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INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY/DISTRICT
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
INTERNAL NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

Property/District Name: Arnold Elementary School Survey Number: AA-1048

Project: Rehabilitation and Expansion Senior Center Agency: CDBG/AA County

Site visit by MHT Staff: no yes Name _____ Date _____

Eligibility recommended Eligibility not recommended

Criteria: A B C D Considerations: A B C D E F G None

Justification for decision: (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map)

Based on the available information, the Arnold Elementary School, now the Arnold Senior Center, located at 44 Church Road, Arnold, Maryland, is eligible for the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion A for education. According to Donna Ware, AA County Historic Sites Planner, the frame, Colonial Revival style school built in 1922 and expanded in 1931, is representative of a program of school replacement and consolidation in Anne Arundel County initiated by the Maryland School Law of 1916: "A related bond issue, passed in the same year, provided funding for school construction and expansion over the next decade. During this period, a total of 90 elementary schools for African American and white students were in operation. They included one, two, and three or more room buildings." Of these, seventeen survive with varying degrees of integrity. The Arnold School retains its basic H-shaped plan, wood shingle siding and some interior features including transom, trim and doors. It also appears to have retained the original windows. An inventory number but no form exists for this property.

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Project File

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Elizabeth Hannold February 3, 1995
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services Date

NR program concurrence: yes no not applicable

[Signature] 2.3.95
Reviewer, NR program Date

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MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA - HISTORIC CONTEXT

I. Geographic Region:

- Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)
- Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George's and St. Mary's)
- Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)
- Western Maryland (Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

- Paleo-Indian 10000-7500 B.C.
- Early Archaic 7500-6000 B.C.
- Middle Archaic 6000-4000 B.C.
- Late Archaic 4000-2000 B.C.
- Early Woodland 2000-500 B.C.
- Middle Woodland 500 B.C. - A.D. 900
- Late Woodland/Archaic A.D. 900-1600
- Contact and Settlement A.D. 1570-1750
- Rural Agrarian Intensification A.D. 1680-1815
- Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870
- Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930
- Modern Period A.D. 1930-Present
- Unknown Period (prehistoric historic)

III. Prehistoric Period Themes:

- Subsistence
- Settlement
- Political
- Demographic
- Religion
- Technology
- Environmental Adaption

IV. Historic Period Themes:

- Agriculture
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
- Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- Government/Law
- Military
- Religion
- Social/Educational/Cultural
- Transportation

V. Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Rural

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Education

Known Design Source: unknown

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SCHEDULE
OF
PHOTOGRAPHS

**ARNOLD SENIOR CENTER
44 CHURCH ROAD
ARNOLD, MARYLAND 21012**

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(rooms are alphabetically labeled for identification purposes)

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South elevation (facade) of building



East elevation of Building

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North elevation (rear) of Building



West elevation of Building as viewed from the North



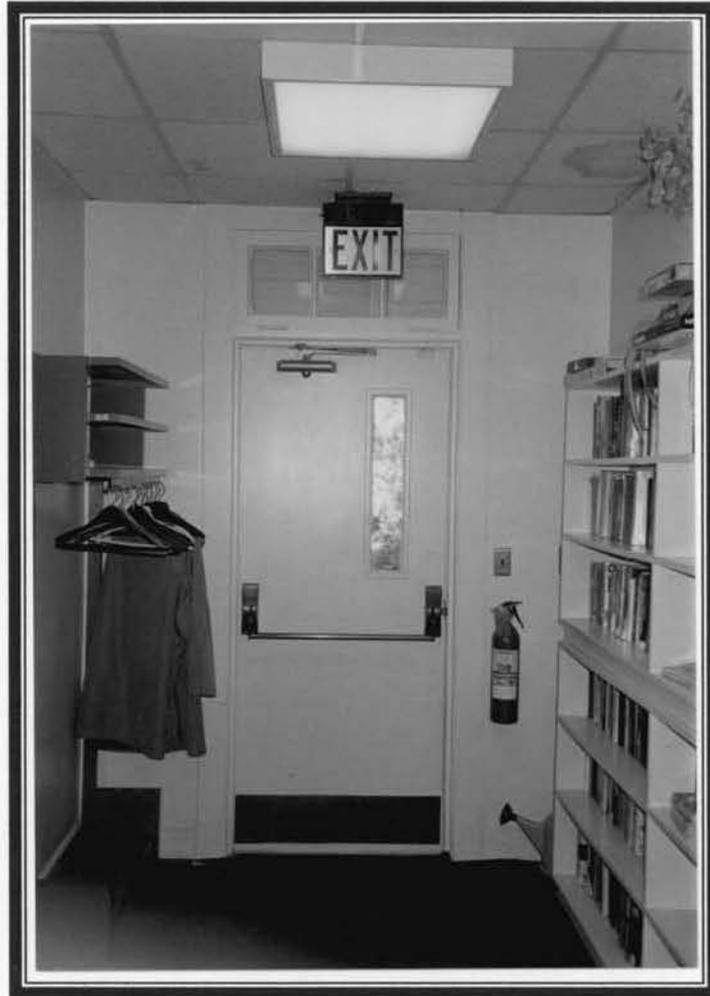
North and East walls of activity room A



West and South walls of Activity Room A

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Southwest egress door as viewed from interior, area B



Main corridor as viewed from the lobby and facing West, area C



Main corridor as viewed from the lobby and facing East, area D



South, West and East walls of activity room E



North and East walls of reception area F

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South wall of lobby, area G



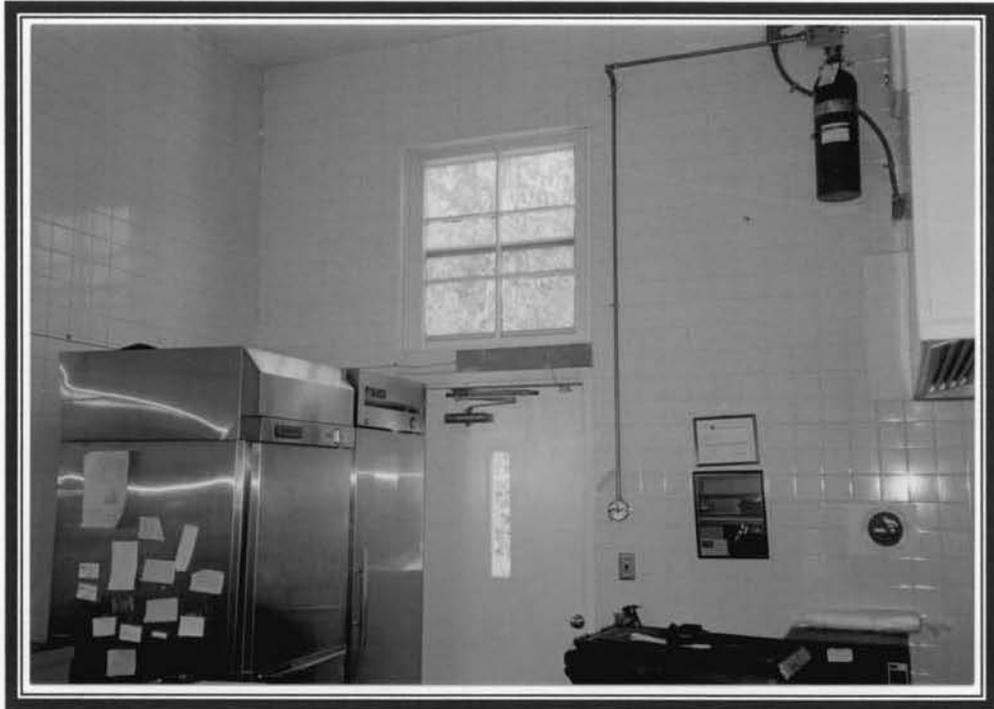
Entrance door into room H as viewed from lobby



North, East and West walls of room I



North and West walls of activity room J

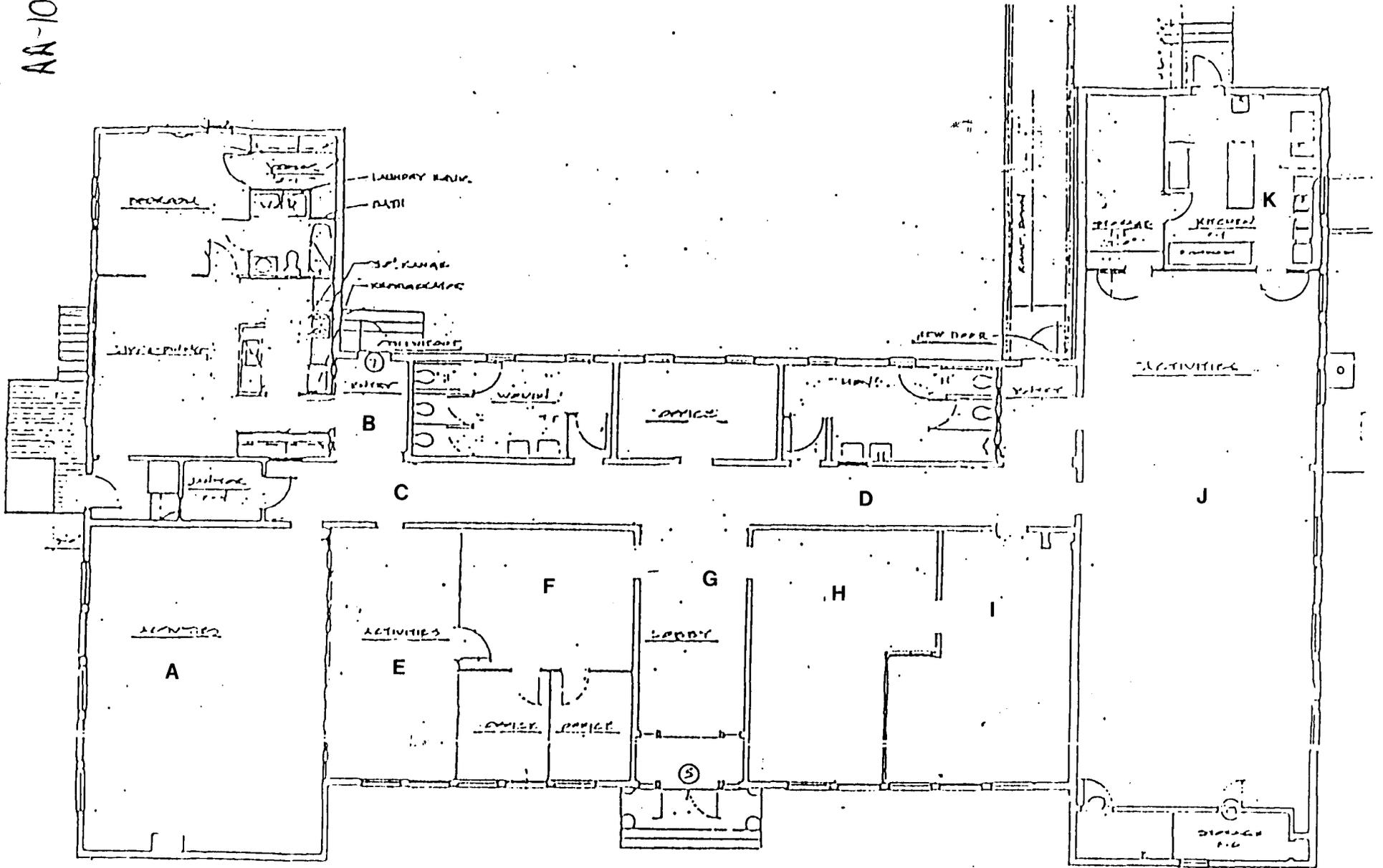


North and East walls of activity room J



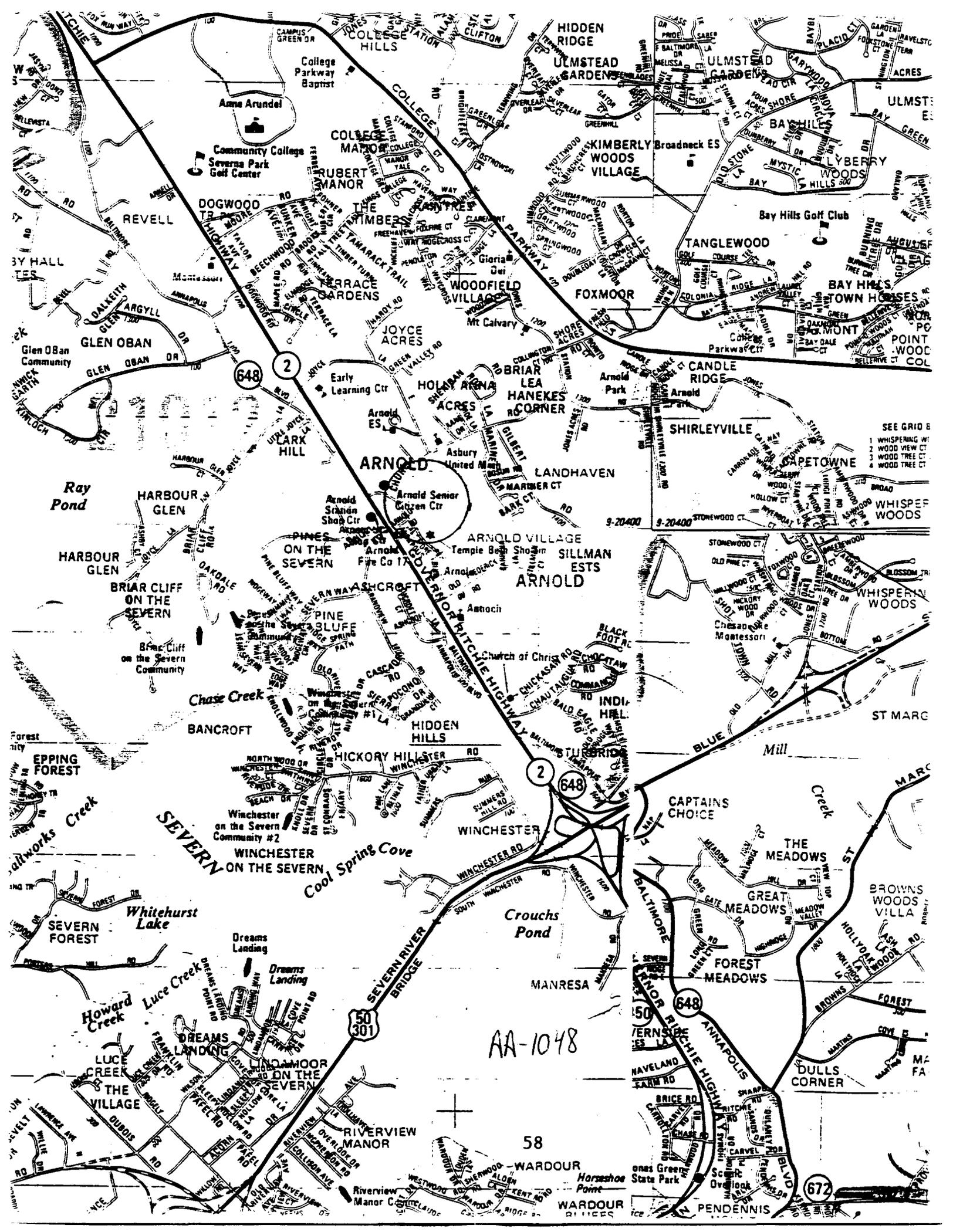
North wall of kitchen, room K

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CURRENT FLOOR PLAN

REVISION NO. 1



SEE GRID B

- 1 WHISPERING WY
- 2 WOOD VIEW CT
- 3 WOOD TREE CT
- 4 WOOD TREE CT

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