

COOSADA INDIAN VILLAGE
Jk. Co. Site #33
Sec. 16, T5S, R6E

7 Box 6
ITEM 32

TARCOG HISTORICAL SURVEY
Final Report Form

Make your answers as concise as possible.

Number as appears on your county map 33

1. Name of site or structure Coosada Indian Village

2. Location of site or structure (including township, range and section number, and which quadrant of section if known) on Goosepond Complex, off hwy 79 just below Goosepond Cross Roads. Was later called "Larkin's Landing."

3. Description this was a site on the water. It is not known if any visible evidence still here. It is doubtful.

4. Historical significance of site or structure if known was very early Indian village in this area having been occupied by both Muscogee and Cherokee. was thought to have been visited by DeSoto.

Names:

Coosada Indian
Village

DeSoto,

TARCOG Historical
Survey

Places:

Jackson County, AL

Types:

survey

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ARCHITECTURAL--HISTORICAL NOTES
FIELD SURVEYOR
RECORDING FORM

County: JACKSON

Field Surveyors' Names: Forbes
Sorrells

Historical Notes Number: 33
(Red Ink)

Photograph Record Number: Not photographed
(Blue Ink)

1. Name: COOSADA INDIAN VILLAGE (known later as Larkin's Landing)

2. Location: On Goosepond Island, now part of Goosepond Complex

3. Owner of Property: Goosepond Complex Recreational Park

4. Geographical Data:

5. Acreage: unknown

6. Classification: site

7. Integrity: unknown

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8. Condition: good

9. Present Use: part of a recreational facility

10. Areas of Significance: established about 1784 by the Coste, Accote or Costche of DeSoto's chroniclers whose principle village was upon what is now Pine Island in Guntersville Lake in Marshall Co., Ala. The old Larkin's Landing Post Office was also located here. From this village to the point where Guntersville now stands there was an Indian trail running the same general course presently followed by a public road. This trail constituted the first mail route established in what later became Marshall Co. and cont'd until 1837. (INDIAN TRIBES IN NORTH AMERICA, Bureau of American Ethnology, p.158 (sent to O. Sumner by Indian Bureau of

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Area not accessible due to rains and flood conditions.

12. Sketches of structure or site when applicable:

Date of Completion: 2/17/74

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Names:

DeSoto,

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McKinstry

Richardson,
Smith, Larry Joe

Street, O. D.

Types:

survey

Dates:

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HISTORICAL SURVEY PHOTOGRAPH RECORD

County: Jackson

Field Surveyors' Names: Forbes

I. Information on Photograph

Photographer: Sorrells

Date of Photograph: 2/17/74 View Description: _____

Roll Number: _____ - Site not photographed -

Exposure Number: _____ Inaccessible due to rains

II. Information on Site

Place Number on Map (Blue Ink): 33
(Copied from number used in recording it on appropriate County Highway Map)

Historical Notes Number (Red Ink): 33
(If there is a historical notes form filled in for this place, write it in the photograph number in the upper right-hand corner of this form in space provided).

Location (Word Description): Goose pond Complex on Gunterville highway 79.

Owner or Occupant: Unknown
(Name, if known)

Address: _____

TYPE of Structure: () House () Outbuilding () Commercial
(where appropriate, () Barn () Industrial (X) Other, describe
check one or more) site

Apparent period of construction: () Federal
Unknown () Greek Revival
() Mid-19th Century
() Latter 19th Century
() Early 20th Century

Apparent period of Additions: () Federal
(if appropriate) () Greek Revival
() Mid-19th Century
() Latter 19th Century
() Early 20th Century
(X) Later 20th Century (modern)

III. Remarks and Sketches if appropriate: _____

Date of completion: 2/17/74 Form HS-2

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