

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Airways Rent-A-Car
(Baltimore Bargain House)

AND/OR COMMON

Baltimore Bargain House (altered to car garage)

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

213-221 W. Fayette Street

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

STATE

Maryland

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 checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE RESIDENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input type="checkbox"/> YES: RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENTIFIC
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES: UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Records Office Room 601

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

STATE

Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

City of Baltimore Neighborhood Survey

DATE

1976

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

COMMISSION FOR HISTORICAL &
ARCHITECTURAL PRESERVATION
Room 900

CITY, TOWN

26 South Calvert St.
Baltimore, Md. 21202

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This building is three stories high (originally higher) and five bays wide. The first two stories are granite; the third story is flemish bond with marble stone trim.

The building has been drastically altered, not only in height, but the appearance of what remains, especially the first story. The granite blocks of the pilasters have been sheathed with a protective material resembling masonite; the recessed areas-the bays- have been covered with stucco. The first two bays are doorways and windows, and the next three are garage ramps.

Second story windows, three in each bay, are all double hung. The center window is the larger of the three; the upper sash contains one hundred and twenty lights of leaded squares of glass, mounted over a lower sash containing one light. Flanking windows have sixty-over-one lights. All of these windows have moulded stone sills and share a splayed stone bell course for flat arched lintels. The flat granite pilasters which delineate first and second story bays support this bell course. Their capitals are garlanded blank stone tablets.

Above the bell course is a frieze with palmette decorated metopes alternating with triglyphs under-scored by guttae.

Windows of the third story are of two kinds. The first, found in pairs in the outer bays of the buildings, are double hung with one-over-four lights, flat arch lintels with keystones and endstones of marble. The windows rest on the frieze. The second kind is found in the three inner bays. These are double hung, one-over-one, with flat arch lintels surmounted by a broken pediment with a cartouche in the tympanum. Flanking these windows are two very narrow windows acting as sidelights. These are also double hung, one-over-one. Projecting truncated pilasters which are beveled give the inner bay windows a niched appearance.

Above these windows is a strip of stone which caps the facade.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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 type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input checked="" 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 1904 BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

Built to house Jacob Epstein's burgeoning dry goods business in 1904, this building's ornate Beaux-Arts facade, regrettably considerably altered, still retains enough of its original character to have it considered as a significant structure.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Planning Assistants

ORGANIZATION

COMMISSION FOR HISTORICAL &
ARCHITECTURAL PRESERVATION

DATE

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Room 900

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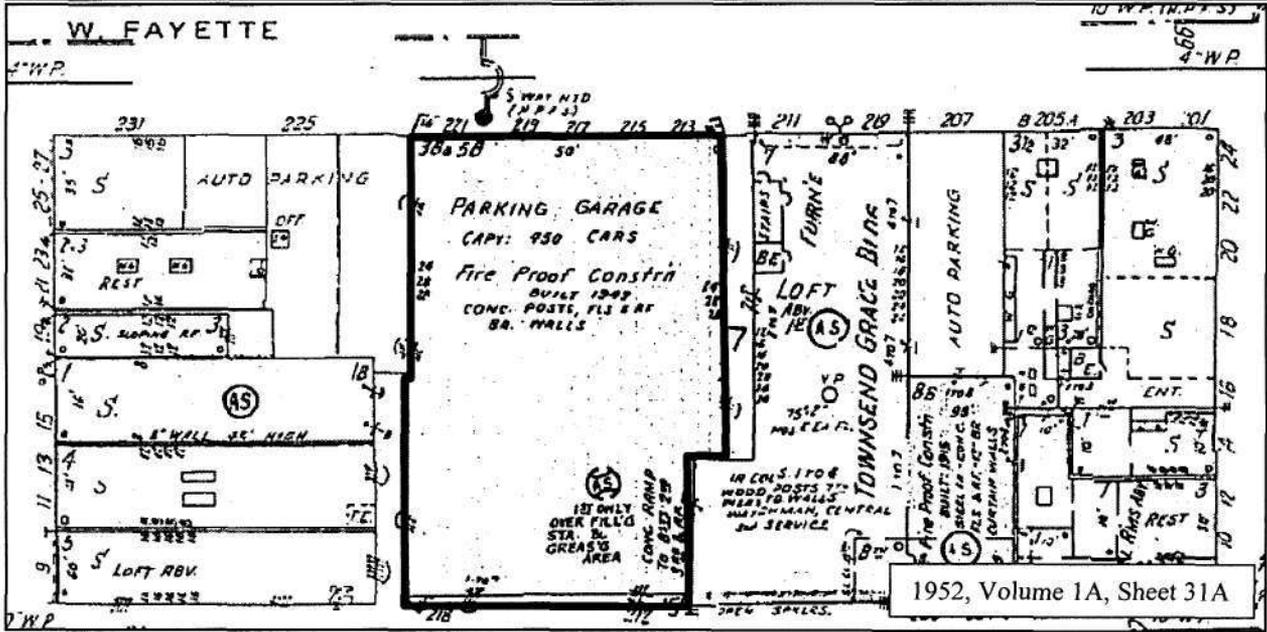
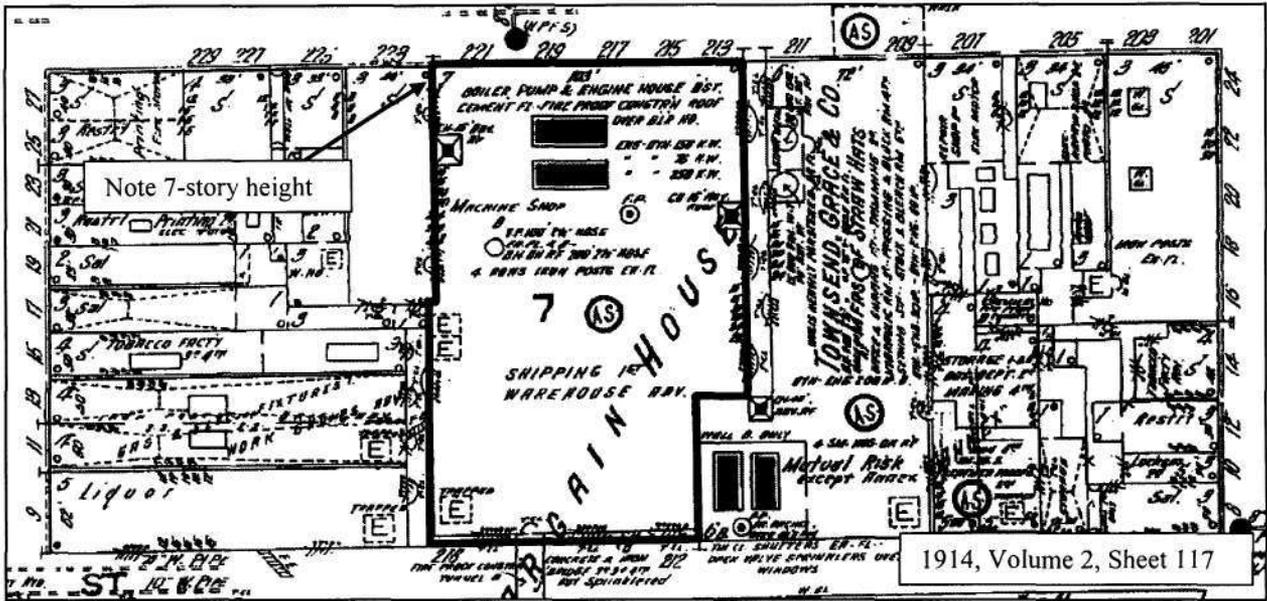
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The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

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Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

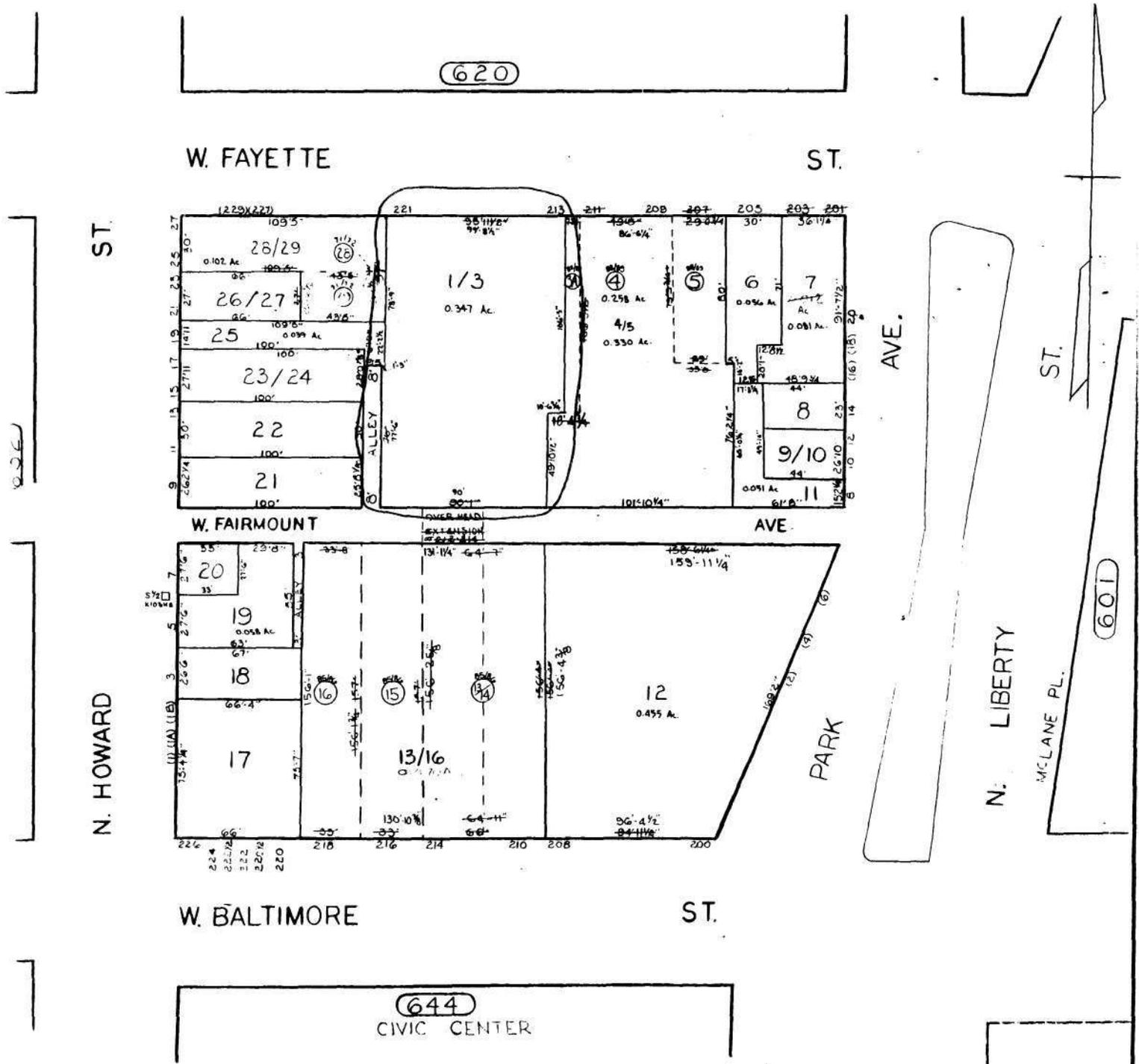
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 Sanborn Maps



REVISIONS

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LOT 28/29 PER PLS.; C.S.H. 409
 LOT 7 ASSM CHANGED PER LETTER C.S.H. 84-052
 LOTS 1/3, 4, 6, 7, 11, 12, 19, 25 (28/29) ASSM CHANGED PER PLS. C.S.H. 85-219
 LOTS 13/14, 15 & 16 DIM CORP PER DEED, C.S.H. 85-487
 LOTS 13/14, 15 & 16 CONS'D PER APP. C.S.H. 86-253
 LOT 3A, 4 & 5 CONS'D PER O.O. f App. C.S.H. 85-467



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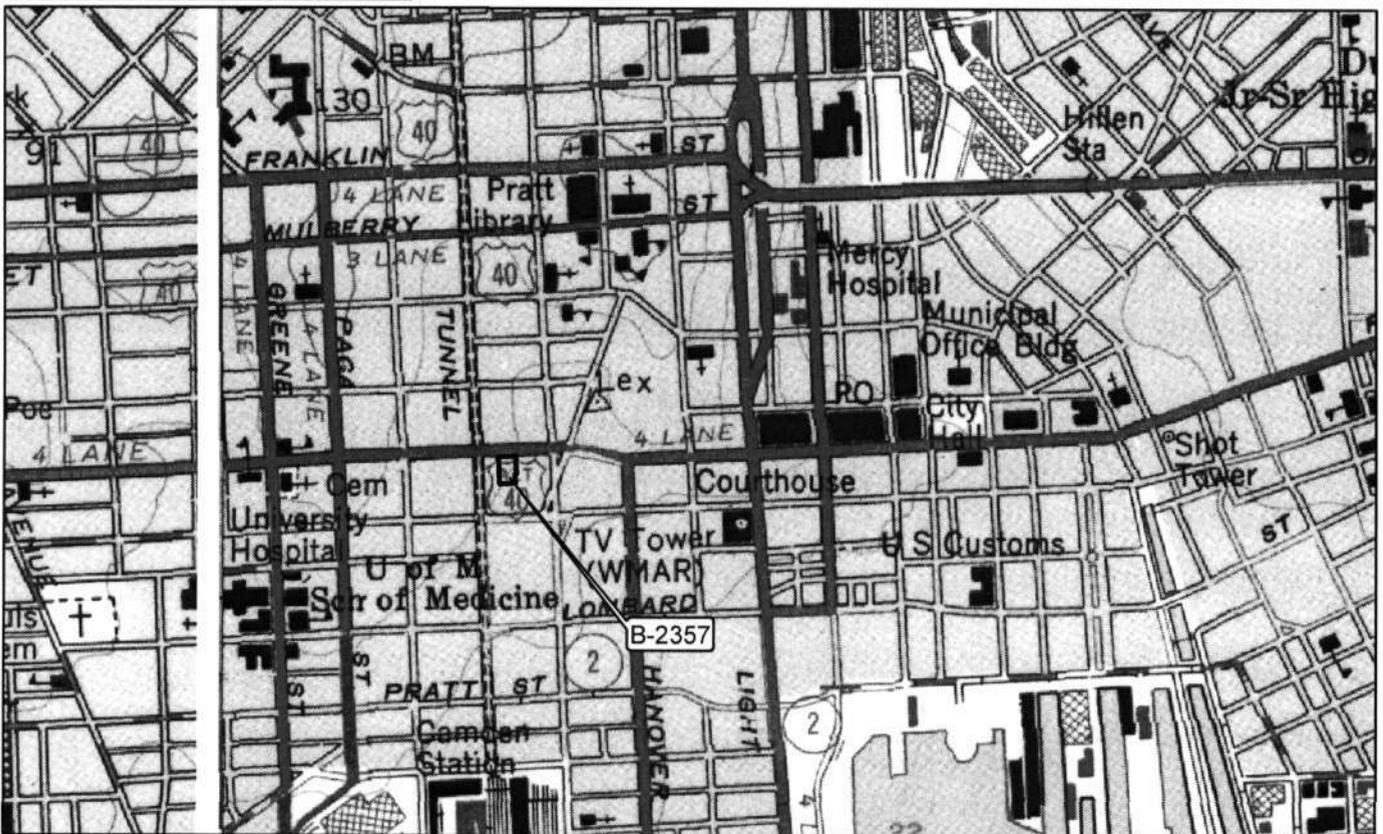
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 FOR UNDER ARTICLE 76(d) OF THE CITY CHARTER
 IT IS COMPILED FROM TITLE AND OTHER

CITY OF BALTIMORE
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
 PROPERTY LOCATION DIVISION
WARD 4 SECTION 10
BLOCK 633

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213-221 W. Fayette Street
Block 0633, Lot 001
Baltimore City
Baltimore East Quad.



GIS data Courtesy of the City of Baltimore, MOIT/EGIS





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