

Statewide Survey of Historic Properties

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Site No. 1455.06 Status U Revisit

Quadrangle Name: Enoree

Tax Map No. 4-55-00-076.00

SURVEY FORM

Identification

Historic Name: Mining Pond #1

Common Name:

Address/Location: 0.3-mi E of Old Rock Quarry Road, approx. 0.5-mi N of intersection with Charles Street

City: Enoree ✓ Vicinity of County: Spartanburg

Ownership: Private Category: Site Other:

Historical Use: Industry

Current Use: Vacant/Not in use

SHPO National Register
Determination of Eligibility: Not Eligible

Property Description

Other:

Construction Date: circa 1970

Construction:

Historic Core Shape: Irregular

Exterior Walls:

Other:

Foundation:

Commercial Form:

Roof Shape:

Other:

Roof Material:

Stories:

Porch Shape:

Other:

Porch Width:

Description/Significant Features:

A pond that measures roughly 200 feet east/west by 125 feet north/south.

Alterations (include date(s), if known):

Architect(s)/Builder(s):

Unknown

Historical Information

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Since vermiculite mining is typically conducted using surface mining techniques, that strip layers of ore from the ground surface, deep deposits may have created large void spaces that were allowed to be inundated with water when the mining activities there were exhausted.

Mining activities are visible in this location in the 1961, 1964, and 1966 aerial photographs, but the pond first appears on the 1976 aerial photograph

Source(s) of Information:

Aerial photographs

Digital Photo ID(s)

File Name:

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View:

Facing East

Facing Southeast

Facing Southeast

Facing North

Facing Southeast

Other:

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