

WENDOVER AIR FORCE BASE, BOMB TRAINING BUILDING HABS NO. UT-125-W
(Fire Station)(Building No. 1800)
South of Interstate 80
Wendover
Tooele County
Utah

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The original 5074 square foot building was built in the 1943 expansion of facilities adjacent to the anchorage apron. The type of construction is "Semi-Permanent," "Mobilization," "BTB-1" and was built from plan 800-623, by H & D for \$7200.00.

In 1951, 1458 square feet were added to the building. It then housed the five departments who were part of the skeleton crew which occupied the base between 1950 and 1954. The second of the north side was used as sleeping quarters by firemen. The fire station use was continued into recent times, accounting for the maintained, good physical condition of the building. The building has also been used as a city hall in recent years.

Building 1800 has a rectangular plan measuring 61 feet-2 inches by 80 feet-3 inches. On the east side of the northeast corner of the two-story building is a one-story, shed-roofed offset measuring 10 feet by 20 feet-6 inches. The main building has a reinforced concrete slab foundation, wood frame walls clad in horizontal wood siding, and a gable roof with a louvered ventilator monitor along the ridge. The roofing is of the asphalt roll type. The broadside of the building faces south, toward the apron, with five tall garage doors. The east and west walls feature two ranks of 16-pane, square window bays, plus two main-doors per side. Along the north wall is a 2-story metal frame tower supporting microwave

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transmission equipment. On the ridge of the roof is a metal platform and siren or horn.

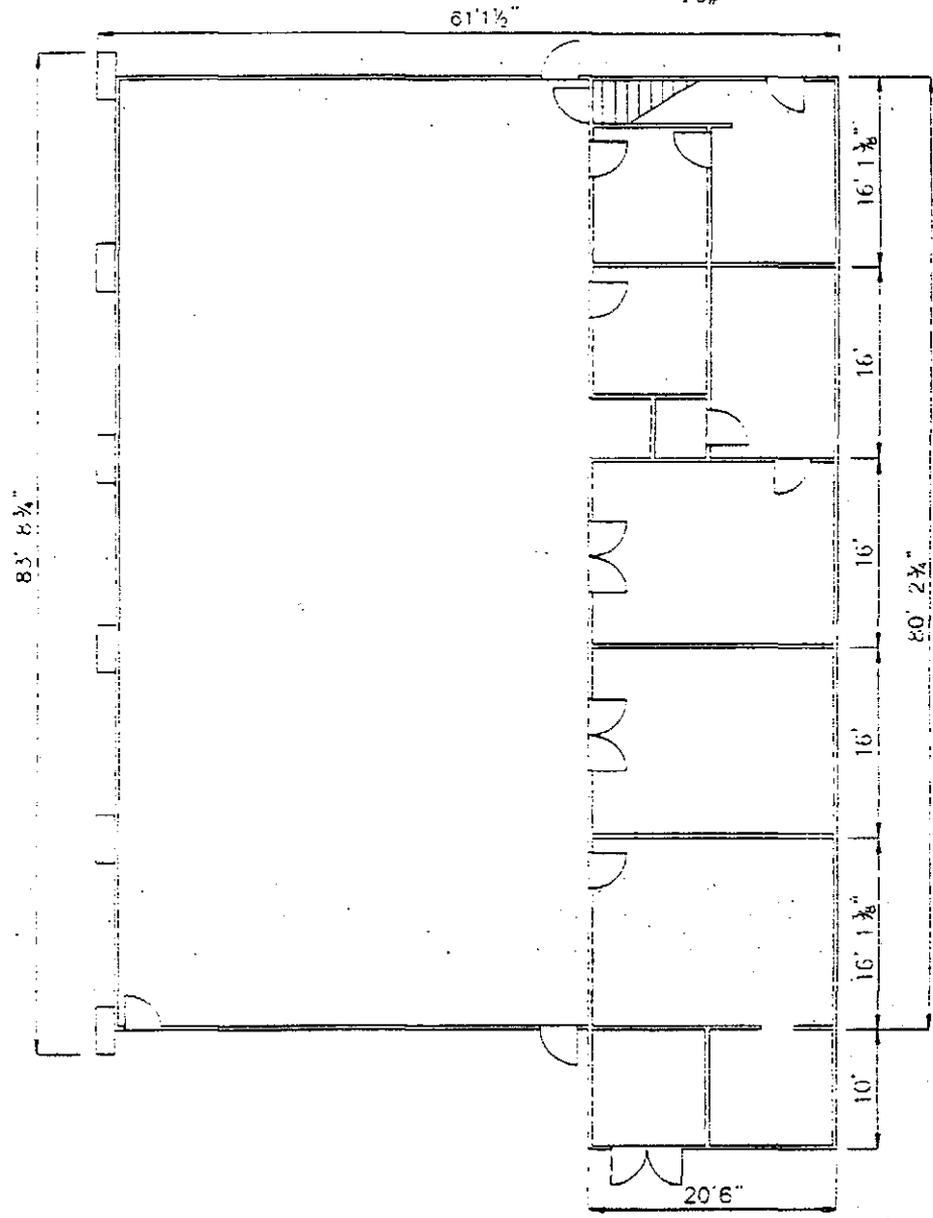
The building's interior, on the main level, consists of a large space for fire and emergency (crash) vehicles. Across the north end are nine office-sized rooms, plus a stairway to the firemen's quarters on the second floor.

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BUILDING SKETCH PLAN	WENDOVER AIR FORCE BASE WENDOVER, UTAH	
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