

Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

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1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common GREENHOUSE AT WOODSTOCK JOB CORPS CENTER

2. Location

street & number West Side Old Court Road (RT. 125) not for publicationcity, town Woodstock vicinity of congressional district 2nd

state Maryland county Baltimore

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> occupied	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" 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 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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> other: vacant

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

name Woodstock Job Corps Center

street & number P. O. BOX telephone no.: (301) 461-1100

city, town Woodstock state and zip code Maryland 21163

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Baltimore County Courthouse liber

street & number folio

city, town Towson state Maryland

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date federal state county local

depository for survey records

city, town state

7. Description

Survey No. BA-2301

Condition		Check one	Check one	
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input checked="" 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 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.

The Woodstock Job Corps Center is located on the west side of Old Court Road (Maryland Route 125) directly across the Patapsco River from the village of Woodstock. The greenhouse is located on the south-east side of the entrance drive to the east of the main building complex.

The following description of the greenhouse is based on photographs and documentation provided by the Maryland Department of General Services prior to the demolition of the structure.

The greenhouse is constructed against a terraced hillside and consists of a central brick and frame building flanked on each side by the remains of stone and glass hot houses. The central structure appears to measure approximately 16 feet by 20 feet, with the gable end set into the hillside. The brick foundation is laid in common bond; the frame walls are covered with a combination of horizontal wood siding and both square-butt and decorative round-butt shingles. Openings include several doors on the ground floor and small window openings in the gable ends (doors and sash are missing). The pitched gable roof is covered with asphalt shingles and projects out approximately 12 to 15 inches at the gable ends.

The hot houses extend from both of the long facade walls and are set into the hillside, with the pitched gable roof framing set parallel to the terraced hillside and perpendicular to the ridge of the central block. The hot houses consist of low fieldstone walls supporting the remains of glass hot house roofs. Little evidence appears to survive of the greenhouse furnishings or equipment.

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 checked="" 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

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.

The main block of the greenhouse appears to date to the late 19th or early 20th century, and it is assumed that the hot houses are contemporaneous. Until its recent destruction, the Woodstock greenhouse served as an example of a utilitarian late Victorian garden structure with a pair of stone and glass hot houses.



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Woodstock Job Corps Center
Oct. 17, 1985, Dept. of General Services
View from Southwest

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Main Structure from Northeast



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Woodstock Job Corps Center
Oct. 17, 1985, Dept. of General Services
West Wall of West Hot House

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Greenhouse from Northwest



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East End of East Hot House



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Detail of Foundation Wall Failure



Old Greenhouse

Woodstock Job Corps Center

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Greenhouse

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Main Structure from Northwest

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A black and white photograph of a dilapidated building. The building has a gabled roof with a dark wooden eave. The walls are covered in light-colored shingles. A wooden door is mounted on the wall, and the words "DANGER" and "KEEP OUT" are written on it in large, white, block letters. To the left of the door is a dark, rectangular opening, possibly a window or doorway. The ground in front of the building is covered in dark, loose material, possibly gravel or dirt. The overall scene suggests a state of neglect or abandonment.

DANGER
KEEP OUT

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Baltimore County

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North Gable of Central Structure

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East Hot House from North



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South Gable of Central Structure