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OLD WARFIELDSBURG SCHOOL

1878

1810 Stone Chapel Road
Warfieldsburg

private

The Old Warfieldsburg School is a representative late nineteenth century schoolhouse. Built in 1878, it replaced a small log schoolhouse that stood north of the village on the road to Westminster (the first schoolhouse is shown on the 1862 and 1877 maps). The brick schoolhouse, although now used as a private residence, shows the features typical of school construction of the period with its scale, proportion, fenestration and siting.



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WESTMINSTER PLANNING DISTRICT

FIELD SHEET--HISTORIC RESOURCES SURVEY

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SURVEY NUMBER:
NEGATIVE FILE NUMBER:
UTM REFERENCES:
Zone/Easting/Northing
U.S.G.S. QUAD. MAP: New Windsor
PRESENT FORMAL NAME:

COUNTY: CARROLL
TOWN: Wayfieldsburg
LOCATION: 1810 Stone Chapel Road
TAX MAP 51 Block 16 P17B
COMMON NAME: Old Wayfieldsburg School
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Schoolhouse
OWNER: John E. Harmon
ADDRESS: 1814 Ridge Rd.
ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC:
Yes () No () Restricted ()
LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE:
Local () State () National ()

ORIGINAL FORMAL NAME:
PRESENT USE: residence
ORIGINAL USE: school
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER:
BUILDER/CONTRACTOR:
PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE:
Excellent () Good (X)
Fair () Poor ()
THEME:
STYLE:
DATE BUILT: datestone 1878

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:
Structural System
1. Foundation: Stone (X) Brick () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
2. Wall Structure
A. Wood: Log () Post and Beam () Balloon ()
B. Wood Bearing Masonry: Brick (X) Stone () Concrete () Concrete Block ()
C. Iron () D. Steel () E. Other
3. Wall Covering: Weatherboard () German Siding () Board and Batten ()
Wood Shingle () Shiplap () Novelty () Stucco () Sheet Metal ()
Aluminum () Asphalt Shingle () Brick Veneer () Stone Veneer ()
Bonding Pattern: Common Other:
4. Roof Structure
A. Truss: Wood (X) Iron () Steel () Concrete ()
B. Other:
5. Roof Covering: Slate () Wood Shingle () Asphalt Shingle () Sheet Metal (X)
Built Up () Rolled () Tile () Other:
6. Engineering Structure:
7. Other:
Appendages: Porches (X) Towers () Cupolas () Dormers () Chimneys () Sheds ()
Ells () Wings () Other:
Roof Style: Gable () Hip () Shed () Flat () Mansard () Gambrel () Jerkinhead ()
Saw Tooth () With Monitor () With Bellcast () With Parapet ()
With False Front () Other:
Number of Stories: 1
Number of Bays: 5 x 3 Entrance Location: center
Approximate Dimensions:

THREAT TO STRUCTURE:
No Threat (X) Zoning () Roads ()
Development () Deterioration ()
Alteration () Other:

LOCAL ATTITUDES:
Positive (X) Negative ()
Mixed () Other:

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL OR STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

entrance on north facade appears to be new - original entrance was on west gable end



RELATED STRUCTURES: (Describe)

none

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

represents fine late 19th century school house

REFERENCES:

- 1862 Martenet's Map: —
- 1877 LG & S Atlas: —

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

- Open Lane () Woodland () Scattered Buildings ()
- Moderately Built Up () Densely-Built Up ()
- Residential () Commercial ()
- Agricultural () Industrial ()
- Roadside Strip Development ()
- Other:

RECORDED BY:

Joe Kelly

ORGANIZATION:

DATE RECORDED:



U.S.G.S. MAP
NEW WINDSOR, MD.
1:24000 SCALE

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1. CARR-439 OLD WARFIELDSBURG SCHOOL
2. Carroll County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. August 1983
5. Md. Historical Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. North elevation (camera facing south)
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