

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Addendum

MIHP Number: HA-1948

Property Name: Harford Food Bank
Property Address: 2128 Old Edgewood Road, Edgewood, MD 21040

According to a letter dated January 15, 2002 from the Maryland Mass Transit Administration (MTA), this property has been demolished.

Maryland Historical Trust
State Historic Sites Inventory Form

MARYLAND INVENTORY OF
HISTORIC PROPERTIES

Survey No. HA-1948

Magi No.

DOE yes no

1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic

and/or common Harford Food Bank

2. Location

street & number 2128 Old Edgewood Road not for publication

city, town Edgewood vicinity of congressional district

state Maryland county Harford

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 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 type="checkbox"/> other:

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

name Harford Food Bank, Inc.

street & number 2128 Old Edgewood Road, P.O. Box 1005 telephone no.:

city, town Edgewood state and zip code Maryland 21040-1005

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Harford County Courthouse liber 1864

street & number 40 South Main Street folio 907

city, town Bel Air 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. HA-1948

Condition

excellent
 good
 fair

deteriorated
 ruins
 unexposed

Check one

unaltered
 altered

Check one

original site
 moved date of move _____

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

2128 Old Edgewood Road (the Harford Food Bank) is a c. 1930 concrete block warehouse building. Its utilitarian design exhibits little architectural elaboration.

The Harford Food Bank, which is located on a large open lot on the northwest side of Old Edgewood Road across from the Edgewood Station parking lot, consists of a single story, front gabled and shed roofed, rectangular block. A shed roofed, freezer enclosure has been appended to the north end of the west wall. A pent, shingled, flat parapet has been appended to the facade wall of the building. This warehouse is set on a concrete slab, has walls constructed of rusticated concrete blocks, and has a roof sheathed in corrugated metal.

Large rectangular window openings were placed on the facade of the building. All of these have been enclosed. A metal door with a single square light in its upper section is placed near the center of the south facade and is reached by a concrete handicapped ramp with metal railing. The sides and rear of the building were originally fenestrated with tall, double hung, sash windows. These windows had smooth-faced concrete lintels. These window openings have been enclosed with wood panels and bricks. A single window is present near the front of the east wall, and two-leaf metal doors are placed near the center of the east wall.

8. Significance

Period	Areas of Significance--Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistory	<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 type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

Specific dates	Builder/Architect
check: Applicable Criteria: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D and/or	
Applicable Exception: <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G	
Level of Significance: <input type="checkbox"/> national <input type="checkbox"/> state <input type="checkbox"/> local	

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

A typical vernacular, small warehouse building, the use of rusticated concrete blocks suggests that it was constructed at about the same time as the old Edgewood Post Office, a building erected in the 1930s. Never notable for its architecture, its original appearance has been substantially changed by addition of the front pent roof, enclosure of windows, and construction of the freezer addition. Due to lack of historic and architectural significance, as well as loss of integrity, the building is recommended not eligible for the National Register.

Through much of its history, it shared its chain of title with the adjacent 2120 Old Edgewood Road. In 1982, Raymond L. and Alice F. Slesinki sold the land containing the warehouse to George Steven Miholis for \$35,000 (Harford County Deed Book 1178:517, December 20, 1982). Three years later, Miholis sold the property, described as Lot 3 of the Slesinski subdivision to Old Edgewood Road Associates (Harford Food Bank 1287:798, September 17, 1985). In 1989, Old Edgewood Road Associates sold the parcel, which totaled .707 acres to the Harford Food Bank, its present owner, for \$119,100 (Harford County Deed Book 1557:344, June 21, 1989).

9. Major Bibliographical Reference

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Harford County Deed Books. Office of the County Clerk. Harford County Courthouse. Bel Air, Maryland.

10. Geographical Data

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Quadrangle name Edgewood, MD

Quadrangle scale 1:24,000

UTM Refernces **do NOT** complete UTM references

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Verbal boundary description and justification

Map 66, portion of parcel 152. The boundary includes the eastern portion of parcel 152, that portion of a larger prcel occupied by 2128 Old Edgewood Road and an adjacent parking lot.

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
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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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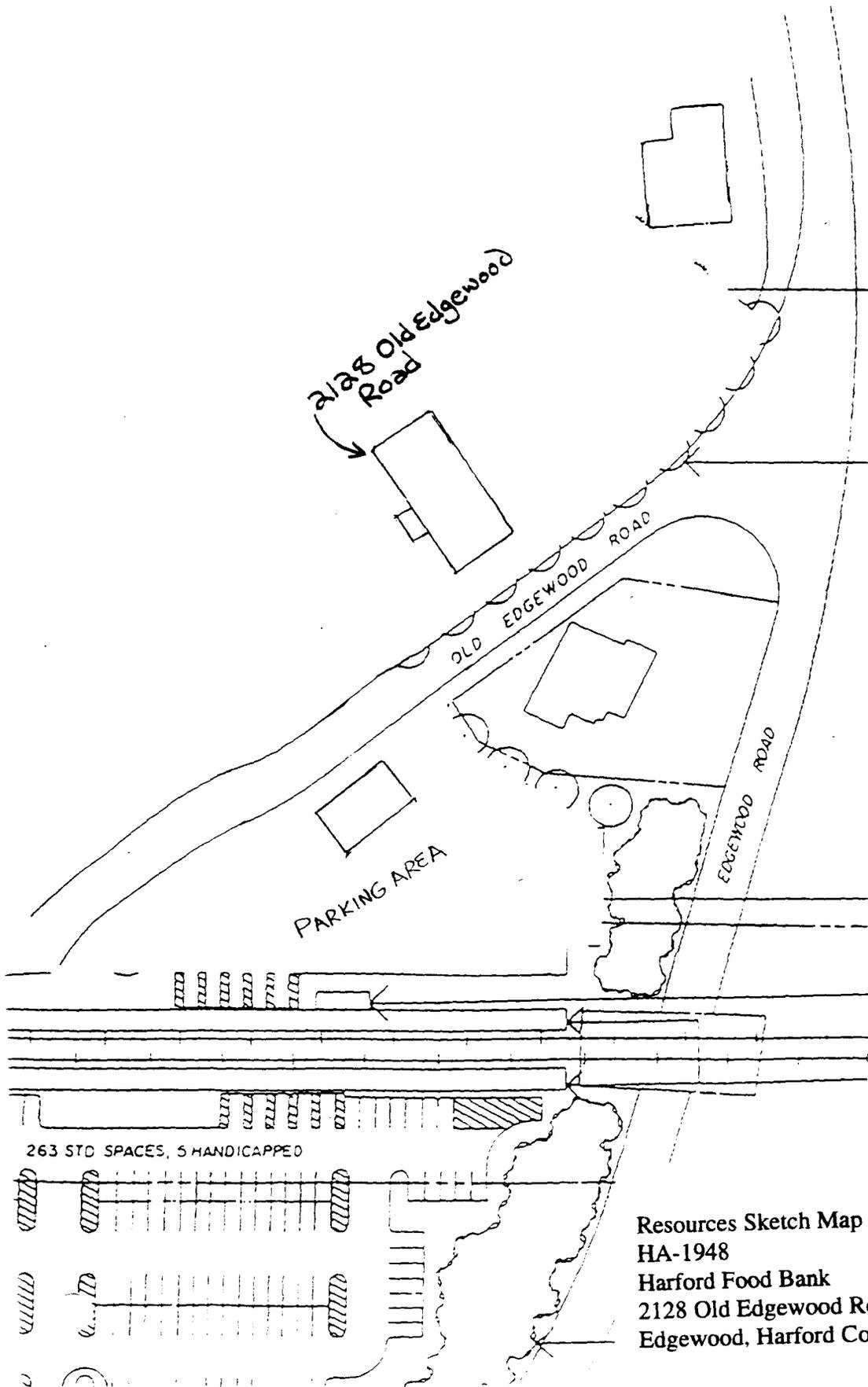
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Survey No. HA-1948

Name Harford Food Bank

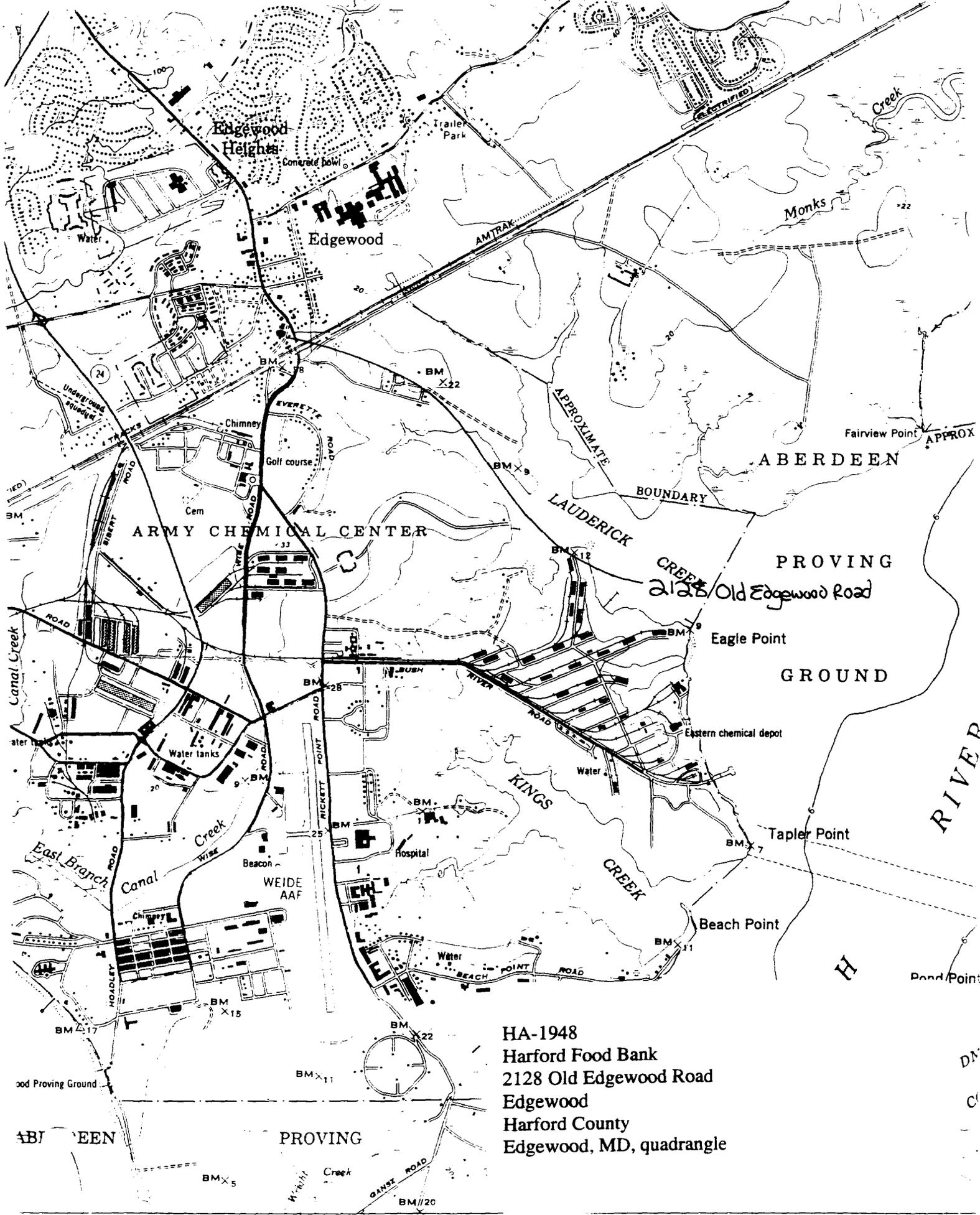
County Harford

A utilitarian, ca. 1930s warehouse that has undergone many changes since the date of its construction, 2128 Old Edgewood Road is not architecturally significant. In addition, it is not associated with any individual or event significant in the history of the local community. Therefore, it is recommended not eligible for the National Register.



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Resources Sketch Map
HA-1948
Harford Food Bank
2128 Old Edgewood Road
Edgewood, Harford County



HA-1948
 Harford Food Bank
 2128 Old Edgewood Road
 Edgewood
 Harford County
 Edgewood, MD, quadrangle



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2128 Old Edgewood Road

Harford County, Maryland

Douglas Wilson

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Maryland SLPO

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view of Old Frigmont Park
Harford County, Maryland

Don't see it in view

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Warehouse at FIFE sites

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