### Field Name | Explanation
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Structure_ID | Unique numerical identifier assigned to each structure in the database
Site_name | Archaeological site name
Site_number | Archaeological site number (often Smithsonian trinomial, but other designations also as used by original reporters of data)
State | Two letter abbreviation for state (U.S.) or province (Canada) where site is located
County | County and state (two letter abbreviation) where site is located; for sites in Canada, the county or regional municipality is used
Period | General archaeological period or cultural/historical unit:
• 01 PI (Paleoindian, ca. 11,500-9500 BC)
• 02 EA (Early Archaic, ca. 9500-6900 BC)
• 03 MA (Middle Archaic, ca. 6900-3800 BC)
• 04 LA (Late Archaic, ca. 3800-1200 BC)
• 05 EW (Early Woodland, ca. 1200-200 BC)
• 06 MW (Middle Woodland, ca. 200 BC – AD 500)
• 07 MW-LW (Middle Woodland – Late Woodland Transitional, ca. AD 500-650)
• 08 LW/LP (Late Woodland/ Late Prehistoric, ca. AD 650-contact [in some areas])
• 09 EM/Miss (Emergent Mississippian/ Mississippian)
• 10 FA (Fort Ancient)
• 11 PH/H (Proto-historic /historic)
Period_certainty | “?” indicates that attribution of time period was not certain
Structure | Identification number or description given by original reporter of data
Construction | General construction architectural of structure
Wall_form | Linear form of walls; “Mixed R/C” means structure had both rectilinear and curvilinear wall segments
Wall_form_certainty | “?” indicates that wall form was not certain
Closure | “Closed” structures appear to have enclosed a measurable floor area
Type | Specific kind of structure, if applicable (only two “types” used so far):
• Longhouse
• Keyhole
Dimension_1_m | Length in meters of one dimension of structure
Dimension_2_m | Length in meters of second dimension of structure
Area_square_m | Estimated floor area in square meters
Function | “D” indicates that structure appears to have had a residential/domestic function; “C/R” indicates that structure appears to have had a communal/ritual function
Reference | Bibliographic reference