George Washington Bridge
Spanning Hudson River between
Manhattan and Fort Lee, N.J.
New York, New York
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GEORGE WASHINGTON BRIDGE NY-129

DATE:

1931

LOCATION:

Spanning Hudson River between Manhattan and

Fort Lee, New Jersey

DESIGNED BY:

Othmar Ammann

OWNER:

New York Department of Public Works

SPECIFICATIONS:

Single-span suspension bridge; span 3,500 feet between towers; deck trusses 29 feet deep and 120 feet wide; four cables 36 inches in diameter

SIGNIFICANCE:

At the time of its construction, the George

Washington Bridge was the longest span suspension

bridge in the world

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