

Maryland Historical Trust

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties number: AL-VI-A-329

Name: MD 636 OVER WASSICUM TUNN

The bridge referenced herein was inventoried by the Maryland State Highway Administration as part of the Historic Bridge Inventory, and SHA provided the Trust with eligibility determinations in February 2001. The Trust accepted the Historic Bridge Inventory on April 3, 2001. The bridge received the following determination of eligibility.

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Eligibility Recommended _____	Eligibility Not Recommended <u>X</u>
Criteria: <u>A</u> <u>B</u> <u>X</u> C <u>D</u>	Considerations: <u>A</u> <u>B</u> <u>C</u> <u>D</u> <u>E</u> <u>F</u> <u>G</u> <u>None</u>
Comments: _____	
Reviewer, OPS: <u>Anne E. Bruder</u>	Date: <u>3 April 2001</u>
Reviewer, NR Program: <u>Peter E. Kurtze</u>	Date: <u>3 April 2001</u>

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Metal Suspension

Metal Arch

Metal Cantilever

Concrete

Concrete Arch Concrete Slab Concrete Beam

Rigid Frame

Other Type Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Description:**

**Describe Setting:** Bridge 1072 (1017210) carries MD 636 over Warrior Run in Allegany County, Maryland. MD 636 runs generally north-south at this location; Warrior Run flows east-west. The bridge is located in a small town setting with early 20th century structures in view.

**Describe Superstructure and Substructure:** The superstructure is a single span steel beam bridge with a concrete deck and bituminous wearing surface, and W-beam guardrails. The span length and total bridge length is 24'. The substructure is reinforced concrete abutments and wing walls.

**Discuss Major Alterations:** There is no indication in the SHA bridge files that major alterations have ever been made to this structure. However, it is unlikely that there have been no repairs. It is possible that no major alterations have occurred, but it is highly probable that minor repairs such as cleaning, painting or filling in of cracks and spalled areas have occurred routinely. The files for this bridge are not complete, so there is no way of confirming these probabilities.

**History:**

**When Built:** 1936

**Why Built:** local transportation needs

**Who Built:** State Roads Commission

**Why Altered:** n/a

**Was this bridge built as part of an organized bridge building campaign:** yes

**Surveyor Analysis:**

**This bridge may have NR significance for association with:**

A Events Person

C Engineering/Architectural

**Was this bridge constructed in response to significant events in Maryland or local history:** no

**When the bridge was built and/or given a major alteration, did it have a significant impact on the growth and development of the area:**no

**Is the bridge located in an area which may be eligible for historic designation and would the bridge add to or detract from historic and visual character of the possible district:**no

**Is the bridge a significant example of its type:**no

**Does the bridge retain integrity of the important elements described in the Context Addendum:**Because no major alterations have been made to the structure it is likely that it retains its integrity.

**Is the bridge a significant example of the work of the manufacturer, designer, and/or engineer and why:**no

**Should this bridge be given further study before significance analysis is made and why:**Further study is not warranted for bridge 1072 (1017210). Even though it retains its integrity, it is not a significant example of its type.

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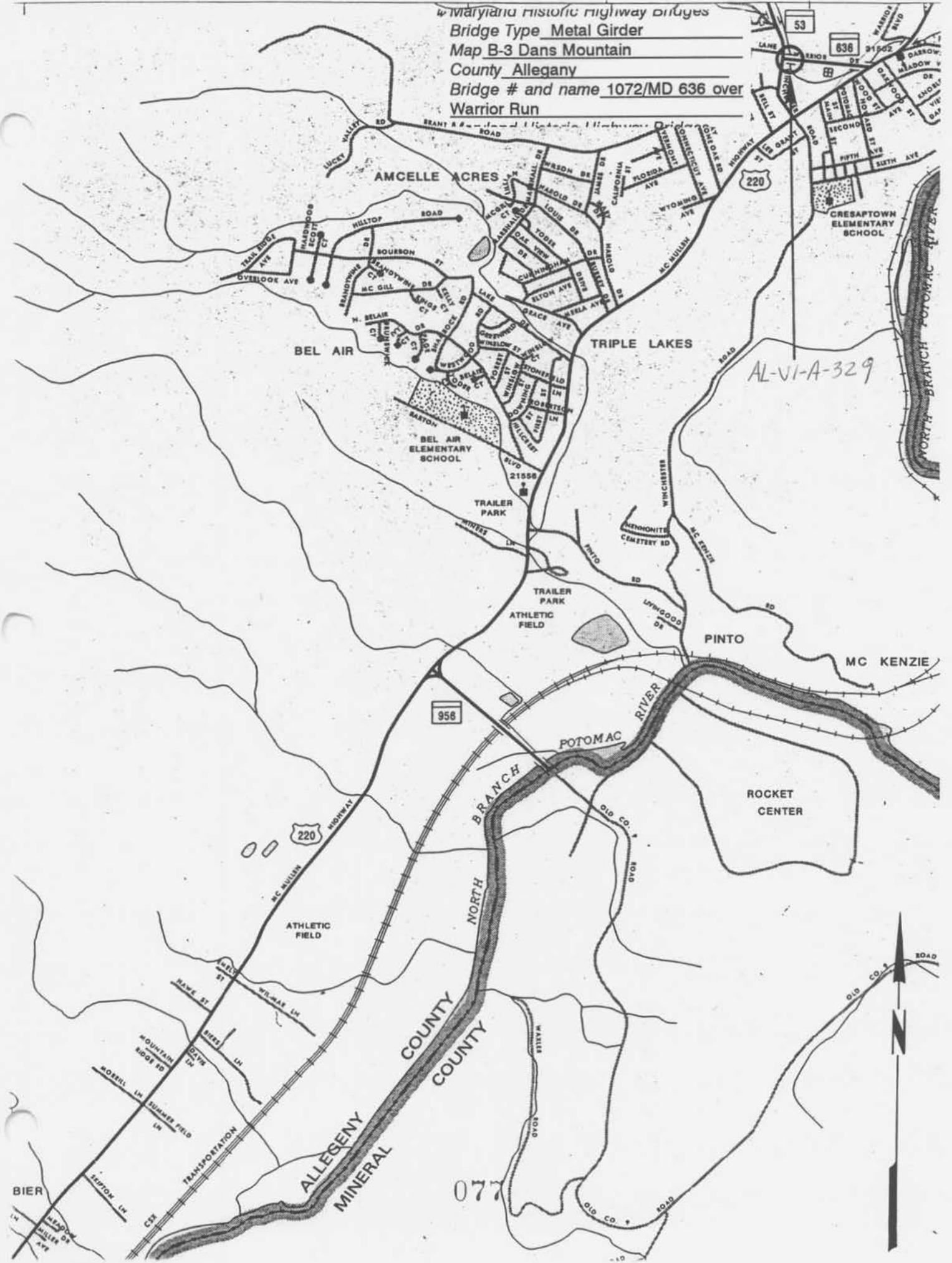
**Surveyor:**

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Warrior Run historic highway bridges  
Bridge Type Metal Girder  
Map B-3 Dans Mountain  
County Allegany  
Bridge # and name 1072/MD 636 over  
Warrior Run



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BR # 1017210 (1072)

WARRIOR RUN

ALLEGANY CO., MD

DAVID KING

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WEST ELEVATION

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WARRIOR RUN

ALLEGANY CO., MD

DAVID P KING

1/27/95

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EAST ELEVATION

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WARRIOR RUN

ALLEGANY CO, MD

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SOUTH ELEVATION (DOWNSTREAM)

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WARRIOR RUN  
ALLEGANY CO, MD

DAVID P. KING

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NORTH ELEVATION (UPSTREAM)

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