

AHS NUMBER

IDITAROD NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL

SITE RECORD

REFERENCE NO.

210E

SITE NAME

Puntilla's Cabin

LOCATION

16 miles from Happy River
~~Exact location not plotted~~
 on Squaw Creek 14 miles from Rainy Pass

USGS MAP QUAD

Talkeetna A-6

OTHER NAMES

Pontella Cabin (CADWALLANDER)

LATITUDE

LONGITUDE

REFERENCES

CADWALLANDER (1917)

1922 ARC Annual Report II ps 40

1968 - Goodwin

LEGAL

DESCRIPTION

TWP

RNG

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LAND STATUS / ADMINISTRATION

HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE

Assumed to be Goodwin's reference to Roadhouse 15 miles from Happy River. ¹⁹²² ARC reports telephone line installed from Pontella's Cabin near town line to on the south slope of Rainy Pass to Anderson's Roadhouse near the Summit a distance of some 12 miles over a barren wind swept and dangerous ridge. The Pontella cabin and the Richardson Roadhouse were repaired for use as shelter cabins.

SITE IDENTIFICATION / CONDITION / INTEGRITY

- Trains on Squaw Creek approximately 1½ miles southeast of Puntilla Lake.

located at timberline

MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

PROJECT OFFICE INSPECTIONS

DATE BY PURPOSE