

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST  
DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM**

NR Eligible: yes \_\_\_  
no

Property Name: Washington, Berwyn & Laurel Railway Culvert Inventory Number: PG:60-9

Address: West side of US 1 City: Beltsville Zip Code: 20705

County: Prince Georges USGS Topographic Map: Beltsville

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Is the property being evaluated a district? \_\_\_ yes

Tax Parcel Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Map Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Account ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Project: US 1/MD 201: Sunnyside Avenue to MD 198 Agency: FHWA/SHA

Site visit by MHT staff:  no \_\_\_ yes Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the property is located within a historic district? \_\_\_ yes  no

*If the property is within a district* District Inventory Number: \_\_\_\_\_

NR-listed district \_\_\_ yes Eligible district \_\_\_ yes Name of District: \_\_\_\_\_

Preparer's Recommendation: Contributing resource \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no Non-contributing but eligible in another context \_\_\_ yes

*If the property is not within a district (or the property is a district)* Preparer's Recommendation: Eligible \_\_\_ yes  no

Criteria:  A \_\_\_ B \_\_\_ C \_\_\_ D Considerations: \_\_\_ A \_\_\_ B \_\_\_ C \_\_\_ D \_\_\_ E \_\_\_ F \_\_\_ G \_\_\_ None

Documentation on the property/district is presented in:  
Project Review and Compliance Files

Description of Property and Eligibility Determination: *(Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map and photo)*

The Washington, Berwyn & Laurel Railway Culvert is in the former trolley company's right-of-way. A good part of this was given to the State Roads Commission which extended Rhode Island Avenue as far as Lexington Avenue in Beltsville. The culvert appears in the landscape as a large rounded form along parts of the right-of-way. However, various private, commercial and government construction projects have impacted the Culvert and large pieces of it are no longer standing. As a result, it lacks integrity of materials, feeling, association and setting and is not eligible for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places under Criterion A (transportation history).

Prepared by: A. Bruder, SHA Arch. Hist. Date Prepared: 10/22/2002

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST REVIEW**

Eligibility recommended \_\_\_ Eligibility not recommended

Criteria: \_\_\_ A \_\_\_ B \_\_\_ C \_\_\_ D Considerations: \_\_\_ A \_\_\_ B \_\_\_ C \_\_\_ D \_\_\_ E \_\_\_ F \_\_\_ G \_\_\_ None

MHT Comments

Andrew Lewis  
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services

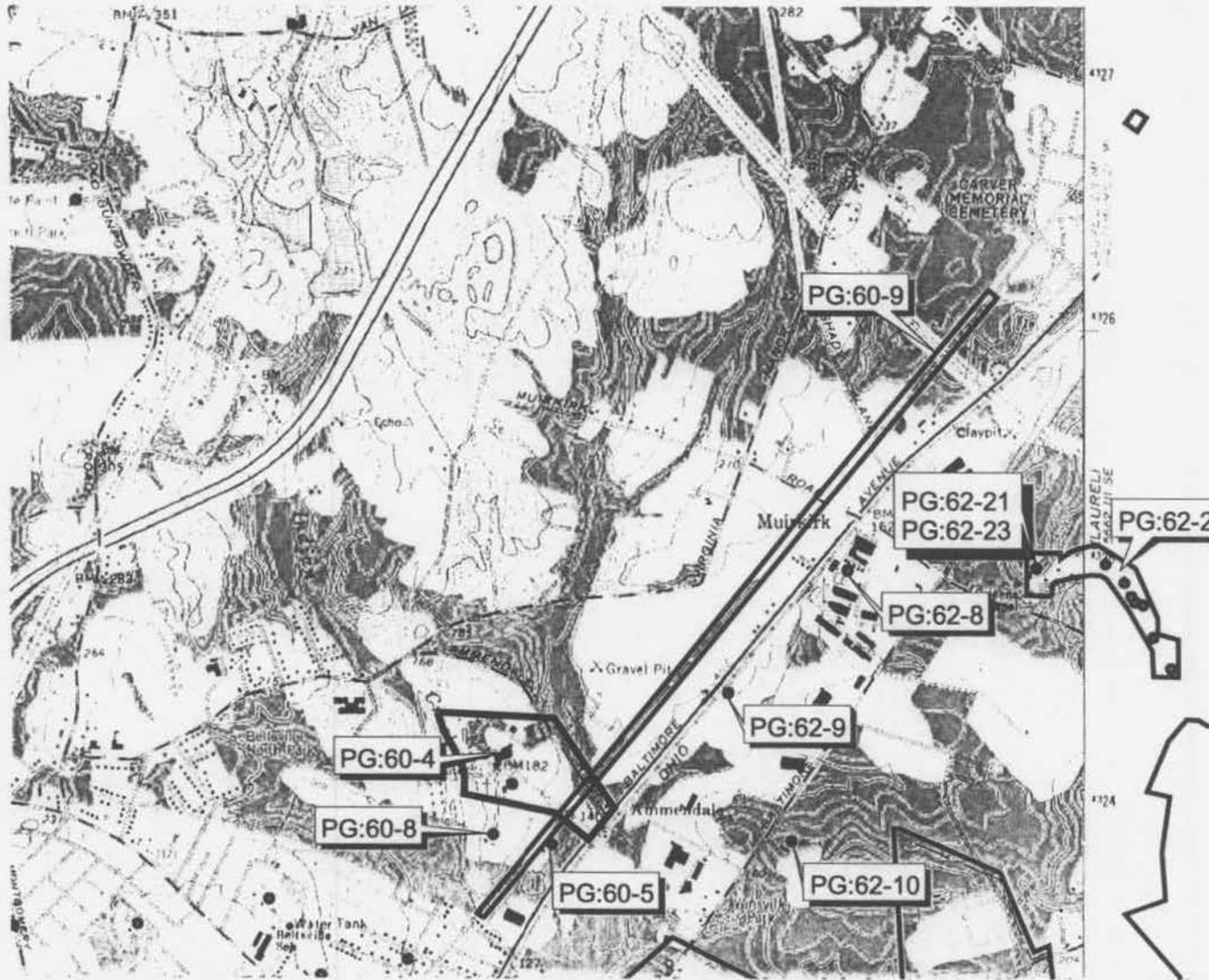
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# US 1 Historic Resources Map #3



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-  USGS Topo Quad Index
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USGS 7.5' Topographic Quadrangle BELTSVILLE, MD

1964,  
photo revised 1979

St. Louis

U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

7.5' QUADRANGLE



Burtonsville

LAUREL

ALLEGHENY

LAUREL

ALLEGHENY

MONTGOMERY CO  
PRINCE GEORGES CO

NORMAL INSTITUTE

Annapolis

BALTIMORE

Vansville

Holtsville

ALLEGHENY

Little Pine Branch

Little Branch

Sunnyside

Northcrest

USGS 15' Topographic Quadrangle LAUREL, MD

1907





MONTCOMERY CO  
PRINCE GEORGE'S CO

Beltsville

BELTSVILLE  
RESEARCH  
CENTER

Whitehouse

Sunnyside

Hollywood

North End Sch

GREENBELT

Mowatt  
Memorial Ch

Greenbelt  
Lake

Sewage Disposal

Sewage Disposal

Drive-in  
Theater

Vansville

Briarley Military  
Academy

Amundale  
Normal  
Institute

Queens  
Chapel

Muirpark

Contee

National Capitol  
Memorial Park

Laurel Lake

Farmland

ruins

Station

BELTSVILLE  
RESEARCH  
CENTER

Daniel's Park

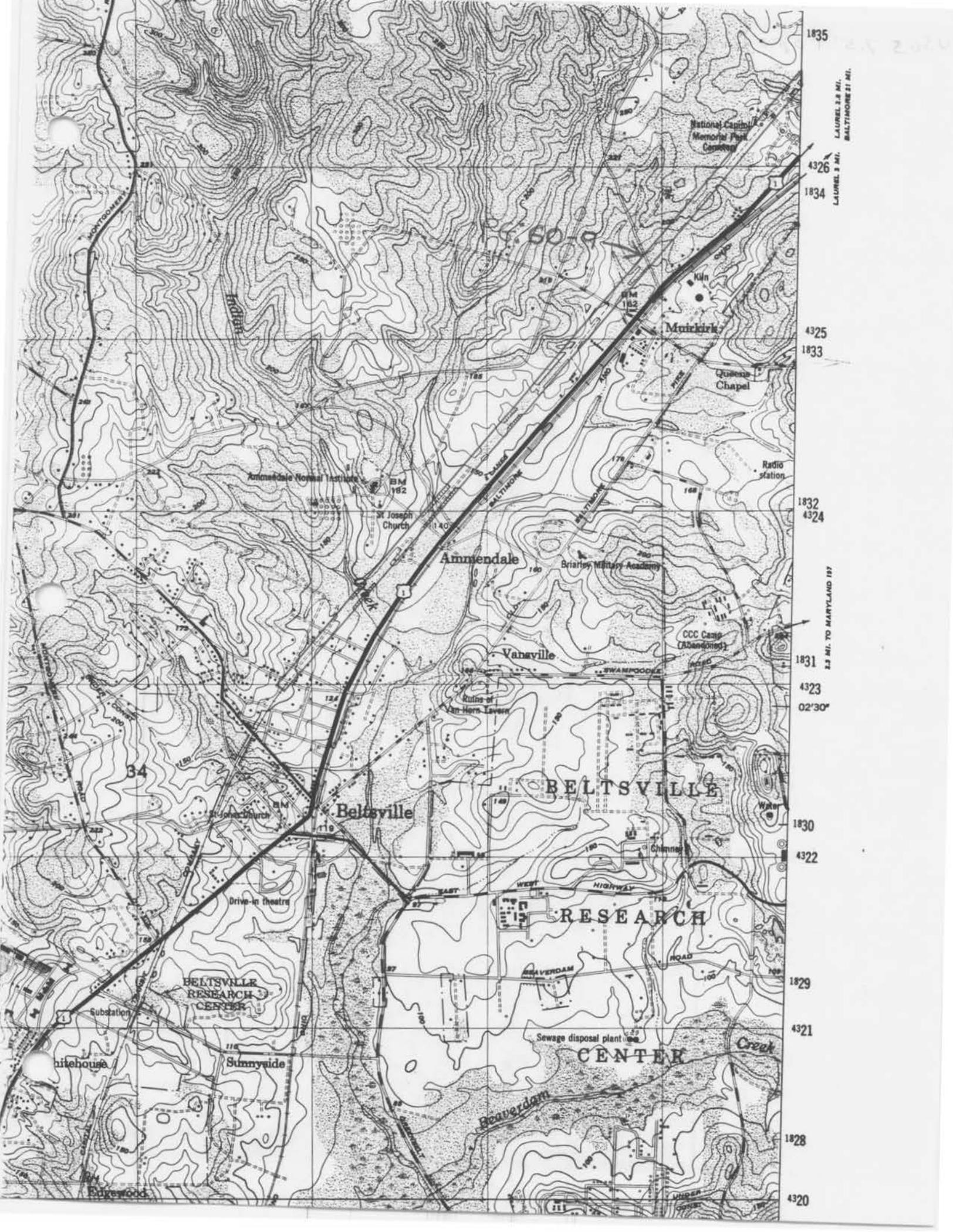
Water Tank

Corn

USGS 15' Topographic Quadrangle LAUREL, MD  
1949

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1835

LAUREL 2.8 MI.  
BALTIMORE 21 MI.

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1834

4325

1833

1832

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1831

4323

02'30"

1830

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1829

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1828

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MONTROSS

WELLS

National Capitol  
Memorial Park  
Cemetery

Muirkirk

Queen's  
Chapel

Radio  
station

Ammendale Normal Institute

St. Joseph  
Church

Ammendale

Briarley Military Academy

Vanville

Ruins of  
Van Horn Tavern

CCC Camp  
(Abandoned)

Beltsville

BELTSVILLE

RESEARCH

BELTSVILLE  
RESEARCH  
CENTER

CENTER

Sewage disposal plant

Creek

Beaverdam

Sunnyside

hitehouse

Substation

Drive-in theatre

HIGHWAY

ROAD

BEAVERDAM

EAST

WEST

UNDER  
CONSTRUCTION

USGS 7.5' Topographic Quadrangle, BELTSVILLE, MARYLAND

1949

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LAUREL 2.8 MI.  
BALTIMORE (CIVIC CENTER) 21 MI.

(Laurel)

2'30"

USGS 7.5' Topographic Quadrangle BELTSVILLE, MD  
1951





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