

# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic DAVIDSONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH PARSONAGE

and/or common

## 2. Location

street & number CENTRAL AVENUE  not for publication

city, town DAVIDSONVILLE  vicinity of congressional district

state MARYLAND ANNE ARUNDEL county

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input type="checkbox"/> commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> park
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	<input type="checkbox"/> educational	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private residence
<input type="checkbox"/> site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> religious
<input type="checkbox"/> object	<input type="checkbox"/> in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	<input type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> scientific
	<input type="checkbox"/> being considered	<input type="checkbox"/> yes: unrestricted	<input type="checkbox"/> industrial	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> no	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

## 4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name DAVIDSONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

street & number CENTRAL AVENUE telephone no.: 798-5511

city, town DAVIDSONVILLE MD state and zip code 21035

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTRY COURTHOUSE liber

street & number SOUTH STREET folio

city, town ANNAPOLIS state MD

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date  federal  state  county  local

pository for survey records

city, town state

# 7. Description

Survey No. AA-1003

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site	
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved	date of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed			

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

## EXTERIOR DESCRIPTION:

The Davidsonville United Methodist Church Parsonage is located on the south side of Central Avenue next to the Davidsonville United Methodist Church.

It is a two-and one-half story stucco structure with a parged brick foundation. A porch extends across the front of the house. The porch has a hipped roof supported by four Tuscan-style pillars and a wooden balustrade fence across the front and east side with wooden steps on the west side, providing access from the ground to the porch. The pyramid-shaped shingled roof has a pyramid-roofed dormer in the front section with triple nine-paned windows.

On the front of the house on the first floor is a triple window with six-over-one panes and a door to the east side having 15 panes. The second floor has two symmetrically spaced six-over-one windows.

The front third of the east side of the house has one six-over-one window on the first level with an identical window directly over it on the second floor. The center area of this side projects outward accommodating a ground-level door to the cellar. A six-over-one window between the floors apparently lights the staircase. This section of the house has a hipped roof which stops within one foot from the main roof soffit. The roof, overall, has a wide overhang. A pair of smaller six-over-one windows are to the rear of the first-floor level with a wooden stairway leading to the second story. This stairway appears to have been a later addition. There is a door at the top.

The rear elevation of the house has a shed-roofed extension across the entire back of the house, accommodating a covered porch to the right. The exterior right corner of the porch roof is supported by a small square post. There is a door to the house with a single pane over three horizontal panels. Centered in the remaining back portion of the first floor is a small six-over-one window to the left of the porch, followed by a pair of six-over-one windows.

A brick chimney protrudes through the porch roof and continues flush to the exterior wall of the second floor, exiting through the main roof. Abutting the chimney to the right is one window and two more to the left of center, all of the same size, having six-over-one panes.

The west side of the house, at the first floor rear, has a door with three horizontal lights over three horizontal panels. There is a shallow bay with three windows on the first level, the center window with eight-over-one panes, the two side windows with six-over panes. The second story of the bay has a high fixed four-light window flanked by six-over-one windows.

# 8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/ humanitarian
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		

**Specific dates**

**Builder/Architect**

check: Applicable Criteria:  A  B  C  D  
and/or

Applicable Exception:  A  B  C  D  E  F  G

Level of Significance:  national  state  local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.



DAVIDSONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH PARSONAGE  
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

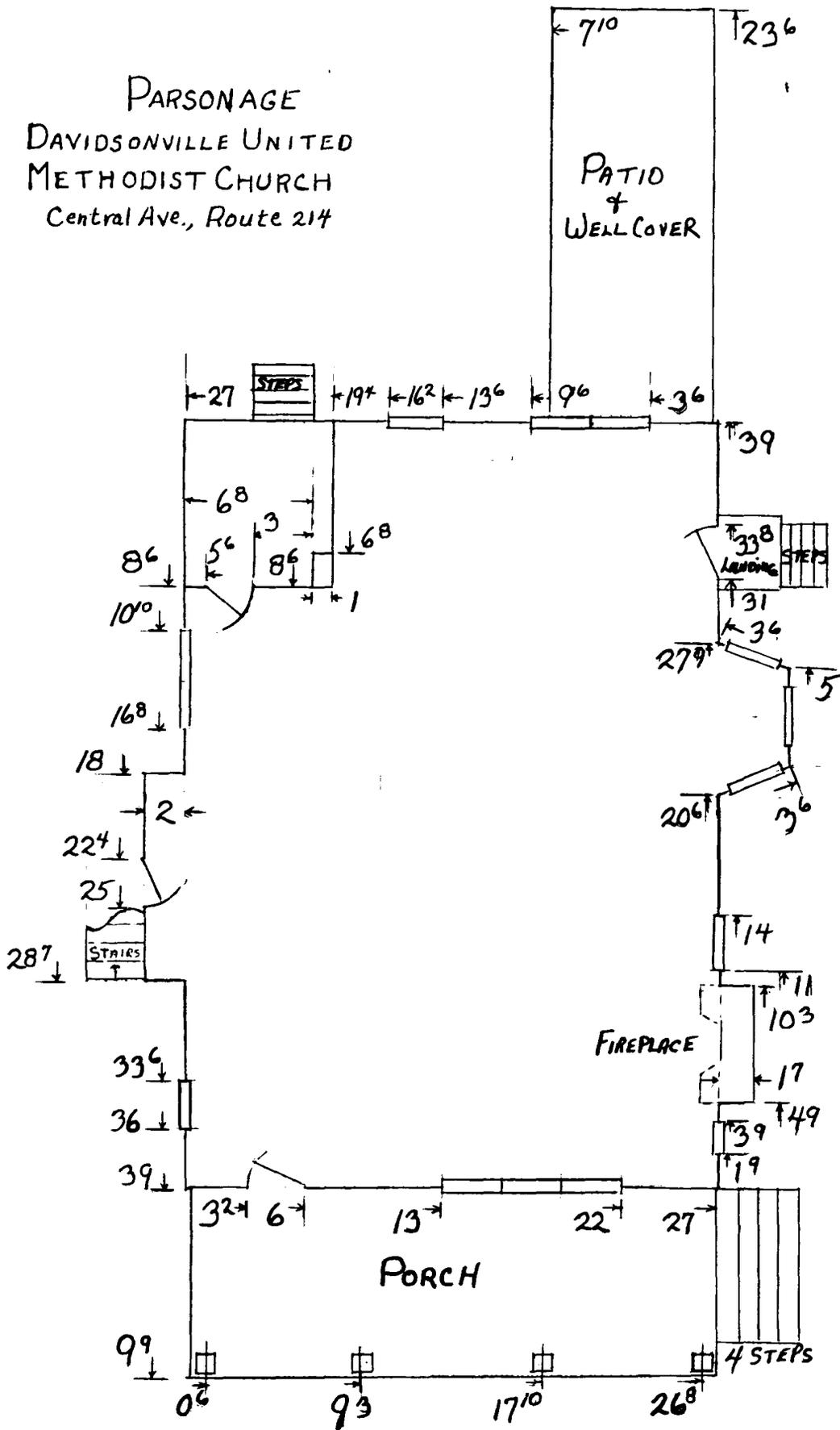
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7. DESCRIPTION, CONTINUATION SHEET #1

In the foundation wall of the house on this side are two small windows in the main section of the house and a window with three panes to the right of the steps in the back section of the house.

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PARSONAGE  
DAVIDSONVILLE UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH  
Central Ave., Route 214



SEP  
6-90

AA Co Land Rents NH 8, 2323 (film CR 939-1)  
 Aug. 10, 1859

from Tho. Davidson & Jane his wife to

Mordecai Robinson

Wm. P. Bird

Matthias Luthicow

Tho. R. Beard

Stephen Beard

John Jacobs

John H. Jones

Joseph O. Fowler

John B. Owens

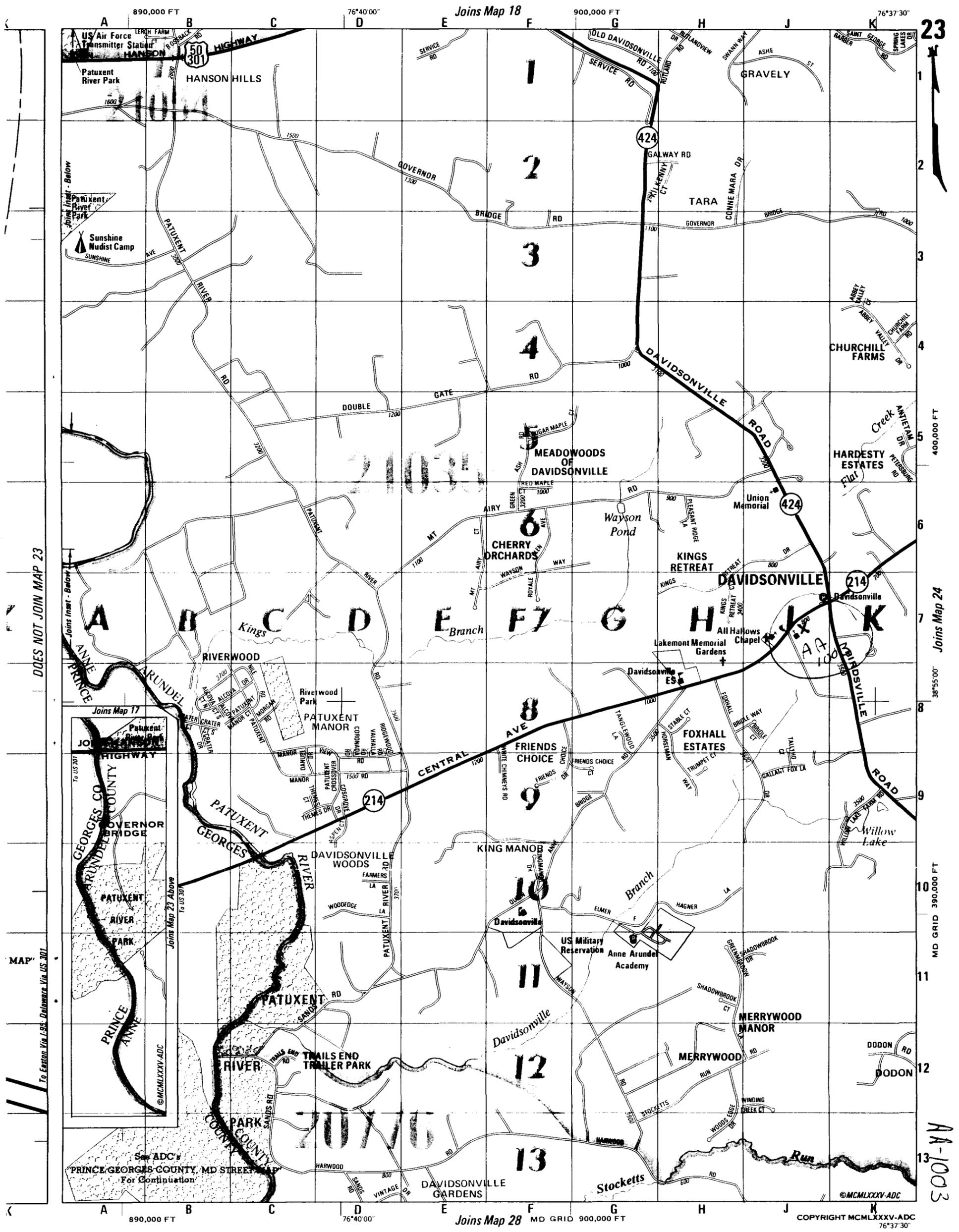
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trustees

1 acre of land adjacent to Episcopal parsonage in Davidstown  
 is trust so that AA Co.

"they shall erect & build... a parsonage  
 or house for the use of the  
 minister and preacher of the  
 Methodist Episcopal Church..."

Beg. at south most corner of Episcopal parsonage  
 running w/ said line 3 perches & 6 links  
 to a stake, N 14 W 14 perches, 23 links to  
 public road, with road 63<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> E 2 perches +  
 24 links to NW corner of Episcopal parsonage  
 lot thence with boundary of said lot S 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> E  
 15 perches to beginning.



23

400,000 FT

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38°55'00"

MD GRID 390,000 FT

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MAP

To Easton Via L.S. Distance Via US 301

See ADC's  
PRINCE GEORGES COUNTY, MD STREET MAP  
For Continuation

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76°37'30"

Joins Map 28

MD GRID 900,000 FT

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Washington, D.C.

North Carolina

Center Account

Dr. [unclear]







