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INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY/DISTRICT
MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
INTERNAL NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

Property/District Name: A. Hammond House Survey Number: WA-II-359

Project: Scenic Easement Acquisition Agency: FHWA/SHA

Site visit by MHT Staff: no yes Name _____ Date _____

Eligibility recommended Eligibility not recommended

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

Justification for decision: (Use continuation sheet if necessary and attach map)

Based on the available information, the A. Hammond House, now known as the Sharon L. Hall Property, located north of Sharpsburg alongside the Antietam Battlefield, is eligible for the National Register of Historic Places under Criteria A and C for its association with the development of agriculture in Washington County and for its architecture which is representative of a rural family farmstead, built in the vernacular style and dating from c. 1850. The farmstead consists of a brick farmhouse, barn, and three small domestic and agricultural outbuildings. The house retains integrity despite a large, but sympathetic, rear addition.

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Project File, Inventory Form

Prepared by: Engineering-Science, Paula Stoner

Elizabeth Hannold June 30, 1994
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services Date

NR program concurrence: yes no not applicable
[Signature] 7.1.94
Reviewer, NR program Date

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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:

- Subsistence
- Settlement
- Political
- Demographic
- Religion
- Technology
- Environmental Adaption

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: Buildings

Historic Environment: rural

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic/Single Family, Agricultural

Known Design Source: na

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

WA-II-359
 District 1
 Map 72
 Parcel 6
 MAGI # 2209215535

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Mid 19th Century Farmstead

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Keedysville-Bakersville and Smoketown Roads

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF Smoketown

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Washington

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

OWNERSHIP

STATUS

PRESENT USE

DISTRICT

PUBLIC

OCCUPIED

AGRICULTURE

MUSEUM

BUILDING(S)

PRIVATE

UNOCCUPIED

COMMERCIAL

PARK

STRUCTURE

BOTH

WORK IN PROGRESS

EDUCATIONAL

PRIVATE RESIDENCE

SITE

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

ACCESSIBLE

ENTERTAINMENT

RELIGIOUS

OBJECT

IN PROCESS

YES: RESTRICTED

GOVERNMENT

SCIENTIFIC

BEING CONSIDERED

YES: UNRESTRICTED

INDUSTRIAL

TRANSPORTATION

NO

MILITARY

OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Roy L. Ebersole

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

Route # 1

CITY, TOWN

Keedysville

___ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21756

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Liber #: 302

Folio #: 028

COURTHOUSE,
 REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Washington County Court House

STREET & NUMBER

West Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

___ FEDERAL ___ STATE ___ COUNTY ___ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
 SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

UNALTERED
 ALTERED < 50%

CHECK ONE

ORIGINAL SITE
 MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This mid 19th century brick farmhouse is a two story, seven bay structure constructed in common bond at all elevations. Along four bays of its facade is a recessed double porch which is included beneath the main roof span. Windows have two over two pane sashes, their upper panes having curved tops. Also present are a series of frame outbuildings and a barn.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

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
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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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This complex would appear to date from the mid 19th century. The house in particular exhibits characteristics of the third quarter of the 19th century in its general form with the recessed double porch, its window type and framing, and its woodwork trim. The property derives some military significance from its proximity to the Civil War Battlefield at Antietam.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATAACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 124 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

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

STATE COUNTY

STATE COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paula Stoner, Architectural Historian

ORGANIZATION

Preservation Associates

DATE

June 1978

STREET & NUMBER

109 West Main Street, Box 202

TELEPHONE

301-432-5466

CITY OR TOWN

Sharpsburg

STATE

Maryland 21782

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.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

WA-II-359 A. HAMMOND HOUSE (SHARON L. HALL PROPERTY)

1994 Revisions to the Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

7. Description (revisions)

A modern addition has been attached to the rear and one side of the house. The addition is basically U-shaped, with one side of the U being two-stories where it is attached to the rear of the house. A one-story segment is built out at right angles to the house and attaches to another two story segment with a three-car garage on the lower level. Despite its large size, the addition has been sensitively designed, incorporating such details of the historic structure as the two over two windows with curved upper panes in that segment of the U that is immediately adjacent to the house. The farther segments of the addition also have two over two windows with the top panes curved, but instead of being of equal height, the lower panes are much taller than the upper panes, so it is obvious that they are modern.

8. Significance (revisions)

This property was evaluated for significance under National Register Criteria A and C at the local level during the period of Agricultural-Industrial Transition (1815-1878), under the guidelines of the Maryland Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan. The property is representative of a rural family farmstead, built in the vernacular style and dating from ca. 1850. It maintains its integrity of location, design, setting, workmanship, and feeling, despite the large modern addition and the fact that it is no longer a working farm. It is significant under both Criteria A and C for its association with the development of agriculture in western Maryland and also for the architecture of the mid-nineteenth century farmhouse, and outbuildings. It may also qualify under Criteria D for archeological information.

Moreover, there is no evidence to link the property to events during the battle of Antietam; therefore, it should not be stated that the property is significant for its association with the military events of the Civil War.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

600 000 FEET (MD)

765 000 M E

766

767

42'30"

4'75" MIN N

WA II 303

WA II 282

WA II 539

WA II 537

WA II 511

WA II 281

WA II 251

WA II 255

WA II 297

WA II 279

WA II 345

WA II 359
Kedysville quad

WA II 347

WA II 122

WA II 313

4374

BATTLED

ANTIETAM

APPROX

Fairview Cent

WA II 243

600 000 FEET (MD)

4373

WA II 357

WA II 350

WA II 349

WA II 335

4372

BATTLED

WA II 351

WA II 331

WA II 265

WA II 335

Porterstown Bridge

Porterstown

WA II 324

WA II 323

27'30"

ANTIETAM NATIONAL CEMETERY

Sharpsburg

(BM 413) WA II 353

Hawkins Monument

WA II 334

WA II 354

WA II 132

Burnside Bridge

Gaging Sta

4370

ANTIETAM

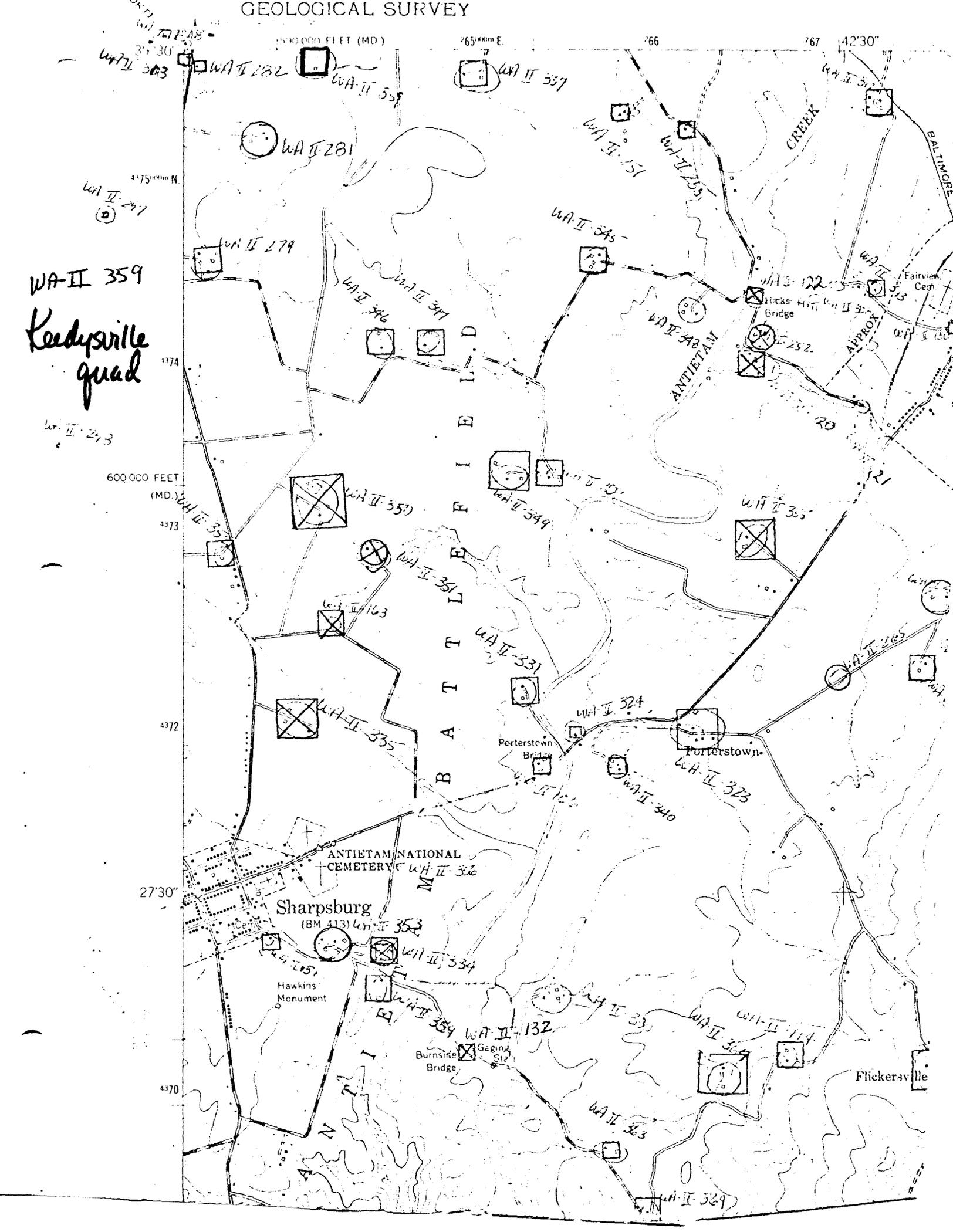
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WA II 119

Flickersville

WA II 369

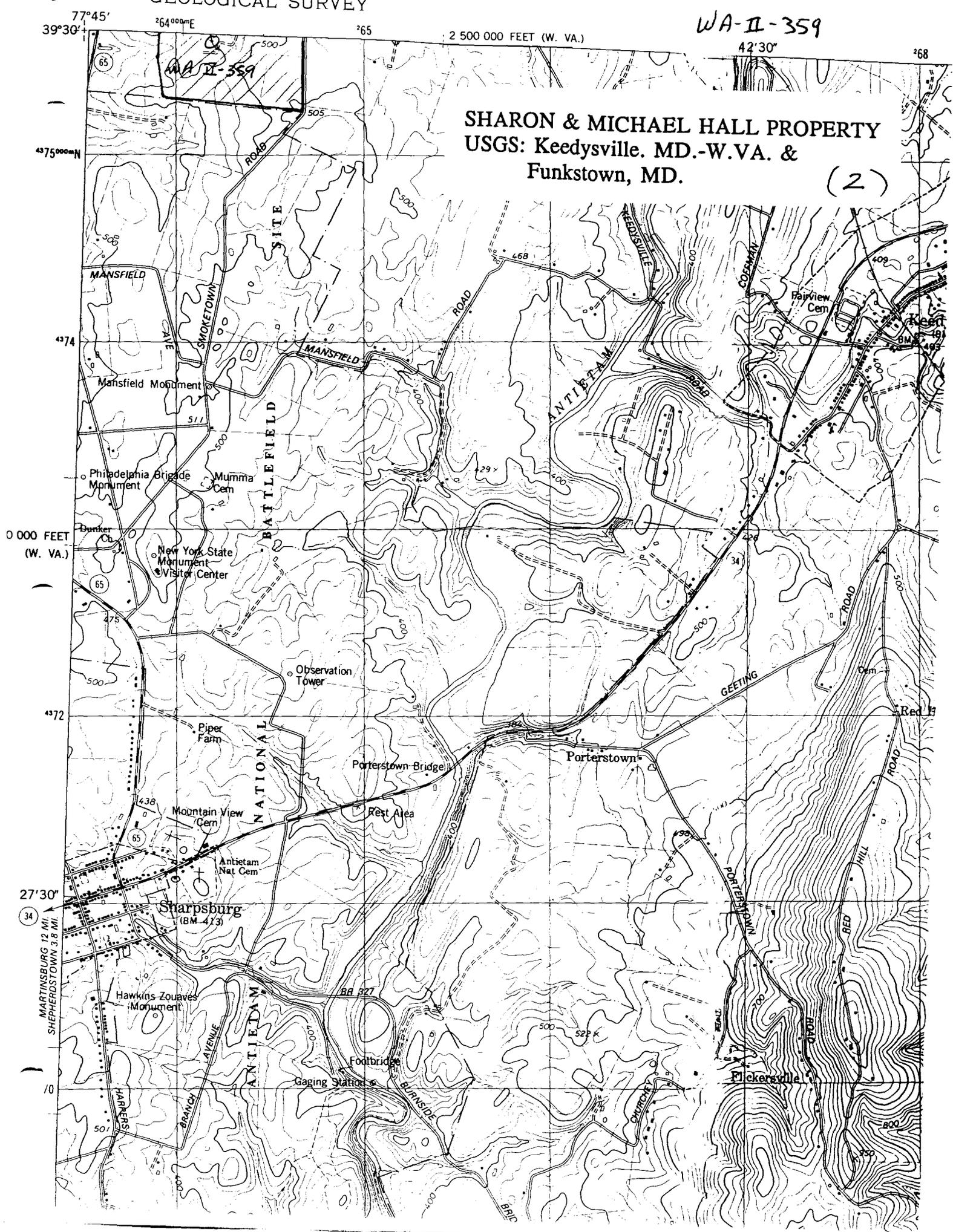


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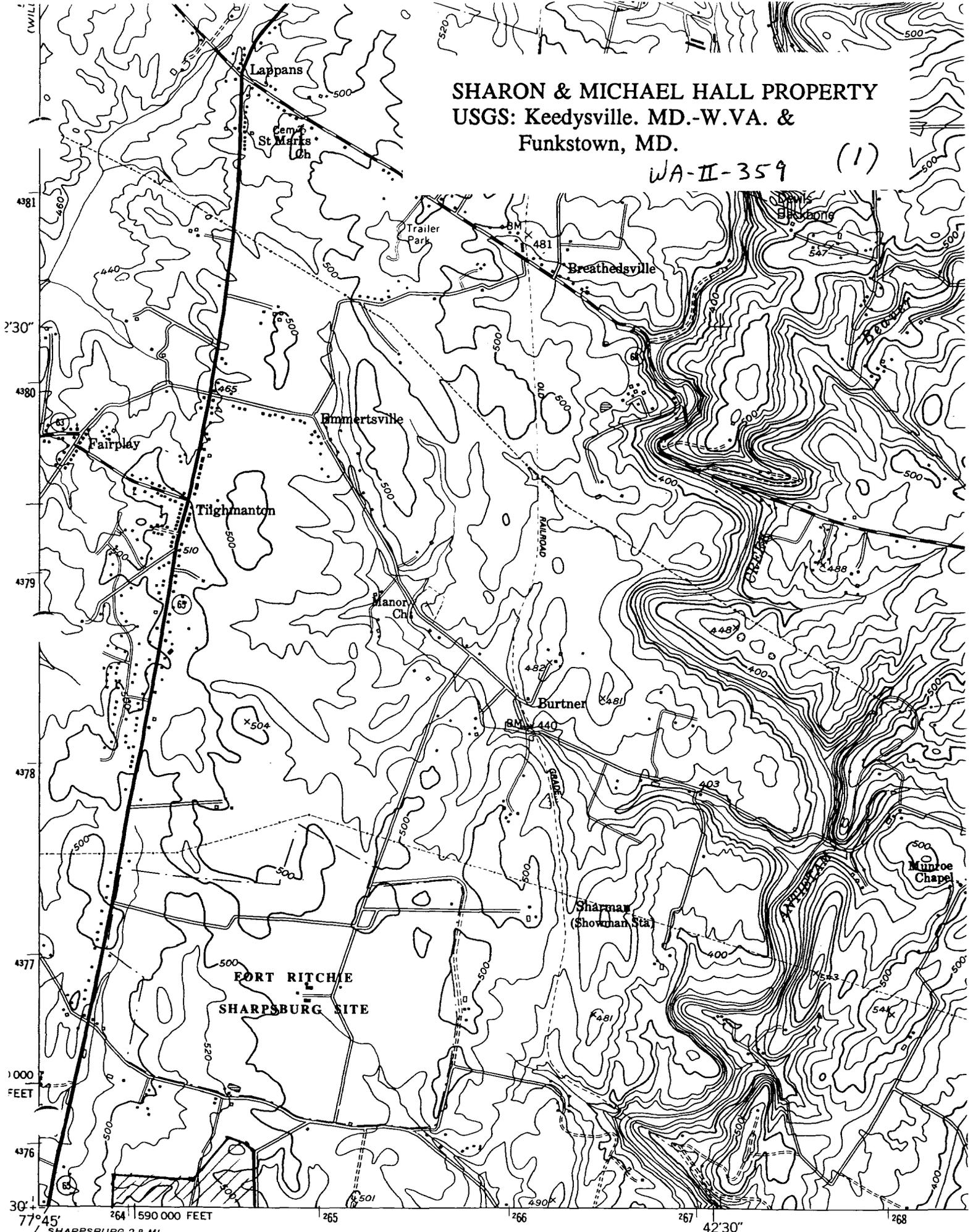
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SHARON & MICHAEL HALL PROPERTY
USGS: Keedysville, MD.-W.VA. &
Funkstown, MD.



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Engineering-Science



East elevation of east wing of Hall house with well house to the north



North elevation of Hall house facing the road

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

Engineering-Science



West and south elevations of main house section and south L addition of Hall house



East elevation of east wing and Hall house with south L addition

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

Engineering-Science



West elevation of well house on east side of road leading to Hall house and stone structure in field southeast of well house



North and west elevations of small barn north of well house on east side of road leading to Hall house

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

Engineering-Science



South and west elevations of barn-like structure on west side of road leading to Hall house



West and north elevations of stone structure with overhang in field east of Hall house

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

Engineering-Science



North entrance with overhang to stone structure in field east of Hall house



Window with wooden dowels (one remaining) as bars on east wall elevation of stone structure in field east of Hall house

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

1711 1110

Engineering-Science



Stone wall of south gable end of stone structure in field east of Hall house

Source: Engineering-Science

Antietam Property

Hall Property

Hall II



Mid 19th Century Farmstead

Keedysville-Bakersville
and Smoketown Rds., Smoke-
Vicinity

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