

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

80004/96Wca-1166

1. Historic Name (s) Richardsville Rd. Bridge

Original Owner \_\_\_\_\_  
Present Name \_\_\_\_\_

3. Owner's Name Iron Bridge (over Barren River)  
Warren County

4. Owner's Address 10 Judge Basil Griffin - Warren Co. Courthouse

5. Location Barren R. / Ironwood Rd / Old Richardsville Rd.

6. Open to Public  Yes  No

7. Visible from road  Yes  No

8. Ownership  Private  Local  State  Federal

9. Local Contact/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

22. ADD/County = Barren

23. Zoning Classification  
Magisterial District 15

24. U.S.G. S. Quadrant (15'/75')  
Bowling Green North

25. UTM Reference  
Zone 116 Easting 514911410 Northing 41091711010

26. Prehistoric Site  
Historic Site  Building  Object  Structure

27. District Yes  No

28. Significance Evaluation NR

10. Site Plan with North Arrow

11. Architect \_\_\_\_\_

12. Builder \_\_\_\_\_

13. Date early 20th c.

14. Style bowstring

15. Original Use highway bridge

16. Present Use highway bridge

17. Condition    
Interior \_\_\_\_\_ Exterior good

29. Status \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

National Landmark

National Register

Landmark Certificate

Kentucky Survey

Local Landmark

HABS/HAER

30. Theme Engineering  
Primary metal truss bridges  
Secondary transportation  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

31. Endangered Yes  No

18. Description triple span bowstring arch-truss with a light through truss added to the center of each span

less than 1 acre - entire bridge included



19. History \_\_\_\_\_

Roll No. 36

Picture No. \_\_\_\_\_

Direction \_\_\_\_\_

20. Significance particularly clear illustration of an unusual structural technique.

33. Tape No. \_\_\_\_\_ Negative No. \_\_\_\_\_

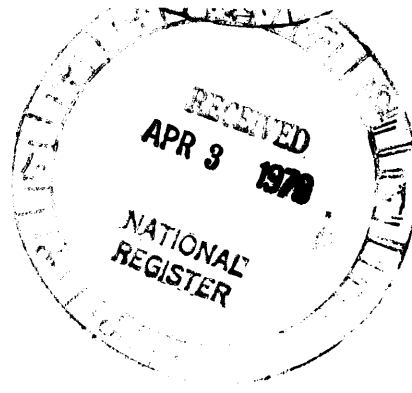
34. Prepared by: KTG - JCH

35. Organization KHC

36. Date Spring 1978

21. Source of Information \_\_\_\_\_

37. Revision Dates \_\_\_\_\_ 38. Staff Review \_\_\_\_\_



## Engineering and Transportation:

166. Consisting of a truss type that is highly unusual in Kentucky, this metal truss bridge spans the Barren River at the Old Richardsville Road, formerly one of the principal access routes to the northwestern section of the county.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

**NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES  
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Warren County Multiple Resource Area  
Warren County, Kentucky

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ADDENDUM

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The Old Richardsville Road Bridge is the only bridge of its truss type remaining in the county and probably one of very few in the state. It is one of nine metal truss bridges surviving in the county.