Jasper National Park Maligne Lake Chalet Jasper, Alberta

HERITAGE CHARACTER STATEMENT

The Maligne Lake Chalet was constructed in 1927 by Fred Brewster to provide accommodation for recreational trail riding in the area. A verandah and fireplace were added in 1935. The building was closed in 1976. Environment Canada is custodian of the building. <u>See</u> FHBRO Building Report 87-15.

Reason for Designation

The building was designated Recognized because of its historical associations with the recreational development of Jasper National Park. The chalet is a well executed rustic, picturesque design that is effectively integrated into its setting.

Character Defining Elements

The heritage value of the property resides in its low form, characterized by its horizontal logs, low walls, the verandah and the hipped roof with its deep soffits.

Maintenance, repair, and alterations should respect the existing vocabulary of materials and construction details, peeled saddle-notched logs, vertical boarding, and split fieldstone.

Future development on this site should be of similar scale and massing and respect the open, natural character of the site.

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