



64-007 Holst Cabin

Beech Forest Road

Patuxent Research Refuge

Laurel

(General Services Administration)

This cabin was constructed as a summer retreat for Washington, D. C., residents William and Ione Holst in 1933. Designed in the Adirondack camp/cabin style, it is a rare early-twentieth-century example of its type in the county. The cabin is of whole log construction chinked with white mortar. Sold to the United States Government in 1936 as part of the Patuxent Research Refuge, the cabin for many years housed federal employees and served as office, meeting, and storage space.