

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST  
NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM**

Property Name: 311 North Main Street Inventory Number: WA-II-799

Address: 311 North Main Street, Boonsboro, Maryland

Owner: Kleora Earley and Charles Smith

Tax Parcel Number: 346 Tax Map Number: 601

Project: Boonsboro Streetscape - WA960A21 Agency: Maryland State Highway Administration

Site visit by: John Milner Associates, Inc. Staff: no  yes

Name: Kerri Culhane and Rachel Mancini Date: June 1999

Eligibility recommended  Eligibility not recommended

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

Is property located within a historic district?  no  yes Name of district: Town of Boonsboro

Is district listed?  no  yes

Documentation on the property/district is presented in: Boonsboro Streetscape, Alternate US 40: MD 68 to East of Mousetown Road, Washington County, Maryland, SHA Report 215 (JMA 1999) and Final Report: Architectural and Cultural Survey of Boonsboro and Clear Spring, MD (Mueller 1992).

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

No. 311 North Main Street is a one-and-one-half-story, three-bay-wide, side-gabled, detached, log, single-family dwelling on a solid rubblestone foundation. The house has a metal roof, asbestos siding, and one interior end chimney. Fenestration consists of 1/1 wood sash windows in the first floor with six-pane single sash/hopper windows in the half-story. There is a one-story, two-bay, hip-roofed porch and a single-leaf, half-glass door. This may be an early-mid-nineteenth-century house with later alterations. To the rear of the house is a one-story gable ell with interior end chimney and a shed-roofed frame shed. The frame gable-front garage with swinging garage doors is located off the southeast corner of the house and dates to the twentieth-century. The house is contributing to the Town of Boonsboro Historic District.

Prepared by: Kerri Culhane, John Milner Associates, Inc., VA

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Comments: _____	
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services <i>[Signature]</i>	Date <u>12/1/99</u>
Reviewer, NR program <i>[Signature]</i>	Date <u>10/12/00</u>

**PRESERVATION VISION 2000; THE MARYLAND PLAN  
STATEWIDE HISTORIC CONTEXTS**

**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:**

- 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. Historic Period Themes:**

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

**IV. Resource Type:**

Category: Building  
Historic Environment: Village  
Historic Function(s) and Use(s): DOMESTIC/single dwelling  
Known Design Source: none

SITE NUMBER: WA-II-799  
ADDRESS: 311 North Main Street, Boonsboro, MD  
OWNER/LOT NUMBER/ACCESS: private  
BUILDING DATE: last quarter 19th century?

311 North Main Street is a west-facing, horizontally massed, one-and-a-half-story, three-bay, frame, freestanding, residential structure. The building, which is set directly at the public-right-of-way, rests on a stucco-finish foundation and has been covered with asbestos shingles, appears to be of log construction. It has a side-gable, tin roof with one brick chimney. A hipped-roof porch extends across the facade of the house and protects the center-bay entrance. The door, which is set deep into the wall, has a glazed panel over a raised one, and a wooden knob. Fenestration includes double-casement, six-over-six sash windows in the transom story and double-hung, one-over-one windows on the first floor. All windows are deep-set. There are several makeshift one-story rear additions to the house. A frame garage is located in the side yard.

The 1897 Sanborn indicates that the house was then numbered 59 Main Street. No changes are indicated on any of the other maps.

The building is within the Western Maryland Geographic Organization, the probable Development Period of Agricultural-Industrial Transition, and falls within the Historic Period Theme of Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning.

Prepared by Julianne Mueller, July 1992





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311 N. Main St

Ewingsboro Washington Co, MD

Kerr Culhane

6/1999

neg: MD SHPO

looking SE, main house



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311 N. Main St.

Boonsboro, Washington Co. MD

Kerri Culhane

6/1997

neg: MD SHPO

looking NE, main house



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311 N. Main St.

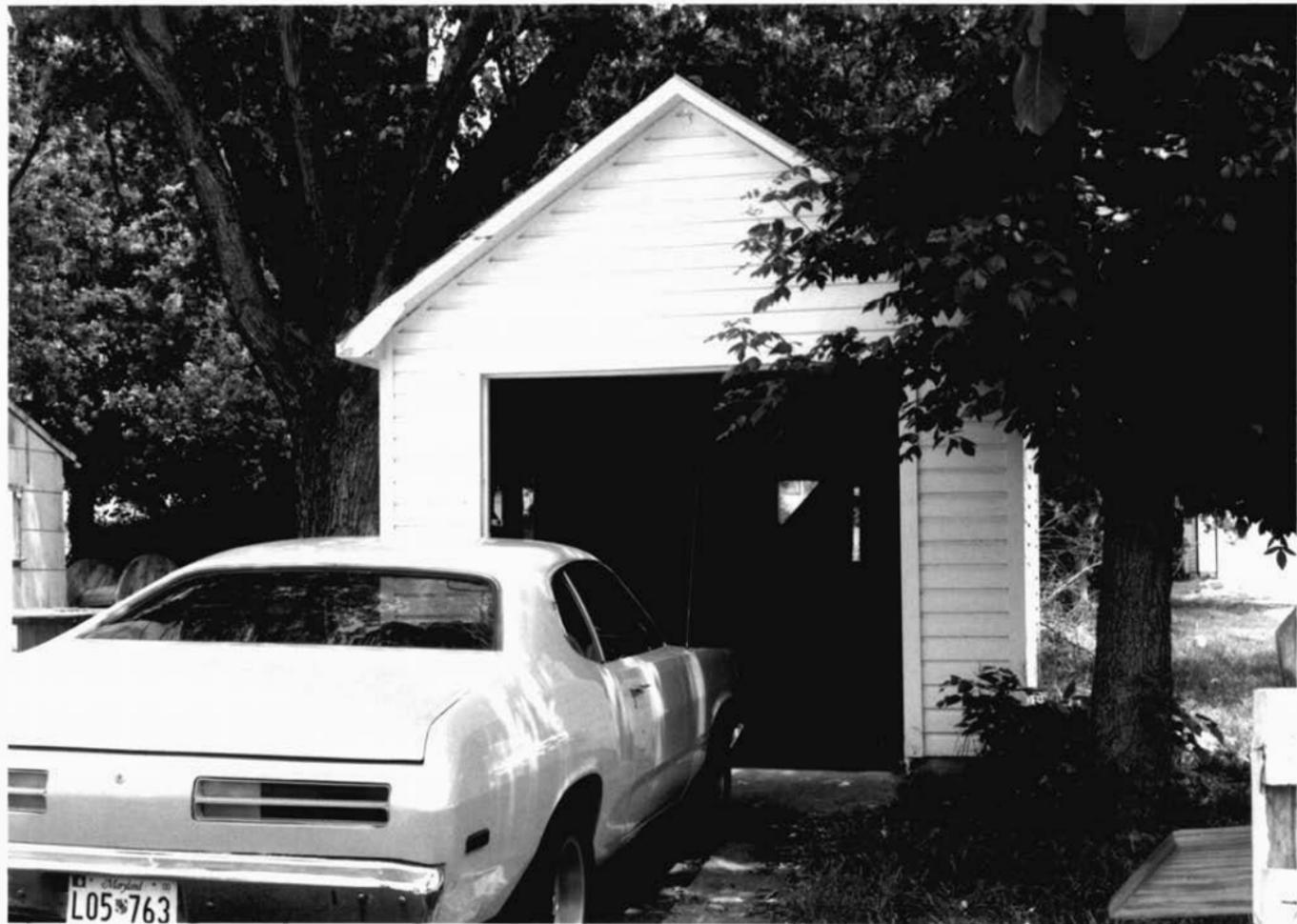
Edwards, Washington Co, MD

Perr' Culhane

6'999

neg: MD SHPS

looking NW, main house + additions



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311 N. Main St.

Boonsboro, Washington Co, MD

Kerri Calhane

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neg. MD SHPa

looking east. garage



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