

HO-466
JOHNSON SHINGLED HOUSE AND OUTBUILDINGS
Private
Clarksville

circa 1919

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Notable as an example of the shingled style over a balloon frame, the farm is also notable for its several auxiliary buildings and a barn which are in various stages of repair.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

HO-466
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MAGI # 1404665704

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME
HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON
Johnson Shingled House and Outbuildings

2 LOCATION
STREET & NUMBER
12810 Clarksville Pike (MD 108)
CITY, TOWN
Clarksville VICINITY OF
STATE
Maryland CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
6th COUNTY
Howard

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE <input type="checkbox"/> MUSEUM
<input 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 checked="" 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"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY
NAME
John L. and Sara V. Johnson Telephone #:
STREET & NUMBER
12810 Clarksville Pike
CITY, TOWN
Clarksville VICINITY OF
STATE, zip code
MD. 21029

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION
COURTHOUSE, Tax Map 34, p. 134 Liber #: 306
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Hall of Records Folio #: 478
STREET & NUMBER
Howard County Court House
CITY, TOWN
Ellicott City STATE
Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS
TITLE
Howard County Historic Sites Inventory
DATE
1978
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS
Maryland Historical Trust
CITY, TOWN
21 State Circle, Annapolis STATE
Maryland

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

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A two story high, gabled roof (running east - west) shingled bathroom addition extends from the north side of the original building's west wall.

A one story high, hipped roof enclosed sunporch runs around the southwest corner of the building connecting the south wing, which created an original "L" plan, to the south wall of the bathroom addition.

A frame washhouse is located north of the building, with a large peg barn in need of repair and carriage house southwest of the main house.

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
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<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) (Local History)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES Circa 1913 BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Johnson Shingled House and Outbuildings are architecturally and historically noteworthy.

Architecturally the house is a good example of early twentieth century American Shingle style architecture covering a balloon frame. Historically it is associated with the Scrivner and Bradley families of the Clarksville - Highland area. The house is reputed to have been built circa 1919. On August 13, 1924 (HBN 121-236) Frank N. and Clara V. Bradley conveyed the property which consisted of 92 acres to William Thomas Scrivner who made his home here until June 16, 1937. On that date his son, William Allen Scrivner and daughter, Mary Jane Gaither, inherited the property (Howard County Wills 10-427). William Allen Scrivner and his wife, Anne Gertrude conveyed the property to his sister Mary Jane Scrivner Gaither on March 19, 1953 (241-549). Four years later she sold the house and outbuildings to Mr. and Mrs. John L. Johnson, the present owners, who reside in the shingled farm house.

The balloon frame substitutes thin plates and studs which run the entire height of the building and are put together by nails for the more expensive method of construction with mortised and tenoned joints.

Plans to widen Route 108 would affect this site. Alternative realignment plans #5 leaves B, HO-466, relatively untouched. Please see attachment 2. Alternate #6, however, runs through the southeast corner of the property and would affect the site.

For these reasons, the Johnson Shingled House and Outbuildings should be placed on the National Register of Historic Sites, to help insure its integrity and the preservation of its site.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Private papers of Mrs. Naeker Howard County Land Records
Interview with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Johnson at their home,
June 14, 1978.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 22.15

Please see Attachment 1, Tax Map 34, p.134

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Please see Howard County Land Records liber 306 , folio 478

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

STATE Maryland COUNTY Howard

STATE COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Cleora Barnes Thompson, Archivist

ORGANIZATION

Office of Planning & Zoning-Comprehensive Planning Section 465-5000 x257

DATE

STREET & NUMBER

3450 Court House Drive

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Ellicott City

STATE

Maryland

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.

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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The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

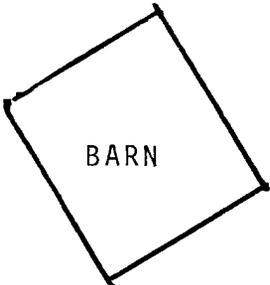
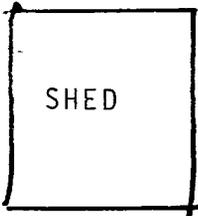
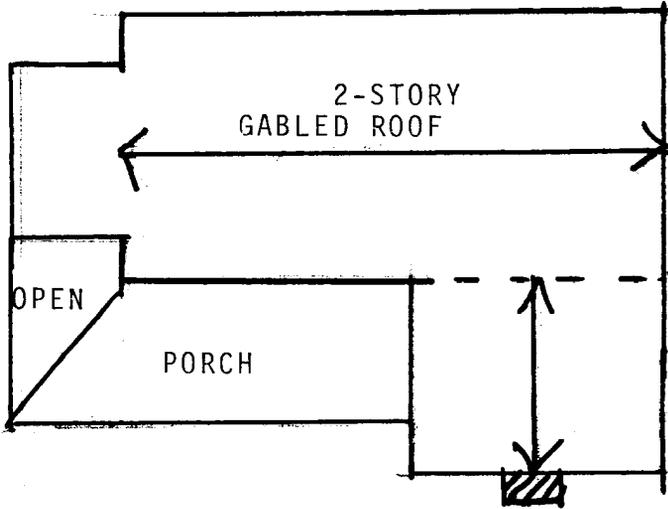
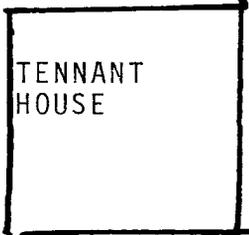
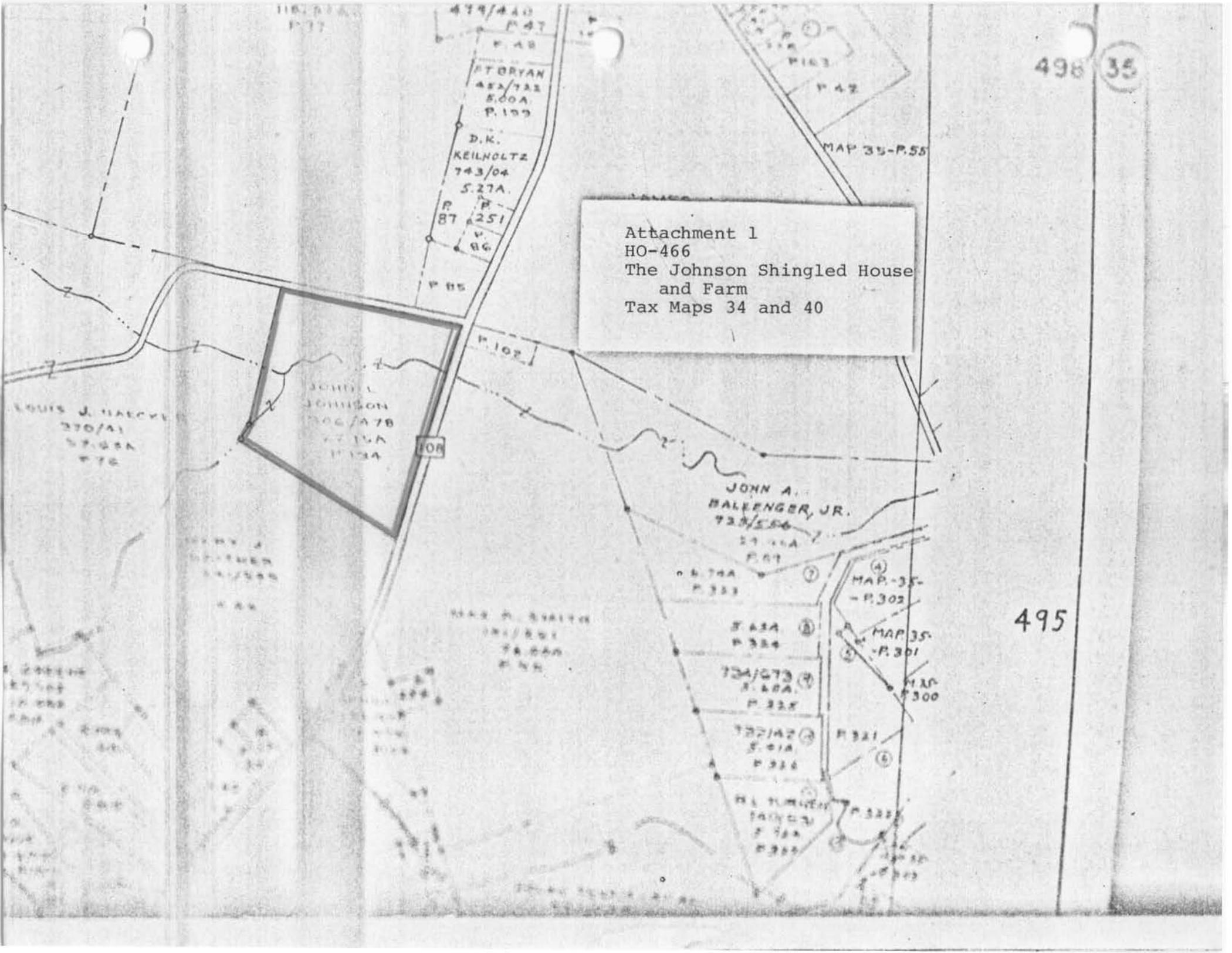


FIGURE #1
HO-466
The Johnson Shingle House
SITE PLAN OF HOUSE

ROUTE 108

Attachment 1
 HO-466
 The Johnson Shingled House
 and Farm
 Tax Maps 34 and 40



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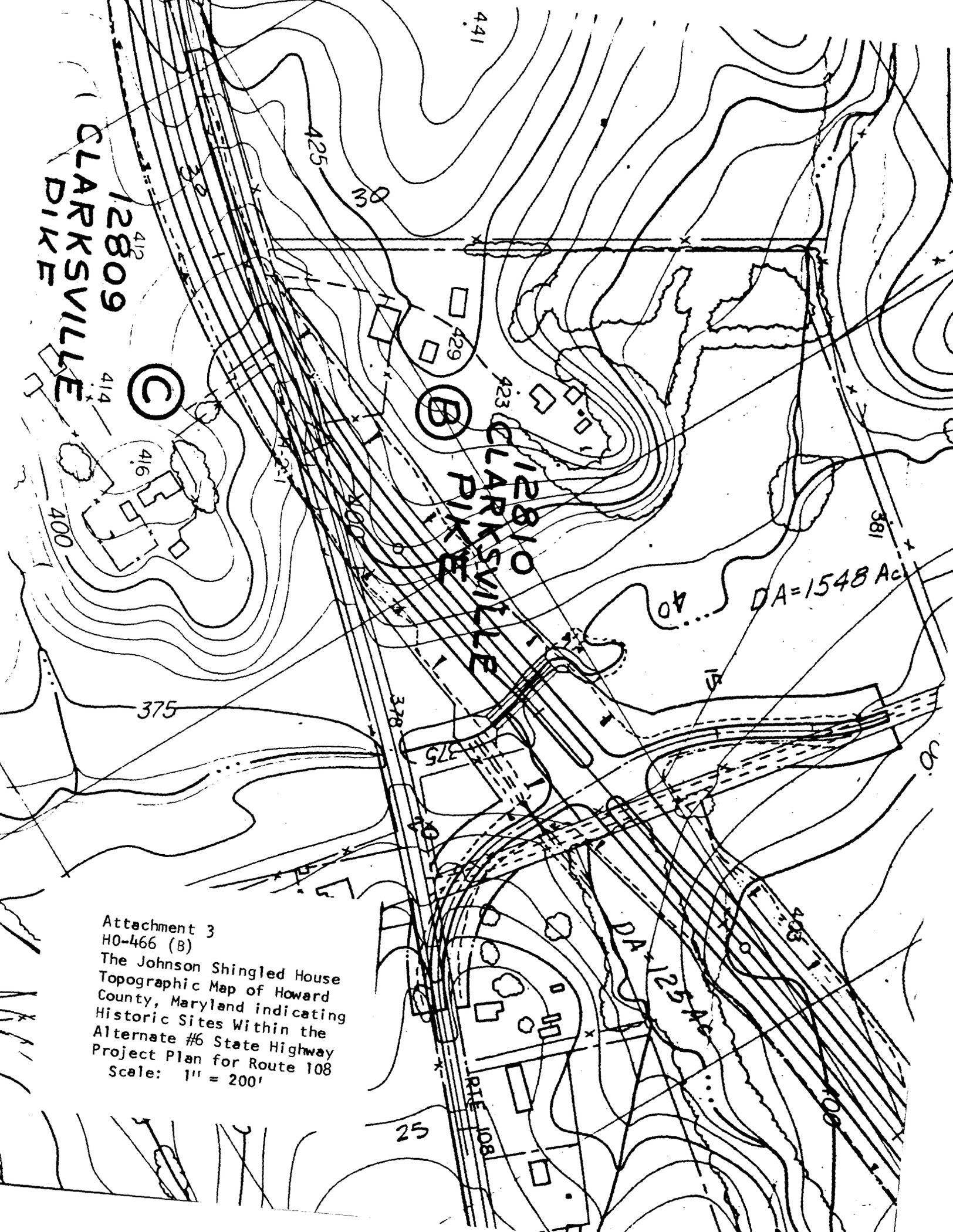
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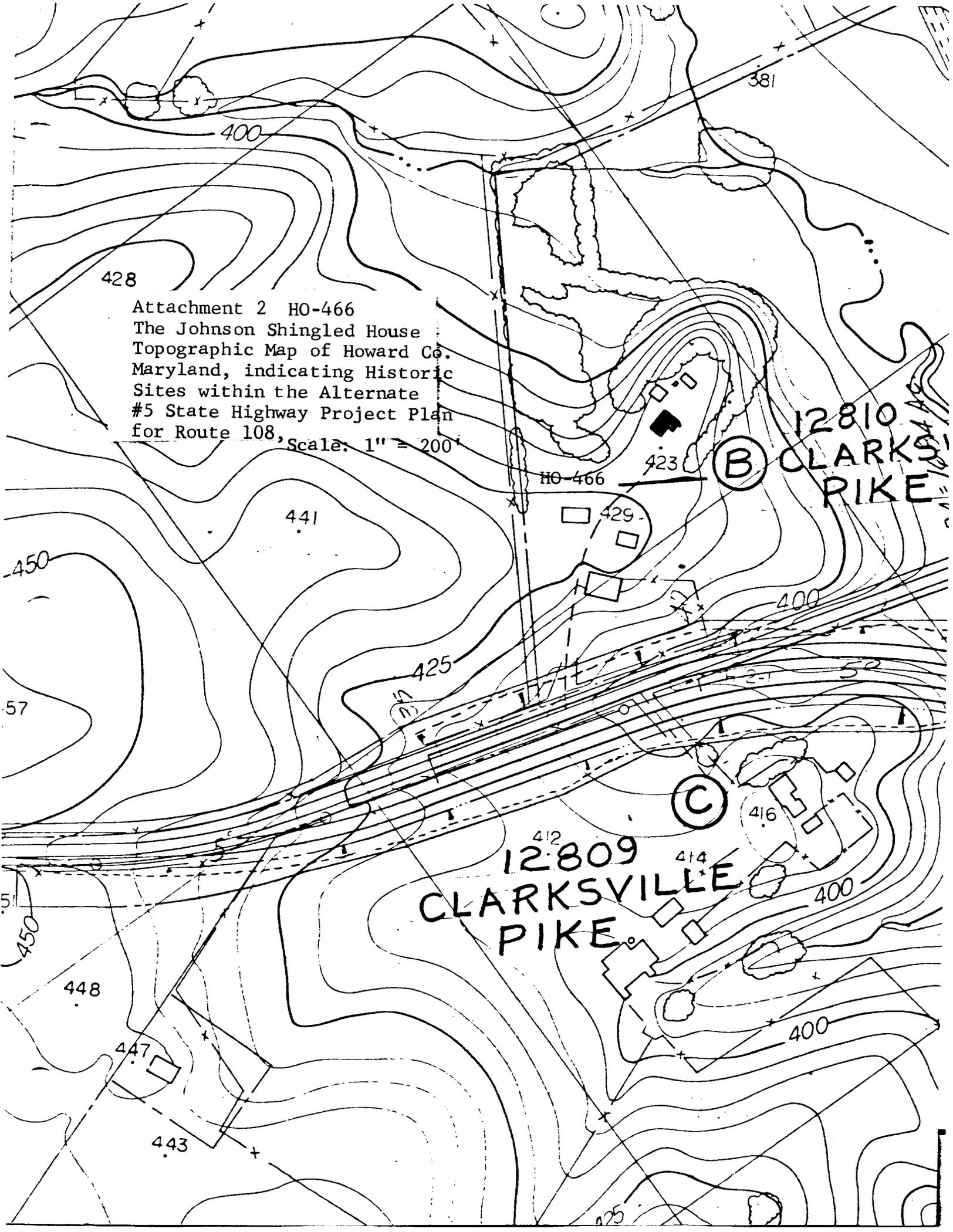
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Attachment 3
HO-466 (B)
The Johnson Shingled House
Topographic Map of Howard
County, Maryland indicating
Historic Sites Within the
Alternate #6 State Highway
Project Plan for Route 108
Scale: 1" = 200'



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Attachment 2 HO-466
The Johnson Shingled House
Topographic Map of Howard Co.
Maryland, indicating Historic
Sites within the Alternate
#5 State Highway Project Plan
for Route 108, Scale: 1" = 200'





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