

## Historic Bridge Available for Adaptive Reuse:



### **Horse Creek Bridge (X0186), Vernon County, Missouri**

Historic Bridge X0186 carrying Route B over Horse Creek in western Missouri will be available for adaptive reuse at a new location later this year. It is being offered to potential recipients who must agree to move the structure, preserve the bridge and features which make it historic, and assume all legal and financial responsibilities. If the bridge (or parts thereof) is transferred to another party, deed covenants may require the new owner to re-erect and maintain the bridge in accordance with established standards for historic bridges. **Description:** Built in 1947-48, it consists of a steel, rigid-connected, ten-panel, skewed Warren pony truss with a polygonal top chord; and two steel girder approach spans. The main span measures 110 feet, and the total length is 200 feet. It is supported on steel-reinforced concrete abutments, wingwalls, and dumbbell piers. The roadway width is 22 feet curb-to-curb. It is one of only eight remaining bridges of this type built in the state prior to 1951, and one of three that are also skewed. It is eligible for the National Register of Historic Places under NRHP Criterion C in the area of Engineering.

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