



FLOOR PLAN  
Scale 1/8" = 1'-0"

*Picnic Shelter, Voorhees State Park, New Jersey*

The supporting posts and brackets of this shelter seem perfectly scaled to the mass, and recall something of the sturdy and workmanlike joinery of the early American barn, a fitting source of precedent and inspiration for a building in our natural parks. The horizontality produced by the three-member railing offsets the considerable pitch of a roof that otherwise might cause the structure to appear too high. The simple gable treatment and the broad approach steps are important contributions to the satisfying effect here created.