

U.S. Naval Base, Pearl Harbor, Fire Station
(U.S. Naval Base, Pearl Harbor, Naval Submarine Base)
(Building No. 680)
Nimitz Street between Moore and Morton Streets
Pearl Harbor
Honolulu County
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HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDING SURVEY

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HABS No. HI-185

Location:

Naval Submarine Base at Nimitz Street between Moore and Morton Streets, within the peninsula between Quarry Loch and Magazine Loch.
Pearl Harbor, City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii

USGS Pearl Harbor Quadrangle, Hawaii
7.5 minutes series (orthophotoquad)
Universal Transverse Mercator coordinates
4.609420.2362160 (Scale 1:24,000)

Significance:

The Naval Base at Pearl Harbor was designated as a National Historic Landmark in 1964, due to the crucial role it played in the Nation's defense during the twentieth century and the calamitous events which occurred on December 7, 1941. As a Category 3 facility, it has been determined that Building No. 680 functioned as part of the Pearl Harbor Naval Base, and is only of minor importance to the historic character of the National Historic Landmark.

Description:

Building 680 is a two-story masonry structure with built-up roofing on concrete roof slab. The building is 63 feet wide, 118 feet long and 62 feet high (Hose Tower) with a total floor area of approximately 6,748 square feet.

History:

Building 680 was constructed in 1942 for use as a Fire Station containing offices, repair shop and fire engine garage at the first floor and a dormitory at the second floor. During 1966 to 1967, the south wing was expanded, and an alteration project in 1982 converted the existing office, repair shop and Chief's car garage to a recreation room, kitchen, Captain's quarters, and game room.

Sources:

Pacific Division Drawing Nos. 165345 (02/07/42), 165346 (05/12/43), 7031885 (11/03/82), and 7031886 (11/03/82).
Public Work Center Pearl Drawing Nos. 1104362 (07/66), 1311447 (03/29/72) and 1311466 (03/29/72).
NAVFAC P-164, Detailed Inventory of Naval Shore Facilities.

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