

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

Property/District Name: Kahl House

Survey Number: 091
G-VI-A-041

Project: US 219/Oakland Vicinity Improvement Project

Agency: MSHA

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)

Historical documentation does not indicate that this resource is associated with Criterion A, broad patterns of history or a significant event or Criterion B, an important person who contributed to local or state history. The property does not embody distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction nor does it represent the work of a master or possess high artistic value; therefore, Criterion C, architecture, does not apply. Lastly, the property is unlikely to yield information which contributes to our understanding of human history.

Document on the property/district is presented in: Historic Structures Inventory and Determination of Eligibility Report

(KCI/MSHA 1997)

Prepared by: Helen P. Ross, KCI Technologies, Inc.

Concur - not eligible - ALB
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services

7/20/98
Date

NR program concurrence: yes no not applicable

BK
Reviewer, NR program

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Date

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Kahl House
G-VI-A-~~041~~ 091
406 North Fourth Street
Oakland Vicinity
Circa 1930
Private

The Kahl House is a single story, frame, side gable roofed dwelling with a rectangular floor plan. The structure has a projecting center gable and a rusticated concrete block foundation.

This structure, constructed in 1930 according to current tax records, is related to the expansion of settlement along existing road networks into areas previously located on the fringes of the town of Oakland. This part of Oakland was eventually incorporated into Oakland's town boundaries, and was subdivided for residential development in the late 1910s and early 1920s. The house is an altered example of mid-twentieth century domestic architecture and should be included within the expanded boundaries of the Oakland survey district.

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Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

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Inventory No. G-VI-A-041

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

other Kahl House

2. Location

street & number 406 North Fourth Street not for publication

city, town Oakland X vicinity

county Garrett

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

name Karl V. And Haseleah S. Kahl

street & number 406 North Fourth Street telephone

city, town Oakland state and zip code MD 21550

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Garrett County Courthouse tax map and parcel 111-1858

city, town Oakland liber and folio 553/609

5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Contributing Resource in National Register District
- Contributing Resource in Local Historic District
- Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
- Determined Ineligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
- Recorded by HABS/HAER
- Historic Structure Report or Research report at MHT
- Other:

6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function	Resource Count		
			Contributing	Noncontributing	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	buildings
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> defense	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	sites
<input type="checkbox"/> site		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> domestic	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	structures
<input type="checkbox"/> object		<input type="checkbox"/> education	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	objects
		<input type="checkbox"/> funerary	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	Total
		<input type="checkbox"/> government			
		<input type="checkbox"/> health care			
		<input type="checkbox"/> industry			
		<input type="checkbox"/> landscape			
		<input type="checkbox"/> recreation/ culture			
		<input type="checkbox"/> religion			
		<input type="checkbox"/> social			
		<input type="checkbox"/> transportation			
		<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress			
		<input type="checkbox"/> unknown			
		<input type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use			
		<input type="checkbox"/> other:			
			Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the inventory		
			<u>0</u>		

7. Description

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Condition

excellent deteriorated
 good ruins
 fair altered

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

The Kahl House is located at 406 North Fourth Street which is the northwest corner of the junction with Lake Street. The dwelling sits approximately thirty feet away from Fourth Street, parallel to the road and built into a slightly rising topography. The property is bounded on the north by a neighboring driveway, on the east and south by the road's pavement edges, and on the west of the house is an asphalt paved circular drive which provides egress to an attached three bay garage.

The single story, frame, side gable roofed main block is rectangle-shaped, has a projecting center gable and a rusticated concrete block foundation. The majority of the rear or west elevation has been extended to include a single story, glass and frame, shed roofed enclosed porch and a modern, three bay, single story garage. The entire house is sheathed with asphalt roof shingles and exterior vinyl siding. Running north from the driveway is a concrete walkway which leads to the single story, single bay, open entry porch. The facade gable roof is supported by two square posts which rest upon a raised concrete platform. There are two brick chimney stacks, the interior one pierces the roof line while the tapered exterior unit is located on the north elevation.

The majority of the original 1/1 light, double hung wooden sashes still remain while some units have been replaced with large picture windows. In the foundation level, there are several aluminum hopper units. Both the front and rear doors are single leaf units with upper glass sections and lower wooden panels.

8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> invention	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 2000-	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> social history
	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning		<input type="checkbox"/> maritime history	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation		<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

Specific dates Circa 1930 **Builder/Architect** Unknown

Evaluation for:

National Register Maryland Register not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance reports, complete evaluation on a DOE Form - see manual).

The Kahl House, constructed in 1930 according to current tax records, relates to the expanded settlement of areas previously located on the fringes of the town of Oakland. Distinguished by development along existing road networks, these areas were eventually incorporated into Oakland's town boundaries. This area of Oakland was subdivided for residential development in the late 1910s and early 1920s. This house is an altered example of mid-twentieth century domestic architecture and should be included within the expanded boundaries of the Oakland survey district.

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HISTORIC CONTEXT:

MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

Geographic Organization: Western Maryland

Chronological/Developmental Period(s): Industrial / Urban Dominance, A.D. 1870 - 1930

Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Community Planning

Resource Type:

 Category: Building

 Historic Environment: Urban

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

 Known Design Source: None

9. Major Bibliographical References

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(See Continuation Sheet)

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of property 1.71 acres

Acreage surveyed 1.71 acres

Quadrangle name Oakland, MD-WVA

Quadrangle scale 1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

Parcel 1858, Map 111, District 17

11. Form Prepared By

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The Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties 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.

The survey and inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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Crownsville, MD 21032
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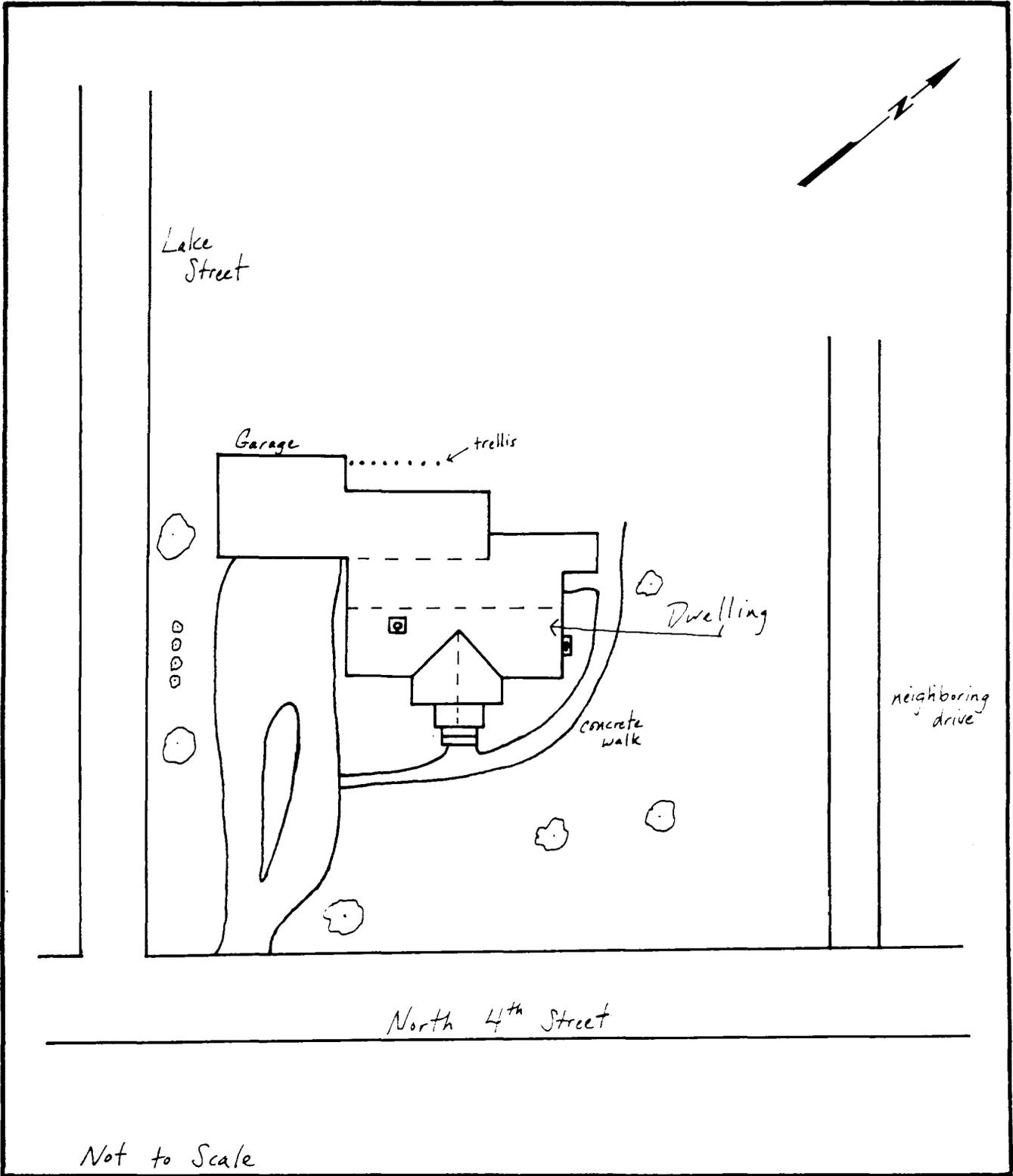
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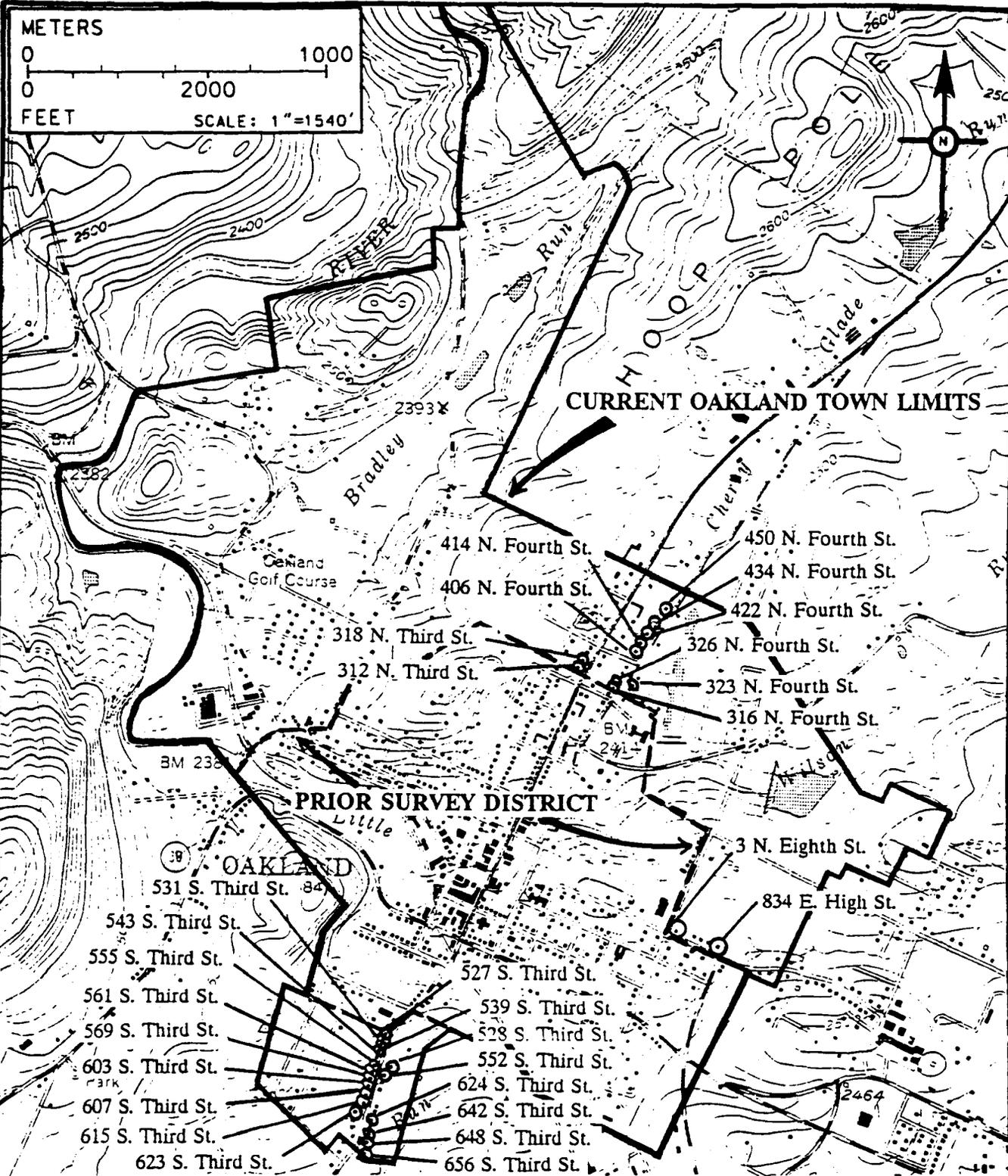
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Resource Sketch Map
 G-VI-A-041-091
 Karl V. & Haseleah S. Kahl House
 406 N. Fourth Street
 Oakland, Garrett County



**Addenda to Oakland Survey District
G-VI-A-04T 091**

Enlargement of the Oakland, MD-WVA (USGS 1974) 7.5' Quadrangle map showing the location of historic resources being added to the Oakland Survey District previously documented by the MHT.



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