

85B-007 Cedarville Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) Cottages Cedarville State Forest Road Cedarville

Constructed in the early 1940s, the modest vernacular utilitarian buildings are significant for their association with the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC). The CCC was established in 1933 by the United States Congress as part of Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal. The CCC created work for single unemployed men in the fields of land conservation and wildlife protection. Forests of white pines were planted in Cedarville in the mid-1930s. This form and style of structure was built by the CCC in parks and forests throughout the western United States. The wood frame structures were generally used as lodging for park personnel and storage facilities.