

**Addendum to
Maryland Historical Trust
Maryland Inventory of
Historic Properties Form**

Inventory No. S-206

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Name of Property: Green Hill Store

Location: Northeast corner of Curtis Chapel Road and Arden Station Road (Green Hill Crossroads), Green Hill vicinity

The Green Hill Store was a single-story, frame rural store building located at Green Hill crossroads. The building was noted in a previous survey (1984) to be deteriorating. It is no longer standing. The former site of the building is currently an open field with no structures present.

Prepared by: Grant Johnson

Date: February 2014



Great Bay Wind Energy Center
 Somerset County - Maryland
Historic Resources Assessment
 February 2014

Notes: Basemap: ESRI USA Topomaps Online Map Service

- Demolished/Removed, Not Eligible
- EDR Recommends NRHP-Eligible
- EDR Recommends Not NRHP-Eligible
- Undetermined





S-206

GREEN HILL STORE

SOMERSET COUNTY, MD

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8/26/2013

DIGITAL FILE at MD SHPO

VIEW NE TOWARD FORMER STORE SITE

PHOTO #1

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S-206
Green Hill Store
Green Hill Crossroads
Private

1870

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The Green Hill Store is designated at this site on the 1877 county atlas, in addition to being included in the mortgage settlement of ^{the} Francis Barnes property in 1896. During the third quarter of the 19th-century, Francis Barnes assembled a large agricultural and mercantile complex surrounding the crossroads.

Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Green Hill Store

and/or common

2. Location

street & number Green Hill Crossroads _____ not for publication

city, town Green Hill _____ vicinity of _____ congressional district First

state Maryland _____ county Somerset

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
___ district	___ public	___ occupied	___ agriculture	___ museum
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unoccupied	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commercial	___ park
___ structure	___ both	___ work in progress	___ educational	___ private residence
___ site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	___ entertainment	___ religious
___ object	___ in process	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes: restricted	___ government	___ scientific
	___ being considered	___ yes: unrestricted	___ industrial	___ transportation
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not applicable	___ no	___ military	___ other:

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

name Roger Olsen

street & number _____ telephone no.:

city, town Westover _____ state and zip code MD 21871

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Somerset Clerk of Court _____ liber

street & number Somerset County Courthouse _____ folio

city, town Princess Anne _____ state MD 21853

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date _____ federal _____ state _____ county _____ local

pository for survey records

city, town _____ state

7. Description

Survey No. S-206

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date of move _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

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

The Green Hill Store is a c. 1870 single-story frame structure which stands on the northeast corner of the Green Hill crossroads. Westover is the nearest town.

Facing southwest, the two-room plan weatherboarded structure rests on a brick pier foundation and is covered by a steeply pitched asphalt tile roof. The eaves are extended and decorated with sawnwork. A turned pendant hangs from each major corner.

The southwest (main) elevation is divided into four bays of alternating doors and windows. The northernmost bay is a single four-panel door with glazed upper panels. The next bay to the south is a 6/6 sash window, while the next bay is a double leaf paneled door with glazed upper panels. Finally, a 6/6 sash window ends the sequence. A shed-roofed front porch formerly stretched across the entire facade.

Both the gable ends have a 6/6 sash window that lights the main floor in addition to the loft above. Remnants of louvered shutters flank the windows.

Stretching across the back side of the main store is a single-story shed addition with board and batten doors and long strap hinges on each end. A narrow brick stove stack rises from the main block on the northeast roof slope.

The store interior is divided into two rooms with a partition between the third and fourth bays from the right. Entrance through the double doors allows access into the largest room which is sheathed inside with horizontal beaded boards. The store shelving and counters have been removed. Iron keepers for door bars as well as a period lock, remain on the front door.

A door opening in the back section of the partition provides access into the narrow side room which contains an enclosed stair in the northeast corner.

The second floor is divided into three rooms. Two small rooms are located at the head of the stair. The second floor is also sheathed with horizontal board siding. The partition walls have small openings with pockets for movable sash or grills.

8. Significance

Survey No. S-206

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
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" 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
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input 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.

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History and Support

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

Quadrangle scale _____

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

A
 Zone Easting Northing

B
 Zone Easting Northing

C

D

E

F

G

H

Verbal boundary description and justification

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

state	code	county	code

state	code	county	code

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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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GREEN Hill STORE, S-206
KINGSTON QUADRANGLE

KINGSTON QUADRANGLE
MARYLAND
7.5 MINUTE SERIES ORTHOPHOTOMAP (TOPOGRAPHIC)

SALISBURY 18 MI.
PRINCESS ANNE 4.7 MI.

5860 II NW
(PRINCESS ANNE)

441

40'

442

443

1 190 000 FEET

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