



FOREST FIRE LOOKOUT ASSOCIATION, INC.

Office of the Archivist

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2021 Annual Report

Purpose of the position

The Archivist will be responsible to receive, catalog, and file all pertinent data provided or obtained, relative to forest fire lookouts, past or present. Such material will be maintained in such a manner as to provide reasonable access on the call of members in good standing.

The Office of Archivist/Historian was transitioned in 2021 from Chad Kinzel to Brad Eells. The Position Description was updated at that time. No assets were received from the previous Archivist though some digital items are inbound in early 2022.

The FFLA National Research Project was rolled into duties under the Archivist/Historian's Office in 2021. The project is designed to provide an accelerated effort to enter all remaining lookout structures in the National Historic Lookout Register (NHLR) as a priority and the Former Fire Lookout Sites registry (FFLOS) as a secondary, historic documentation effort. This effort will continue into 2022 and beyond.

The Archivist now has access to update listings on the NHLR and FFLOS in all 50 states.

2021 Accomplishments:

- 45 lookouts added to the NHLR from 11 states
- 18 lookouts added to the FFLOS from 9 states

2022 Plans:

- The Office of Archivist will be transitioned to a new officer in 2022 to fulfill the remainder of the elected term.

Conclusion:

The efforts of the Office should be expanded to understand and use the digital resources of the of corporation to provide a consistent and accessible photo and document archive.

Respectfully submitted,

Brad Eells,
FFLA Archivist/Historian 2021

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NHLR entries – 2021

8-Jan-21	Trap Hills (Holiday Mountain) Lookout Tower	US 1416, MI 6
8-Jan-21	Lowndes County Fire Tower	US 1474, GA 28
8-Jan-21	Helena Fire Tower	US 1475, MT 69
8-Jan-21	Eden Bench Crows Nest Lookout	US 1476, OR 129
8-Jan-21	Firetower Road Tower	US 1477, SC 35
8-Jan-21	Wilmar Fire Tower	US 1478, NC 28
8-Jan-21	Cohutta Mountain Fire Tower	US 1479, GA 29

8-Jan-21	Kabetogama Lookout	US 1480, MN 15
8-Jan-21	Elephant Lake Lookout	US 1481, MN 16
8-Jan-21	Loman Fire Tower	US 1482, MN 17
8-Jan-21	Birchdale Lookout	US 1483, MN 18
8-Jan-21	Bois Forte Lookout	US 1484, MN 19
8-Jan-21	Heritage Lookout	US 1485, MN 20
8-Jan-21	Gheen Hill Lookout	US 1486, MN 21
8-Jan-21	Vermillion Dam Lookout	US 1487, MN 22
8-Jan-21	Mount Gilboa Lookout	US 1488, KY 12
8-Jan-21	The Meadows Fire Tower	US 1489, VA 43
8-Jan-21	Fatama Lookout Tower	US 1490, AL 75
8-Jan-21	Wallace Fire Tower	US 1491, AL 76
9-Jan-21	Cooney Lookout	US 1492, MT 70
9-Jan-21	Little Napa Point Lookout	US 1493, MT 71
9-Jan-21	Holland Ridge Lookout	US 1494, MT 72
9-Jan-21	Spotted Bear Mountain Lookout	US 1495, MT 73
9-Jan-21	Mud Lake Lookout	US 1496, MT 74
9-Jan-21	Jumbo Mountain Lookout	US 1497, MT 75
9-Jan-21	Coal Ridge (Moran) Lookout Cabin	US 1498, MT 76
9-Jan-21	Cyclone Peak Lookout	US 1499, MT 77
9-Jan-21	Werner Peak Lookout	US 1500, MT 78
9-Jan-21	Stahl Peak Lookout	US 1501, MT 79
9-Jan-21	Mount Marston Lookout	US 1502, MT 80
9-Jan-21	Black Butte Lookout	US 1503, MT 81
9-Jan-21	Elk Mountain Lookout	US 1504, MT 82
9-Jan-21	Davis Mountain Lookout	US 1505, MT 83
9-Jan-21	Warland Peak Lookout	US 1506, MT 84
9-Jan-21	Calx Mountain Lookout	US 1507, MT 85
9-Jan-21	Swede Mountain Lookout	US 1508, MT 86
9-Jan-21	Quartz Peak Lookout	US 1509, MT 87
9-Jan-21	Lost Horse Lookout	US 1510, MT 88
9-Jan-21	Webb Mountain Lookout	US 1511, MT 89
9-Jan-21	Baldy Mountain Lookout	US 1512, MT 90
28-Feb-21	Snake River Lookout	US 1513, WY 16
28-Feb-21	Observation Peak Lookout	US 1514, WY 17
1-Mar-21	Pelican Cone Lookout	US 1515, WY 18
4-Oct-21	Tamarack Mountain Lookout	US 1516, OR 130
7-Oct-21	Milk Ranch Peak Lookout	US 1517, CA 227

FFLOS entries – 2021

7-Jan-21	East Mountain Lookout Site	US 2056, ID 26
8-Jan-21	Green Butte Lookout Site (Lake County)	US 2057, OR 570
8-Jan-21	Bloom Peak Lookout Site	US 2058, MT 9

8-Jan-21	Pumice Springs Lookout Site	US 2059, OR 571
8-Jan-21	Bald Knob Lookout Site (Union County)	US 2061, IL 1
8-Jan-21	Orvin Lookout Site	US 2062, AL 31
8-Jan-21	Olallie Mountain Lookout Site	US 2063, OR 572
8-Jan-21	Simmons Mountain Tower Site	US 2064, VA 45
8-Jan-21	Bald Knob Lookout Site (Hardin County)	US 2065, IL 2
9-Jan-21	Round Top Lookout Site	US 2066, CA 162
15-Jan-21	Crane Ridge Lookout Site	US 2067, CA 163
22-Feb-21	Cedar Mountain Lookout Site	US 2068, WA 506
28-Feb-21	Striped Peak Lookout Site	US 2069, ID 27
12-Aug-21	High Point Lookout Site	US 2070, ID 28
3-Oct-21	Milk Ranch Peak Lookout	US 2071, CA 164
3-Oct-21	Ash Peak Lookout Site	US 2072, CA 165
3-Oct-21	Mitchell Peak Lookout Site	US 2074, CA 167
3-Oct-21	Paradise Peak Lookout Site	US 2075, CA 168