

Weather Station/Climate Station Site Survey Form

Site Name: MOHONK LAKE, NY

NASA GISS or USHCN Site Numerical ID: USHCN 305426

Site Physical Address:

MOUNTAIN HOTEL ON LAKE 4 MILES WNW OF PO AT NEW PALTZ NY

Site Curator/Organization: PAUL C. HUTH

(note if on private property, leave blank)

Date and time of survey: 1/4/09, 12:30 PM, 1/5/09: 10:30 AM

Name of person doing the site survey: Evan Jones

Surveyor contact email or phone number: 917-351-0580, evanmj [at] Verizon [dot] net

Reported Coordinates and Elevation of site: 41.76806, -74.15500, 1245 ft.

Measured GPS Coordinates of site: 41.76809, -74.15502 (using Yahoo Maps)

Measured Elevation: 1258 ft. (GE)

Evidence of shelter repainted? (appears to be freshly painted)

Height of shelter above local surface: 29 in.

Google Earth Link: (use your GPS lat/long coordinates in the Google Map Search to make a link, paste URL here):

<http://maps.google.com/maps?f=q&hl=en&geocode=&q=41.76809,+74.15502&sll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=22.292635,32.255859&ie=UTF8&ll=41.768175,-74.154968&spn=0.020421,0.0315&t=h&z=14>

Site description and known history:

Rural, dark/0, hilly, COOL FOR./FIELD, MMTS installed 1991 but not on site.

Curator notes: Curator confirmed there is no electronic temperature equipment on site nor at research station; confirmed that data is collected only from CRS.

Site surveyor notes:

All measurements made on site. CRS 5.8 m. from building to South, 0.2 m. from very large stump (see photo) to West, 2.1 m from large tree to South, 11 m. from black paved path to West, c. 28 m. from black road to North.

CRS situated on gravel base (with some dead vegetation). Oleander bushes prevalent in area (see photos). CRS on sloping ground, non-regulation log base, only 29 in. above surface (measured mid-slope).

Hotel staff courteous, cooperative, helpful; allowed photography in restricted areas. One hotel worker (aside from Mr. Huth) said if there ever was any electronic device on site, it was not there any more.