

Address: 1099 Wolfkin Lake Road

Legal Description: Part Lot 9, Concession 13, Ridout

Original Owner: George William Loxton

Year Built: 1890's by Mr. Loxton

Architectural Styles: Log Cabin with Board and Batten



Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest:

This log cabin was built in the late 1890's out of materials harvested and sourced from the property exhibiting cultural heritage value as an example of the early style vernacular plank architecture that was indigenous to this specific area and time period.

Representative of associative value the land was timbered through the early part of the 20th century supplying a large quantity of cord wood for the many fireplaces at the Bigwin Inn, a historical landmark on the Lake of Bays.

The Dukoff log cabin displays contextual value as it offers a glimpse into the lives of the early settlers, and is characteristic of the development in the Muskoka and Haliburton area and represents the foundation of the economy, culture, and land use patterns.



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