The Heater/Crown Farm at 10000 Fields Road, in Montgomery County, is not considered eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

The Heater/Crown Farm is a small farm complex consisting of a dwelling, two barns and several domestic outbuildings, including a creamery and a chicken house. The dwelling, built in the first decade of the 20th century, is a two-story, three-bay frame house with a two-story rear ell. The house is covered with a cross gable roof and is characterized by its central gable and porch with scroll sawn columns and brackets. The creamery, chicken house and other domestic sheds are located immediately behind the main house and date from the mid-20th century. Two barns are found between the main house and the fields; one is a gable frame barn with vertical siding from 1927, the other a pre-fab structure from the 1960s.

In 1981, this property was evaluated by SHA and MHT as part of the ICC project and determined not eligible to the National Register. However, because of the increasing conversion of farmland to non-agricultural uses in Montgomery County, SHA re-evaluated the property as part of this project and determined it, along with an adjacent farm also in Crown family hands, eligible. Based upon the information provided, however, it does not appear that the property meets any of the three criterion for listing on the National Register. The property does provide a link to the agrarian history of Montgomery County, but is not known to have played a vital role or had a significant impact on the farming industry in Montgomery County. The property is a representative example of a small farm complex from this century and thus does not qualify under Criterion A. The property is not known to have associations with persons significant to our past and is thus not eligible under Criterion B. The buildings making up the farm complex lack distinctiveness and do not qualify for listing under Criterion C.
MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA - HISTORIC CONTEXT

I. Geographic Region:

- Eastern Shore (all Eastern Shore counties, and Cecil)
- Western Shore (Anne Arundel, Calvert, Charles, Prince George’s and St. Mary’s)
- Piedmont (Baltimore City, Baltimore, Carroll, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Montgomery)
- Western Maryland ( Allegany, Garrett and Washington)

II. Chronological/Developmental Periods:

- Paleo-Indian 10000-7500 B.C.
- Early Archaic 7500-6000 B.C.
- Middle Archaic 6000-4000 B.C.
- Late Archaic 4000-2000 B.C.
- Early Woodland 2000-500 B.C.
- Middle Woodland 500 B.C. - A.D. 900
- Late Woodland/Archaic A.D. 900-1600
- Contact and Settlement A.D. 1570-1750
- Rural Agrarian Intensification A.D. 1680-1815
- Agricultural-Industrial Transition A.D. 1815-1870
- Industrial/Urban Dominance A.D. 1870-1930
- Modern Period A.D. 1930-Present
- Unknown Period ( ____ prehistoric __ historic)

III. Prehistoric Period Themes:

- Agriculture
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
- Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- Government/Law
- Military
- Religion
- Social/Educational/Cultural
- Transportation

IV. Historic Period Themes:

- Agriculture
- Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
- Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- Government/Law
- Military
- Religion
- Social/Educational/Cultural
- Transportation

V. Resource Type:

Category: Building

Historic Environment: Rural

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Dwelling

Known Design Source: ________________________________
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

NOMINATION FORM
for the
NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

1. NAME

COMMON:

AND/OR HISTORIC:
Heater/Crown Farm

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:
132 Fields Road

CITY OR TOWN:
Gaithersburg

STATE:
Maryland

COUNTY:
Montgomery

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)

☐ District  ☐ Building  ☐ Site  ☐ Structure  ☐ Object

☐ Public  ☐ Private  ☐ Both

OWNERSHIP

Public Acquisition:

☐ In Process  ☐ Being Considered

STATUS

☐ Occupied  ☐ Unoccupied

☐ Preservation work in progress

☐ Yes:

☐ Restricted

☐ Unrestricted

☐ No

ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

☐ Agricultural  ☐ Government  ☐ Park

☐ Commercial  ☐ Industrial  ☐ Private Residence

☐ Educational  ☐ Military  ☐ Religious

☐ Entertaiment  ☐ Museum  ☐ Scientific

☐ Transportation  ☐ Other (Specify)  ☐ Comments

☐ Owner's Name:
Clyde Stinson

STREET AND NUMBER:
132 Fields Road

CITY OR TOWN:
Gaithersburg

STATE:
Maryland

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:
Montgomery County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:
Rockville

STATE:
Maryland

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:
None

DATE OF SURVEY:

☐ Federal  ☐ State  ☐ County  ☐ Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:

STATE:
The house is a two story, frame structure with a three bay main (east) facade. The central door is flanked by 2/2 double hung sash. The internal chimneys on either end have been removed. There is a central bay on the main facade. The porch has turned posts with bracketed cornice. The rear el is integral with the main block.

There is a meat house and dairy behind the house.
### 6. SIGNIFICANCE

#### PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)
- [ ] Pre-Columbian
- [X] 16th Century
- [ ] 18th Century
- [X] 19th Century
- [ ] 20th Century

#### SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

#### AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)
- [ ] Aboriginal
- [ ] Prehistoric
- [ ] Historic
- [ ] Agriculture
- [ ] Architecture
- [ ] Art
- [ ] Commerce
- [ ] Communications
- [ ] Conservation
- [ ] Education
- [ ] Engineering
- [ ] Industry
- [ ] Invention
- [ ] Landscape
- [ ] Literature
- [ ] Military
- [ ] Music
- [ ] Political
- [ ] Religion/Philosophy
- [ ] Science
- [ ] Sculpture
- [ ] Social/Humanitarian
- [ ] Theater
- [ ] Transportation
- [ ] Urban Planning
- [ ] Other (Specify)

#### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

See Instructions
### 10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

**LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY OR LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES**

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**APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:**

Acreage Justification:

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### 11. FORM PREPARED BY

**NAME AND TITLE:**

Christopher Owens, Park Historian

**ORGANIZATION:**

MNCPPC

**STREET AND NUMBER:**

8787 Georgia Avenue

**CITY OR TOWN:**

Silver Spring

**STATE:**

Maryland

**DATE:**

20 Aug 74

**State Liaison Officer Review:** (Office Use Only)

Significance of this property is:

- National [ ]
- State [ ]
- Local [ ]

*Signature*
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

See correspondence dated May 16, 1984

ACTION TAKEN

The following area sites were reviewed either as part of this Plan or at previous public hearings and were found not suitable for regulation under the Historic Preservation Ordinance. This Plan recommends their removal from the Locational Atlas. Although removed from the Locational Atlas these sites will remain on the Maryland Historical Trust's Inventory of State Historical Resources.

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* Recommended for designation by the Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission.

** No longer standing.
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Heater-Crown Farm
10000 Fields Road, Gaithersburg
Rockville Quadrangle
NAME: HEATER/CROWN FARM
LOCATION: FIELDS RD., GAITHERSBURG, MD.
FACADE: N
PHOTO TAKEN: 8/20/74
M. Quayle
M: 20-16

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