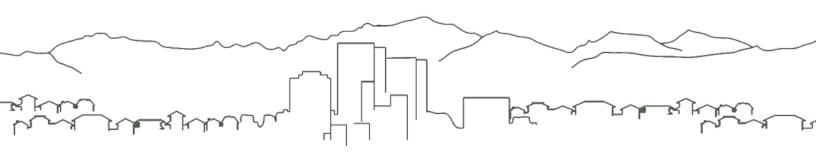
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APPENDIX A: SITKA HISTORIC BUSINESS DISTRICT ALASKA BUILDING INVENTORY FORMS

Part I: Contributing Resources

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00988 Associated District: SIT-00988

		Other Name: Sitka Historic Business District		
Building Address: East Lincoln Street from 2 Lincoln St	reet to Junction with Lake Street	City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Multiple- private	reet to Junction with Lake Street			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4 and A5	Section: 36; 1, 2	Township: 55S; 56S	Range: 63E; 63E	
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Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
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Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
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Architectural Style:		1. 2. Building Type:		
Commercial vernacular, Moderne sty Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	commercial Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
 concrete . 	built up parapet	1. wood lap 2. spray concrete	storefront with awning kickplate along main facade	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): (use continuation sheets) 31 Buildings: 18 contributing and 13 non-contributing, primarily commercial vernacular in style.		Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka.		
106 Lincoln Street Contribution108 Lincoln Street Contribution	•	The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and		
118 Lincoln Street Contribu	•	remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect		
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208 Lincoln Street Contribu		civic and governmental buildings to t		
214 Lincoln Street Contribu	•	residential area to the north, and the the buildings retain their original form	waterfront to the south. As many of and have stayed close to the	
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Historic Name Associated Historic District City/Town/Village Sitka Business District SIT-00988 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

Lincoln Street has been the commercial and social center of Sitka. Alaska since before the U.S. purchase of Alaska from the Russians in 1867. The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel ensured that this area was the heart of the settlement during the Russian Colonial period, as it continued to be following the US purchase. One of the first acts passed by the newly formed city government following the purchase was to rename the main commercial thoroughfare, from Main Street to Lincoln Street.

In 1937, with hostilities looming due to WWII, the US government recognized the strategic position of Sitka for defense purposes. In 1937, the US Navy "designated its old reservation on Japonski Island as the Naval Seaplane Base, Sitka." Soon after, in February of 1938, it was designated the Fleet Air Base². By September 1939, the facility had been designated a Naval Air Station leading to massive construction efforts in and around Sitka. Contractors alone brought in nearly 1,700 laborers, a number that was more than the estimated population of Sitka at that time. Soon after, personnel from the US Army and Navy arrived to staff the facility. Throughout World War II, troops stationed at Japonski Island provided an economic boom for the town of Sitka³. The population influx brought about by the military buildup contributed to an increase in construction and commercial activity in Sitka's downtown business district along Lincoln Street. A large majority of the commercial buildings located both to the east and west of the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel were built during the 1940s.

Following the end of World War II and the lifting of travel restrictions to Alaska, tourists began to arrive, spurred on by new publicity brought about by the role Alaska played in national defenses during the war. Sitka became a favorite tourist stop. Steamship lines offered organized tours of the town as well as other areas throughout Southeast Alaska⁴. Construction along Lincoln Street continued through the 1950s as a tourism industry began to grow and Lincoln Street became a tourist destination. The commercial buildings along this stretch dating to the 1940s to 1950s are largely uniform in style and massing, consisting of one to three story buildings with flat roofing, large storefronts, parapets, and awnings to protect patrons from inclement weather.

On January 2, 1966, a fire broke out in Sitka that, according to news articles, destroyed 20% of the business district, including the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. A total of seventeen businesses were destroyed in the area directly surrounding the cathedral on the east end of the main commercial area. Rebuilding began almost immediately, with the fire opening up existing property lots to new construction near the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. Construction methods and styles shifted, with newer construction trending toward more modern materials, larger massing, and modern styles. Those buildings that survived the fire, however, have largely retained the original features and still serve as the heart of the commercial district in downtown Sitka

¹ Robert N. DeArmond, From Sitka's Past, (Sitka, Alaska, Sitka Historical Society, 1995).

Alaska Building Inventory Form – Continuation Sheet

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Sitka





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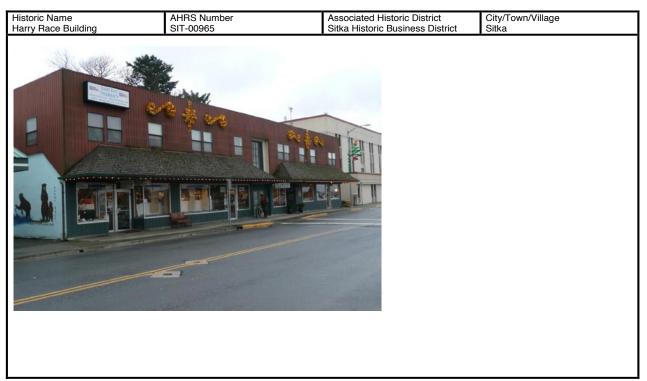
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Historic Name Sitka Business District	·	AHRS Number SIT-00988			Historic District ric Business District	City/Town/Village Sitka
Contributing Status C	continued:					
334 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	224 Lincoln	Street	Non-Contributing	
201 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	236 Lincoln	Street	Non-Contributing	
203 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	329 Harbor	Drive	Non-Contributing	
209 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	197 Katlian	Avenue	Non-Contributing	
215 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	120 Katlian	Avenue	Non-Contributing	
221 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	239 Lincoln	Street	Non-Contributing	
237 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	331 Lincoln	Street	Non-Contributing	
321 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng	337 Lincoln	Street	Non-Contributing	
132 Lincoln Street	Contributir	ng				
2 Lincoln Street	Non-Contr	ributing				
100 Lincoln Street	Non-Contr	ributing				
101 Lincoln Street	Non-Contr	ributing				
124 Lincoln Street	Non-Contr	ributing				
130 Lincoln Street	Non-Contr	ibuting				

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00965 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Harry Race Building		Other Name:		
Building Address: 106 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Castle Hill, LLC		<u>, </u>		
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:		Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi	tude, NAD83):	56S Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	63E usiness District	
57.04930 / -135.33838				
Historic Associations			1	
	cialty store			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce 2. Spec	cialty store	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:	<u>-</u> .	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1942	Date Moved.			
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Struction	ure Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular	·	Building Type: Multiuse- commercial and multi-fam	ilv residential	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: L shape	Roof Type: Flat	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 poured concrete 2. 	built up 2.	vertical wood concrete	metal sash display windows wood sash 1/1 windows	
Architectural Description (Include se Harry Race Building, located at 106 rectangular commercial building con extends to the ground, obscures the built-up. The north-facing street faça wooden siding, raised panel on the lupper, with fixed aluminum storefror below a shingled awning. The upper paired one-over-one metal sash win provided by means of a centrally pla by means of a break in the awning t window, with wood sash, placed over doors. The awning tapers to ends on Plexiglas connected to the awning e inclement weather. The west and ear alleyways separating the building froc divided into upper and lower stories story covered in stucco and the upper wood siding seen on the front. The tamaximize lot space, facing directly or alley access providing access to the Building is considered to be a contril Business District. Constructed in 19 commercial style used in district duri contains all of the primary features (massing) and several of the second signage, pronounced kickplate).	Lincoln Street, is a two-story natructed in 1942. The siding, which is foundation material and the roof is ade of the building is clad in vertical lower story and grooved on the not windows along the streetscape in story contains office space with indows. Access to the upper story is aced stair, delineated on the exterior of showcase a fixed sixteen-light er double aluminum framed glass were the door, but a sheet of ends protects the entry from ast façades, which each face om its neighbors, is aesthetically by means of siding, with the ground er story a continuation of the red building was constructed to not the streetscape with minimal erear of the building. Harry Race butting property to the Sitka Historic 42, it is an excellent example of the ing the period of significance. It (parapet, storefront, awning, and	remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of		
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B		Criteria Considerations:		
Prepared By: True North SDS		ts the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Archite		
	Not Concur)	ır) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)		
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00966 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Fur Gallery		Other Name:		
Building Address: 108 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Blanca Hernandez				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:		Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5	1	56S	63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04943 / -135.33817	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic E	usiness District	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce 2. Spec	cialty store			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce - Specialty store	Commerce- professional	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Significant Dates/Period of Significa		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner: Tilson		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1940	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Struct	_	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial- retail and offices		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete 2.	built up 2.	 concrete, vertical wood stone veneer 	wood sash windows metal sash retail windows	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 108 Lincoln Street, also referred to as the Fur Gallery building, is located on the south side of Lincoln Street and faces north. It is a two-story rectangular commercial building constructed in 1940 to maximize lot size, with a large alley along the western façade and sharing a firewall with the adjacent Sitka Hotel. It has a flat roof with parapet and hidden foundation. The street façade contains two storefronts with separate access consisting of aluminum fixed storefront windows and aluminum framed glass commercial doors with transoms. Siding on the lower level is stone veneer and is separated from the upper story by a metal-roofed awning. The upper story is clad in vertical channel grooved wood siding painted off-white, and contains a ribbon of wood sash casement windows: five paired sets of paired single casement windows: five paired sets of paired single casement windows flaced in the awning. The west façade of the building, facing the alley, continues the siding of the street façade in the upper story but contains wood framed one-over-one sash windows. The lower story is clad in stucco. A green corrugated metal awning across the façade of the building protects the entrance from inclement weather and connects to the adjacent Sitka hotel, with a pediment in the awning oriented to provide a continuous visual front across the two buildings as opposed to delineating any individual aspect of the Fur Gallery building. A drainage system of scuppers runs along the west façade. The name of the building, denoting the commercial entity, is evident along the second story street façade in attached metal letters reading "Fur Gallery." Eligibility: Criteria Considerations:				
Yes No If yes: A B Prepared By:		A B C D E Cts the following Professional Qualifica		
True North SDS SHPO Response:		rian Historian Historic Archite		
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur) Eligible (Do Not Concur) Not Eligible (Concur) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)				
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: Need more information related to: Historic Context Integrity Architectural Description Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Fur Gallery	SIT-00966	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka

108 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style seen in the district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate). Additionally, the building is situated adjacent to the Sitka Hotel, and the awning is constructed in such a way that it has visual continuity with the neighboring building.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00967 Associated District: ANC-00988

Historic Name : Sitka Hotel		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
118 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address: J&B North				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	·	
57.04947 / -135.33786				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic-hotel 2. Commerce-specialty store				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic-hotel 2. Commer	ce-specialty store	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce:	
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	1. 1937-1966 Original Owner:	2.	
Architectural Information				
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1939 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. 2.			Cultural Amiliation.	
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Struction	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial- multi use		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan:	Roof Type:	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
1. concrete	built up	1. concrete	metal sash picture windows	
2.	2.	2. brick veneer	2. wood shutters	
Architectural Description (Include sei Sitka Hotel, located at 118 Lincoln S commercial building constructed on 11939. Built to fill the entire lot, it shar Gallery building to the west and is cothe east by means of a faux front blo access. It is clad in spray concrete o along the kick plate on the first story, a hidden foundation. The street faça: sidewalk. The main entrance is receival minum awning protects the entrar extends across the faux wall blocking continues across the Fur Gallery buil awning is centered over the main en building, and marked with Queen An The main level contains several plate aluminum framed glass entry doors, with false shutters mark the upper two pink finish to the spray concrete mar reading "Sitka Hotel" is placed in the story. The Sitka Hotel is considered sitka Historic Business District. Consexample of the commercial style use significance. It contains all of the prinawning, and massing) and several of (commercial entity signage, pronoun pronounced fenestration patterns an constructed to help alleviate a housin construction of the Naval Air Station rooms on the first floor of the hotel sepace for tenant businesses.	treet, is a three-story rectangular the south side of Lincoln street in es a firewall with the adjacent Furonected to 124 Lincoln Street to ocking an alley from street view and n all levels with brick veneer laid. It has a flat roof with parapet and de, facing north, abuts the ssed and offset from center. An ince from inclement weather and go the alley to the east and lding to the west. A pediment in the trance, offset from the center of the ne style detailing at the very peak. e-glass storefront windows with Vinyl one-over-one sash windows to stories of the building. A slightly ks the roofline, and a Plexiglas sign direct center of the building's top to be a contributing property to the structed in 1939, it is an excellent and in district during the period of mary features (parapet, storefront, if the secondary features ced kickplate, ordered and d groupings). It was also ng shortage caused by the on Japonski Island, and the public	considered an historic district eligibunder Criteria A and C. A majority during the buildup of Alaska for mil War II (Criteria A). This lead to an i Lincoln Street commercial district a of the Naval Air Station located at The construction of these buildings commercial buildings during the first remains in evidence today (Criteria a parapet, a broad glassed storefro pedestrians from inclement weathe entity for the district both physically civic and governmental buildings to	and to the junction with Lake Street, is sole for listing on the National Register of the buildings were constructed itaristic defenses leading into World increase in development of the and was a direct result of the creation Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. If ollowed a form common to sto half of the 20 th century and a C). This three-part form consisted of ont, and an awning to protect er. This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily be waterfront to the south. As many of the mand have stayed close to the Idlings, the district retains a high	
Eligibility: ⊠ Yes □ No If yes: ⊠ A □ B	⊠c □ D	Criteria Considerations:]F	
Prepared By: True North SDS		ts the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Archite		
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Conc	cur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐ Not Eligible	(Do Not Concur)		
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Sitka Hotel	SIT-00967	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka
	SITRAHOTEL	FUR GAL	

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00970 Associated District: ANC-00988

Historic Name : Random House		Other Name: Random House		
		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Douglas and Olga Borland				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longii 57.04969 / -135.33720	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	·	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function:				
Commerce-specialty store 2 Current Function and Sub-function:	. Commerce- professional	Areas of Significance:		
Commerce-specialty store 2 Significant Person(s):	2. Commerce- professional	Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significa	2.	
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. 1937-1966 Original Owner:	2.	
Aromeet, Bander, Contractor, Besign	nor.	Original Owner.		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1950	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	Laroamencan	
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type:		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Commercial Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
1. concrete	1. built up	concrete brick veneer	wood sash 1/1 windows metal sash picture windows	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 132 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, two-story vernacular commercial building on the south side of the street constructed in 1950. It was built to maximize property space, and shares firewalls with the buildings on either side. It has a built-up roof and a hidden foundation. The lower story of the north-facing street façade has a brick veneer and centered storefront while the upper story is clad in panels sprayed in concrete. A flat awning is slightly angled towards the building to facilitate drainage away from the streetscape and it separates the two stories. The lower story has aluminum framed plate glass storefront windows framing a central metal-framed glass door, accented by wooden pilasters with decorative stone veneer bases. A metal-framed glass door with transom at the extreme west side of the street façade provides access to the second story. The second story contains a ribbon of ten one-over-one sash windows, of which several are replacement aluminum and are not painted to match the older wood sash windows. The firewall connecting the building to the adjoining 130 Lincoln Street has been extended out from the original side of the building so that it runs flush with 130 Lincoln Street, which is built closer to the street. A plastic and aluminum sign is fixed to the awning and anchored to the façade with cables, and reads "Random House: Gift items, party goods, cards, records, flowers by wire." The Random House building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and proponounced fenestration patterns and groupings).		considered an historic district eligil under Criteria A and C. A majority during the buildup of Alaska for mi War II (Criteria A). This lead to an Lincoln Street commercial district of the Naval Air Station located at The construction of these buildings commercial buildings during the fir remains in evidence today (Criteria a parapet, a broad glassed storefr pedestrians from inclement weathentity for the district both physically civic and governmental buildings to	nd to the junction with Lake Street, is ble for listing on the National Register of the buildings were constructed illitaristic defenses leading into World increase in development of the and was a direct result of the creation Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. Is followed a form common to rest half of the 20 th century and a C). This three-part form consisted of ont, and an awning to protect er. This form serves as a unifying y and visually. The district is bound by the waterfront to the south. As many of orm and have stayed close to the liddings, the district retains a high	
Eligibility:	<u> </u>	Criteria Considerations:		
∑ Yes	C D	☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E [
True North SDS		rian Historian Historic Archit		
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do	Not Concur) Not Eligible (Conc	ur) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)		
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00971 Associated District: ANC-00988

		Other Name: The Cellar		
Building Address: 200 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:	•			
Troy and Victoria Denkinger USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5	1	56S	63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04969 / -135.33609	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	usiness District	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce- specialty store	2.	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significal 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1940 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. 2. Resource Type:		1 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican	
Building □ Site □ Structu	ıre Dbject	1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete	1. built up	 asbestos shingle concrete 	metal doors metal sash picture windows	
Architectural Description (Include set 200 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, o building constructed in 1940 on the sit to maximize property space, and sha Street to the west, with a narrow alley and poured concrete foundation. The gray saw-tooth shingle asbestos sidir facing street façade is devoted to a consisting of aluminum framed fixed recessed metal framed double glass triangular awning extends across the beyond the west end of the building at the east side of 132 Lincoln Street. A Lincoln Street is a small, one-story at framed glass door, and clad in wood with red trim. This coloring plan exter	ne-story vernacular commercial outh side of the street. It was built res a firewall with 132 Lincoln by to the east. It has a built-up roof majority of the building is clad in the new story of the northeentrally oriented storefront plate glass windows framing doors. A massive shingled entire second story, extending across an addition and attaching to ttached to both 200 and 132 tachment with a recessed metalshiplap siding painted off-white	Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of		
windows in the main building. 200 Lir contributing property to the Sitka Hist in 1940, it is an excellent example of district during the period of significant features (parapet, storefront, awning, secondary features (commercial entit ordered and pronounced fenestration Eligibility:	ncoln Street is considered to be a coric Business District. Constructed the commercial style used in ce. It contains all of the primary and massing) and several of the cy signage, pronounced kickplate,	the buildings retain their original for prescribed form for commercial bui degree of integrity and should be of National Register Historic District.	m and have stayed close to the ldings, the district retains a high	
⊠Yes ☐ No If yes: ☒ A ☐ B	⊠C □D	□A □B □C □D □E □		
Prepared By: True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historian Historic Archite		
Architect				

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00979 Associated District: ANC-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address:		Old Harbor Books City: Sitka		
201 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:				
Old Harbor Books, Inc USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi	tude NAD83):	56S Associated District: Sitka Historic B	63E usiness District	
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Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce – specialty store	2.	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce:	
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	1. 1937-1966 Original Owner:	2.	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1890	Date Moved.			
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structi	ure	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	,	
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular	o <u> </u>	Building Type: Commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Front gable with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete	rolled metal	 wood shiplap wood shingle 	vinyl windows metal doors with light	
Architectural Description (Include se 201 Lincoln Street is a two-story ver building constructed in 1890 on the intersection with Barracks Street. It space, with the foundation and floor the rear of the building in line with the firewall with 203 Lincoln Street to the line of the street. The roof is a mode roofing, and consists of two parts with being slightly higher than that along slope of the landscape. The building wood lap siding with yellow half-cov lower story of south-facing street facture are viryl trimmed plate glass fixed recessed aluminum doors with fixed storefront is decorative in nature, with plate paneling and red and blue pair cove shingles cover the rectangular second story of the front façade is a through the gable to give a rectangular through the gable to give a rectangular should be a through the storefront across broken by a pediment centered acrothe main entrance. A secondary ent building provides access to the second sign is fixed to the upper reaches of Harbor Books."	rnacular gable-end commercial north side of Lincoln Street at the was built to maximize property level rising in increments toward he sloping location. It also shares a e east and is built directly along the grate gable covered in rolled metal ith the rear section to the north the street front, in keeping with the gis largely clad in white painted e shingles in the gable end. The cade is dedicated to storefront; with a storefront windows centered on a lingle-light windows. The thy yellow-painted sign band and kick need wood detailing and trim. Half-space directly above the door. The false rectangular front, jutting allar appearance more in keeping to west façade of the building, facing of fixed plate glass windows over ar asphalt shingled awning runs the entire façade. The awning is ses the building, slightly offset from rance on the extreme east of the ond story. A brown and white metal	Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.		
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B	4	Criteria Considerations:	<u></u>	
Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that mee Architect Architectural Histo	ts the following Professional Qualifica rian 🔲 Historian 🔲 Historic Archite		
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village SIT-00979 Stika Historic Business District Sitka

201 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Although constructed prior to the period of significance in 1890, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Historic photographs from the period of significance show the building is nearly unchanged in character since the period of significance.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00980 Associated District: ANC-00988

		Other Name: Sitka Outlet Store		
Building Address: 203 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:				
Rentall Too, INc USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Section:		Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longitu	1 de NAD83):	56S Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	63E	
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Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Specialty sto	re	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Designe	er:	Original Owner:	٤.	
Architectural Information:			1	
Date of Construction: 1940	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structur	e 🗌 Object	Associated Historic Context:		
Architectural Style:	e 🔲 Object	1. 2. Building Type:		
Commercial Vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Commercial Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	1. 2.	rectangular	Flat with parapet, front gable	
	Roof Materials: 1. composite shingles	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. stucco	Other Materials: 1. vinyl windows	
		2. vinyl lap	2. large plate glass windows	
Architectural Description (Include setti 203 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, two building constructed in 1940 on the noto maximize property size, sharing a fit the west and having only an extremely neighboring building to the east. The selflat roof with parapet while the north publiding has a hidden poured concrete primary façade of the building is clad in while the surface area visible in the all dominated by a centrally oriented storglass doors framed by large plate glass story is marked by three sets of windowindows over narrow single-light paire contains a raised parapet, lending height paire secondary door is evident in the alley story; these features indicate that the than it is currently, as presently the all human passage. 203 Lincoln Street is property to the Sitka Historic Business an excellent example of the commercial period of significance. It contains all of storefront, awning, and massing) and (commercial entity signage, pronounce pronounced fenestration patterns and	o-story vernacular commercial orth side of the street. It was built rewall with 201 Lincoln Street to / narrow alley with the south portion of the building has a ortion has a gable roof. The foundation. The south-facing n vinyl lap siding with wood trim, ey is stucco. The front façade is efront with double metal-framed is storefront windows. The second ws consisting of large plate fixed ad awning windows. The wall ght to the front façade. A parates the two levels. A as well as a window in the second alley was once more substantial ey is too narrow to allow for considered to be a contributing is District. Constructed in 1940, it is al style used in district during the ithe primary features (parapet, several of the secondary features ed kickplate, ordered and	considered an historic district eligii under Criteria A and C. A majority during the buildup of Alaska for mi War II (Criteria A). This lead to an Lincoln Street commercial district of the Naval Air Station located at The construction of these building commercial buildings during the fii remains in evidence today (Criteria parapet, a broad glassed storefir pedestrians from inclement weath entity for the district both physicall civic and governmental buildings t	nd to the junction with Lake Street, is ble for listing on the National Register of the buildings were constructed illitaristic defenses leading into World increase in development of the and was a direct result of the creation Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. s followed a form common to rst half of the 20 th century and a C). This three-part form consisted of ront, and an awning to protect er. This form serves as a unifying ly and visually. The district is bound by to the west and east, a primarily he waterfront to the south. As many of orm and have stayed close to the uildings, the district retains a high considered for designation as a	
Eligibility: ⊠ Yes		Criteria Considerations:	□F □G	
Prepared By: True North SDS [its the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Archi		
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00013 Associated District: ANC-00988

Historic Name : Russian-American Building No. 29			ng No. 29	
Building Address:	ilding Address:		Tilson Building, Historic Park Building No. 29 City: Sitka	
206 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:				
Ethel and Norman C. Staton USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi	1	56S	63E	
57.04970 / -135.33661	lude, NAD63).	Associated District: Sitka Historic E	ousiness district	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. exploration/settlement	2. Politics/government 3. Domesti	c/single dwelling 4. Commerce/		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce/trade 2. Specialty s	tore 3 Domestic/single dwelling	Areas of Significance:	Areas of Significance: 1. commerce/trade 2. commerce	
Significant Person(s):	tore of Dornestionshingle awening	Significant Dates/Period of Significa	Significant Dates/Period of Significance:	
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	1. 1850-1874 2. 1875-1899 3. Original Owner:	1937-1966	
Russian American Company		Tilson		
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1835	Date Moved.	<u> </u>		
Alteration Dates: 1. 1950s, 1960s 2. 19	984-1985	Stories: 3 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Russian	
Resource Type: Building Site Struct	ure 🗌 Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style:		Building Type:		
Russian Colonial/Commercial Verna Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	multipurpose Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	1. 2.	rectangular	Side gable	
Foundation Materials: 1. timber	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shiplap	Other Materials: 1. wood 4/4 windows	
2.	 rolled metal rolled metal 	1. wood shipiap	2. vinyl 1/1 windows	
		<u>.</u>	3. hewn log	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Tilson Building, also known as Russian American Company Building No. 29, is located at 206 Lincoln Street. It is a three-story log structure of the Russian Colonial style constructed on the south side of the street. It has a raised-seam metal, side-gabled roof with four gabled dormers and a partial basement. Construction dates vary from 1835 to the 1850s, however, it was the last Russian building to be used in Sitka for commercial purposes. The building has undergone substantial renovation, including the addition of wood lap siding on the main and western façades, vinyl shiplap siding on the second story east facade, and wood shingle in the eastern gable end. Plate glass storefront winclement weather runs the entire length of the building. A brick-veneer kickplate has also been added along the northern façade of the building. Fenestration consists of one-over-one vinyl sash windows set in the second story and four-over-four wood sash windows in each of the four north-facing third story dormers. The storefront to the northwest contains a metal-framed glass door centrally placed within the display, while the entrance to the northeast is a wood-framed glass door to the extreme east of the display. A panel door with a single light is located in the center of the north façade. An addition to the south side of the building, not visible from Lincoln Street, has extended the roofline into a saltbox form. Plexiglas has been placed over the northeast corner of the first story to reveal and protect the original logs of the building. It is significant as one of the few remaining Russian structures in Alaska, and it was included in the National register of Historic Places as a National Historic Landmark in 1987.		nd to the junction with Lake Street, is ble for listing on the National Register of the buildings were constructed liltaristic defenses leading into World increase in development of the and was a direct result of the creation Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. Is followed a form common to set half of the 20 th century and a C). This three-part form consisted of ont, and an awning to protect er. This form serves as a unifying y and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily he waterfront to the south. As many of orm and have stayed close to the illdings, the district retains a high		
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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village Russian-American Building No. 29 SIT-00013 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

The Tilson Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian Period prior to 1850, it is has undergone numerous renovations during the interceding 160 years. In its present form, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00972 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name: Russell's Sporting Goods	
Building Address:		City: Sitka	
208 Lincoln Street			
Owner's Name and Address: Wilmac Corporation			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	
57.04974 / -135.33629			
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2.			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Specialty stor	re .	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce 2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significant 1. 1937-1966	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	۷.
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1940 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2.		2	Euroamerican
Resource Type: ⊠ Building □ Site □ Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style:		Building Type:	
Commercial Vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Commercial Plan:	Roof Type:
0	1. 2.	rectangular	flat
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. built up	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shiplap 2. stone vipness	Other Materials: 1. paired vinyl 1/1 windows
		2. stone veneer	metal picture windows
Architectural Description (Include sett 208 Lincoln Street is a rectangular two		Statement of Significance: (use con Lincoln Street, from the western end	
building constructed in 1940 on the so	outh side of the street. It has a built	considered an historic district eligible	for listing on the National Register
up roof with parapet and a hidden pounorth-facing main front and the west a		under Criteria A and C. A majority of during the buildup of Alaska for milita	
are covered in gray wood lap siding w	vith white wooden trim. The east	War II (Criteria A). This lead to an inc	crease in development of the
façade, also facing a narrow alley, is on The primary north-facing façade is do		Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka.	
storefront with cobble-stone veneer ki	ick plate below a wood-shingled	The construction of these buildings f	
triangular awning. The awning has we entrance is through a metal-framed gl		commercial buildings during the first remains in evidence today (Criteria C	
paired plate glass display windows. A		a parapet, a broad glassed storefron pedestrians from inclement weather.	
the east of the main façade, consistin and leading to the second story. The		entity for the district both physically a	
sets of paired one-over-one wood fran parapet is marked by a bracketed cor		civic and governmental buildings to t residential area to the north, and the	
arrow and geometric decorative elem-	ents in a contrasting lighter gray	the buildings retain their original form	and have stayed close to the
color. 208 Lincoln Street is considered Historic Business District. It was cons		prescribed form for commercial build degree of integrity and should be con	
of significance for the historic district,	but has undergone extensive	National Register Historic District.	iolacioa foi accignation as a
remodeling in recent years. The resul primary features (parapet, storefront,			
of the secondary features (commercia	al entity signage, pronounced		
kickplate, ordered and pronounced fe required for inclusion in the district. W			
eligible for listing, it is considered to be contributing due to the visual continuity it conveys to the historic district.			
Eligibility:		Criteria Considerations:	_
✓ Yes No If yes: ✓ A B ✓ C D Image: A B ✓ C D Image: A B Image: A D Image: A Image: A			
True North SDS	Architect Architectural Histor		
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur) Eligible (Do N	Not Concur) Not Eliaible (Concu	r) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)	
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include:			
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00981 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Duilding Address:		Homeport Eatery	
Building Address: 209 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Galen West			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04984 / -135.33635	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function:			
commerce 2. Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:	
commerce 2. restaurant		1. Commerce 2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 1937-1966 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1923 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2012 2.		1	Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre 🗌 Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with false parapet Other Materials:
1. concrete	1. built up	wood shiplap	1. metal sash picture windows
2.	2.	2.	2. wood shingle awning
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 209 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1923 on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with American Street. It was built to maximize the property area, with a shared firewall with the American Legion Building to the west. It has a flat built-up roof and a concealed poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in wooden lap siding painted a pale blue gray with openings trimmed in flat wood. The primary façade faces south directly onto Lincoln Street and is dominated by a recessed entrance, triangular wood-shingled awning, and false-gabled parapet. The wood-framed glass main entrance door is centrally placed and raised above the street level by a series of five wooden steps. It is framed by a pair of metal framed plate glass display window configurations are placed to each side of the recessed entrance, each consisting of a central window framed by narrow fixed windows with decorative false mullions. The fupper story is plain and only contains signage for the resident business, "Homeport Eatery," in metal lettering fixed to the siding, abutting the American Legion Building, contains a metal panel door with property to the Sitka Historical Commercial District. Although constructed outside the period of significance in 1923, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Regis under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings bere constructed during the building to the wasta first end and C. A majority of the buildings to the valled from into War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street is and C. A majority of the building to the varial Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these		to the junction with Lake Street, is a for listing on the National Register the buildings were constructed aristic defenses leading into World crease in development of the d was a direct result of the creation uponski Island, adjacent to Sitka. ollowed a form common to half of the 20 th century and C). This three-part form consisted of t, and an awning to protect This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily waterfront to the south. As many of a and have stayed close to the lings, the district retains a high	
	⊠C □D	Criteria Considerations:	
True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualificat ian Historian Historian Historic Architec	
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur) Eligible (Do Not Concur) Not Eligible (Concur) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: Need more information related to: Historic Context Integrity Architectural Description Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00973 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Ben Franklin Store		Other Name:		
Building Address: 214 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:				
Steven and Linda Anderson USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	tude NAD83):	56S Associated District: Sitka Historic Br	63E usiness District	
57.04981 / -135.33600				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commercial 2. Depar	rtment store			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commercial 2. Department	t store	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significar 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	2.	
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1964 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. 2. Resource Type:		1 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican	
□ Building □ Site □ Structure	ure Object	1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: flat	
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. built up	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. metal 2. brick veneer	Other Materials: 1. metal sash picture windows 2. shingled awning	
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Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 214 Lincoln Street is a rectangular single story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1964 on the south side of the street. It was built to maximize property area, with very narrow alleys on the east and west façades of the building are covered with raised seam metal siding. The north-facing front façade is dominated by two storefronts and is almost entirely plate glass display windows, the two shops only visually separated by sprayed concrete pilasters. The two recessed storefronts contain paired metal-framed plate glass display windows; the larger store on the west has an additional pair of display windows; the larger store on the west has an additional pair of display singly having the west wall. The display windows rest on a brick-veneered kick plate and are topped by a shallow, triangular, woodsings hung from the awning in front of each store, reading "The Totem" in front of the eastern store and "Ben Franklin Store" in front of the eastern store. A wooden panel painted to resemble to a totem pole covers the spray concrete pilaster at the eastern corner of the main façade. The Ben Franklin Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1964, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).			to the junction with Lake Street, is a for listing on the National Register the buildings were constructed aristic defenses leading into World crease in development of the d was a direct result of the creation uponski Island, adjacent to Sitka. ollowed a form common to half of the 20 th century and C). This three-part form consisted of t, and an awning to protect This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily waterfront to the south. As many of a and have stayed close to the lings, the district retains a high	
Eligibility: ☑ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☑ A ☐ B Prepared By:		Criteria Considerations: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ s the following Professional Qualificat	F G Date:	
True North SDS		ian Historian Historic Architec		
SHPO Response: SHPO Response: SHPO Response: SHPO Response: SHPO Recomments Include: Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)				

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00982 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name: Sitka Bazaar Building	
Building Address: 215 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Sitka Bazaar Building, Inc.			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05005 / -135.33623	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
commerce 2. Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:	
1. commerce 2. Specialty sto Significant Person(s):	re	Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significa	2. ince:
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. 1937-1966 Original Owner:	2.
	101.	Original Owner.	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1966 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2. Resource Type:		2 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican
□ Building □ Site □ Structure	ure Dbject	1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Commercial	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: hipped
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. rolled metal	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. concrete	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows
2.	2.	2. wood shiplap	steel double doors with transom
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Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 215 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1968 on the northeast corner of the intersection of American and Lincoln streets. It was constructed to maximize the property lot, with the primary façade facing south onto Lincoln Street and the secondary façade facing west into American Street. The building has a raised-seam metal-clad hipped roof and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in white spray concrete panels with blue contrasting pilasters running the full height of the building. The two façades are similar in appearance, each with a centrally placed recessed entrance placed inside a pointed arch. Large wood sash plate spray concrete panels. The area directly surrounding the windows contains white wood lap siding. The second story contains windows identical in placement, one window between each pilaster, but which consist of wood sash sliding windows. An overhead door is located at the northwest corner of the building and containing vegetation. A sign reading "Sitka Bazaar: Made in Alaska Gifts" is attached to the top of the awning over the main entrance, and a smaller sign hangs from the awning just below.			If to the junction with Lake Street, is e for listing on the National Register f the buildings were constructed aristic defenses leading into World icrease in development of the nd was a direct result of the creation aponski Island, adjacent to Sitka. Followed a form common to the half of the 20 th century and C). This three-part form consisted of nt, and an awning to protect. This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily the waterfront to the south. As many of an and have stayed close to the dings, the district retains a high
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Yes No If yes: ☑ A ☐ B ☑ C ☐ D Prepared By: Reviewed by Professional that meet		S the following Professional Qualifica	tions: Date:
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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village SIT-00982 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

The Sitka Bazaar is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in ca. 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although an exact build date is difficult to determine, photographic evidence from 1966 and 1968 show that the building is virtually unchanged in the intervening years.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00983 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 221 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:				
Diocese of Sitka & Alaska USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04997 / -135.33583		Associated District: Sitka Historic Business District		
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
1. commerce 2.		LA of O''s		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Specialty st	ore/business	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 1937-1966 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1964	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	Editodificati	
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular		Building Type: Multi-use; residential and commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
 concrete 	built up 2.	concrete wood board-n-batten	vinyl windows metal sash picture windows	
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Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 221 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed following the 1964 fire on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize the property area, with narrow alleyways separating if from its neighbors to the east and west. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The main façade of the building, which faces south onto Lincoln Street, is clad in board-and-building, which faces south onto Lincoln Street, is clad in board-and-building, which faces south onto Lincoln Street, is clad in board-and-building, which faces south wood trim while the alley-facing east and west facades consist of painted concrete. The lower level contains two identical storefronts, each containing a metal-framed glass door with transom to the east of three wood sash plate glass display windows. An additional entrance, providing access to the upper story, is situated on the southwest corner of the building and consists of a metal-framed glass door with transom. The upper story is marked by three sets of windows, each consisting of a plate glass fixed window flanked by narrower casement windows. An asphalt-shingled awning is suspended over the entrances to provide protection from inclement weather. Plywood cutouts have been added over the windows and door of the western storefront to create shapes resembling the dome of St. Michael's Cathedral Store" to the west and 'Grandfather Frost Russian Christmas Store" to the west and 'Grandfather Frost Russian Christmas Store" to the east.				
Eligibility: ⊠ Yes □ No If yes: ⊠ A □ B	⊠c □d	Criteria Considerations:	 F	
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True North SDS				

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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village SIT-00983 Sitka

221 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed following the fire of 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00984 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Cathedral Arms Apartments		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
237 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:				
KCCR Properties, LLC USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	36	55S Associated District: Sitka Historic Br	63E	
57.05013 / -135.33531	idde, NAD65).	Associated District. Sitka Historic Di	Jamess District	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Domestic-multiple dwellings 2	2. Commerce- specialty stores			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Domestic-multiple dwellings 2	2. Commerce- specialty stores	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.	and the second s	Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 1937-1966 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	۷.	
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Architectural Information:	Data Marradi	Deathweiten Date:	December Date:	
Date of Construction: 1950	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2010-2013 2.		Stories: 7	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Early Moderne		Building Type: Mixed use- commercial and domestic		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: Irregular rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete	1. built up	concrete copper	vinyl windows metal sash picture windows	
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Architectural Description (Include set	ting & outhuildings photos):	Statement of Significance: (use con	tinuation sheets)	
The Cathedral Arms Apartments, loca	ated at 237 Lincoln Street, was	Lincoln Street, from the western end	to the junction with Lake Street, is	
constructed in 1950 on the north side intersection with Cathedral Way. It is		considered an historic district eligible under Criteria A and C. A majority of		
use commercial and residential buildi	ing with a flat roof with parapet and	during the buildup of Alaska for milita	during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the	
a poured concrete basement constru- area. The building is clad in concrete		Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation		
of alternating cream and green. The f	four corners of the building are	of the Naval Air Station located at Ja		
angled, creating bay window sections ground story of the building houses o		The construction of these buildings for commercial buildings during the first	half of the 20 th century and	
storefronts along Lincoln Street and t	wo overhead doors along	remains in evidence today (Criteria (C). This three-part form consisted of	
Cathedral Way. Entrances are metal- metal-framed plate glass display wind	,	a parapet, a broad glassed storefron pedestrians from inclement weather.		
windows. The windows in the upper s		entity for the district both physically a	,	
apartments, consist of one-over-one a symmetrical formation across the wes		civic and governmental buildings to t residential area to the north, and the		
corner bay windows are visually acce applied to resemble thick sills. A utilit		the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high		
awning runs across the building abov		degree of integrity and should be con		
storefronts from inclement weather. Signage is attached to the lower				
side of the awning announcing the commercial entity of each storefront. Eligibility: Criteria Considerations:				
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True North SDS	Architect Architectural Histor			
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)				
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance				
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Cathedral Arms Apartments	SIT-00984	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka

The Cathedral Arms Apartments is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although larger than the one-to-three stories specified by the primary features, the building when viewed along the streetscape is in keeping with the surrounding built environment.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00985 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name:		Other Name:	
Service Transfer Building Building Address:		City: Sitka	
321 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:			
Snowden Group, LLC USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:
Sitka A5	36	55S	63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05056 / -135.33426	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	usiness District
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Spec	ialty store		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Spec	ialty store	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:	Data Massada	Destruction Dele	December 15 - Dele
Date of Construction: 1940	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style:		Building Type:	
Commercial vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	commercial Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:
concrete	1. built up	wood lap wood trim	plate glass display windows
		2. WOOD (IIIII	2. vinyl overhead door
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 321 Lincoln Street is the Service Transfer Building, a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize the property area, with a narrow alley on the east side of the building abuilting the Coliseum Theater and a narrow paved drive providing access to rear parking to the west. The building has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in wood lap siding with blue wood trim. The lower level contains one storefront situated at the southwest corner of the building consisting of large fixed plate glass display windows. A metal door with single light is located just to the east of the last display window, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door of the main façade consists of vinyl sash windows with decorative mullions, after which fenestration changes to one-over one sash windows. The lower story of the eastern façade contains three fixed wood sash windows in nine light and a pair of nine lights, framing a secondary entrance with a white panel door. A flat angled awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and stretches from the southwest corner to the overhead door on the eastern side of the front fraçade. A chimney rises from the flat roof. The parapet is stepped in the center to provide a more decorative appearance. Signage hangs from the awning in front o			
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B	C D	Criteria Considerations: ABBCDDEE	
Prepared By: True North SDS	Architect Architectural Histo	ts the following Professional Qualifica rian	
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur)			

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Service Transfer Building	SIT-00985	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka

321 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00975 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Building Address: 322 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Clifford and Shirley Robards			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05053 / -135.33441		Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
commerce 2. Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:	
vacant Significant Person(s):		Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significant	2.
1. 2.		1. 1937-1966	2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ier:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1940	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Commercial vernacular		Building Type:	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	commercial Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:
1. concrete.	 built up asphalt shingle 	stone veneer raised seam metal	plate glass display windows metal doors
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 322 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street. It was constructed to maximize property area, abutting the sidewalk and with a narrow alley to the west providing access to parking in the rear. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building has a cobblestone veneer on the lower story and raised seam sheet metal siding on the parapet and roofline. The main façade faces north and contains a centrally oriented store front consisting of paired metal framed glass doors with three fixed plate glass display windows to either side. An additional identical window is placed on the west side of the building facing the paved drive and a secondary metal door is evident near the southwestern corner. An awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and is divided into three asphalt-shingled hipped roof sections. The building is currently vacant and contains no signage. 322 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).		Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.	
Eligibility:		Criteria Considerations:	
☑ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☑ A ☐ B ☑ C ☐ D			F G
True North SDS	Architect Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Architec	
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do I	Not Concur)	r) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)	
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00976 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Columbia Bar		Other Name:				
Building Address: 328 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka				
Owner's Name and Address: Loretta Ness						
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E			
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05053 / -135.33414		Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu				
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:	Historic Function and Sub-function:					
commerce 2. restaurant Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:				
commerce 2. restaurant Significant Person(s):		Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significant	2.			
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	204.	1. 1937-1966	2.			
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ier.	Original Owner:				
Architectural Information:						
Date of Construction: 1910	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:			
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:			
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.				
Architectural Style: Commercial vernacular		Building Type: commercial				
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Gable with false parapet			
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete 2.	Roof Materials: 1. corrugated metal 2.	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shingle 2. wood lap	Other Materials: 1. plate glass display windows 2. wood panel doors			
<u> </u>	Σ.	2. wood iαρ	2. Wood parier doors			
Architectural Description (Include sett Columbia Bar, located at 328 Lincoln vernacular commercial building const south side of Lincoln Street. It was bufacing directly onto Lincoln and sharir neighboring buildings to the east and corrugated metal hidden behind a reconcrete foundation. The main façade shingle siding in the upper story and the east and west facades, facing na corrugated metal. Fenestration is simplate glass display window in the low second small wood-framed fixed wind main façade, and a single set of paire upper story. There are two entrances panel doors with fixed single light win or signage and the commercial space Columbia Bar is considered to be a chistoric Business District. Constructe of significance, it nonetheless is an excommercial style used in district durin contains most of the primary features and several of the secondary features pronounced fenestration patterns and Eligibility:	Street, is a two-story rectangular ructed in around 1910 on the lilt to maximize the property lot, and narrow alleys with the west. It has a gable roof clad in stangular false parapet and a se, facing north, is clad in wood wood lap siding in the lower story. I work walkways, are clad in ple, with a large wood-framed er story slightly off from center, a dow near the western edge of the down wood sash windows in the on the main facade, both wood dows. The building has no awning in the lower story is vacant. The contributing property to the Sitka d in ca. 1910 outside of the period cellent example of the grapet, storefront, and massing) is (wood lap siding, ordered and	Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.				
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SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:						

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village Sitka
Columbia Bar	SIT-00976	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00978 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name: U.S. Post Office		
Building Address:		U.S. POST Office City: Sitka		
334 Lincoln Street		<u> </u>		
Owner's Name and Address: Luenor Rentals, LLC				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic B		
57.05070 / -135.33365				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Specialty sto	ore.			
Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:		
	Commerce- specialty store	Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significal	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		1. 1937-1966	2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:	Data Manada	I Bardandia B	(Bernetting B.)	
Date of Construction: 1965	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context:		
⊠ Building	ure 🗌 Object	1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial vernacular		Building Type: Commercial/governmental		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	0	rectangular	Flat with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 concrete 	built up 2.	wood lap siding wood trim	plate glass display windows shingled awning	
Architectural Description (Include set 334 Lincoln Street is a rectangular or building constructed in 1965 on the sto maximize property area, sharing a west and having a narrow alley to the with parapet and a poured concrete fisiding with darker wood trim. The ma Street and contains two recessed sto paired metal-framed glass doors flanl windows with transoms to either side windows is painted a contrasting gree motif that is repeated in the bulkhead asphalt-shingled awning, supported be storefronts from inclement weather. I three pinnacles centered over the builtelated to the commercial entities hou advertises the US Post Office, while to contain signs for the Mountain Miss subusinesses also hangs from the unde Street is considered to be a contribut Business District. Constructed in 196 commercial style used in district durir contains all of the primary features (pmassing) and several of the seconda signage, pronounced kickplate, order patterns and groupings).	ne-story vernacular commercial outh side of the street. It was built firewall with the building to the east. The building has a flat roof oundation. It is clad in wood lap in façade faces north onto Lincoln prefronts. Each storefront contains ked by two fixed plate glass display. The kickplate below the display en with white rectangles in relief, a lover the doors. A triangular by timber trusses, protects the reparapet is worked to resemble ilding. Each parapet holds signage used within: the sign to the east the central and western pinnacles store. Additional signage for these erside of the awning. 334 Lincoln ing property to the Sitka Historic 5, it is an excellent example of the parapet, storefront, awning, and ry features (commercial entity	commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by		
Eligibility: ⊠ Yes ☐ No If yes: ⊠ A ☐ B]F □G	
Prepared By: True North SDS		ts the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Archite		
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance				
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
	SIT-00978	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka
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Part II: Non-Contributing Resources

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00212 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Cable House and Station			Other Name: Raven Radio		
Building Address:			City:		
2 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:			Sitka		
Raven Radio Foundation , Inc. 2 Lincoln Street, Sitka					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5		Section: 2	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	tude,		Associated District: Sitka Historic		
57.04871 / -135.33953					
Historic Associations					
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. industry- communications 2. defense					
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. industry-communications 2. Co	mme	rce-restaurant/specialty store	Areas of Significance: 1. Communications 2. Bui	lding	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		·	Significant Dates/Period of Significant 1. 1900-1924 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:		Original Owner:		
			US Army		
Architectural Information:					
Date of Construction: Pre-1910	Date	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2004 2.			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type:			Associated Historic Context:		
Building Site Structu	ure		1. 2. Building Type:		
19 th Century Neo-Russian	_		commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures:		es of Ancillary Structures: garage 2.	Plan: square	Roof Type: hipped	
Foundation Materials:		of Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 concrete mathematical experiments 	2.	edar shingle	 wood lap siding . 	 vinyl windows wood panel doors 	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Cable House, located at 2 Lincoln Street, is a two-story timber frame building constructed in a 19 th Century Neo-Russian style prior to 1910 and is currently on the extreme southwestern edge of Lincoln Street. It has a low, shingled, hipped roof with deep overhanging eaves supported by stylize brackets and a concrete block foundation. It is covered in wood lap siding. Fenestration consists of symmetrical paired one-over-one sash windows on each side of the house, with two pairs in the first story on each façade, and a combination of paired or single one-over-one sash on the second story facades. A central one-over-one window is centered above the main entrance on the north façade as well as above the entrance on the south façade. The entrances are wood-panel doors with a fixed light, set beneath wooden rectangular hipped-roof porches. The Cable House is centrally located on the property, with a paved drive leading to parking and a separate garage, and a broad landscaped lawn to the north. A paved walkway also leads from Lincoln Street to the main entrance. The Cable House was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1979 for its association and significance with the Washington Alaska Military Cable and Telegraph Service. As the Cable House was constructed prior to 1910 and was not initially intended to operate as a commercial building, it is not considered to be contributing to the historic district. The building holds none of the qualifying characteristics of the commercial district			Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.		
such as storefront, parapet, and location against the streetscape. Eligibility:			Criteria Considerations:		
☐ Yes ☒ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B	□с	;	□A □B □C □D □E	□F □G	
Prepared By: True North SDS		iewed by Professional that meet Architect 🏿 Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualifician Historian Historian Historian		
SHPO Response:				0/27/2017	
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/linor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance \text{Authorized Signature:}					

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Cable House and Station	SIT-00212	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00313 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Sitka Post Office and Court House		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City:		
100 Lincoln Street		Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: City and Borough of Sitka				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B		
57.04908 / -135.33891				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Court House 2. Post Office	ce			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Court House 2. Cit	v Hall	Areas of Significance: 1. Politics/government	2. Building	
Significant Person(s):	,	Significant Dates/Period of Significant		
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. 1925-1949 2. Original Owner:		
Gilbert Stanley Underwood				
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1937-38	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates:		Stories	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. 1963 2. 1986 Resource Type:	_	2 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican	
Building Site Structu Architectural Style:	ure Dbject	Federal government in Sitka Building Type:	2.	
Art Moderne and Art Deco		Building Type.		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangle	Roof Type: flat	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 poured concrete modern concrete 	concrete 2.	 concrete 	wood sash windows 2.	
		Σ.		
Architectural Description (Include sett continuation sheets) The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court Street along the south side of the streconcrete Art Deco building constructe federal government post office and corof and a poured concrete foundation Fenestration consists of one-over-one recessed panels separated by ornam motifs. The main entrance is centrally and consists of paired metal-framed con the second story, is still in evidence concrete patio. In the 1990s, the front concrete panel additions bringing the mimics the scale and style of the adjacency of the stairs being filled in but reflect "United States Post Office and Court Hou New Deal, which saw the construction buildings across the country and Alas listed on the National Register of Hist Eligibility:	House, located at 100 Lincoln etet, is a three-story reinforced ed between 1937 and 1938 as a courthouse. It has a concrete slab in with raised basement. The sash windows set in vertical, ental spandrels with Art Deco volcated in the northern façade glass doors. The original entrance, et and leads onto what is now a to of the building was altered, with first story out to the street, which acent commercial center of Lincoln at that time, with the paired exted in the new design. The words House" are set into the concrete a, Alaska" set just below. The se was constructed as part of the in of much-needed federal eta in particular. The building was	Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.		
☐ Yes ☑ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G				
	Reviewed by Professional that meet	s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historian Historic Archite		
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do I Minor Recommendations and Comm	Not Concur)	_		

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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village Sitka Post Office and Court House SIT-00313 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

The U.S. Post Office is not considered to be a contributing resource to the Sitka Historic Business District. The building was constructed prior to the period of significance as part of New Deal Depression activities. The building's does not have the commercial features necessary to be a contributing structure, such as parapet, awning, or storefront. Adaptations made in the 1990s added projections that bring the building to the same setback against the street as the other buildings in the district, however, these adaptations are not original and are not in keeping with the original form of the building.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00002 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :	J:II		Other Name:		
American Flag Raising Site, Castle Hill Building Address:		Baranov Castle City:			
101 Lincoln Street		Sitka			
Owner's Name and Address: State of Alaska					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5		Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04854 / -135.33803	ude,		Associated District: Sitka Historic B		
37.046347-133.33603					
Historic Associations					
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic-camp 2. Governm	ent-	consulate 3. Defense- military	facility		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. recreation and culture 2.	mor	nument	Areas of Significance: 1. exploration/settlement 2.	Politics/Governme	ent
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1800-1824 2. 1850-187	ince:	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:		Original Owner:	†	
Architectural Information:					
Date of Construction: n/a	Dat	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction D	Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation	n:
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıro	Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. exploration/settlement	. 2.	
Architectural Style:	110		Building Type:		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Тур	es of Ancillary Structures:	site Plan:	Roof Type:	
Foundation Materials:	1.	2. of Materials:	circular Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
bedrock 2.	1.	i Materiale.	cobblestone 2.	1. 2.	
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Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): (use continuation sheets) Castle Hill is a hill located just to the south of the junction of Lincoln and Katlian Streets. Originally the site of Tlingit homes prior to 1804, it became the permanent site of the Russian settlement of New Archangel. It was used as a militaristic fort and lookout for the protection of the settlement. Alexander Baranov lived atop the hill in a two-story home used for governance and referred to as "Baranov's Castle." In 1955, the site was cleared of construction and was named a park; in 1965 a circular stone parapet with space for six cannon, pilasters with interpretive plaques, and flagpoles were constructed as part of the Alaska Purchase Centennial celebrations. Foot access to the site from Lincoln Street consists of a paved path running through the alley between the U.S. Post Office and Court House building and the Harry Race Building, leading to steep stone steps. Handicap ramp access leads from the hill to the south, where a parking lot is located. As the site of the official raising of the American flag following purchase of Alaska, Castle Hill was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1966. Castle Hill is non-contributing to Sitka Historic Business District. While the property is historic in its own right, it is not a commercial property. It does not contain a building of any sort, and operates as an historical park celebrating the purchase of Alaska from Russia and chronicling the history of the area.			Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.		
Eligibility: □ Yes ⊠ No If yes: □ A □ B □ C □ D			Criteria Considerations:	F □G	
Prepared By: True North SDS			s the following Professional Qualifica ian Historian Historic Archite		Date: 3/24/2014
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Historic Name American Flag Raising Site, Castle Hill	AHRS Number SIT-00002	Associated Historic District Sitka Historic Business District	City/Town/Village Sitka
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00097 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name : Sitka Pioneers Home		Other Name:		
Building Address: 120 Katlian Avenue		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: State of Alaska				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 1 and 36	Township: 56S and 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic E		
57.04991 / -135.33797				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. health care 2. Rest h	ome			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. health care 2. Rest I	nome	Areas of Significance: 1. Architecture 2.	Social History	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significal 1. 1925-1949 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
		State of Alaska		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1934	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 1956 2.		Stories: 4 with basement	Cultural Affiliation:	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre Dbject	Associated Historic Context:		
Architectural Style:	ile Object	1. 2. Building Type:		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:	
5	1. residence 2. garage	irregular	Front gable with hipped wings	
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete 2.	Roof Materials: 1. tile 2.	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. concrete 2. copper	Other Materials: 1. metal sash windows 2. metal doors	
Architectural Description (Include sett continuation sheets) The Sitka Pioneer's Home is a wide Use Concrete Mission Revival building cor Lincoln Street to the east of the junctic constructed in 1934 for the purpose of It was constructed with a Spanish quasupolas, detailing, and dormers with shas a full basement and attic over a prenestration consists of even rows of windows in all stories. An entrance vepatio and containing six-over-nine doemphasizes the main entrance, set in facing out onto Totem Square. The evestibule and has paired metal-frame sidelights and transom. Faux corbelin of small concrete arches. The building property, allowing for a large landscap outbuildings including a nruse's home parking. A large statue, "The Prospecarea in 1949. The Sitka Pioneer's Horestructed in Alaska to provide hous population. The sponsoring pension pe implemented in the United States.	J-shaped three-story reinforced istructed on the north side of on with Katlian Street. It was f housing Alaska's aging pioneers. arry tile roof with copper flashing, six-over-six sash windows. It also oured concrete foundation. one-over-one metal sash isstibule topped by a metal-railed uble-hung wood sash windows the center of the building and ntrance is recessed within this degree distributed in the consists of a row g is situated near the center of the bed front lawn, and several exadministrator's wing, and tor," was added to the front lawn me was listed on the National its significance as the first facility ing for the territory's aging pioneer	Statement of Significance: (use con Lincoln Street, from the western end considered an historic district eligible under Criteria A and C. A majority of during the buildup of Alaska for milits War II (Criteria A). This lead to an in Lincoln Street commercial district an of the Naval Air Station located at Ja The construction of these buildings f commercial buildings during the first remains in evidence today (Criteria Ca parapet, a broad glassed storefron pedestrians from inclement weather. entity for the district both physically a civic and governmental buildings to t residential area to the north, and the the buildings retain their original form prescribed form for commercial buildingse of integrity and should be con National Register Historic District.	to the junction with Lake Street, is a for listing on the National Register the buildings were constructed aristic defenses leading into World crease in development of the d was a direct result of the creation uponski Island, adjacent to Sitka. ollowed a form common to half of the 20 th century and C). This three-part form consisted of t, and an awning to protect This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily waterfront to the south. As many of a and have stayed close to the lings, the district retains a high	
Eligibility:		Criteria Considerations:		
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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village Sitka Pioneers Home SIT-00097 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

The Pioneers Home is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1934, outside the period of significance, the building is in the Mission Revival style and has no commercial function. It contains none of the features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. The building is, however, listed individually on the National Register of Historic Places.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00968 Associated District: ANC-00988

Historic Name :		Othor Namo:		
		Other Name: Brenner's		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
124 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:				
Stepen and Bonnie Brenner		191		
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04954 / -135.33757	itude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	usiness District	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce- specialty store	2. Commerce-professional			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce- specialty store	2. Commerce-professional	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1930	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.	1	Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Struct	_	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Commercial Vernacular	_ .	Building Type: Commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with parapet	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete 2.	1. built up 2.	wood shiplap 2.	wood sash windows metal sash picture windows	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Brenner Building, located at 124 Lincoln Street, is a two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1930 on the south side of the street. It is a rectangular building constructed to maximize property space with the alley to the west fenced off from access. The entire building is calad in red painted wood shiplap siding with brown trim. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. Wood-framed plate glass storefront windows and a shingled awning mark the north-facing street façade. Access to the building is provided through metal-framed glass doors: one angled across the corner of the storefront and a second at the northeast corner of the building providing access to the second story. The second story windows on the street façade are wood sash two-over-two windows. The windows visible along the eastern façade consist of groupings of single-light casement windows framing a single-light fixed window with occasional use of paired single-light casement windows. The awning is supported by rectangular posts on concrete blockets. The building has undergone extensive restoration efforts in recent years. These efforts included attention to Neoclassical Revival details, such as a broken pediment in the parapet and detailed moldings at roofline, and window lintels on the second story.				
Eligibility:		Criteria Considerations:		
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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village SiT-00968 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

The Brenner Building is considered to be a non-contributor to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside of the period of significance for the historic district and has undergone extensive remodeling in recent years, creating a false sense of history. The result is that it embodies all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings) required for inclusion in the district, and while it visually continues the feel of the district, it is not considered to be a contributing building due to construction date and renovations.



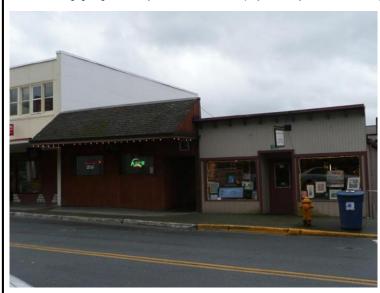
Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00969 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:			
		Ernie's Bar & Robertson's Art Gallery			
Building Address: 130 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Stanley Filler					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E		
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04965 / -135.33728		Associated District: Sitka Historic E	-i		
Historic Associations		-			
Historic Function and Sub-function:					
	. Commerce- restaurant/bar	10. 15			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Commerce-specialty store 2	. Commerce- restaurant/bar	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Signific			
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. 1937-1966 Original Owner:	2.		
Architectural Information:					
Date of Construction: 1974	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:		
Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican		
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context:	Euroumonoum		
⊠ Building	ure Object	1. 2. Building Type:			
Commercial Vernacular		Commercial			
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with false front		
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. built up	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. vertical wood	Other Materials: 1. wood knee braces 2. wood sash picture windows		
			E. Wood days plotare windows		
Architectural Description (Include sett Lincoln Street is a rectangular, single building built in 1974 on the south sid since construction to resemble two se constructed to maximize the property west and sharing a firewall with 132 L built-up roof with false front and a pot entire building is covered in vertical with the north-facing street façade. The widesignated as 128 Lincoln Street, has with wood framed plate-glass storefor placed, metal door with single light. T building is dull gray vertically grooved A raised flat false front parapet tops to roof level and containing a simple reciprose. A had been shared to the single light of the building is clad in brown. The storefront on this half of the build recessed entrance to the west of two storefront windows that are much sm front parapet extends much higher tha large triangular, shingled awning to the building has a sign reading "Ernie from the awning.	-story vernacular commercial e of the street. It has been altered parate buildings. It was space, with a narrow alley to the incoln Street to the east. It has a ured concrete foundation. The rood siding with storefronts along est portion of the building, is a centrally oriented storefront and windows framing a centrally the siding on the west half of the plywood with purplish wood trim, the building, rising higher than the stangular cornice with decorative above the entrance with a sign Custom Framing." The eastern the board-and-batten wood siding, ing has a side orientation, with the wood framed fixed plate glass aller than it's neighbors. The false an that to the west and it supports protect the storefront. This half of	considered an historic district eligibunder Criteria A and C. A majority during the buildup of Alaska for mil War II (Criteria A). This lead to an instruction Street commercial district a of the Naval Air Station located at a The construction of these buildings commercial buildings during the first remains in evidence today (Criteria a parapet, a broad glassed storefron pedestrians from inclement weather entity for the district both physically civic and governmental buildings to the buildings retain their original for prescribed form for commercial buildings are of integrity and should be contained and prescribed form for commercial buildings and Register Historic District.	Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District.		
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Historic Name AHRS Number Associated Historic District City/Town/Village SIT-00969 Sitka Historic Business District Sitka

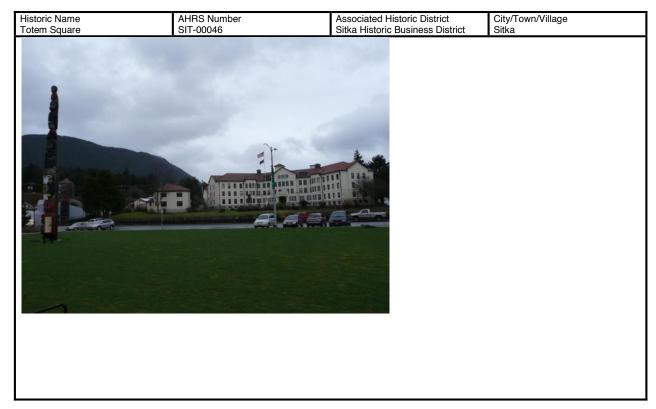
130 Lincoln Street is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1974, well outside the period of significance, it has a modern appearance and smaller massing than the contributing structures to the district. It does not have a parapet over the awning, giving it a stubby feel, no storefront display, and only half of the building is covered by an awning.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00046 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Totem Square				
Building Address: 197 Katlian Avenue		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: State of Alaska				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 2	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04943 / -135.33928		Associated District: Sitka Historic B		
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. landscape 2. park				
Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:		
1. landscape 2. park		1. social history 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1925-1949 2.	nce:	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1934		****		
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style:		Building Type:		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan:	Roof Type:	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. 2.	1. 2.	1. 2.	1. 2.	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): (use continuation sheets) Totem Square, located at the northwest end of Lincoln Street, is an open square park. It contains a totem pole in the center of the open and scaped grass with interpretive signage detailing the history of Sitka and the totem iconography. It is bordered to the east by a paved parking area that opens onto Katlian Ave, to the south by Lincoln Street, and to the west by a stone wall protecting the park and sidewalk from Sitka Harbor just beyond. Totem Square is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. It contains no building and serves no commercial purpose. It serves as an open area for area residents and tourists and presents information on the history of Sitka. Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form commercial buildings during the first half of the 20 th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the				
prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of integrity and should be considered for designation as a National Register Historic District. Eligibility: Criteria Considerations:				
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00004 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
		Sitka Lutheran Church		
Building Address: 224 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Lutheran Church 224 Lincoln Street				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04990 / -135.33566	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B		
37.049907-133.33300				
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			1	
1. religion 2. Religious fac	ility			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious fac	ility	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	۲.	
		Lutheran Church		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1967	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Finnish, Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre	Associated Historic Context:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Architectural Style:	ire Object	Building Type:	1. 2. Building Type:	
Modern Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Religion Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	1. 2.	rectangular	Side gable with shed	
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingles	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. concrete aggregate 2. vertical wood	Other Materials: 1. wood sash 16-light 2. metal steeple	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Sitka Lutheran Church, located at 224 Lincoln Street, is a ectangular church constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street on the site of the original Finnish Lutheran Church, which dated noorporating the wall and basement of a previous church that had been lestroyed by fire in 1966. It has a gable roof, the north side of which is steeply sloped and covered with asphalt shingles, and the south side of which is flattened and covered in copper roofing. The building is clad in ough aggregate precast concrete panels. The main entrance is at the outpass doors with sidelights, topped by a solid wood transom related to the building, allowing the gable roof to protect the entrance from inclement weather. The entrance consists of wood- ramed glass doors with sidelights, topped by a solid wood transom pelow a 12-light fixed wood sash window that extends to the roofline. A set of three metal interlocking crosses rise from the northeast corner of the building and consists of metal-framed glass doors below an asphalt- shingled awning just wide enough to protect the entrance, Vertical wood railings connect the awning with the roof creating a vertical emphasis. Signage for the church is reserved to a series of small panels fixed to the north façade, and include a informational display case for services and times, a metal commemorative plate bearing the building the building and and small brown panel that displays a brief history of the church location.				
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☑ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B	□C □D	Criteria Considerations: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐]F 🛛 G	
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SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur)				

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Historic Name

AHRS Number SIT-00004

The Sitka Lutheran Church is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1966 to replace the original church destroyed by the fire in January 1966, it is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the district.

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00974 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:				
Building Address:		Franklin Building City: Sitka				
236 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka				
Owner's Name and Address: Frankling Building Corporation				۱		
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section:	Township: 56S	Range: 63E	٦		
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu		┪		
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Historic Associations				_,		
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1.	2.					
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. commerce 2. Business/speci	alty store	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	٦		
Significant Person(s):	any store	Significant Dates/Period of Significa	ance:	┪		
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. Original Owner:	2.	┪		
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Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	7		
1967	Date Moved.			_		
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican			
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure	Associated Historic Context:		٦		
Architectural Style:	ure Diject	1. 2. Building Type:				
Modern Movement- Commercial Ver		Commercial	I Dest Town	4		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flat with angled parapet			
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. rolled metal	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. concrete aggregate	Other Materials: 1. curtain windows	1		
2.	2.	wood totemic icons	metal-framed plate glass display windows			
Ζ.	Ζ.		uispiay windows	_		
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 236 incoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building onstructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street at the junction with Maksoutoff Street. It was constructed to maximize property area, with the west façade facing Maksoutoff Street and the north façade acing out onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with an angled copper arrapet on all sides and a poured concrete foundation. The exterior of the building consists of vertical aggregate concrete veneer panels, unctuated by vertical sections of curtain wall. The façades are nearly clentical in fenestration, with the exception of the main entrance entered on the north façade. It consists of double metal-framed glass correct all sulldings to the end of the sidewalk. Each window bay on the ower story contains two metal-framed plate glass display windows copped by smaller transom. Decorative metal panels in the curtain vindow configurations are set at the bottom of each story. Paired topper transom windows topped with plate glass picture windows copper transom windows topped with plate glass picture windows coupy the upper story. Carved wooden totem poles have been entered in each of the concrete veneer sections, serving as a visual ontinuation between the two stories. The Franklin Building is not onsidered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business bistrict. Constructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it onstructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it on the process of the period of significance, and it on the process of the						
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00010 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
St Michael The Archangel Cathedral		St Michaels Cathedral	
Building Address: 239 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address:			
Orthodox Church in America USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:
Sitka A5	1	56S	63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04990 / -135.33586	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic B	usiness District
37.040007 100.00000			
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious	facility		
Current Function and Sub-function:	fa allifa.	Areas of Significance:	utho down in Alaska
1. religion 2. Religious Significant Person(s):	Tacility	Building Russian O Significant Dates/Period of Significant	rthodoxy in Alaska nce:
1. 2.		1. 1967	2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner: Orthodox Church in America	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1966-67	Date Moved.	Destruction Date.	Reconstruction Date.
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
Resource Type:	_	Associated Historic Context:	
⊠ Building	ure	1. 2. Building Type:	
Russian with Italian Rocco		building building	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: cruciform	Roof Type: Dome, gables, onion dome,
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:
 concrete 	 copper composite roll 	 wood shiplap wood tongue in groove 	wood sash windows 2.
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): (use continuation sheets) St. Michael's Cathedral, located at the corner of Lincoln and Makoutoff Streets, is a reconstructed cruciform Russian Orthodox Church constructed over a period from 1967 to 1977 to replace the original church destroyed by a fire in 1965 that devastated Sitka's downtown area. It is a concrete and steel building designed to replicate the original wood lap sided log building. It is a one-story church with two-story bell tower and a central copper onion dome set directly over the main alter with a three-bar cross. The flanking wings to the north, south, and east have shingled gable roofs. A clock is set into the bell tower over the main entrance. The bells are set in an octagonal belfry topped by a copper pinnacle and three-bar cross. Fenestration throughout the main story consists of paired four-over-eight sash windows, many of which are false and merely wood painted to mimic the original. The hexagonal dome base contains twenty-light wood sash windows in each face, and six-light sash windows are evident just below the capping onion pinnacle. The main entrance, consisting of paired wood-panel doors, is at the center of the east façade, facing out onto Lincoln Street, and capped by a shed-roof shingled awning. The church was burned in a fire in January of 1966; reconstruction began almost immediately based upon drawings and documentation made in 1961 as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey. The church was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1962 and placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1966.		considered an historic district eligible under Criteria A and C. A majority of during the buildup of Alaska for mili War II (Criteria A). This lead to an in Lincoln Street commercial district at of the Naval Air Station located at J The construction of these buildings commercial buildings during the first remains in evidence today (Criteria a parapet, a broad glassed storefro pedestrians from inclement weather entity for the district both physically civic and governmental buildings to	d to the junction with Lake Street, is le for listing on the National Register of the buildings were constructed taristic defenses leading into World norease in development of the nd was a direct result of the creation aponski Island, adjacent to Sitka. followed a form common to thalf of the 20th century and C). This three-part form consisted of nt, and an awning to protect r. This form serves as a unifying and visually. The district is bound by the west and east, a primarily e waterfront to the south. As many of m and have stayed close to the dings, the district retains a high
Eligibility:		Criteria Considerations:	
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
St Michael The Archangel	SIT-00010	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka
Cathedral			

The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian period and replaced in 1967 following construction by fire in 1966, the building is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary or secondary features necessary for visual continuity for the historic commercial district



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00977 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :		Other Name: Troutte Center	
Building Address: 329 Harbor Drive		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Troutte Family Trust			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
Sitka A5 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	
57.05061 / -135.33400			
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
commerce 2. Professional/sp Current Function and Sub-function:	pecialty store	Areas of Significance:	
1. commerce 2. Professional/sp	pecialty store	Commerce Significant Dates/Period of Significant	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		1. 1937-1966	2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1967	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	re Dbject	Associated Historic Context:	
Architectural Style:	ile 🔲 Object	1. 2. Building Type:	
Commercial vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	commercial Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:
 concrete 	built up raised seam metal	vinyl lap siding stone veneer kickplate	hipped awnings plate glass display windows
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 329 Lincoln Street, also known as the Troutte Center, is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street. It was built to maximize the property lot, with the main façade facing north directly onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a concrete foundation. The main north façade has vinyl lap siding with stone veneer along the first story storefront and corners of the building; the east and west facades are painted concrete block. Fenestration consists of a series of plate glass storefront display windows across the first story and an evenly spaced row of six sliding glass windows in the upper story. The lower story contains two storefronts separated by a single metal-framed glass door with transom that provides access to a central staircase to the upper story entrances are recessed, with paired metal-framed glass doors with transoms. The kickplate below the display windows is stone veneer. Paired red raised-seam metal hipped awnings protect the storefronts from inclement weather; a metal clad pent protects the upper story windows. Signage for the resident commercial entities hangs from the underside of the awning. The Troutte Center Building is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside the period of significance (1967) and has undergone extensive renovation in recent years. While it contains several of the necessary features, the massing of the building and necessary features is such that it does not convey visual continuity with the rest of the historic district.			
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☑ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B [Criteria Considerations:	
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00986 Associated District: SIT-00988

Historic Name :			Other Name:		
		Coliseum Theater			
Building Address: 331 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka			
Owner's Name and Address: Christopher Bowen					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section 36	n:	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		3):	Associated District: Sitka His		
57.05900 / -135.33383					
Historic Associations					
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Recreation and Culture	2. Theatre				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Recreation and Culture	2. Theatre		Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2. Entertainment/Recreation	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significant Dates/Period of Significant Dates	gnificance: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:		Original Owner: Loyal Order of Moose	L .	
Architectural Information:					
Date of Construction:	Date Move	d:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1955 Alteration Dates:			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. 2. Resource Type:			2 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican	
□ Building □ Site □ Structure	ıre 🗌 Ob	oject	1.	2.	
Architectural Style: Streamline Modern			Building Type: commercial		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ar	ncillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	Roof Mater	2. ials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
1. concrete 2.	1. built up 2.		1. concrete 2.	glass block wooden doors	
L .	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	Z. WOODEN GOOD	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Coliseum Theater, located at 331 Lincoln Street, is a rectangular two-story Streamline Modern style commercial building constructed in 1955 along the north side of Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in spray-concrete banels. The main façade faces south onto the street and is characterized by a stylized horizontal recessed band just below the roofline, painted red with black trim to contrast with the gray of the rest of the building. The southeast corner is curved. The main entrance is through a wooden addition that shares a wall with the Moose Lodge to the east. It is one-story and consists of double wooden doors with single-light window panels. Fenestration once consisted of narrow norizontal bands of glass blocks just below the decorative red band, but these have since been painted over to keep light from entering the movie theater. A marquee sign fixed just below the roofline on the main façade of the theater announces movies and times; a second sign reading "Coliseum Theater" is attached to the entrance addition just above the doors. The theater is situated against the rear of the property, allowing for a narrow row of parking in front of the theater. The Coliseum Theater is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, outside the period fisignificance, it contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and stylistic modifications mean that this building does not represent any visual continuity for the district.					
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00987 Associated District: SIT-00988

		Other Name:	
Moose Lodge Building Address:		The Moose City: Sitka	
337 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address: Loyal Order of Moose, Inc.			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A5	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Bu	
57.05088 / -135.33357			
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. Social 2. clubhouse			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. Social-club house 2. Comme	rce- restaurant	Areas of Significance: 1. Commerce	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significar 1. 1937-1966	nce: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	L .
Architectural Information:	Data Marradi	Death ation Date:	December of an Deter
Date of Construction: 1920	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style:		Building Type:	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	hipped Other Materials:
1. concrete 2.	1. rolled metal 2.	concrete plywood siding	wood sash windows shingled awning
		2. prywedd dding	2. Omngiod dwiling
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 337 Lincoln Street, also known as the Moose Lodge, is a two-story commercial building constructed in 1920 on the north side of Lincoln Street, The form of the building is irregular and made to adapt to the size of the lot, which trends northeast to southwest. It is a rectangular voluding set at an angle to the street and the southeast corner of the building has been angled, although the roof continues, creating a large boundation. The lower story is glad in channeled plywood siding and the upper at lower stories, with both wood and vinyl sash types. A shingled triangular awning running the length of the eastern façade orotects the entrance from inclement weather. A bell hangs from the southeast corner roof overhang, along with a sign reading "Moose Family Center." The Moose Lodge is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, butside the period of significance; it contains none of the primary eatures necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and orientation of the building mean that it does not represent any visual continuity for the district. Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B C D Professional that meets the following Professional Qualifications: None None			
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		Architectural Description Period Date:	of Significance

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Historic Name Moose Lodge	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
	SIT-00987	Sitka Historic Business District	Sitka

APPENDIX B: SITKA HISTORIC MISSION DISTRICT ALASKA BUILDING INVENTORY FORMS

Alaska Building Inventory Form

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DISTRICT	AHRS #:	SIT-00989

		Other Name: Sitka Historic Mission District	
Building Address: From junction of Lake and East Lincoln Streets to the NPS Totem Park		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Multiple- private	oill Streets to the NFS Totelli Faix	<u> </u>	
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36; 1	Township: 55S; 56S	Range: 63E; 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi west: 57.05116 / -135.33158 east: 57.04936 / -135.31927		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mission District	
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Education	3. domestic		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Education	3. Domestic	Areas of Significance: 1. religion 2. Social histo	ry
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significant 1. 1880 - 1965 2.	ance:
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: Alteration Dates:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date: Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2.		Stories:	Euroamerican
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Struct	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. religion 2. Social historic	ory in Alaska
Architectural Style:		Building Type: Social/domestic	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan:	Roof Type:
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:
1. 2.	1. 2.	1. 2.	1. 2.
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos):(use continuation sheets) Through review of tax assessor's records and reconnaissance survey, 28 buildings were identified as being 45 years old or older and may warrant further investigation. Thirteen of those 28 buildings are already isted on the National Register, as Individually listed resources, historic district components, and National Historic Landmark components. Newly identified properties that have not be previously recorded were each assigned an AHRS number from the Alaska Office of History and Archaeology, as well as an over-arching AHRS number for the entire sitka Historic Mission District (SIT-00989). Currently, the CLG grant for Lincoln Street does not cover an intensive survey or development of a full historic context. As such the proposed boundaries for the district are anticipated to change and it is possible that more properties associated with the early establishment of religion and exploration in Southeast Alaska will be identified. Potentially eligible under Criteria A. Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different eciseatical groups are represented in the built environment. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establis			
☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B	□C □D	□A □B □C □D □E □]F □G
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Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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AHRS Number SIT-00989 Historic Name Associated Historic District Sitka Historic Mission District City/Town/Village Sitka





View facing west down East Lincoln Street, SJC in background. View facing north on Kelly St., within the proposed district.

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01003 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 102 Barlow Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: George and Vicki Baggen		•		
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
Sitka A4 GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
57.05146 / -135.32605				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single d	welling	4		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single d	welling	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significal 1.	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	- -	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Decemetry of the Date:	
1940	Date Moved.		Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 3 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Victorian		Building Type: residential		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. garage 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: gable	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 poured concrete . 	1. asphalt shingle 2.	horizontal wood ish scale wood shingle	wood sash windows brick chimney	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 102 Barlow Street is a three-story side-gabled Victorian house with full basement constructed in 1940 on Barlow Street to the north of Lincoln Street. It is visible from Lincoln by means of a cleared property between 102 Barlow and Lincoln. It has an asphalt-shingled gable roof with strong or full returns, four gabled dormers, and a concrete foundation. The house is glad in wood lap siding with white trim, except for the gable ends, which contain wood fish-scale shingle. Fenestration consists of one-over-one sash in all areas of the house: each dormer contains one window, the gable ends each contain three grouped windows with flower boxes topped by a fan molding, and the lower stories contain paired windows. The basement has large sliding windows facing south. The south facades main level has large fixed picture windows framed by one-over-one sash windows. Paired glass doors also lead out from the south facades second story onto a full-width deck. A wraparound deck is attached to the main story along the west, south, and east facades and is accessible by paired glass doors in the south façade. The main entrance is from the western façade through a gabled arctic entry at the top of a short flight of stairs. A concrete block chimney rises along the eastern façade wall. A one-story gabled addition is just visible to the extreme north of the house. The house is set back on the property to allow for a small yard and a stone retaining wall. It is accessible along Barlow Street to the west, which intersects with Lincoln Street. Statement of Significance: (use continuation and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakata Street in the suit the stitution in the built environment and recrease represented in the built environment and represented in the built environment and represented in the built environment and tecleasistical groups are represented in the built environment and excleasistical groups are represented in the built environment				
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True North SDS	☐ Architect ☐ Architectural Histor			
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: □ Date:				

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Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-01003	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00223 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Houk House		Other Name: Hottie Hapgood Practice Cottage	
Building Address: 105 Jeff Davis Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address:			
Jennifer Corak USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05103 / -135.32570		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
1. education 2. Education	n related	Areas of Cignificance	
	ation related	Areas of Significance: 1. education 2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1910-1944 2.	nce:
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner: Sheldon Jackson College	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1928	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 1930 2. 1951		Stories: 2.5 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	re Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Dutch Colonial		Building Type: educational	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: L shaped	Roof Type: Gambrel, flat
Foundation Materials: 1. poured concrete	Roof Materials: 1. composite shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. cedar shingle	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows 6/1
2.	2.	2.	2. wood fan light
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 105 Jeff Davis Street, also known as the Houk House, is a timber framed two-and-one-half story side-gabled Dutch Colonial building constructed in 1928 on the west side of Jeff Davis Street across from the Sheldon Jackson Campus. It has a shingled gambrel roof with strong returns and deep eaves and a concrete foundation with partial basement. It has brown wood-shingle siding with white trim. Fenestration consists of six-over-one wood sash windows, paired in the first story and single in the second story, with the exception of two small six-over-one sash windows above the central entrance. Windows in the basement consist of three-light wood hopper sash units set directly beneath the exterior wall cladding. There is also a fixed fanlight window in the southern gable end and a Palladian style window set in the northern gable end. The main entrance to the house is from an arctic entry in the eastern façade that contains a wood-panel door with fanlight transom and sidelights topped by a gable roof with eaves and strong return. In 1930 the west wall of the house was extended roughly 10 feet to create a separate kitchen area. A one-story addition extending from the northern façade of the house was constructed in 1951; this addition has a panel door with a six-light window, a wood panel door, and paired windows identical to those in the rest of the house. The building is constructed near the street, and access to the property is by means of a paved pedestrian walk to the front entrance or by a paved drive along the southern boundary of the property. The Houk House, while not individually eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places, is a contributing property within the Sheldon Jackson National Historic Landmark.		Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B C D		Criteria Considerations:	
Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that meet Architect Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualificat ian	
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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Historic Name Al-	IRS Number	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village
Houk House SI	Γ-00223		Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00998 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Building Address:		City: Sitka	
102 Kelly Street		City. Silka	
Owner's Name and Address: Connie Sipe			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	
57.04901 / -135.32103			
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.		Areas of Significance: 1.	2.
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significant	nce:
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. Original Owner:	2.
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1930	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. unknown 2. Resource Type:		2.5 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican
⊠ Building □ Site □ Structu Architectural Style:	ıre Dbject	1. 2. Building Type:	
Colonial Revival Four Square		residence	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Hipped pyramidal
Foundation Materials: 1. poured concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. horizontal wood	Other Materials: 1. vinyl sash windows
2.	2.	2. wood shingle	wood pillars
Architectural Description (Include set 102 Kelly Street is a rectangular, two single-family house constructed in 15 Square style, on the southeast side of shingled hipped roof with a cupola are concrete foundation. The building is of trim. The main entrance is from the ningle story porch; the northern-most enclosed to create an arctic entry claconsists of one-over-one vinyl sash who bay projection window on the southe contains fixed plate glass windows. To contains a sliding window. A rectangithe house and has a shed roof. The phipped roof having a centered pedim provide access. The porch has white The building is situated on the proper front and back yards and a gravel driedge of the lot.	-and-one-half story wood framed dialo in the Colonial Revival Four-off the street. It has an asphalt and shed dormer and a poured clad in grey lap siding with white orthwest façade from a full width half of the porch has been d in shingle siding. Fenestration windows throughout the house; a rm façade of the house also the dormer on the southern façade ular addition is visible to the rear of front porch is fully covered with a ent extending over the steps that square porch posts and balusters. It you allow for small landscaped	From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible	
Eligibility:		for inclusion in the NRHP is present. Criteria Considerations:	
Yes No If yes: A B		A B C D E	
True North SDS	☐ Architect ☐ Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualificati rian ☐ Historian ☐ Historic Architec	
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
	SIT-00998	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00999 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 104 Kelly Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Stewart and Cathleen Pook		•		
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04917 / -135.32092	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	ssion District	
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. residence 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. residence 2.		Areas of Significance:	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1945	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2.5	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Colonial Revival		Building Type: residential		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Front gable	
Foundation Materials: 1. poured concrete	Roof Materials: 1. composite shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. horizontal wood	Other Materials: 1. vinyl sash windows	
	2.	2. vertical wood	2. wood pillars	
Architectural Description (Include set 104 Kelly Street is a rectangular, two single-family house constructed in 19 the southeast side of the street. It ha with gabled dormers on the south factorial foundation. The building is clad in lapentrance is from a partially enclosed front of the house; the northern most enclosed to create an arctic entry. Lo one-over-one sash windows; a bay p the house also contains fixed plate g windows are casement windows with window caps the cable end. A shed a house provides access to a fenced y property to allow for a gravel-paved phouse; a carport has been erected no accessible by a gravel drive.	-story front gabled wood framed 130 in the Colonial Revival style, on s an asphalt-shingled gable roof ade and a poured concrete a siding with white trim. The main porch stretching the width of the portion of the porch has been wer story fenestrations consist of rojection on the southern façade of lass windows. The second story transoms. A square casement addition on the north side of the ard. The house is situated on the parking area in the front of the	Statement of Significance: (use con. From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Histori ecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving socia residents, and helping to shape the comore recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are stil as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious end the far east is the Sheldon Jackson (Presbyterian Mission, which were her eligious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retail to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role tinstitutions played in the developmer community is necessary to determinfor inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 1065. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tty in use are also present on the II used today in the same manner it upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the tity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the n of Alaska Native youth. The areas tholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary at each stablish and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible	
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D		Criteria Considerations: ABBCDDEE		
Prepared By: True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualificat ian Historian Historian Historic Architec		
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
	SIT-00999	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01000 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Building Address:		City: Sitka	
106 Kelly Street		City. Silka	
Owner's Name and Address: Richard Daniels Estate			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic M	
57.04927 / -135.32085			
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single domestic	welling		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single domestic	welling	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significal	nce:
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	2.
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1945	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style:	ile 🖂 Object	Building Type:	
vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Side gable with shed Other Materials:
1. concrete	1. rolled metal	vertical wood horizontal wood	vinyl sliding door
2.	2. asphalt sheet	2. Horizontal wood	2. vinyl sash windows
Architectural Description (Include set 106 Kelly Street is a two-story rectan side gabled vernacular house construside of Kelly Street. The house has a the east into a saltbox form. The house plywood siding along the lower story in the upper story. The primary façad the main entrance, consisting of sliding wooden deck with a metal shed awniful inclement weather. Fenestration through and metal sash sliding windows: one shed addition to the northeast, three façade and one in each of the gable of the center of the property, leaving a sith front and sides, with a small yard separates the rear of the property fromeans of a cleared gravel space in the Kelly Street.	gular wood framed single-family ucted in 1945 on the southeastern rolled metal roof that extends to se is clad in vertical groove and additions, and wood lap siding le faces Kelly Street and containsing glass doors facing onto a nighout the house consists of vinyl on the main façade, one in the on the lower story of the southern lends. The house is situated near the tother rear. A wooden fence much the roof the southern lends in the rear. A wooden fence much the southern lends is the rear. A wooden fence much the rear southern lends is the rear and leave in the neighboring lot. Access is by	Statement of Significance: (use composed from the Hanlon-Osbakken House of Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving eastreet near the Sitka National Historic ecclesiastical groups are represented represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were essalaska, while greatly improving social residents, and helping to shape the composed from the construction and current same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious entitle far east is the Sheldon Jackson (Presbyterian Mission, which were her religious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retain to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role to institutions played in the development community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	(just east of the junction of East sist to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tly in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the lity to call Sitka its headquarters. To campus and lands owned by the early developed and utilized in the en of Alaska Native youth. The areas sholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D		Criteria Considerations:	F 🗌 G
Prepared By: True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historian	
True North SDS			

Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-01000	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01001 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 108 Kelly Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Harold Jacobs and Lorraine Deasis				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
57.04930 / -135.32071				
Historic Associations	Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. dwelling				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. dwelling		Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	۲.	
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Architectural Information:			,	
Date of Construction: 1964	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 1.5 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style:	ne 🗀 Object	Building Type:		
Minimal Traditional Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	1. 2.	T shape	Cross gable	
Foundation Materials: 1. Poured concrete 2.	Roof Materials: 1. composite shingle 2.	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. vertical wood 2. horizontal wood	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows 2.	
L .		2. Horizontal Wood		
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 108 Kelly Street is a one-and-one-half story rectangular cross-gable wood framed single-family house constructed in the Minimal Traditional style in 1964 on the east side of the street. It has an asphalt shingled roof and a poured concrete foundation. The main story is clad in T1-11 siding, with the gable ends clad in wood lap siding, and the basement level being exposed concrete. The main entrance is through an arctic entrance on the southern façade of the house accessible by means of a set of wooden stairs from the street level. The fenestration is varied; the majority of the house contains one-over-one wood sash windows, two on each wall, but the southernmost gable arm contains three fixed plate glass windows. The arctic entry also contains a sliding window. Narrow fixed windows provide light to the full basement. The house is situated near the rear of the property, nestled against the wooded area just beyond, allowing for a yard in the front. Access to the house is by means of a gravel path from Kelly Street Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the jun Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the terminatic Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four difference represented in the built enviror represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period report is greatly improving social services available more recent construction and currently in use are also same lots, and the properties are still used today in the as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, whice arliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed arreligious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcope that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integr to a possible district. F			just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different id in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span itablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tly in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the lity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the early developed and utilized in the en of Alaska Native youth. The areas sholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a	
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00191 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Hanlon-Osbakken House		Other Name: Sitka Rose Gallery	
Building Address: 419 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Sitka Art Realty Assoc, LLC.			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.05124 / -135.33171		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	·
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
1. domestic 2. S	Single dwelling	1 A	
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic-single dwelling 2. Co	ommerce – specialty store	Areas of Significance: 1. architecture/engineering 2.	Late Victorian
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1875-1899 2.	nce:
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1892-1896	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
Resource Type:	Object	Associated Historic Context:	<u>, </u>
☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structe Architectural Style:	ure Dbject	1. 2. Building Type:	
Late Victorian Queen Ann Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan:	Roof Type:
0	0	rectangular	Side gabled
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shiplap siding	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows
	2. wood turret	wood fish-scale shingle	wood porch with decorative brackets
Architectural Description (Include set	tting ? outhuildings photos):	Statement of Significance: (use con	tinuation abouta)
The Hanlon Osbakken House, locate framed, side-gabled, two-story Late oconstructed between 1892 and 1896. The main body of the house is rectar addition extending to the east from thas an asphalt-shingled gable roof withrough the house on the southeast of the turret and projecting bay in the wood fish-scale shingles. Fenestration windows throughout the house, with façade, three in each face of the southe projecting bay to the east over a of eight identical windows lines the acentered in the southern façade, is efull length of the house from the south and characterized by a wood panel of windows and a rectangular transom. Connect the roof to the front porch ard decorative trim. The rectangular add parapet and eight rectangular fixed lissingage for the house exists as both commercial entities residing in the bunear the street. The house is set backlandscaped front and side yards bord house is reached by means of a payto the highly artistic nature of the Hai	and at 419 Lincoln Street, is a wood- victorian Queen Ann house on the north side of Lincoln Street. Ingular with a second rectangular ne northeast corner of the house. It with a hexagonal turret extending corner and a concealed foundation. With the exception of the upper story east gable end, which are clad in on consists of one-over-one sash one window in the southern main the-facing turret and bay, and on in set paired in the lower story. A row ddition. The main entrance is mphasized by a porch running the thwest corner to the projecting bay, foor with two vertical fixed light Brackets with decorative detailing dd the gable ends contain ition has a flat roof with angled ght windows on the south façade. I a large yard sign announcing the wilding as well as a historic marker of the food of the street, allowing for the dered by a white picket fence. The ed walk to the front entrance. Due	From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Historiecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving social residents, and helping to shape the comore recent construction and current same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious entitle far east is the Sheldon Jackson of Presbyterian Mission, which were her religious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cathat have historic-age buildings retain to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role of institutions played in the development community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 265. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of the interest of the inter
on the National Register of Historic Places in 1992.			
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D		Criteria Considerations:	
Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that meet Architect Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualificat ian	
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00009 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Russian Bishops House		Other Name: Russian Mission Orphanage	
Building Address: 501 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: National Park Service			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section:	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longii 57.05130 / -135.33121		Associated District: Sitka Historic M	·
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
 religious facility3. church Current Function and Sub-function: 		Areas of Significance:	
1. recreation/culture 2. mus Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	2. nce:
Bishop Veniaminov Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	2. ner:	1. Original Owner:	2.
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1842	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date: 1976
Alteration Dates: 1. 1887 2. 1896 3. 1920		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Russian and Tlingit
Resource Type: Building Site Structum	ure 🗌 Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Russian Colonial		Building Type: religious	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: Rectangular	Roof Type: Hipped with shed
Foundation Materials: 1. timber	Roof Materials: 1. raised seam metal	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shiplap	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows
2.	2. wood brackets	2. wood board-and-batten	2. wood panel double doors
The Russian Bishop's House, locater rectangular two-story Russian Colon the early 1840s on the north side of I the building is rectangular and symm rectangular additions to the east and raised seam metal roof with deep ear brackets and a concealed foundation shiplap siding while the flanking galle siding. Fenestration through the first wood sash windows with shutters, wisix wood sash windows spaced ever lower story windows. The additions of the upper stories; however, the wind been painted over to provide a contir expense of glazing. Entrance to the I doors in the southern faces of the ad transoms. Smaller, additional doors a located near the northern corners of through the roofs ridgeline. The build.	ial hewn-log building constructed in Lincoln Street. The main body of hetrical with two shed-roof west facades. It has a hipped ves supported by curved wood. The main building is clad in wood eries are clad in board-and-batten story consists of two-over-four hile the second story has two-over-hly and placed directly above the contain rows of similar windows in ows in the eastern gallery have huous look without the added building is through double wood didtions, positioned below five-light accessible by ADA ramp are the additions. Twin chimneys rise	Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under	
provide for a landscaped lawn separal slat fence. An asphalt walkway leads and a garden plot is set between the announcing both the history of the R the presence of the National Park Se Lincoln Street and in the yard. The R as a National Historic Landmark in 19 Russian Colonial period as well as w prominent figure in Russian Orthodo:	ated from the street by a wooden around the front of the building, walk and the slat fence. Signage ussian Bishop's House as well as ervice are fixed to the fence along tussian Bishop's House was listed 966 for its association with both the with Bishop Veniaminov, a	Criteria A for association of the role institutions played in the development community is necessary to determin for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	these religious missionary nt of Sitka and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B	□ C □ D	Criteria Considerations:	
Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that meet Architect Architectural Histor	ts the following Professional Qualificat rian	
SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Concur) ☐ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) ☐ Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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Historic Name Russian Bishops House	AHRS Number SIT-00009	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka
Russian Bishops House	SIT-00009	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00316 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Old School		Other Name:	
Building Address: 503 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: National Park Service			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longii 57.05136 / -135.33023		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	
57.051307-135.33023			
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
	ch school	Areas of Significance:	
1. government 2. office		1. education 2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	nce: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1897	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 1990 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Russian
Resource Type: Building Site Structure Object		Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Russian Colonial		Building Type: governmental	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Side gabled
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. vinyl shiplap siding	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows
2.	2.	2. wood trim	central brick chimney
Architectural Description (Include set The Old School, located at 503 Linc Russian Bishop's House, is a two-stc Russian Colonial building constructe Lincoln Street, to the east of the Rus asphalt shingled gabled roof and conshiplap siding with white trim. Fenest wood sash windows with wood sills awith two on each story in the south fatwo in the lower story of the west façeast façade. The main entrance is the center in the west façade and is accessmaller gabled addition extends from a single paneled door. A brick chimn building through the gable ridge. The the Russian's Bishops house to prove	oln Street on the same lot as the bry side-gabled wood-framed in 1897 on the north side of the sian Bishop's House. It has an acrete foundation. It is glad in vinyl tration consists of four-over-four at even and symmetrical intervals, acade, four in the upper story and ade, and three in both stories of the rough a panel door to the left of essible from a three-stair stoop. A it he northern façade and contains bey rises through the center of the building is set at a distance from	Statement of Significance: (use con. From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Histori ecclesiastical groups are represented represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the comore recent construction and current same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bister liest western secular religious entitle far east is the Sheldon Jackson (Deschief Michael 1997).	just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different id in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span itablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tity in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the bity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the
the east façade faces directly onto a paved drive providing access to the neighboring school. The Old School was listed on the National Register as a National Historic Landmark in 1966. Eligibility:		Presbyterian Mission, which were he religious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retain to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role to institutions played in the developmer community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present. Criteria Considerations:	n of Alaska Native youth. The areas holic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary at of Sitka and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00258 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Emmons House		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
601 Lincoln Street		Gity. Silka		
Owner's Name and Address:		•		
Bovee Irrevocable Children's Trust				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:		Township:	Range:	
Sitka A4	36	55S	63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longin 57.05161 / -135.33017	tude, NAD83):	Associated District:		
37.031017-133.33017				
Historic Associations				
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
1. domestic 2. Single dw	vellina			
Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:		
1. domestic 2. Single dw	velling	1. person 2. scien	ice	
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce:	
Lt. George Thornton Emmons	2.	1. 1875-1899 2. 1895-1899		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner: Lt. George Thornton Emmons		
Lt. George Thornton Emmons		Lt. George Mornton Emmons		
Architectural Information:				
	Data Mayadi	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Date of Construction: 1895	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date.	
Alteration Dates:	,	Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
1. unknown 2.		2	Euroamerican	
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context:		
☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object		1. 2.		
Architectural Style: vernacular		Building Type:		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	domestic Plan:	Roof Type:	
0	1. 2.	rectangular	Hipped and gabled	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
1. concrete	1. raised seam metal	1. vinyl lap siding	wood decking	
2.	2.	2.	picture windows	
Architectural Description (Include set	tting & outbuildings photos):	Statement of Significance: (use con	tinuation sheets)	
The Emmon's House, located at 601		From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (
corner of Lincoln and Baranof Streets. It is a rectangular framed two-		Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea	ast to the termination of Metlakatla	
story vernacular building constructed		Street near the Sitka National Histori		
1895. It has a raised seam metal roo		ecclesiastical groups are represented		
foundation. It is covered in vinyl lap s the house is the original house: it is s		represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es		
later addition, and has a hipped roof,		Alaska, while greatly improving socia		
level. The larger portion of the house		residents, and helping to shape the o		
Fenestration on the southern façade		more recent construction and curren		
plate glass windows; the remainder of with the exception of paired casemer		same lots, and the properties are stil as they were when the lots were buil		
The main entrance is from the weste		district to the west is the Russian Bis		
consists of a red panel and glass doo		earliest western secular religious ent		
overhead door is immediately adjacent to the main entrance. Side		the far east is the Sheldon Jackson (
entrances to the north and east provi Panel doors with fanlights lead onto		Presbyterian Mission, which were he religious indoctrination and education		
portions of the house. The house is s		in between the two contain early Cat		
Lincoln Street, which provides for a la		that have historic-age buildings retail		
Emmon's House was listed on the Na		to a possible district. Further research		
in 1977 for its association with its bui		Criteria A for association of the role t institutions played in the developmen		
Emmons, a leading anthropologist of the Tlingit tribe.		community is necessary to determine		
		for inclusion in the NRHP is present.		
Eligibility: Criteria Considerations:				
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Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that meet Architect Architectural Histor	s the following Professional Qualificat rian Historian Historian Historic Architec		
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Minor Recommendations and Comm	nents Include:	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	. ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐	Architectural Description Period	of Significance	
outhorized Signature: Date:				

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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00990 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Other Name: St Gregory's Catholic Church - old St. Gregory Nazianzen Catholic Church		usala	
Building Address:		St. Gregory Nazianzen Catholic Church City: Sitka	
603 Lincoln Owner's Name and Address:			
Corporation of Catholic Bishops of J		I Tawashini	Dangai
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.05199 / -135.33023	itude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic M	lission District
Historic Associations		•	
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious fa	acility		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious fa	acility	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.	•	Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	iner:	Original Owner: Catholic Diocese of Juneau	-
Architectural Information:		Gallone Biococc of Carload	
Date of Construction: 1922	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.	-	Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
Resource Type: Building Site Struct	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Craftsman, Victorian elements		Building Type: religious	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:
3	1. rectory 2. Housing 3. Main church	rectangular	Flared front gable
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood lap	Other Materials: 1. art glass windows
2.	2.	wood shingle	wood brackets
	-		
Architectural Description (Include se St. Gregory Catholic Church, located Lincoln Street, is a single-story recta Church with Victorian detailing const orientation. It has a flared, asphalt-sl concrete foundation with partial base is clad in wood lap siding and the ga siding. A span of decorative dentils r above the window level. Fenestration windows, four on each of the north at the main entrance in the western fag arched wood panel doors with partia emphasized by a flared gable awnin Pronounced stylized arched brackets with their design emulated in the gat steps lead to a concrete stoop in from building is set near the center of the northwest corner of the present chur landscaped with grass and decorative.	d on Baranof Street just north of ingular Craftsman style Catholic tructed in 1922 on an east-west hingled gable roof and a poured ement. The main body of the church ble ends contain wood shingle runs across the main façade just in consists of fixed art glass and south facades, with two flanking rade. The main entrance is a set of all fanlights of colored glass and it is get that echoes the roof form. It is gupport both roof and awning, ble ends' louvers. Two concrete and of the main entrance. The original property and in the each property lot and it is carefully	Statement of Significance: (use con From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Histor ecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 15 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving socia residents, and helping to shape the omore recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were buildistrict to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious enthe far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and educatio in between the two contain early Calthat have historic-age buildings retait to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role institutions played in the development community is necessary to determin for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 265. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tty in use are also present on the II used today in the same manner It upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the tity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the n of Alaska Native youth. The areas tholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary at ewhether a historic district eligible
Eligibility: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes: ☐ A ☐ B	ПСПР	Criteria Considerations:	_
Prepared By: True North SDS	Reviewed by Professional that meet	ts the following Professional Qualificat	ions: Date:
SHPO Response:	Not Concur) Not Eligible (Concu		•
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
St Gregory's Catholic Church	SIT-00990	SIT-00989	Sitka
St Gregory's Catholic Church	311-00990	211-00908	JIKA

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00195 Associated District: SIT-00989

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Historic Name : St Peters Episcopal See House		Other Name: See House	
Building Address:		City: Sitka	
609 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:			
Episcopal Church USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Pango:
Sitka A4	36	55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.05166 / -135.32825	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	ssion District
Historic Associations		4	
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Church related	residence		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Church related	racidanca	Areas of Significance: 1. Social/Humanitarian 2.	
Significant Person(s):		Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce:
Bishop Peter Trimble Rowe Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	2. ner:	1. 1900-1924 2. Original Owner:	
Bishop Peter Trimble Rowe (design		Episcopal Church	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1905	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. Pre-1977-addition to N facade	2.	Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
⊠ Building		Building Type: religious	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of	Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	irregular Exterior Wall Materials:	Hipped, gabled Other Materials:
1. concrete 2.	 asphalt shingle . 	wood shingle siding flagstone	1. wood sash windows 2.
		. 0	
Architectural Description (Include setting The See House, located behind St. Pete Bungalow house constructed in 1905 jus Church on the same property lot. The ho Peter Trimble Rowe, the first Episcopal E residence. It has a full basement and atti hipped roof that contains two shed dorm siding. Fenestration is varied throughout of fixed plate glass windows below four-lithe south façade features a projecting barrangement, having one-over-one wood. The second story windows are one-over-also two oriel windows in the second stonad stylized with ached window forms. A the northeast corner of the main building southeast corner of the house and is a w colored glass. The entrance is reached be covered patio with square pilasters, topp railings and turned balustrades. There are house. The basement access on the soufront gable awning supported by square a separate apartment on the western faç flat awning. A third entrance to the main facade, and a fourth entrance provides a house, along its east façade. The two-ste gable roof. The windows in the addition a windows in the ground story and sliding to is set back on the property towards the reached by means of a paved drive lead western edge of the property. The See Hegister of Historic Places in 1978 for its	r's at 611 Lincoln Street, is a two-story it to the north of St. Peter's Episcopal use was commissioned by Bishop Bishop of Alaska, as the Bishop's c. The main body of the building has a ers, and is covered in wood shingle the house. The ground story consists ight or eight-light transom windows. any window with similar window is ash windows flanking the plate glass. One wood sash windows; there are rry, supported by ornamented brackets a large fanlight window is also placed on. The main entrance is from the rood-panel door with a single light of the properties of the reference of the condense of a coble-stone veneered and by a second-story deck with stylized reference to the reference of the condense of the c	Statement of Significance: (use con From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Historiecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the omore recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were buildistrict to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious entithe far east is the Sheldon Jackson Oresbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and education between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retait to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role of institutions played in the development community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ccal Park, four different d in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span tablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tly in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the lity to call Sitka its headquarters. To campus and lands owned by the avoily developed and utilized in the not Alaska Native youth. The areas holic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary at 15 missionary and Sitka and Alaska as a
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B C		Criteria Considerations:	Date:
Prepared By: True North SDS SHPO Response:	Reviewed by Professional that meets the followard Architect Architectural Historian		Date: 3/24/2014
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village
St Peters Episcopal See House	SIT-00195		Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00029 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
St Peters Episcopal Church Building Address:		St Peter's By the Sea City: Sitka	
611 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:		<u> </u>	
Episcopal Church USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:
Sitka A4	36	55S	63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05135 / -135.32831	ude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic M	ission District
Historic Associations			
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious facility	V		
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. religion 2. Religious facility		Areas of Significance: 1. architecture 2. Exploration/ set	tlement
Significant Person(s):	2.	Significant Dates/Period of Significat 1. 1875-1899 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design HL Duhring, Jr. (architect) John W. I	ner:	Original Owner: Episcopal Church	
<u> </u>	Judiey (builder)	<u> Ерізсораї Опиїсії</u>	
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1899 Alteration Dates:		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2.		3	Euroamerican
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object		Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Gothic Revival		Building Type: religious	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Flared front gable
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. wood shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood shingle	Other Materials: 1. art glass windows
2.	wood shiringle wood spire	2. cobblestone	2.
Architectural Description (Include set St. Peter's Episcopal Church, located story Gothic Revival Roman cruciforn the northern side of Lincoln Street. It spire and a concrete foundation. The cobblestone veneer along the lower in painted timber trim, with red-painted line, in the gable ends, and on the speast and west by cobblestone buttree. Fenestration consists of five large colby fanlight transoms on the east and colored-glass arched window in the near Gabled transept bays extend to the ecorners of the building. Each of the garched soffit. The main entrance to the consists of paired wood framed glass entrance vestibule, set beneath a colligable wall. The entrance is reached to steps from the churchyard facing out contains the graves of important four separated from the street by a cobble property contains the See House and means of a paved drive. St. Peter's Ethe high artistic value of its design, we represents the work of a master. It was of Historic Places in 1978.	at 611 Lincoln Street, is a single in church constructed in 1899 on has a shingled flair-gable roof with exterior walls are clad in a half the building broken by redwood shingle siding below the roof ire. The walls are supported on the ises that end at the roofline. Ored-glass fixed windows topped west façades, with a large six-part orth façade behind the alter. ast and west at the northern able ends are boxed with an echurch is from the south and doors that lead into a gabled ored glass Rose window in the by cobblestone-sided concrete onto Lincoln Street. The yard ders of the church and is estone wall. The rear of the parking, and is accessibly by piscopal Church is significant for hich is rare in Alaska, and	the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were he	ijust east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 265. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of the interest of the inte
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True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualifica rian ☐ Historian ☐ Historic Archite	
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
St Peters Episcopal Church	SIT-00029	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00991 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Conway House			Other Name:	
Building Address: 705 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Corella Baggen and Timothy Holder				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4		Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.05126 / -135.32755	tude		Associated District: Sitka Historic M	
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Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
domestic 2. Single dwell Current Function and Sub-function:	ling		Areas of Significance:	
1. domestic 2. Single dwell	ling		1.	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	ance: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:		Original Owner: Conways	
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1950	Dat	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type:	ura	Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	Laroamonoan
			Building Type: residential	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Тур 1.	pes of Ancillary Structures:	Plan: T shape	Roof Type: Cross gable
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete		of Materials: asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood lap	Other Materials: 1. brick chimneys
2.	2.	ispriait silligie	brick veneer	wood sash windows
Architectural Description (Include set 705 Lincoln Street, known locally as wood framed single-family house cor style in 1950 on the north side of Linhouse is cross-gabled and T-shaped to the house by an enclosed walkward over a poured concrete foundation. At the southern façade of the house. The exterior and the upper story and gab siding. The main entrance is through façade of the house accessible from concrete porch. Fenestration consist lower story and a fixed plate glass wingle porthole window near the entrof the house are protected by metal façade displays two-over-two woods flanked by sidelights leading to a coribbon of four one-over-one wood sathree overhead doors on its east façare fixed to the west and north sides arched brick chimney caps. The houproperty but centered, providing for a enclosed rear and side yard. A small within the western edge of the lot. The metal fence supported by brick pillars and sides. The front yard is terraced A paved walk leads from Lincoln Strevehicular access is by means of a part of the property.	the (construction that the color is with a color is with a color is a will an a color is a will an a color is	Conway house, is a two-story cted in the Minimal Traditional Street. The main body of the a rectangular garage attached s covered by asphalt shingles oled dormer is centered over wer story has a brick veneer distance and the southern in t	earliest western secular religious en the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were he religious indoctrination and education	(just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ricial Park, four different and in the built environment and 965. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of only in use are also present on the ill used today in the same manner ill upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the titly to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the on of Alaska Native youth. The areas tholic and Episcopal establishments ining enough integrity to contribute ch into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a ne whether a historic district eligible
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B		. □ D	Criteria Considerations: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐	le ∏e
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True North SDS SHPO Response:		Architect	ian Historian Historic Archite	ct None 3/24/2014
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00992 Associated District: SIT-00989

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Historic Name : DeGroff Vanderbilt House		Other Name:	
Building Address: 709 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Katharyn Chadwick		•	
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05120 / -135.32710		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
domestic 2. Single dwelling Current Function and Sub-function:	g	Areas of Significance:	
domestic Single dwelling Significant Person(s):	g	Significant Dates/Period of Significant	2.
1. 2.		1.	2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1870	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object		Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Colonial Revival		Building Type: residential	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: irregular	Roof Type: gable
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete 2.	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle 2.	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood lap 2. wood fish scale shingle	Other Materials: 1. vinyl sash windows 2. wood fence
Architectural Description (Include set 709 Lincoln Street is a two-story with residential timber frame house construction. Street, at its intersection with gable roof, full basement, and hidder substantial alterations since constructions an asphalt shingled, side gable non each side. Additions to the first stote house. The house is clad in gray-trim; the dormers and gable ends have the house. The primary entrance recess hipped roof. This primary entrance is sidelights. Fenestration of the primar trimmed plate glass windows on both exists in the center of the dormer, ide each of the gable ends. Windows alouthe house are vinyl sash one-over-onto the basement of the house is a sm façade of the house, accessible by puby a small gabled awning. A second addition on the rear of the house, aloustituded at the rear of a sloping lot, all along the primary façade leading dow separated from the street by a white from the street is by means of a pave	basement Colonial Revival style ructed in 1870 on the north side of Finn Alley. It has a pedimented of foundation. It has undergone tion. The main body of the house of with centered gable dormers by project north from the rear of blue lap siding with white vinyl re fish scale wood shingle siding, as south onto Lincoln Street and led inside an enclosed porch with a wood-paneled door with a wood-paneled door with stories. A fixed diamond window entical to the diamond windows in the last and west façades of the windows. The exterior entrance all covered entrance on the west boured concrete stairs and covered story deck is attached to the ighth with concentration of the concentration of the west façade. The house is llowing for a cleared planted lawn on the Lincoln Street. The yard is picket fence. Access to the house	Statement of Significance: (use conform the Hanlon-Osbakken House (in Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Historiecclesiastical groups are representer represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the comore recent construction and current same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious ent the far east is the Sheldon Jackson (Presbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retain to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role tinstitutions played in the developmer community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ccal Park, four different d in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span tablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tly in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the lity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the avoily developed and utilized in the en of Alaska Native youth. The areas holic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary at 16 Sitka and Alaska as a
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B		Criteria Considerations: ABBCDDEE	
Prepared By: True North SDS		s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historic Architec	
☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do Minor Recommendations and Comm	SHPO Response: Bligible (Concur) Bligible (Do Not Concur) Not Eligible (Concur) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: Need more information related to: Historic Context Integrity Architectural Description Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:		

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Historic Name AHRS Number	Associated Historic Distri	ict City/Town/Village
DeGroff Vanderbilt House SIT-00992	SIT-00989	ict City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00993 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:			
Building Address:		City: Sitka			
711 Lincoln Street Owner's Name and Address:		·	Oily. Oilid		
Barbara and Ronald Lessard					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E		
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longii 57.05120 / -135.32666	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	ssion District		
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:					
1. domestic 2. Single dwe	elling	10: :5			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single dwe	elling	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 2.			
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:			
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Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:		
1938	Date Moved.				
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican		
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context:			
Architectural Style: Minimal Traditional	,	Building Type: residence			
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan:	Roof Type: Side gable		
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:		
1. concrete 2.	 rolled asphalt . 	asbestos shingle vinyl trim	wood sash windows brick chimney		
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 719 Lincoln Street is a two-story wood-frame rectangular Minimal Traditional style single-family house constructed in 1924 on the north side of the street, at the conjunction with Barlow Street. It is clad in lap siding with brown trim. The building is broken into two distinct rectangular masses, each with a saltbox roof with gabled dormer. It also has a poured concrete foundation. The rectangular mass to the west is set slightly back from that to the east and contains a concrete clad exterior chimney. The main entrance is from the side of the east mass by means of a large deck addition. Fenestration consists of fixed plateglass windows in the lower story of the front façade and in one of the dormers; the second dormer to the east has casement windows framing a fixed window. This dormer also contains two oculus windows. The lower story also has a projecting bay window in the front façade; the remainder of the windows in the house consist of one-over-one wood and vinyl sash. The house is set against the rear of the lot allowing for a large front yard with two large ornamental trees. Access to the house is by means of a paved drive that runs along the eastern edge of the property.		Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP is present.			
Eligibility: Criteria Considerations: Yes No If yes: A B C D E F G					
Prepared By: Reviewed by Professional that meets the following Profession True North SDS □ Architect □ Architectural Historian □ Historian His					
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur)					



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00994 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
719 Lincoln Street		City. Silka		
Owner's Name and Address: Donald Olson				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
57.05108 / -135.32597				
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.		Areas of Significance: 1. 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	۷.	
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1924	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ure	Associated Historic Context:		
Architectural Style:	ne 🗀 Object	1. 2. Building Type:		
Minimal Traditional Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan: Roof Type:		
0	1. 2.	rectangular	Salt box	
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood lap	Other Materials: 1. vinyl sash windows	
2.	2.	2.	2.	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 719 Lincoln Street is a two-story wood-frame rectangular Minimal Traditional style single-family house constructed in 1924 on the north side of the street, at the conjunction with Barlow Street. It is clad in lap siding with brown trim. The building is broken into two distinct rectangular masses, each with a saltbox roof with gabled dormer. It also has a poured concrete foundation. The rectangular mass to the west is set slightly back from that to the east and contains a concrete clad exterior chimney. The main entrance is from the side of the east mass by means of a large deck addition. Fenestration consists of fixed plateglass windows in the lower story of the front façade and in one of the dormers; the second dormer to the east has casement windows framing a fixed window. This dormer also contains two oculus windows. The lower story also has a projecting bay window in the front façade; the remainder of the windows in the house consist of one-over-one wood and vinyl sash. The house is set against the rear of the lot allowing for a large front yard with two large ornamental trees. Access to the house is by means of a paved drive that runs along the eastern edge of the property.		Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP is present.		
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B	□C □D	Criteria Considerations:		
Prepared By: True North SDS		is the following Professional Qualification Historian Historian Historian Historic Architec		
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-00994	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00026 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name: SJC, Sitka Industrial Training School, Sheldon Jackson Institute			
Sheldon Jackson Campus Building Address:		City: Sitka			
801 Lincoln Street					
Owner's Name and Address: Alaska Arts Southeast, Inc.					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4		Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.05097 / -135.32367	tude,	NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic M	ission District	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:					
education 2. college Current Function and Sub-function:			Areas of Cignificance		
1. education 2. Arts school	ol		Areas of Significance: 1. events-commerce 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. Rev. Sheldon Jackson 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significance: 1. 1910-1944 2.		
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design William Orr Ludlow and Chas Samue		abody	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:	0 0.				
Date of Construction: 1910-1944	Date	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction	Date:
Alteration Dates:			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation	n:
1. 2. Resource Type:			1 to 3 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican	
☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structure ☐ Object			1. 2. Building Type:		
Architectural Style: Late 19 th and Early 20 th Century American Movements: Tudor Revival and Western Stick elements			educational		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 16		es of Ancillary Structures: uildings 2. landscape	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Clipped gable, h	ipped
Foundation Materials:	Roo	f Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	•
1. wood 2. concrete		wood shingle wood shake	wood shingle 2.	 exposed timb wood roof bit 	
			•	•	
			Statement of Significance: (use con		
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): Sheldon Jackson Campus, located at 801 Lincoln Street, is a complex of buildings associated with the Sheldon Jackson School designed by New York architects William Orr Ludlow and Chas Samuel Peabody and constructed in 1910. The campus is listed as a National Historic Landmark and contains 17 contributing buildings arranged in a classic quadrangle group around a broad open landscaped area leading down to Lincoln Street. The contributing buildings were constructed in a Tutor Revival style, complete with exposed heavy timber framing, hipped roofs, and containing such Western Stick style elements as protruding roof brackets and wood shingle siding. Owing to the history of the campus as a training and missionary school for Alaska Natives as well as the artistic value of the buildings, the campus was listed as a Historic District on the National Register of Historic Places in 1972 and as a National Historic Landmark in 2001.			From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP is present.		
Yes ☐ No If yes: □ A □ B □ C □ D □ A □ B □ C □ D □ G					
Prepared By: Reviewed by Professional that meet True North SDS ☐ Architect ☐ Architectural Histor			s the following Professional Qualification Historian Historic Architecture		Date: 3/24/2014
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:					

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village	
Sheldon Jackson Campus	SIT-00026	SIT-00989	Sitka	
Sheldon Jackson Campus		\$11-00989	Sitka	

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00007 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Sheldon Jackson Museum		Other Name:		
Building Address: 803 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: State of Alaska				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longitude, NAD83):		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. recreation/culture 2. mus				
Current Function and Sub-function:		Areas of Significance:		
1. recreation/culture 2. mus Significant Person(s):	seum	1. education 2. Building-concrete Significant Dates/Period of Significance:		
Sheldon Jackson 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	1. 1895-96 2. 1887 Original Owner:		
		Sheldon Jackson College		
Architectural Information:	Data Marradi	I Destruction Deter	December 1975	
Date of Construction: 1895-96	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 1984-85 rehab 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:	
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ıre 🗌 Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: octagon		Building Type: educational		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: octagon	Roof Type: Hipped pyramidal	
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. asphalt shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. concrete	Other Materials: 1. wood cupola	
2.	2.	2.	2. wood doors	
Architectural Description (Include set The Sheldon Jackson Museum, local octagonal concrete structure construroof of asphalt shingles and is topper concrete foundation. Fenestration co windows set inside a recess in each southwest and northeast. The copula sash windows. The main entrance is in the southwestern face of the buildi planks and reached by a set of five control of the vestibule is flanked on either sident in the southwestern face of the buildi planks and reached by a set of five control of the vestibule is flanked on either sident in the vestib	red at 803 Lincoln Street, is an otted in 1895. It has a pyramidal of by an octagonal copula over a misists of paired 12-light sash of the facades, except the contains paired one-over-one from an entrance vestibule located ng, consisting of diagonal wooden concrete steps with metal railing. The by single 12-light sash windows the northeast side, having a liding, single fixed lights, and a aves. The museum is set to the mpus and is accessible by paved I brown to better contribute to the cated. The Sheldon Jackson crete building in Alaska as well as was listed on the National Register a contributing building for the	Statement of Significance: (use continuation sheets) From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (just east of the junction of East Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakatla Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and represent the period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents a span of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same lots, and the properties are still used today in the same manner as they were when the lots were built upon. Anchoring the potential district to the west is the Russian Bishop's House, which represents the earliest western secular religious entity to call Sitka its headquarters. To the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Campus and lands owned by the Presbyterian Mission, which were heavily developed and utilized in the religious indoctrination and education of Alaska Native youth. The areas in between the two contain early Catholic and Episcopal establishments that have historic-age buildings retaining enough integrity to contribute to a possible district. Further research into the potential for listing under Criteria A for association of the role these religious missionary institutions played in the development of Sitka and Alaska as a community is necessary to determine whether a historic district eligible for inclusion in the NRHP is present.		
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B Prepared By:	C D	□A □B □C □D □E □		
True North SDS Architect Architect Architect Architect None 3/24/2014				
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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village
Sheldon Jackson Museum	SIT-00007		Sitka
	MUSEUM MUSEUM		

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00255 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Pears Cottage			Other Name: Ada F. Pears Cottage		
Building Address: 833 Lincoln Street			City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Trista Patterson					
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4		Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04966/ -135.32297	tude,		Associated District: Sitka Historic M		
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:					
1. education 2. Education-r Current Function and Sub-function:			Areas of Significance:	_	
1. domestic 2. Single dw Significant Person(s):	elling)	Significant Dates/Period of Significa		
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:		1. Original Owner:	2.	
M.A. Brown (contractor)			Sheldon Jackson College		
Architectural Information:					
Date of Construction: 1926	Date	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction I	Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown -conversion to apts		2.	Stories: 2 plus basement	Cultural Affiliatio Euroamerican	in:
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ure	☐ Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Bungalow			Building Type: residential		
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Тур 1.	es of Ancillary Structures: 2.	Plan: square	Roof Type: Jerkinhead gable	e
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete		of Materials: composite shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. wood clapboard	Other Materials: 1. wood sash 8/	
2.	2.		2.	2.	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 833 Lincoln Street, also known as Pears Cottage, is a framed singlestory Bungalow style house with a full basement and attic, both of which have been converted into apartments. It was built in 1926 on the north side of Lincoln Street. It has a rolled asphalt covered hipped gable or Jerkinhead roof with shed dormer and a poured concrete foundation. It is covered by wood lap siding with white trim. Fenestration consists of fixed plate glass windows on the main story facing south and west and six-over-one sash windows in the basement. Eight-over-one sash windows are seen in the second and third stories in the east façade as either single fixtures or groups of three. The attic contains three-light windows facing west and a casement window in the dormer. The main entrance is through a hipped-roofed arctic entry constructed at the center of the south façade of the building and is enclosed with twelvelight windows on all sides. Access to the entrance is via a wooden staircase to the second level. Secondary entrances in the west façade lead to the apartments in the basement and the attic, the latter accessible by a single return stair. The house is constructed at the center of the property and against the tree line, allowing for large landscape yards to the east and west as well as a narrow strip of yard to the south. Access is provided by a paved pedestrian walk leading from a paved shared drive that leads further back into the treeline. Pears Cottage is considered a contributing property to the Sheldon Jackson campus.			Statement of Significance: (use con From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ex Street near the Sitka National Histor ecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the more recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are sti as they were when the lots were buil district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious en the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and education between the two contain early Cathat have historic-age buildings retait to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role institutions played in the developmen community is necessary to determin for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the jurist to the terminational Park, four difficial Services available community. Building the services available community. Building the services available community. Building the services available to use at calculation of the services and lands availy developed and of Alaska Native tholic and Episcophing enough integent into the potential these religious mint of Sitka and Alae whether a historial services.	ion of Metlakatla erent comment and eppresents a span elves in Sitka and ole to area ngs that are of expresent on the esame manner of the potential ich represents the sheadquarters. To sowned by the and utilized in the expouth. The areas oal establishments grity to contribute all for listing under sisting value.
Eligibility: Yes No If yes: A B			Criteria Considerations:		
Prepared By: True North SDS	Revi	lewed by Professional that meets Architect ⊠ Architectural Histori	s the following Professional Qualificat ian ☐ Historian ☐ Historic Archite	ions: ct	Date: 3/24/2014
SHPO Response: □ Eligible (Concur) □ Eligible (Do Not Concur) □ Not Eligible (Concur) □ Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: □ Need more information related to: □ Historic Context □ Integrity □ Architectural Description □ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:					

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Historic Name AHF	RS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Pear Cottage SIT-	Г-00255	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00224 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other News		
Sage Building		Other Name: Sitka Sound Science Center		
Building Address: 834 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:				
Sitka Sound Science Center USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Section:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A4	36	55S	63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04988 / -135.32317	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic M	ission District	
Historic Associations		-		
Historic Function and Sub-function:				
1. education 2. college	ge			
Current Function and Sub-function:	90	Areas of Significance:		
agriculture 2. Fish hatche	rv	1.	2.	
Significant Person(s):	.,	Significant Dates/Period of Significa	nce:	
1. 2. Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	nor:	1. Original Owner:	2.	
Warrack Construction Company of S		Sheldon Jackson College		
. ,	seattle, NE Troast (designer)	Cheldon backson College		
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
1929	Date Moved.			
Alteration Dates: 1. 1955 2. 1961 3 1974		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: ☑ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structi	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Art Deco		Building Type: commercial		
		*		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Flat with parapet Other Materials:	
1. concrete 2.	1. built up	1. concrete 2.	plate glass windows concrete frontispiece	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): The Sage Building, located at 834 Lincoln Street, is a two-story reinforced concrete Art Deco building constructed in 1929 on the south side of Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The main body of the building is rectangular with a singlestory square addition to the northwest corner of similar form, constructed in the 1960s. The bays at each of the four corners of the buildings are extended out beyond the main wall to create a monumental emphasis. Tiled geometric patterns separate the first and second stories in each of the corner bays, and a narrow tiled band spans these bays near the roofline. Fenestration consists of fixed plate glass windows over smaller awning windows set inside shallow rectangular recesses. Each bay contains two of these windows in each story. The main façade, facing north onto Lincoln Street, contains the entrance in the central bay accented by dark pilasters with three windows of similar style in the upper story. The main entrance consists of double metal-framed glass doors and is emphasized by a thick frontispiece, with an Art Deco head of interlocking dentils.		Statement of Significance: (use con From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ex Street near the Sitka National Histor ecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the more recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are sti as they were when the lots were buil district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious en the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were her religious indoctrination and education between the two contain early Carthat have historic-age buildings retait to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role institutions played in the developmen community is necessary to determin for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	tinuation sheets) just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla icial Park, four different d in the built environment and 065. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tity in use are also present on the Il used today in the same manner It upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the tity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the n of Alaska Native youth. The areas tholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute th into the potential for listing under these religious missionary nt of Sitka and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible	
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SHPO Response: ☐ Eligible (Concur) ☐ Eligible (Do	Not Concur)	r) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur)		
Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: ☐ Need more information related to: ☐ Historic Context ☐ Integrity ☐ Architectural Description ☐ Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:				

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Historic Name	AHRS Number	Associated Historic District	City/Town/Village
Sage Building	SIT-00224	SIT-00989	Sitka

The entrance is accessible from a raised, ramped entrance porch protected from the street by a metal fence with decorative diamond patterning in the balustrades. An additional overhead coiling door is located in one of the bays on the east façade. The building is set against the street and backs out onto the harbor. The building also contains the words "Sage Memorial Building" pressed into the concrete of the door lintel and a banner announcing the location of the Sitka Sound Science Center hangs in the transom above the main entrance. The building is a contributing building to the Sheldon Jackson campus, which was listed as a Historic District on the National Register of Historic Places in 1972 and as a National Historic Landmark in 2001.



Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00554 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Sawmill		Other Name:		
Building Address: 834 Lincoln Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Sitka Sound Science Center				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longit 57.04950 / -135.32324		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
37.049307-133.32324		l		
Historic Associations				
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. education 2. scho	ool			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. education 2. Research	:h facility	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1941-1976 2.	nce:	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design Warrack Construction Company of S		Original Owner: Sheldon Jackson College		
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Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction [Date:
1940				
Alteration Dates: 1. 1955 2. 1961 3 1974		Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliatio Euroamerican	n:
Resource Type: Building Site Structum	ure Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: vernacular		Building Type: educational		
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: square	Roof Type: Front gable	
Foundation Materials: 1. wood	Roof Materials: 1. metal	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. metal	Other Materials:	
2.	2.	2.	metal sliding 2.	Tall doors
Architectural Description (Include set The Old Sawmill, located adjacent to Street, is a one-and-one-half story inconstructed in 1940 on the south side Sheldon Jackson College. It was ope corrugated metal gabled roof and a cis glad in metal siding. Fenestration i industrial windows in the east façade separate metal industrial doors hung of the north façade, with paired meta for the storage of bulk goods. The bustreet by a gravel parking area to the water. The west façade is fenced off not individually eligible for listing on t Places, the Old Sawmill is a contribus Jackson National Historic Landmark,	the Sage Building at 834 Lincoln dustrial vernacular frame building e of Lincoln Street by students at erational until 1976. It has a concealed foundation. The building is limited to paired twelve-light. The main entrance is through two on a sliding rail in the lower story il doors centered in the upper story uilding is separated from Lincoln e north and backs out onto the for storage and work area. While he National Register of Historic ting property within the Sheldon	Statement of Significance: (use confrom the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Histori ecclesiastical groups are representer represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving socia residents, and helping to shape the omore recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are stil as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious end the far east is the Sheldon Jackson (Presbyterian Mission, which were her eligious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cat that have historic-age buildings retain to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role tinstitutions played in the developmer community is necessary to determinfor inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the jurist to the terminativated in the built environments. The period restablishing themse all services available community. Building the mose at last to the services available community. Building the services available community. Building the services available community. Building the services available to services and the services and lands availy developed an of Alaska Native tholic and Episcopping enough integen the into the potentiathese religious mist of Sitka and Alae whether a histor	ion of Metlakatla erent comment and oppresents a span elves in Sitka and ole to area ngs that are of present on the e same manner the potential ch represents the headquarters. To so owned by the and utilized in the eyouth. The areas pal establishments prity to contribute all for listing under sisionary iska as a
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Historic Name Sawmil	AHRS Number SIT-00554	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00215 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name : Presbyterian Manse			Other Name: Vista House		
Building Address: 835 Lincoln Street			City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address:					
Gail Bagley and Garry McCary USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet:	Se	ection:	Township:	Range:	
Sitka A4	36		55S	63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04934 / -135.32262	tude, NA	AD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	ssion District	
Historic Associations					
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. education 2. Education-r	related-	housing			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single dwe	elling		Areas of Significance: 1. education 2.		
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1. 1910-1944 2.	nce:	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design T. F. McGraw, builder	ner:		Original Owner: Sheldon Jackson College		
			Charles and Callege		
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Date M	Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction I	Date:
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Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.			Stories: 2	Cultural Affiliatio Euroamerican	n:
Resource Type: ☐ Building ☐ Site ☐ Structu	ure 🗆	☐ Object	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style: Portland bungalow- Craftsman			Building Type: Residential		
Number of Ancillary Structures:		of Ancillary Structures: age 2. sheds	Plan: L Shaped	Roof Type: Side gable	
Foundation Materials:	Roof M	Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 poured concrete 2. 	2.	mposite shingle	horizontal wood cedar shingle, stone veneer	vinyl sash wii 2.	ndows
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 835 Lincoln Street, also known as the Presbyterian Manse or Vista House, is a framed, two-story side gabled Portland Bungalow style house constructed in 1914 on the north side of Lincoln Street. It has a rolled asphalt roof with a gabled dormer and a poured concrete foundation with full basement. It has wood lap siding with darker trim, wood shingles in the gable ends and a stone veneer along the water table. Fenestration consists of vinyl sash windows in single fixed and slider configurations across all levels of the house; the front façade also contains a large bay window looking out to the water and angled windows in the dormer. The basement contains fixed lights as well. The main entrance is through a gabled arctic entry on the south façade and offset from the centrally placed dormer. The main door is wood panel and is flanked by single light windows. A stone-veneer slope chimney rises through the roof near the dormer. A second story deck can also be seen attached to the north of the house. The house is set at the rear of the property near the tree line. Access is provided by a crushed gravel driveway with a stone bordered walk leading to the entrance. The Vista House is considered a contributing property to the Sheldon Jackson campus.			Statement of Significance: (use conform the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Historiecclesiastical groups are representer represent the period from 1880 to 19 of time when all four entities were es Alaska, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the comore recent construction and curren same lots, and the properties are still as they were when the lots were build district to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious end the far east is the Sheldon Jackson Oberesbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and education in between the two contain early Cathat have historic-age buildings retail to a possible district. Further research Criteria A for association of the role to institutions played in the developmer community is necessary to determine for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the jurist to the terminativated for the built environment of the built environment	ion of Metlakatla erent ronment and perpesents a span elves in Sitka and ole to area ngs that are of present on the e same manner of the potential ich represents the sheadquarters. To sowned by the and utilized in the e youth. The areas oal establishments grity to contribute all for listing under sisionary aska as a
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Historic Name Presbyterian Manse	AHRS Number SIT-00215	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka
Presbyterian Manse	SIT-00215	SIT-00989	Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00996 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
839 Lincoln Street		ony. Onnu		
Owner's Name and Address: David and Steven Miller				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04888 / -135.32208		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
37.046067-133.32206				
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
1. residence 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. residence 2.		Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:	- -	
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1935	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type: Building Site Structi	ure Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.		
Architectural Style:	ne 🗀 Object	Building Type:		
Minimal Traditional Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan:	Roof Type:	
0 Foundation Materials:	1. 2. Roof Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Intersecting gable Other Materials:	
concrete 2.	composite shingle c.	asbestos shingle horizontal wood	wood sash windows CMB stoop	
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Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 839 Lincoln Street is a one story cross-gabled wood framed single- family house constructed in the Minimal Traditional style in 1935 on the north side of Lincoln Street. It has an asphalt-shingled roof with louvered vents in the roof gables and a poured concrete foundation. The house is clad in asbestos siding with scalloped edged vinyl siding in the south gable face and white trim. The main entrance is through a blue paneled door with a fixed nine light window in the western façade; a a second entrance at the rear of the house on the north façade leads to a covered parking area. A third entrance is visible on the southern façade of the house, but has been covered in opaque glass to create a full-length window space. Fenestration throughout the house consists of one-over-one wood sash windows; a large fixed plate glass window and a fixed nine light window are also present on each of the façades visible from the street. A concrete-clad chimmey extends from the western portion of the house through the gable ridge. A concrete block porch provides access to the front door. The property lot is large and curved, with Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving east to the termination of Metlakati Street near the Sitka National Historical Park, four different ecclesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and rectlesiastical groups are represented in the built environment and residents, and helping to shape the c			just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different id in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span itablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tly in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner t upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the lity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the early developed and utilized in the en of Alaska Native youth. The areas sholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a	
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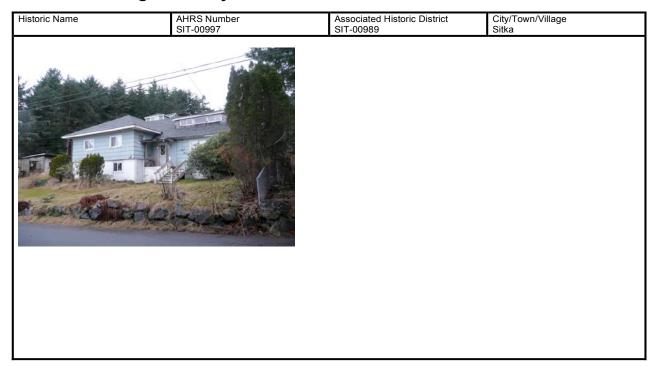
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Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-00996	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-00997 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address:		City: Sitka		
901 Lincoln Street				
Owner's Name and Address: Patterson/Goldsbury/Layton/Vaden				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longin 57.04875 / -135.32089		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi		
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Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
1. domestic 2. Single dwelli	ng			
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2. Single dwelli	ng	Areas of Significance: 1.	2.	
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	nce: 2.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1941	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories: 2 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context:	Luroamerican	
⊠ Building	ure Dbject	1. 2. Building Type:		
Vernacular with Minimal Traditional		residential	Deaf Torres	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 1	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. shed 2.	Plan: L shape	Roof Type: Square hipped , intersecting side gable	
Foundation Materials:	Roof Materials:	Exterior Wall Materials:	Other Materials:	
 poured concrete CMB 	 composite shingle . 	asbestos shingle 2.	wood sash windows vinyl sash windows	
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 901 Lincoln Street is a one-and-one-half story L-shaped wood framed single-family house with full basement constructed with Minimal Traditional elements in 1941 on the north side of Lincoln Street. The house has an asphalt shingled hipped roof intersected by a side gable roof with a shed dormer, and a poured concrete foundation. The house is clad in teal asbestos siding with white vertical groove plywood and panted concrete on the basement and foundation. The primary façade faces south and contains the wood and glass paneled main entrance, located in the junction of the two roof types and accessible by wooden stairs leading to the concrete block porch. It is protected by a small shed-roofed awning with decorative metal posts. Access to the basement is through a wood panel door located adjacent to the porch. Fenestration through the western wing of the house consists of vinyl sash sliding windows in both the main story and the basement. The eastern wing contains a fixed eight-light window flanked on either side by two-over-two wood sash windows. The roof dormer contains a central fixed window framed by one vinyl sash sliding window on each side. The house is situate at the center of the property with a lawn sloping to Lincoln Street in the front of the lot, as well as side and back lawns. Trees and shrubs have been planted around the house as a landscaping feature and the edges of the lawn end in a large stone retaining wall that borders the street in this area. Access is by means of a parking area accessibly from Kelly Street at the northwestern edge of the house.			just east of the junction of East ist to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different id in the built environment and 165. The period represents a span itablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tily in use are also present on the I used today in the same manner it upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the tity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the n of Alaska Native youth. The areas sholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible	
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Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01002 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 101 Metlakatla Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Louie Simpson				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E	
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi 57.04876 / -135.31999	tude, NAD83):	Associated District: Sitka Historic M	lission District	
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:				
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Architect, Builder, Contractor, Desig	ner:	Original Owner:		
Architectural Information:				
Date of Construction: 1950	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:	
Alteration Dates: 1. unknown 2.		Stories: 2 with basement	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican	
Resource Type:		Associated Historic Context:	Luroamerican	
⊠ Building	ure Dbject	1. 2. Building Type:		
Four Square	T (A ''' O')	residential	D (T	
Number of Ancillary Structures: 0	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Hipped pyramidal	
Foundation Materials: 1. poured concrete	Roof Materials: 1. rolled metal	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. asbestos shingle	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows	
2.	2.	2. plywood	wood gash whidows wood panel door	
Architectural Description (Include set 101 Metlakatla Street is a rectangula family house with full basement cons 1950 at the northwestern corner of the Metlakatla Street. The house has a r	r two-story wood framed single- structed in the Four Square style in ne junction of Lincoln Street and	Statement of Significance: (use continuous from the Hanlon-Osbakken House () Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving ea Street near the Sitka National Histori ecclesiastical groups are represented	just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different	
eaves and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in pale blue asbestos siding with green trim. The primary façade faces onto Metlakatla Street and contains the main entrance, which is recessed within a gable-roofed arctic entry and is reached by means of wooden steps from the street level. A secondary entrance provides access to the basement and is located directly below the main entrance. Fenestration consists of one-over-one wood and vinyl sash windows in the upper story, with two on the front façade and one on the northern façade. A shed roof carport with metal panel walls has been constructed against the northern façade of the house and a rectangular shallow gabled addition can be seen at the rear of the house. The house is situated near the front of the lot, with little front or side yard. A stone retaining wall lines the drive and borders the lawn at the street level. Vehicular access is by means of a paved drive leading into the carport. I so located directly below the main entrance. Fenestration consists of one-over-one wood and vinyl sash windows in the upper story, with two on the front façade and one on the northern façade. A shed roof carport with metal panel walls has been constructed against the northern façade of the house and a rectangular shallow gabled addition can be seen at the rear of the house. The house is situated near the front of the lot, with little front or side yard. A stone retaining wall lines the drive and borders the lawn at the street level. Vehicular access is by means of a paved drive leading into the carport. Eligibility: The period from 1880 to 1965. The period represents as pan of time when all four entities were establishing themselves in Sitka and Alaska, while greatly improving social services available to area residents, and helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also present on the same helping to shape the community. Buildings that are of more recent construction and currently in use are also prese				
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True North SDS	☐ Architect ☐ Architectural Histor	ian	ct 🗌 None	
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur)				

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Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-01002	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01004 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:		
Building Address: 105 Metlakatla Street		City: Sitka		
Owner's Name and Address: Stuart Weathers				
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4		Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longin 57.04902 / -135.31988	tude,		Associated District: Sitka Historic Mi	
Historic Associations			•	
Historic Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.				
Current Function and Sub-function: 1. domestic 2.			Areas of Significance:	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.			Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:		Original Owner:	2.
Architectural Information: Date of Construction:	Dat	e Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
1890 Alteration Dates:			Stories:	Cultural Affiliation:
1. 2. Resource Type:			2.5 Associated Historic Context:	Euroamerican
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Vernacular Number of Ancillary Structures:	Тур	es of Ancillary Structures:	residential Plan:	Roof Type:
0 Foundation Materials:	1.	2. ´of Materials:	rectangular Exterior Wall Materials:	Salt box, gable Other Materials:
1. concrete 2.		olled metal	asbestos shingle 2.	wood sash windows vinyl sash windows
Architectural Description (Include setting & outbuildings, photos): 105 Metlakatla Street is a two-and-one-half story rectangular vernacular style house constructed in 1890, on the northwestern side of the street. The house has endured several building campaigns, obscuring its original features. The main body of the house has a rolled metal gable roof with a shallower pitch in the rear of the house to accommodate a rear addition, giving the house a saltbox form. Numerous projections along the front of the house have altered the roofline, including two shed-roofed dormers and a rectangular raised tower in the center of the house. The foundation is hidden from view by vegetation and plywood. The house is clad in blue asbestos shingle siding with white trim. The front façade faces Metlakatla Street. The main entrance is a wood panel door with fanlight set in a gable-roofed acritic entry situated at what was once the center of the house and accessible by means of wooden steps from the lower street level. The façade also contains a full-height bay projection below a shed dormer to the south of the entrance. The fenestration on the front façade consists of vinyl framed fixed windows flanking the arctic entry and set in the bay projection. Vinyl sash sliding window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window placed in the upper story, as well as an octagonal fixed window in the second story. There is also a second, smaller octagonal window near the rear of the house in the second story of the southern façades on a small lot near the street with a small front				
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Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-01004	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka	

Alaska Building Inventory Form AHRS #: SIT-01005 Associated District: SIT-00989

Historic Name :		Other Name:	
Building Address: 109 Metlakatla Street		City: Sitka	
Owner's Name and Address: Herman Kitka			
USGS Quad Name and Map Sheet: Sitka A4	Section: 36	Township: 55S	Range: 63E
GPS Coordinate (DD Latitude/Longi		Associated District: Sitka Historic M	·
57.04923 / -135.31967			
Historic Associations Historic Function and Sub-function:			
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1. domestic 2. Single dwelli	ng	1.	2.
Significant Person(s): 1. 2.		Significant Dates/Period of Significa 1.	nce: 2.
Architect, Builder, Contractor, Design	ner:	Original Owner:	
Architectural Information:			
Date of Construction: 1950	Date Moved:	Destruction Date:	Reconstruction Date:
Alteration Dates: 1. 2.		Stories:	Cultural Affiliation: Euroamerican
Resource Type: Building Site Structu	ıre Dbject	Associated Historic Context: 1. 2.	
Architectural Style: Minimal traditional		Building Type: residential	
Number of Ancillary Structures:	Types of Ancillary Structures: 1. 2.	Plan: rectangular	Roof Type: Gable, shed
Foundation Materials: 1. concrete	Roof Materials: 1. composite shingle	Exterior Wall Materials: 1. horizontal wood	Other Materials: 1. wood sash windows
2.	2.	2.	concrete chimney
Architectural Description (Include set 109 Metlakatla Street is a two-story rfamily house constructed in the Minir west side of the street. It has a side is shed dormer and a poured concrete pink-painted wood lap siding. The frostreet and contains the main entrance center of the house. The entry is at it house with a slightly forward projecting able. A bay projecting window of fix one wood sash windows is situated if façade. A large fixed plate glass bay on the northern portion of the façade windows. The front-facing shed dormorthern façade of the house contain window in the lower story and a three the upper story gable end. This façad placed near the concrete block wall contains one vinyl slider and one one lower story and one sliding window ir rear of the house creates a saltbox for entrance from the southern façade. To the property and backs out onto the large front and side yard. Pedestrian of a paved walkway leading from the means of a paved drive to the north of enclosed by a green chain-link fence.	ectangular wood framed single- nal Traditional style in 1950 on the gable asphalt shingled roof with a foundation. The house is clad in nt façade faces out onto Metlakatla e, built into an arctic entry at the ne junction of the main body of the ng living area, capped by a front ed plate glass flanked by one-over- n the southern portion of the front window is situated in the projection flanked by one-over-one sash her has sliding glass windows. The sa one-over-one wood sash e-over-one wood sash herover-one wood sash herover-one vinyl sash window in the also has an oculus window himney. The southern façade herover-one vinyl sash window in the the gable end. An addition to the form and contains a separate he house is situated along the rear e wooded area beyond, creating a access to the house is by means street and vehicular access is by of the property. The property is	Statement of Significance: (use con From the Hanlon-Osbakken House (Lincoln and Lake Streets) moving estreet near the Sitka National Histor ecclesiastical groups are represente represent the period from 1880 to 15 of time when all four entities were estalsaka, while greatly improving sociaresidents, and helping to shape the more recent construction and currents same lots, and the properties are stitus they were when the lots were build istrict to the west is the Russian Bis earliest western secular religious enthe far east is the Sheldon Jackson Presbyterian Mission, which were hereligious indoctrination and education between the two contain early Cathat have historic-age buildings retait to a possible district. Further researc Criteria A for association of the role institutions played in the developmen community is necessary to determin for inclusion in the NRHP is present.	just east of the junction of East ast to the termination of Metlakatla ical Park, four different d in the built environment and 265. The period represents a span stablishing themselves in Sitka and al services available to area community. Buildings that are of tty in use are also present on the II used today in the same manner It upon. Anchoring the potential shop's House, which represents the tity to call Sitka its headquarters. To Campus and lands owned by the eavily developed and utilized in the n of Alaska Native youth. The areas tholic and Episcopal establishments ning enough integrity to contribute the into the potential for listing under these religious missionary int of Sitka and Alaska as a e whether a historic district eligible
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Prepared By: True North SDS		ts the following Professional Qualificat rian	
SHPO Response: Eligible (Concur) Eligible (Do Not Concur) Not Eligible (Concur) Not Eligible (Do Not Concur) Minor Recommendations and Comments Include: Need more information related to: Historic Context Integrity Architectural Description Period of Significance Authorized Signature: Date:			

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Historic Name	AHRS Number SIT-01005	Associated Historic District SIT-00989	City/Town/Village Sitka

APPENDIX C: SITKA HISTORIC BUSINESS DISTRICT NATIONAL REGISTER NOMINATION

NPS Form 10-900 (Rev. 01/2009)

OMB No. 1024-0018

United States Department of the Interior

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places Registration Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in National Register Bulletin, *How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form.* If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional certification comments, entries, and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a).

1. Name of Property		
Historic name Sitka Business District		
Other names/site number Sitka Historic Business	District; AHRS# SIT-00988	
2. Location		
street & number East Lincoln Street from 2 Lincoln	Street to junction with Lake Street	_ not for publication
city of town Sitka	· ·	_
State Alaska code AK count	ty Sitka code 220	_ zip code <u>99835</u>
3. State/Federal Agency Certification		
As the designated authority under the National Hist I hereby certify that this nomination reque for registering properties in the National Register of requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does no property be considered significant at the following le	est for determination of eligibility meets f Historic Places and meets the proced ot meet the National Register Criteria.	ural and professional
national statewide local	ever(s) of significatioe.	
Signature of certifying official	Date	
Title	State or Federal agen	cy and bureau
In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the Na	ational Register criteria.	
Signature of commenting official	Date	
Title	State or Federal agen	cy and bureau
4. National Park Service Certification		
I, hereby, certify that this property is:	Signature of the Keeper	Date of Action
entered in the National Register		
determined eligible for the National Register		
determined not eligible for the National Register		
removed from the National Register		
other (explain:)		

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5. Classification	*
Ownership of Property (Check as many boxes as apply) Category of Property (Check only one box)	Number of Resources within Property (Do not include previously listed resources in the count.)
X	Contributing Noncontributing 18 11 buildings sites structures Objects buildings 18 13 Total
Name of related multiple property listing (Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing) N/A	Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register
6. Function or Use	
Historic Functions (Enter categories from instructions)	Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)
COMMERCE/Specialty Store/Business,	COMMERCE/Specialty Store/Business,
Department Store/Restaurant	Department Store/Restaurant
SOCIAL/Meeting Hall	SOCIAL/Meeting Hall
DOMESTIC/Multiple Dwelling/Hotel	DOMESTIC/Multiple Dwelling/Hotel
GOVERNMENT/Post Office/Government	GOVERNMENT/Post Office/Government
Office/City Hall	Office/City Hall
RELIGION/Religions Facility	RELIGION/Religions Facility
HEALTH CARE/Hospital/Medical Business Office	HEALTH CARE/Hospital/Medical Business Office
RECREATION AND	RECREATION AND
CULTURE/Theater/Monument	CULTURE/Theater/Monument
VACANT/Not in use	
7. Description	
Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instructions)	Materials (Enter categories from instructions)
COLONIAL/Russian Colonial	foundation: Concrete
LATE 19 TH EARLY 20 TH CENTURY REVIVALS/Mission Revival	walls: Wood shingle, log, plywood/particle board;
	Aluminum; concrete; asphalt; stucco
MODERN MOVEMENT/Moderne	

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Narrative Description

(Describe the historic and current physical appearance of the property. Explain contributing and noncontributing resources if necessary. Begin with **a summary paragraph** that briefly describes the general characteristics of the property, such as its location, setting, size, and significant features.)

Summary Paragraph

The Sitka Historic Business District is comprised of a total of 31 commercial and mixed-use buildings, of which 18 were identified as retaining enough features to be considered contributing to the historic district. Roughly half of the downtown businesses in Sitka's core commercial area show a high degree of physical integrity and therefore convey a feeling and association with a period of militaristic build-up and subsequent commercial growth beginning in the late 1930s and continuing into the mid-1960s, when a fire destroyed much of the downtown area. The area of significance for the district is commerce, as a majority of the buildings located within the district retain enough enough physical integrity to both convey its associative context and the commercial architecture prominent in Sitka's city center from 1937 until 1966. There are several historic resources located within the Sitka Historic Business District that do not contribute to the district, including some of which are listed in the National Register of Historic Places. These buildings, such as the U.S. Post Office and Court House, the Sitka Pioneers home, and the prominent Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel, are not commercial vernacular buildings, nor do they retain those tangible and intangible elements to convey the historic development associated with this period.

Narrative Description

The Sitka Historic Business District is located in downtown Sitka, Alaska, in the City and Borough of Sitka, in southeast Alaska. Sitka has a population of roughly 9,000 inhabitants, and it is bordered by waterfront to the south (Crescent Bay) and west (Sitka Harbor), and opens up into Sitka Bay. The city is set in a rainforest region, with steep glacial mountains and abundant annual rainfall. The Sitka Historic Business District (SIT-00988) is comprised of 31 commercial and multiuse buildings, with 18 contributing and 13 non-contributing properties.

Contributing Properties

106 Lincoln Street, Harry Race Building (SIT-00965)

The Harry Race Building, located at 106 Lincoln Street, is a two-story rectangular commercial building constructed in 1942. The siding, which extends to the ground, obscures the foundation material and the roof is built-up. The north-facing street façade of the building is clad in vertical wooden siding, raised panel on the lower story and grooved on the upper, with fixed aluminum storefront windows along the streetscape below a shingled awning. The upper story contains office space with paired one-over-one metal sash windows. Access to the upper story is provided by means of a centrally placed stair, delineated on the exterior by means of a break in the awning to showcase a fixed sixteen-light window, with wood sash, placed over double aluminum framed glass doors. The awning tapers to ends over the door, but a sheet of Plexiglas connected to the awning ends protects the entry from inclement weather. The west and east façades, which each face alleyways separating the building from its neighbors, is aesthetically divided into upper and lower stories by means of siding, with the ground story covered in stucco and the upper story a continuation of the red wood siding seen on the front. The building was constructed to maximize lot space, facing directly onto the streetscape with minimal alley access providing access to the rear of the building.

Harry Race Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1942, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate).

108 Lincoln Street, Fur Gallery (SIT-00966)

The Fur Gallery building, is located on the south side of Lincoln Street and faces north. It is a two-story rectangular commercial building constructed in 1940 to maximize lot size, with a large alley along the western façade and sharing a firewall with the adjacent Sitka Hotel. It has a flat roof with parapet and hidden foundation. The street façade contains two storefronts with separate access consisting of aluminum fixed storefront windows and aluminum framed glass commercial doors with transoms. Siding on the lower level is stone veneer and is separated from the upper story by a metal-roofed awning. The upper story is clad in vertical channel grooved wood siding painted off-white, and contains a ribbon of wood sash casement windows: five paired sets of paired single casement windows placed to either side. The windows, roofline, and corners are trimmed in green wood that is continued in the awning. The west façade of the building, facing the alley,

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continues the siding of the street façade in the upper story but contains wood framed one-over-one sash windows. The lower story is clad in stucco. A green corrugated metal awning across the façade of the building protects the entrance from inclement weather and connects to the adjacent Sitka Hotel, with a pediment in the awning oriented to provide a continuous visual front across the two buildings as opposed to delineating any individual aspect of the Fur Gallery building. A drainage system of scuppers runs along the west façade. The name of the building, denoting the commercial entity, is evident along the second story street façade in attached metal letters reading "Fur Gallery."

108 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style seen in the district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate). Additionally, the building is situated adjacent to the Sitka Hotel, and the awning is constructed in such a way that it has visual continuity with the neighboring building.

118 Lincoln Street, Sitka Hotel (SIT-00967)

The Sitka Hotel, located at 118 Lincoln Street, is a three-story rectangular commercial building constructed on the south side of Lincoln Street in 1939. Built to fill the entire lot, it shares a firewall with the adjacent Fur Gallery building to the west and is connected to 124 Lincoln Street to the east by means of a faux front blocking an alley from street view and access. It is clad in spray concrete on all levels with brick veneer laid along the kick plate on the first story. It has a flat roof with parapet and a hidden foundation. The street façade, facing north, abuts the sidewalk. The main entrance is recessed and offset from center. An aluminum awning protects the entrance from inclement weather and extends across the faux wall blocking the alley to the east and continues across the Fur Gallery building to the west. A pediment in the awning is centered over the main entrance, offset from the center of the building, and marked with Queen Anne style detailing at the very peak. The main level contains several plate-glass storefront windows with aluminum framed glass entry doors. Vinyl one-over-one sash windows with false shutters mark the upper two stories of the building. A slightly pink finish to the spray concrete marks the roofline, and a Plexiglas sign reading "Sitka Hotel" is placed in the direct center of the building's top story.

The Sitka Hotel is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1939, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). It was also constructed to help alleviate a housing shortage caused by the construction of the Naval Air Station on Japonski Island, and the public rooms on the first floor of the hotel served as temporary commercial space for tenant businesses.

132 Lincoln Street, Random House (SIT-00970)

The Random House building is a rectangular, two-story vernacular commercial building on the south side of the street constructed in 1950. It was built to maximize property space, and shares firewalls with the buildings on either side. It has a built-up roof and a hidden foundation. The lower story of the north-facing street façade has a brick veneer and centered storefront while the upper story is clad in panels sprayed in concrete. A flat awning is slightly angled towards the building to facilitate drainage away from the streetscape and it separates the two stories. The lower story has aluminum framed plate glass storefront windows framing a central metal-framed glass door, accented by wooden pilasters with decorative stone veneer bases. A metal-framed glass door with transom at the extreme west side of the street façade provides access to the second story. The second story contains a ribbon of ten one-over-one sash windows, of which several are replacement aluminum and are not painted to match the older wood sash windows. The firewall connecting the building to the adjoining 130 Lincoln Street has been extended out from the original side of the building so that it runs flush with 130 Lincoln Street, which is built closer to the street. A plastic and aluminum sign is fixed to the awning and anchored to the façade with cables, and reads "Random House: Gift items, party goods, cards, records, flowers by wire."

The Random House building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

200 Lincoln Street, The Cellar (SIT-00971)

200 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, one-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street. It was built to maximize property space, and shares a firewall with 132 Lincoln Street to the west, with a narrow alley to the east. It has a built-up roof and poured concrete foundation. The majority of the building is clad in gray sawtooth shingle asbestos siding. The lower story of the north-facing street façade is devoted to a centrally oriented storefront consisting of aluminum framed fixed plate glass windows framing recessed metal framed double glass doors. A massive shingled triangular awning extends across the entire second story, extending beyond the west end of the building across an addition and attaching to the east side of 132 Lincoln Street. Attached to both 200 and 132 Lincoln Street is a small,

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one-story attachment with a recessed metal-framed glass door, and clad in wood shiplap siding painted off-white with red trim. This coloring plan extends to the first of the plate glass windows in the main building.

200 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

206 Lincoln Street, Russian American Company Building 29 / Tilson Building (SIT-00013)

The Tilson Building, also known as Russian American Company Building No. 29, is located at 206 Lincoln Street. It is a three-story log structure of the Russian Colonial style constructed on the south side of the street. It has a raised-seam metal, side-gabled roof with four gabled dormers and a partial basement. Construction dates vary from 1835 to the 1850s, however, it was the last Russian building to be used in Sitka for commercial purposes. The building has undergone substantial renovation, including the addition of wood lap siding on the main and western façades, vinyl shiplap siding on the second story east facade, and wood shingle in the eastern gable end. Plate glass storefront windows are present in the northeast and northwest corners of the building, and a flat angled awning to protect the storefronts from inclement weather runs the entire length of the building. A brick-veneer kickplate has also been added along the northern façade of the building. Fenestration consists of one-over-one vinyl sash windows set in the second story and four-over-four wood sash windows in each of the four north-facing third story dormers. The storefront to the northwest contains a metal-framed glass door centrally placed within the display, while the entrance to the northeast is a wood-framed glass door to the extreme east of the display. A panel door with a single light is located in the center of the north façade. An addition to the south side of the building, not visible from Lincoln Street, has extended the roofline into a saltbox form. Plexiglas has been placed over the northeast corner of the first story to reveal and protect the original logs of the building. It is significant as one of the few remaining Russian structures in Alaska, and it was included in the NRHP as a National Historic Landmark in 1987.

The Tilson Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian Period prior to 1850, it is has undergone numerous renovations during the interceding 160 years. In its present form, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

208 Lincoln Street, Russell's Sporting Goods (SIT-00972)

208 Lincoln Street is a rectangular two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street. It has a built up roof with parapet and a hidden poured concrete foundation. The north-facing main front and the west alley facing façades of the building are covered in gray wood lap siding with white wooden trim. The east façade, also facing a narrow alley, is covered in metal vertical siding. The primary north-facing façade is dominated by a centrally oriented storefront with cobble-stone veneer kickplate below a wood-shingled triangular awning. The awning has wooden scalloped trim. The main entrance is through a metal-framed glass door with transom framed by paired plate glass display windows. A secondary entrance is located at the east of the main façade, consisting of a metal door with single light and leading to the second story. The second story is marked by three sets of paired one-over-one wood framed sash windows. The roof's parapet is marked by a bracketed cornice, which contains a compass arrow and geometric decorative elements in a contrasting lighter gray color.

208 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributor to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed in 1940, inside the period of significance for the historic district, but has undergone extensive remodeling in recent years. The result is that it embodies all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings) required for inclusion in the district. While the building is not individually eligible for listing, it is considered to be contributing due to the visual continuity it conveys to the historic district.

214 Lincoln Street, Ben Franklin Store (SIT-973)

The Ben Franklin Store is a rectangular single story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1964 on the south side of the street. It was built to maximize property area, with very narrow alleys on the east and west sides. It has a built-up roof and poured concrete foundation. The east and west façades of the building are covered with raised seam metal siding. The north-facing front façade is dominated by two storefronts and is almost entirely plate glass display windows, the two shops only visually separated by sprayed concrete pilasters. The two recessed storefronts contain paired metal-framed glass doors with transoms. Each recess is framed by paired metal-framed plate glass display windows; the larger store on the west has an additional pair of display windows abutting the west wall. The display windows rest on a brick-veneered kick plate and are topped by a shallow, triangular, wood-shingled awning that meets the roofline. Signage

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consist of wooden signs hung from the awning in front of each store, reading "The Totem" in front of the eastern store and "Ben Franklin Store" in front of the larger western store. A wooden panel painted to resemble to a totem pole covers the spray concrete pilaster at the eastern corner of the main façade.

The Ben Franklin Building is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1964, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

322 Lincoln Street (SIT-00975)

322 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the south side of the street. It was constructed to maximize property area, abutting the sidewalk and with a narrow alley to the west providing access to parking in the rear. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building has a cobblestone veneer on the lower story and raised seam sheet metal siding on the parapet and roofline. The main façade faces north and contains a centrally oriented storefront consisting of paired metal framed glass doors with three fixed plate glass display windows to either side. An additional identical window is placed on the west side of the building facing the paved drive and a secondary metal door is evident near the southwestern corner. An awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and is divided into three asphalt-shingled hipped roof sections. The building is currently vacant and contains no signage.

322 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

328 Lincoln Street, Columbia Bar (SIT-00976)

The Columbia Bar, located at 328 Lincoln Street, is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed ca. 1910 on the south side of Lincoln Street. It was built to maximize the property lot, facing directly onto Lincoln and sharing narrow alleys with the neighboring buildings to the east and west. It has a gable roof clad in corrugated metal hidden behind a rectangular false parapet and a concrete foundation. The main façade, facing north, is clad in wood shingle siding in the upper story and wood lap siding in the lower story. The east and west facades, facing narrow walkways, are clad in corrugated metal. Fenestration is simple, with a large wood-framed plate glass display window in the lower story slightly off from center, a second small wood-framed fixed window near the western edge of the main façade, and a single set of paired wood sash windows in the upper story. There are two entrances on the main facade, both wood panel doors with fixed single light windows. The building has no awning or signage and the commercial space in the lower story is vacant.

The Columbia Bar is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in ca.1910 outside of the period of significance, it nonetheless is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains most of the primary features (parapet, storefront, and massing) and several of the secondary features (wood lap siding, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

334 Lincoln Street, U.S. Post Office (SIT-00978)

334 Lincoln Street is a rectangular one-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1965 on the south side of the street. It was built to maximize property area, sharing a firewall with the building to the west and having a narrow alley to the east. The building has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in wood lap siding with darker wood trim. The main façade faces north onto Lincoln Street and contains two recessed storefronts. Each storefront contains paired metal-framed glass doors flanked by two fixed plate glass display windows with transoms to either side. The kickplate below the display windows is painted a contrasting green with white rectangles in relief, a motif that is repeated in the bulkhead over the doors. A triangular asphalt-shingled awning, supported by timber trusses, protects the storefronts from inclement weather. The parapet is worked to resemble three pinnacles centered over the building. Each parapet holds signage related to the commercial entities housed within: the sign to the east advertises the US Post Office, while the central and western pinnacles contain signs for the Mountain Miss store. Additional signage for these businesses also hangs from the underside of the awning.

334 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1965, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

201 Lincoln Street, Old Harbor Books and Coffee (SIT-00979)

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201 Lincoln Street is a two-story vernacular gable-end commercial building constructed in 1890 on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with Barracks Street. It was built to maximize property space, with the foundation and floor level rising in increments toward the rear of the building in line with the sloping location. It also shares a firewall with 203 Lincoln Street to the east and is built directly along the line of the street. The roof is a moderate gable covered in rolled metal roofing, and consists of two parts with the rear section to the north being slightly higher than that along the street front, in keeping with the slope of the landscape. The building is largely clad in white painted wood lap siding with yellow half-cove shingles in the gable end. The lower story of south-facing street façade is dedicated to storefront; with large vinyl trimmed plate glass fixed storefront windows centered on recessed aluminum doors with fixed single-light windows. The storefront is decorative in nature, with yellow-painted sign band and kick plate paneling and red and blue painted wood detailing and trim. Half-cove shingles cover the rectangular space directly above the door. The second story of the front facade is a false rectangular front, jutting through the gable to give a rectangular appearance more in keeping with the remaining streetscape. The west façade of the building, facing Barracks Street, is marked by a row of fixed plate glass windows over smaller awning windows. A triangular asphalt shingled awning runs directly above the storefront across the entire façade. The awning is broken by a pediment centered across the building, slightly offset from the main entrance. A secondary entrance on the extreme east of the building provides access to the second story. A brown and white metal sign is fixed to the upper reaches of the false front and reads "Old Harbor Books."

201 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Although constructed prior to the period of significance in 1890, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Historic photographs from the period of significance show the building is nearly unchanged in character since the period of significance.

203 Lincoln Street, Sitka Outlet Store (SIT-00980)

203 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize property size, sharing a firewall with 201 Lincoln Street to the west and having only an extremely narrow alley with the neighboring building to the east. The south portion of the building has a flat roof with parapet while the north portion has a gable roof. The building has a hidden poured concrete foundation. The south-facing primary façade of the building is clad in vinyl lap siding with wood trim, while the surface area visible in the alley is stucco. The front façade is dominated by a centrally oriented storefront with double metal-framed glass doors framed by large plate glass storefront windows. The second story is marked by three sets of windows consisting of large plate fixed windows over narrow single-light paired awning windows. The wall contains a raised parapet, lending height to the front façade. A triangular asphalt-shingled awning separates the two levels. A secondary door is evident in the alley as well as a window in the second story; these features indicate that the alley was once more substantial than it is currently, as presently the alley is too narrow to allow for human passage.

203 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

209 Lincoln Street, Homeport Eatery (SIT-00981)

209 Lincoln Street is a one-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1923 on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with American Street. It was built to maximize the property area, with a shared firewall with the American Legion Building to the west. It has a flat built-up roof and a concealed poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in wooden lap siding painted a pale blue gray with openings trimmed in flat wood. The primary façade faces south directly onto Lincoln Street and is dominated by a recessed entrance, triangular wood-shingled awning, and false-gabled parapet. The wood-framed glass main entrance door is centrally placed and raised above the street level by a series of five wooden steps. It is framed by a pair of metal framed plate glass display windows within the recess. Larger plate glass display window configurations are placed to each side of the recessed entrance, each consisting of a central window framed by narrow fixed windows with decorative false mullions. The upper story is plain and only contains signage for the resident business, "Homeport Eatery," in metal lettering fixed to the siding. A secondary entrance and emergency fire escape on the west side of the building, abutting the American Legion Building, contains a metal panel door with single light.

209 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historical Commercial District. Although constructed outside the period of significance in 1923, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

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215 Lincoln Street, Sitka Bazaar (SIT-00982)

215 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1966 on the northeast corner of the intersection of American and Lincoln streets. It was constructed to maximize the property lot, with the primary façade facing south onto Lincoln Street and the secondary façade facing west into American Street. The building has a raised-seam metal-clad hipped roof and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in white spray concrete panels with blue contrasting pilasters running the full height of the building. The two façades are similar in appearance, each with a centrally placed recessed entrance placed inside a pointed arch. Large wood sash plate glass display windows are nestled inside hexagonal openings in the spray concrete panels. The area directly surrounding the windows contains white wood lap siding. The second story contains windows identical in placement, one window between each pilaster, but which consist of wood sash sliding windows. An overhead door is located at the northwest corner of the building to provide automotive access for the building's commercial entity. An awning stretches across both façades of the building, angled towards the building and containing vegetation. A sign reading "Sitka Bazaar: Made in Alaska Gifts" is attached to the top of the awning over the main entrance, and a smaller sign hangs from the awning just below.

The Sitka Bazaar is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in ca. 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although an exact build date is difficult to determine, photographic evidence from 1966 and 1968 show that the building is virtually unchanged in the intervening years.

221 Lincoln Street, Saint Michael's Store (SIT-00983)

221 Lincoln Street is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed following the 1966 fire on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize the property area, with narrow alleyways separating it from its neighbors to the east and west. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The main façade of the building, which faces south onto Lincoln Street, is clad in board-and-batten wood siding with wood trim while the alley-facing east and west façades consist of painted concrete. The lower level contains two identical storefronts, each containing a metal-framed glass door with transom to the east of three wood sash plate glass display windows. An additional entrance, providing access to the upper story, is situated on the southwest corner of the building and consists of a metal-framed glass door with transom. The upper story is marked by three sets of windows, each consisting of a plate glass fixed window flanked by narrower casement windows. An asphalt-shingled awning is suspended over the entrances to provide protection from inclement weather. Plywood cutouts have been added over the windows and door of the western storefront to create shapes resembling the dome of St. Michael's Cathedral (ogee arches) and the siding has been painted a vibrant green. Signs suspended from the awning in front of each storefront read "St. Michael's Cathedral Store" to the west and "Grandfather Frost Russian Christmas Store" to the east.

221 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed following the fire of 1966, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

237 Lincoln Street, Cathedral Arms Apartments (SIT-00984)

The Cathedral Arms Apartments, located at 237 Lincoln Street, was constructed in 1950 on the north side of Lincoln Street at the intersection with Cathedral Way. It is a rectangular seven-story mixed-use commercial and residential building with a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete basement constructed to maximize the property area. The building is clad in concrete panels painted in vertical sections of alternating cream and green. The four corners of the building are angled, creating bay window sections for each corner apartment. The ground story of the building houses commercial entities with four storefronts along Lincoln Street and two overhead doors along Cathedral Way. Entrances are metal-framed glass doors flanked by metal-framed plate glass display windows and topped by fixed transom windows. The windows in the upper stories, which house residential apartments, consist of one-over-one metal sash windows in symmetrical formation across the west, south, and east façades. The corner bay windows are visually accentuated by copper sheeting applied to resemble thick sills. A utility house caps the roof and an awning runs across the building above the first story to shelter the storefronts from inclement weather. Signage is attached to the lower side of the awning announcing the commercial entity of each storefront.

The Cathedral Arms Apartments is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1950, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings). Although larger than the

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one-to-three stories specified by the primary features, the building when viewed along the streetscape is in keeping with the surrounding built environment.

321 Lincoln Street, Service Transfer Building (SIT-00985)

321 Lincoln Street is the Service Transfer Building, a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1940 on the north side of the street. It was built to maximize the property area, with a narrow alley on the east side of the building abutting the Coliseum Theater and a narrow paved drive providing access to rear parking to the west. The building has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. It is clad in wood lap siding with blue wood trim. The lower level contains one storefront situated at the southwest corner of the building consisting of large fixed plate glass display windows. A metal door with single light is located just to the east of the last display window, with a similar door to the west. Two similar doors are arranged to the east providing access to two other commercial entities. A large vinyl overhead door is located at the southeast corner of the building. Fenestration along the upper story of the main façade consists of vinyl sash windows with decorative mullions and accentuated lintels: one centered on the facade and a set of paired windows to either side. The initial windows along the east and west façades are also vinyl sash with decorative mullions, after which fenestration changes to one-over one sash windows. The lower story of the eastern façade contains three fixed wood sash windows: one nine light and a pair of nine lights, framing a secondary entrance with a white panel door. A flat angled awning protects the storefront from inclement weather and stretches from the southwest corner to the overhead door on the eastern side of the front façade. A chimney rises from the flat roof. The parapet is stepped in the center to provide a more decorative appearance. Signage hangs from the awning in front of two storefronts. The sign located in front of the western-most storefront reads "Winter Song" while the second sign to the east reads "Eclipse Designs Artisan Jewelry."

321 Lincoln Street is considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1940, it is an excellent example of the commercial style used in district during the period of significance. It contains all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings).

Non-Contributing Properties

2 Lincoln Street, Cable House (SIT-00212)

The Cable House, located at 2 Lincoln Street, is a two-story timber frame building constructed in a 19th Century Neo-Russian style prior to 1910 and is currently on the extreme southwestern edge of Lincoln Street. It has a low, shingled, hipped roof with deep overhanging eaves supported by stylize brackets and a concrete block foundation. It is covered in wood lap siding. Fenestration consists of symmetrical paired one-over-one sash windows on each side of the house, with two pairs in the first story on each façade, and a combination of paired or single one-over-one sash on the second story facades. A central one-over-one window is centered above the main entrance on the north façade as well as above the entrance on the south façade. The entrances are wood-panel doors with a fixed light, set beneath wooden rectangular hipped-roof porches. The Cable House is centrally located on the property, with a paved drive leading to parking and a separate garage, and a broad landscaped lawn to the north. A paved walkway also leads from Lincoln Street to the main entrance. The Cable House was listed on the NRHP in 1979 for its association and significance with the Washington Alaska Military Cable and Telegraph Service.

As the Cable House was constructed prior to 1910 and was not initially intended to operate as a commercial building, it is not considered to be contributing to the historic district. The building holds none of the qualifying characteristics of the commercial district such as storefront, parapet, and location against the streetscape.

100 Lincoln Street, Sitka Post Office and Court House (SIT-00313)

The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House, located at 100 Lincoln Street along the south side of the street, is a three-story reinforced concrete Art Deco building constructed between 1937 and 1938 as a federal government post office and courthouse. It has a concrete slab roof and a poured concrete foundation with raised basement. Fenestration consists of one-over-one sash windows set in vertical, recessed panels separated by ornamental spandrels with Art Deco motifs. The main entrance is centrally located in the northern façade and consists of paired metal-framed glass doors. The original entrance, on the second story, is still in evidence and leads onto what is now a concrete patio. In the 1990s, the front of the building was altered, with concrete panel additions bringing the first story out to the street, which mimics the scale and style of the adjacent commercial center of Lincoln Street. The entrance was also altered at that time, with the paired concrete stairs being filled in but reflected in the new design. The words "United States Post Office and Court House" are set into the concrete just below the roof parapet, with "Sitka, Alaska" set just below. The Sitka U.S. Post Office and Court House was constructed as part of the New Deal, which saw the construction of much-needed federal buildings across the country and Alaska in particular. The building was listed on the NRHP in 1997.

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The U.S. Post Office is not considered to be a contributing resource to the Sitka Historic Business District. The building was constructed prior to the period of significance as part of New Deal Depression activities. The building's does not have the commercial features necessary to be a contributing structure, such as parapet, awning, or storefront. Adaptations made in the 1990s added projections that bring the building to the same setback against the street as the other buildings in the district, however, these adaptations are not original and are not in keeping with the original form of the building.

101 Lincoln Street, Castle Hill (SIT-00002)

Castle Hill is a hill located just to the south of the intersection of Lincoln and Katlian Streets. Originally the site of Tlingit homes prior to 1804, it became the permanent site of the Russian settlement of New Archangel. It was used as a militaristic fort and lookout for the protection of the settlement. Alexander Baranov lived atop the hill in a two-story home used for governance and referred to as "Baranov's Castle." In 1955, the site was cleared of construction and was named a park. In 1965, a circular stone parapet with space for six cannon, pilasters with interpretive plaques, and flagpoles were constructed as part of the Alaska Purchase Centennial celebrations. Foot access to the site from Lincoln Street consists of a paved path running through the alley between the U.S. Post Office and Court House building and the Harry Race Building, leading to steep stone steps. Handicap ramp access leads from the hill to the south, where a parking lot is located. As the site of the official raising of the American flag following purchase of Alaska, Castle Hill was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1966.

Castle Hill is non-contributing to Sitka Historic Business District. While the property is historic in its own right, it is not a commercial property. It does not contain a building of any sort, and operates as an historical park celebrating the purchase of Alaska from Russia and chronicling the history of the area.

124 Lincoln Street, Brenner Building (SIT-00968)

The Brenner Building, located at 124 Lincoln Street, is a two-story vernacular commercial building constructed in 1930 on the south side of the street. It is a rectangular building constructed to maximize property space with the alley to the west fenced off from access. The entire building is clad in red painted wood shiplap siding with brown trim. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. Wood-framed plate glass storefront windows and a shingled awning mark the north-facing street façade. Access to the building is provided through metal-framed glass doors: one angled across the corner of the storefront and a second at the northeast corner of the building providing access to the second story. The second story windows on the street façade are wood sash two-over-two windows. The windows visible along the eastern façade consist of groupings of single-light casement windows framing a single-light fixed window with occasional use of paired single-light casement windows. The awning is supported by rectangular posts on concrete blocks that connect to the awning with decorative, dark green brackets. The building has undergone extensive restoration efforts in recent years. These efforts included attention to Neoclassical Revival details, such as a broken pediment in the parapet and detailed moldings at roofline, and window lintels on the second story.

The Brenner Building is considered to be a non-contributor to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside of the period of significance for the historic district and has undergone extensive remodeling in recent years, creating a false sense of history. The result is that it embodies all of the primary features (parapet, storefront, awning, and massing) and several of the secondary features (commercial entity signage, pronounced kickplate, ordered and pronounced fenestration patterns and groupings) required for inclusion in the district, and while it visually continues the feel of the district, it is not considered to be a contributing building due to construction date and renovations.

130 Lincoln Street, Ernie's Bar & Robertson's Art Gallery (SIT-00969)

130 Lincoln Street is a rectangular, single-story vernacular commercial building built in 1974 on the south side of the street. It has been altered since construction to resemble two separate buildings. It was constructed to maximize the property space, with a narrow alley to the west and sharing a firewall with 132 Lincoln Street to the east. It has a built-up roof with false front and a poured concrete foundation. The entire building is covered in vertical wood siding with storefronts along the north-facing street façade. The west portion of the building, designated as 128 Lincoln Street, has a centrally oriented storefront with wood framed plate-glass storefront windows framing a centrally placed, metal door with single light. The siding on the west half of the building is dull gray vertically grooved plywood with purplish wood trim. A raised flat false front parapet tops the building, rising higher than the roof level and containing a simple rectangular cornice with decorative brackets. A black pipe extends from above the entrance with a sign reading "Robertson's Art Gallery and Custom Framing." The eastern portion of the building is clad in brown board-and-batten wood siding. The storefront on this half of the building has a side orientation, with the recessed entrance to the west of two wood framed fixed plate glass storefront windows that are much smaller than it's neighbors. The false front parapet extends much higher than that to the west and it supports a large triangular, shingled awning to protect the storefront. This half of the building has a sign reading "Ernie's Old Time Saloon" suspended from the awning.

130 Lincoln Street is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1974, well outside the period of significance, it has a modern appearance and smaller massing than the contributing

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structures to the district. It does not have a parapet over the awning, giving it a stubby feel, no storefront display, and only half of the building is covered by an awning.

224 Lincoln Street, Sitka Lutheran Church (SIT-00004)

The Sitka Lutheran Church, located at 224 Lincoln Street, is a rectangular church constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street on the site of the original Finnish Lutheran Church, which dated to 1840. The rectangular church was constructed to maximize lot size, incorporating the wall and basement of a previous church that had been destroyed by fire in 1966. It has a gable roof, the north side of which is steeply sloped and covered with asphalt shingles, and the south side of which is flattened and covered in copper roofing. The building is clad in rough aggregate precast concrete panels. The main entrance is at the northeast corner of the church, with a recessed entry that spans the entire height of the building, allowing the gable roof to protect the entrance from inclement weather. The entrance consists of wood-framed glass doors with sidelights, topped by a solid wood transom below a 12-light fixed wood sash window that extends to the roofline. A set of three metal interlocking crosses rise from the northeast corner of the building just inside the covered main entrance and extend up through the roofline. A secondary entrance is in the northwest corner of the building and consists of metal-framed glass doors below an asphalt-shingled awning just wide enough to protect the entrance. Vertical wood railings connect the awning with the roof creating a vertical emphasis. Signage for the church is reserved to a series of small panels fixed to the north façade, and include a informational display case for services and times, a metal commemorative plate bearing the build date for the church, and a small brown panel that displays a brief history of the church location.

The Sitka Lutheran Church is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1966 to replace the original church destroyed by the fire in January 1966, it is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the district.

236 Lincoln Street, Franklin Building (SIT-00974)

The Franklin Building is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street at the junction with Maksoutoff Street. It was constructed to maximize property area, with the west façade facing Maksoutoff Street and the north façade facing out onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with an angled copper parapet on all sides and a poured concrete foundation. The exterior of the building consists of vertical aggregate concrete veneer panels, punctuated by vertical sections of curtain wall. The façades are nearly identical in fenestration, with the exception of the main entrance centered on the north façade. It consists of double metal-framed glass doors, accentuated by a copper awning the width of the entrance, which projects almost to the end of the sidewalk. Each window bay on the lower story contains two metal-framed plate glass display windows topped by smaller transom. Decorative metal panels in the curtain window configurations are set at the bottom of each story. Paired hopper transom windows topped with plate glass picture windows occupy the upper story. Carved wooden totem poles have been centered in each of the concrete veneer sections, serving as a visual continuation between the two stories.

The Franklin Building is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1967, outside of the period of significance, and it contains few of the necessary features for visual continuity for the commercial district.

329 Harbor Drive, Troutte Center (SIT-00977)

The Troutte Center, is a two-story rectangular vernacular commercial building constructed in 1967 on the south side of Lincoln Street. It was built to maximize the property lot, with the main façade facing north directly onto Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a concrete foundation. The main north façade has vinyl lap siding with stone veneer along the first story storefront and corners of the building; the east and west facades are painted concrete block. Fenestration consists of a series of plate glass storefront display windows across the first story and an evenly spaced row of six sliding glass windows in the upper story. The lower story contains two storefronts separated by a single metal-framed glass door with transom that provides access to a central staircase to the upper story. Storefront entrances are recessed, with paired metal-framed glass doors with transoms. The kickplate below the display windows is stone veneer. Paired red raised-seam metal hipped awnings protect the storefronts from inclement weather; a metal clad pent protects the upper story windows. Signage for the resident commercial entities hangs from the underside of the awning.

The Troutte Center Building is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. It was constructed outside the period of significance (1967) and has undergone extensive renovation in recent years. While it contains several of the necessary features, the massing of the building and necessary features is such that it does not convey visual continuity with the rest of the historic district.

197 Katlian Avenue, Totem Square (SIT-00046)

Totem Square, located at the northwest end of Lincoln Street, is an open square park. It contains a totem pole in the center of the open landscaped grass with interpretive signage detailing the history of Sitka and the totem iconography. It is

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bordered to the east by a paved parking area that opens onto Katlian Ave, to the south by Lincoln Street, and to the west by a stone wall protecting the park and sidewalk from Sitka Harbor just beyond.

Totem Square is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. It contains no building and serves no commercial purpose. It serves as an open area for area residents and tourists and presents information on the history of Sitka.

120 Katlian Avenue, Sitka Pioneers Home (SIT-00097)

The Sitka Pioneer's Home is a wide U-shaped three-story reinforced concrete Mission Revival building constructed on the north side of Lincoln Street to the east of the junction with Katlian Street. It was constructed in 1934 for the purpose of housing Alaska's aging pioneers. It was constructed with a Spanish quarry tile roof with copper flashing, cupolas, detailing, and dormers with six-over-six sash windows. It also has a full basement and attic over a poured concrete foundation. Fenestration consists of even rows of one-over-one metal sash windows in all stories. An entrance vestibule topped by a metal-railed patio and containing six-over-nine double-hung wood sash windows emphasizes the main entrance, set in the center of the building and facing out onto Totem Square. The entrance is recessed within this vestibule and has paired metal-framed eight-light glass doors with sidelights and transom. Faux corbeling at the roofline consists of a row of small concrete arches. The building is situated near the center of the property, allowing for a large landscaped front lawn, and several outbuildings including a nurse's home, administrator's wing, and parking. A large statue, "The Prospector," was added to the front lawn area in 1949. The Sitka Pioneer's Home was listed on the NRHP in 1979 for its significance as the first facility constructed in Alaska to provide housing for the territory's aging pioneer population. The sponsoring pension program was the first of its kind to be implemented in the United States.

The Pioneers Home is not considered to be a contributing feature of the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1934, outside the period of significance, the building is in the Mission Revival style and has no commercial function. It contains none of the features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. The building is, however, listed individually on the National Register of Historic Places.

239 Lincoln Street, Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel (SIT-00010)

St. Michael's Cathedral, located at the corner of Lincoln and Makoutoff Streets, is a reconstructed cruciform Russian Orthodox church constructed over a period from 1967 to 1977 to replace the original church destroyed by a fire in 1965 that devastated Sitka's downtown area. It is a concrete and steel building designed to replicate the original wood lap sided log building. It is a one-story church with two-story bell tower and a central copper onion dome set directly over the main alter with a three-bar cross. The flanking wings to the north, south, and east have shingled gable roofs. A clock is set into the bell tower over the main entrance. The bells are set in an octagonal belfry topped by a copper pinnacle and three-bar cross. Fenestration throughout the main story consists of paired four-over-eight sash windows, many of which are false and merely wood painted to mimic the original. The hexagonal dome base contains twenty-light wood sash windows in each face, and six-light sash windows are evident just below the capping onion pinnacle. The main entrance, consisting of paired wood-panel doors, is at the center of the east façade, facing out onto Lincoln Street, and capped by a shed-roof shingled awning. The church was burned in a fire in January of 1966; reconstruction began almost immediately based upon drawings and documentation made in 1961 as part of the Historic American Buildings Survey. The church was listed as a National Historic Landmark in 1962 and placed on the NRHP in 1966.

The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel is not considered to be a contributing property to the Sitka Historic Business District. Originally constructed during the Russian period and replaced in 1967 following construction by fire in 1966, the building is not a commercial building and contains none of the primary or secondary features necessary for visual continuity for the historic commercial district.

331 Lincoln Street, Coliseum Theater / Moose Lanes (SIT-00986)

The Coliseum Theater, located at 331 Lincoln Street, is a rectangular two-story commercial building constructed in 1955 along the north side of Lincoln Street. It has a flat roof with parapet and a poured concrete foundation. The building is clad in spray-concrete panels. The main façade faces south onto the street and is characterized by a stylized horizontal recessed band just below the roofline, painted red with black trim to contrast with the gray of the rest of the building. The southeast corner is curved. The main entrance is through a wooden addition that shares a wall with the Moose Lodge to the east. It is one-story and consists of double wooden doors with single-light window panels. Fenestration once consisted of narrow horizontal bands of glass blocks just below the decorative red band, but these have since been painted over to keep light from entering the movie theater. A marquee sign fixed just below the roofline on the main façade of the theater announces movies and times; a second sign reading "Coliseum Theater" is attached to the entrance addition just above the doors. The theater is situated against the rear of the property, allowing for a narrow row of parking in front of the theater. The application of a Modernistic Style exterior appears to have occurred post-construction, with window openings covered over, and horizontal line-work applied to the stucco exterior rather than incised into the wall.

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The Coliseum Theater is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, outside the period of significance, it contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and stylistic modifications mean that this building does not represent any visual continuity for the district.

337 Lincoln Street, Moose Lodge (SIT-00987)

337 Lincoln Street, also known as the Moose Lodge, is a two-story commercial building constructed in 1920 on the north side of Lincoln Street. The form of the building is irregular and made to adapt to the size of the lot, which trends northeast to southwest. It is a rectangular building set at an angle to the street and the southeast corner of the building has been angled, although the roof continues, creating a large overhang. It has a rolled metal, hipped roof and a poured concrete foundation. The lower story is glad in channeled plywood siding and the upper story is clad in sprayed concrete. The main entrance is along the eastern façade. The windows are one-over-one throughout both the upper and lower stories, with both wood and vinyl sash types. A shingled triangular awning running the length of the eastern façade protects the entrance from inclement weather. A bell hangs from the southeast corner roof overhang, along with a sign reading "Moose Family Center."

The Moose Lodge is not considered to be a contributing building to the Sitka Historic Business District. Constructed in 1920, outside the period of significance, it contains none of the primary features necessary for inclusion in the historic district. Additionally, the setback and orientation of the building mean that it does not represent any visual continuity for the district.

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(Mark "x	able National Register Criteria " in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property anal Register listing)	Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions)
	3, 10, 11, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10	Commerce
Х	Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.	Community Planning/Development
В	Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.	
x c	Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant	Period of Significance
	and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.	1937-1966
D	Property has yielded, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.	Significant Dates
		1937-1966
	a Considerations " in all the boxes that apply)	
		Significant Person
Proper	ty is:	(Complete only if Criterion B is marked above)
A	owed by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.	
В	removed from its original location.	Cultural Affiliation
c	a birthplace or grave.	
D	a cemetery.	
E	a reconstructed building, object, or structure.	Architect/Builder
F	a commemorative property.	
G	less than 50 years old or achieving significance within the past 50 years.	

Period of Significance (justification)

A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II. This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the mid- 20th century and remains in evidence today. The period of significance is from 1937 until 1966.

Areas of Significance - Commerce, Community Development and Planning

Criteria Consideratons (explanation, if necessary) - N/A

Statement of Significance Summary Paragraph (provide a summary paragraph that includes level of significance and applicable criteria)

Lincoln Street, from the western end to the junction with Lake Street, is considered an historic district eligible for listing on the National Register under Criteria A and C. A majority of the buildings were constructed during the buildup of Alaska for militaristic defenses leading into World War II (Criteria A). This lead to an increase in development of the Lincoln Street commercial district and was a direct result of the creation of the Naval Air Station located at Japonski Island, adjacent to Sitka. The construction of these buildings followed a form common to commercial buildings during the first half of the 20th century and remains in evidence today (Criteria C). This three-part form consisted of a parapet, a broad glassed storefront, and an awning to protect pedestrians from inclement weather. This form serves as a unifying entity for the district both physically and visually. The district is bound by civic and governmental buildings to the west and east, a primarily residential area to the north, and the waterfront to the south. As many of the buildings retain their original form and have stayed close to the prescribed form for commercial buildings, the district retains a high degree of physical integrity of location, setting, design, workmanship, materials, feeling, and association to be considered for inlcusion in the National Register of Historic Places as a historic district.

Narrative Statement of Significance (provide at least one paragraph for each area of significance)

Lincoln Street has been the commercial and social center of Sitka, Alaska since before the U.S. purchase of Alaska from the Russians in 1867. The Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel ensured that this area was the heart of the settlement during the Russian Colonial period, as it continued to be following the US purchase. One of the first acts passed by the newly formed city government following the purchase was to rename the main commercial thoroughfare, from Main Street to Lincoln Street.

In 1937, with hostilities looming due to WWII, the US government recognized the strategic position of Sitka for defense purposes. In 1937, the US Navy "designated its old reservation on Japonski Island as the Naval Seaplane Base, Sitka." Soon after, in February of 1938, it was designated the Fleet Air Base. By September 1939, the facility had been designated a Naval Air Station leading to massive construction efforts in and around Sitka. Contractors alone brought in nearly 1,700 laborers, a number that was more than the estimated population of Sitka at that time. Soon after, personnel from the US Army and Navy arrived to staff the facility. Throughout World War II, troops stationed at Japonski Island provided an economic boom for the town of Sitka. The population influx brought about by the military buildup contributed to an increase in construction and commercial activity in Sitka's downtown business district along Lincoln Street. A large majority of the commercial buildings located both to the east and west of the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel were built during the 1940s.

Following the end of World War II and the lifting of travel restrictions to Alaska, tourists began to arrive, spurred on by new publicity brought about by the role Alaska played in national defenses during the war. Sitka became a favorite tourist stop. Steamship lines offered organized tours of the town as well as other areas throughout Southeast Alaska. Construction along Lincoln Street continued through the 1950s as a tourism industry began to grow and Lincoln Street became a tourist destination. The commercial buildings along this stretch dating to the 1940s to 1950s are largely uniform in style and massing, consisting of one to three story buildings with flat roofing, large storefronts, parapets, and awnings to protect patrons from inclement weather.

On January 2, 1966, a fire broke out in Sitka that, according to news articles, destroyed 20% of the business district, including the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. A total of seventeen businesses were destroyed in the area directly surrounding the cathedral on the east end of the main commercial area. Rebuilding began almost immediately, with the fire opening up existing property lots to new construction near the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. Construction methods and styles shifted, with newer construction trending toward more modern materials, larger massing, and modern styles. Those buildings that survived the fire, however, have largely retained the original features and still serve as the heart of the commercial district in downtown Sitka.

Developmental history/additional historic context information (if appropriate)

Baranof Island, on which Sitka is located in the Alaska Southeast, was inhabited by the Tlingit Indians prior to discovery by Euro-Americans. One of three native groups to reside in the Southeast coastal area, the Tlingit lived in established villages spread throughout the region. They originally made contact with Russians in 1741 and began trading with

Europeans beginning in the 1770s. Rich in fur-bearing sea mammals, the area was identified as ideal for a permanent settlement by the Russians in the 1790s, and an agreement was made in 1797 between Russian Alexander Baranov and the Tlingit for a parcel of land for the location of a settlement. The settlement of New Archangel was soon established. New Archangel, established at its present location by the Russians in the early decades of the 19th century, served as the Russian capital from 1808 to 1867 and was the headquarters for the Russian American Company. Later renamed Sitka, it quickly became the largest Russian settlement in Alaska. The Russian Orthodox Church was headquartered at the Russian Bishop's House site, serving as the cultural and educational center for the ROC in Alaska until the mid-twentieth century. Masses were celebrated at the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel in the center of Lincoln Street. Photographs and maps made at the time of transition to US ownership in 1867 show the stretch between Castle Hill in the west and the cathedral in the east as a busy thoroughfare, containing the main governmental, commercial, and religious buildings in Sitka.

As the largest Euroamerican settlement in Alaska at the time, Sitka became the territorial capital of American Alaska in 1867 under military jurisdiction and would remain so until 1906, with the emergence of Juneau as a major population center due to prolific gold mining activities. The population of Sitka initially suffered from the exodus of Russian citizens following the sale of Alaska. During the 1870s, however, there was a slow buildup of population within Southeast Alaska. Most of these newcomers were prospectors or miners, filtering up from the placer mines in the Cassiar Mountains of British Columbia. This period also saw the establishment of the fishing and canning industry throughout the Southeast, although the industry did not experience its major growth until after the turn of the century. In 1870, the Alaska Commercial Company (ACC) was formed from the remnants of the RAC, and would continue prove active across the territory in fur, fishing, and trading businesses. With primary management of the ACC located in Sitka, it was an efficient organization, and powerful. "The ACC alone possessed the capital to build and maintain the ships needed to bring labor and supplies to the different parts of the vast territory." In addition, gold-bearing quartz veins were discovered near Sitka.

The discovery of abundant quantities of placer gold in the Juneau region in 1880 served to divert miners and prospectors from the Sitka area. By 1890, Juneau had become a settlement of more than 1,250 individuals, shifting the economic focus in the region away from Sitka. Sitka remained the center of territorial governance, however, first for the Army until 1877 and then for the Navy beginning in 1879. By that time, Sitka only contained 360 residents.

Despite the low population settled in Sitka, there remained a large Tlingit population. During the 1880s, there was increasing interest in the area by missionaries hoping to convert and educate the Native population of the area. Reverend Sheldon Jackson, a Presbyterian minister with experience along the northwest coast of the United States, arrived in Sitka in 1882 and established a missionary school in the abandoned Russian barracks. The Sheldon Jackson School grew quickly, aided by the transfer of students from Wrangell, Alaska following the burning of the school in that nearby town. An educational and trade school in addition to missionary activities, the school later became known as the Sheldon Jackson College and is currently listed as a National Historic Landmark. A museum founded by Jackson served to showcase disappearing artifacts of the Alaska Natives he taught. In addition to the Sheldon Jackson School, Sitka held two publically funded schools by 1888. The schools were racially segregated, with a school for white children located in the old Russian hospital on East Lincoln Street and a second school for Native children located near the entrance to the Native village near what is now Katlian Street. The timber and milling industry also began to take shape during this time, with the construction of the first sawmill by Sheldon Jackson in 1882, which burned in 1940. The presence of milled lumber in plentiful supply would lead to a small shipbuilding industry by 1900. From 1900 to 1960 more than 100 vessels larger than 32 feet in length were built in Sitka. At its peak, Sitka had eight boat shops, with many builders being of Native Alaskan decent. Many local fishermen built their own wooden boats, and local schools, such as the Sheldon Jackson School and the local BIA school, provided instruction on how to build wooden boats. Boat building began to dwindle during World War I; however, Sitka remained a boat-working center, with operations focusing more on repair than building.

During the early 1900s, there was an increased interest in tourism throughout Alaska. Viewed and billed as an adventure vacation, guidebooks began to appear that offered adventurous tourists advice on how to get to Alaska, where to visit, and what to see. Sitka features prominently in these guidebooks, as a port stop for steamers up from Seattle as well as a destination in itself. In 1910, one guide advertised nearly daily service to Southeast Alaska by ships from Seattle and Vancouver. The population of Sitka had grown to 1,175 residents by 1920, and by 1939 the number nearly topped 2,000. The community was largely self-sufficient yet still relied on a certain amount of tourism-generated income. Commercial business owners planned for expected summer tourism numbers. Commercial cruise lines were continuing to add to their schedules in response to interest right up until the outbreak of World War II. In 1940, the Sitka Sentinel reported that "this is another indication that the Territory will see this year's greatest tourist movement in history."

In 1937, with hostilities looming in the build up to World War II, the US government recognized the strategic position of Sitka for defense purposes. With a string of islands stretching across the northern Pacific almost to Asia, Alaska was in a unique position to offer refueling stations for naval air forces patrolling the North Pacific against potential Japanese or Russian aggression. The US Navy "designated its old reservation on Japonski Island as the Naval Seaplane Base, Sitka," reclassified in 1938 as a Fleet Air Base and in 1939 as a Naval Air Station. Between 1929 and 1939, the population of Sitka doubled, reaching almost 2,000 people. More than 1,700 workers found employment during the construction of

Japonski Island through the course of World War II. With the population explosion resulting from the establishment of the air base on Japonski Island, building construction became a leading industry for Sitka. Housing was in short supply and many outdated commercial buildings were in need of being replaced. Beginning in full force in 1940, more construction projects were undertaken within Sitka than ever before. The school-age population of Sitka continued to increase, as much as 50% in any given year, leading to pleas for federal aid in construction of a school with facilities capable of handling the rising number of students. Complete with beautiful landscape and historic background, Sitka prided itself on having a bright commercial future within the Southeast.

Following the bombing of Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 and the subsequent entrance of the US into World War II, Alaska was closed to all civilian activity. In March 1942, Major General Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr, then in charge of Army operations in Alaska, issued a proclamation that evacuated all dependents of armed services personnel and "restricted civilian travel and transportation to, from, and within Alaska." Despite these evacuations and the closing of all tourist activity to the territory, the population of Sitka remained high with the arrival of naval air troops at Japonski Island. The commercial district continued to thrive on the monetary support of the large population. Soldiers frequenting commercial establishments in Sitka would frequently spend nights in the US Post Office building on Lincoln Street if they had missed the last transport to the island base. In addition, the military officers often offered social opportunities to the residents of Sitka, hosting dances and gatherings.

Following the end of World War II and the lifting of travel restrictions to Alaska, tourists began to arrive, spurred on by new publicity brought about by the role Alaska played in national defenses during the war. Tourist industries flourished, and Sitka became a favorite tourist stop. Steam ship lines offered organized passenger service and tours of the town as well as other areas throughout Southeast Alaska. Lincoln Street, as the main commercial hub of Sitka, was again the center for new construction as businesses demanded upgrades to outdated buildings not previously replaced during the military period. It also served as a tourist draw in its own right, with the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel at one end and Castle Hill on the other. Lincoln Street, which even in Russian times extended further east than the cathedral, saw even greater construction along its eastern commercial route. The route was tightly bound by government and civil buildings on its west end, religious facilities on its east end, and the waterfront to the south. The businesses that thrived along this route included pharmacies, restaurants, clothing stores, and hotels. Some of the businesses left distinct marks on the street, such as the Harry Race Pharmacy, which gave its name to the Harry Race Building at the west end of the street, the Sitka Hotel, which has been a landmark since its opening in March of 1940, and the Ben Franklin Store, which has survived over the intervening decades. Two hotels, the Sitka Hotel and the Millmore Hotel, were located on Lincoln Street, although the latter fell to fire in 1942. There were also several bars, such as the Columbia Bar and the Silver Foam Cocktail Bar, and restaurants like the Anchorage Café and Arcade Café. There were several clothing stores, such as Connie's Dress Shop operated out of the Sitka Hotel during the 1940s and Holt's Mens Shop. Sears Roebuck and Company also had a store on Lincoln Street.

On January 2, 1966, a fire broke out on Lincoln Street that according to news articles destroyed 20% of the business district, including the Cathedral of Saint Michael the Archangel. A total of seventeen businesses were destroyed, in the area directly surrounding the cathedral on the east end of the main commercial area. Rebuilding began almost immediately, with relief funds coming first from religious organizations and later from commercial interests. It was during this rebuilding period that styles and massing of commercial buildings on Lincoln Street began to change, from modest and traditional one to three story buildings with flat roofing, large storefronts, parapets, and awnings to protect the storefronts from inclement weather to newer construction trending toward more modern materials, larger massing, and modern aesthetic styles.

Sitka continues to serve as a transportation hub in southeast Alaska, serving as a tourist port for cruise lines traveling from Seattle up through the Inside Passage. It has become largely dependent on tourism trade, with many shops and businesses along Lincoln Street closing their doors for the relatively sparse winter season. The summers in Sitka, however, see a continuity of the tourism tradition that stretches to well before World War II and brought money to build the commercial district of Lincoln Street.

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property

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Verbal Boundary Description (describe the boundaries of the property)

The boundary of the Sitka Historic Business District is shown as the dotted line on the accompanying map entitled "Sitka Historic Business District Map." Boundaries include the portion of Lincoln Street from its western terminus, east to its junction with Lake Street; it is bound on the east and west by civic and goernmental buildings, a resdiential neighborhood to the north, and the waterfront/marina area to the south.

Boundary Justification (explain why the boundaries were selected)

The boundaries selected for this historic district are based on building locations in relation to Lincoln Street (the long-term main commercial street in Sitka), the concentration of buildings from the period of significance, the visual continuity represented by these contributing buildings, and their unifed use. Buildings to the east and west do not represent the necessary uses or contributing features to be included in a historic commercial district, and those to the north and south do not front onto Lincoln Street.

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Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

• Maps: A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A **Sketch map** for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources. Key all photographs to this map.

- Continuation Sheets
- Additional items: (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Photographs:

Submit clear and descriptive black and white photographs. The size of each image must be 1600x1200 pixels at 300 ppi (pixels per inch) or larger. Key all photographs to the sketch map.

Name of Property: Sitka Historic Business District (AHRS# SIT-00988)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/14/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: Sitka from the water, sound area (P1090960)

1 of 40.

Name of Property: Sitka Historic Business District (AHRS# SIT-00988)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape of west Lincoln Street commercial district, view to the east-

northeast (P1100107)

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Name of Property: Sitka Historic Business District (AHRS# SIT-00988)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view west (P1100117)

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Name of Property: Sitka Historic Business District (AHRS# SIT-00988)

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Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view east (IMG_3458)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view to west (IMG_3472)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view to east (IMG_3521)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view to west (IMG_3547)

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Description of Photograph(s) and number: Streetscape view west from the Cathedral of St. Michael the Archangel

(IMG_3583)

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County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: Map of the Sitka Historic Business District, SIT-00988 (Sitka Historic

Business District Map)

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Name of Property: 2 Lincoln Street, Cable House and Station (AHRS# SIT-212)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of the Sitka Cable House and Station (#1) (P1100092)

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Name of Property: 100 Lincoln Street, Sitka Post Office and Court House (AHRS# SIT-313)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of the Sitka Post Office and Court House (#2) (P1100099)

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Name of Property: 101 Lincoln Street, Castle Hill (AHRS# SIT-2)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of Castle Hill (#3) (IMG_3656)

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Name of Property: 106 Lincoln Street, Harry Race Buildling (SIT-00965)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 106 Lincoln Street (#4) (P1100122)

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Name of Property: 108 Lincoln Street, Fur Gallery (SIT-00966)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 108 Lincoln Street (#5) (P1100126)

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Name of Property: 118 Lincoln Street, Sitka Hotel (SIT-00967)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 118 Lincoln Street, Sitka Hotel (#6) (P1100136)

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Name of Property: 124 Lincoln Street, Brenner's (SIT-00968)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 124 Lincoln Street (#7) (P1100142)

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Name of Property: 130 Lincoln Street, Ernie's (SIT-00969)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

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Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 130 Lincoln Street (#8) (P1100150)

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Name of Property: 132 Lincoln Street, Random House(SIT-00970)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 132 Lincoln Street (#9) (P1100156)

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Name of Property: 200 Lincoln Street, The Cellar (SIT-00971)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 200 Lincoln Street (#10) (IMG_3449)

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Name of Property: 206 Lincoln Street, Russian American Company Building 29 (SIT-00013)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 206 Lincoln Street, Russian American Company Building 29 (#11)

(IMG_3471)

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Name of Property: 208 Lincoln Street, Russell's (SIT-00972)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 208 Lincoln Street (#12) (IMG_3473)

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Name of Property: 214 Lincoln Street, Ben Franklin Building (SIT-00973)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 214 Lincoln Street (#13) (IMG_3479)

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Name of Property: 224 Lincoln Street, Sitka Lutheran Church (SIT-00004)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 224 Lincoln Street (#14) (IMG_3484)

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Name of Property: 236 Lincoln Street, Franklin Buliding (SIT-00974)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 236 Lincoln Street (#15) (IMG_3491)

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Name of Property: 322 Lincoln Street (SIT-00975)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 322 Lincoln Street (#16) (IMG_3517)

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Name of Property: 328 Lincoln Street, Columbia Bar (SIT-00976)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 328 Lincoln Street (#17) (IMG_3526)

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Name of Property: 329 Lincoln Street, Troutte Center (SIT-00977)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy RamirezDate Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 329 Lincoln Street (#18) (IMG_3530)

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Name of Property: 334 Lincoln Street, US Post Office (SIT-00978)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 329 Lincoln Street (#19) (IMG_3539)

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Name of Property: 197 Katlian Avenue, Totem Square (SIT-00046)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 197 Katlian Avenue (#20) (P1100100)

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Name of Property: 120 Katlian Avenue, Pioneers Home (SIT-00097)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 120 Katlian Avenue (#21) (P1100113)

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Name of Property: 201 Lincoln Street, Old Harbor Books and Coffee (SIT-00979)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 120 Katlian Avenue (#22) (IMG_3549)

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Name of Property: 203 Lincoln Street, Sitka Outlet Store (SIT-00980)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 120 Katlian Avenue (#23) (IMG_3557)

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Name of Property: 209 Lincoln Street, Homeport Eatery (SIT-00981)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 209 Lincoln Street (#24) (IMG_3567)

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Name of Property: 215 Lincoln Street, Sitka Bazaar (SIT-00982)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 209 Lincoln Street, Sitka Bazaar (#25) (IMG_3572)

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Name of Property: 221 Lincoln Street, St. Michael's Store (SIT-00982)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 221 Lincoln Street (#26) (IMG_3578)

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Name of Property: 237 Lincoln Street, Cathedral Arms Apartments (SIT-00982)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 237 Lincoln Street (#27) (IMG_3601)

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Name of Property: 239 Lincoln Street, St. Michael's Cathedral (SIT-00010)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 239 Lincoln Street (#28) (IMG_3587)

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Name of Property: 321 Lincoln Street, Service Transfer Building (SIT-00985)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 321 Lincoln Street (#29) (IMG_3622)

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Name of Property: 331 Lincoln Street, Coliseum Theater (SIT-00986)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 331 Lincoln Street (#30) (IMG_3629)

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Name of Property: 331 Lincoln Street, Moose Lodge (SIT-00987)

City or Vicinity: Sitka

County: Sitka State: Alaska

Photographer: Amy Ramirez

Date Photographed: 1/15/14

Description of Photograph(s) and number: View of 337 Lincoln Street (#31) (IMG 3638)

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