## Replace Damaged Bench Slats with Composite Material Chancellorsville Visitor Center



Entrance to the Chancellorsville Visitor Center showing four of the six benches.



The two benches outside the main entrance and under the porch overhang show extensive carpenter bee/woodpecker damage on multiple wooden slats.



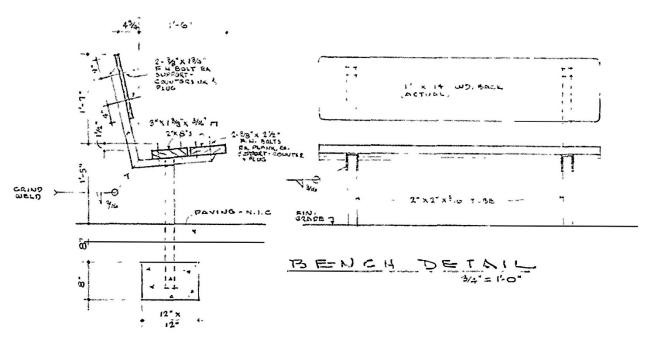
A close-up of the damage.



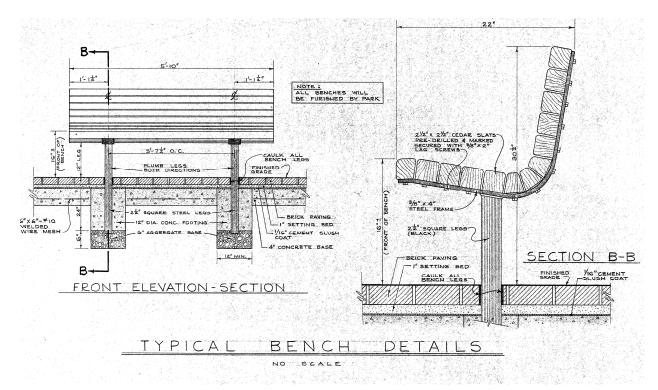
A stand-alone bench near the basement stairs also showing extensive damage.



The north elevation of the Chancellorsville Visitor Center showing three original benches located under the porch overhang, circa 1963. One of the benches was later removed – date unknown – and only two remain at this location today (although of a different design).



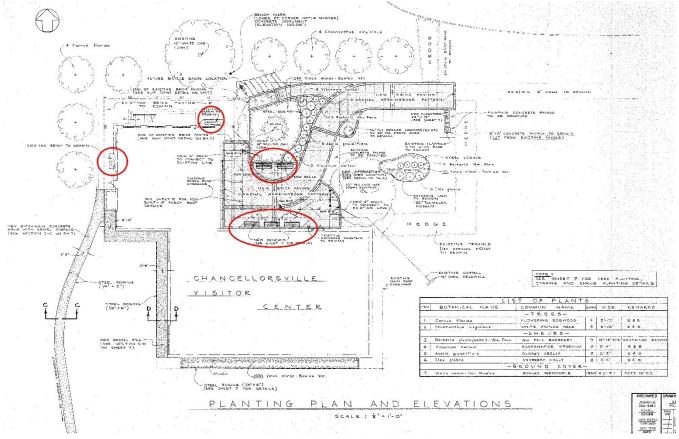
Original bench design from the 1961 construction plans.



Detail from the 1979 visitor center brick plaza project showing a revised bench design using 2.5" x 2.5" wooden slats. The existing benches continue to utilize this design today.



Installation of the brick plaza and new benches outside the entrance of the Visitor Center, 1979.



The 1979 planting plan for the Chancellorsville Visitor Center showing the location of seven exterior benches. One of the benches located under the porch overhang near the main entrance was later removed. Only six benches remain today.