

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

Property Name: 208 North Main Street Inventory Number: WA-II-832

Address: 208 North Main Street, Boonsboro, Maryland

Owner: John Golden

Tax Parcel Number: 330 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)*

Number 208 North Main Street is a brick-veneered log building which has recently been sided in vinyl. The two-story, three-bay side-gabled detached center-hall-plan dwelling has been converted into apartments. The building sits on a stone foundation and has two interior end chimneys. The roof is clad in asphalt shingles. The single-leaf, half-glass entry door is surmounted by a small transom. The windows are 1/1 wood sashes, replacements for what were probably 6/6 wood sashes originally. The northern bay on the first floor of the facade had been remodeled with a projecting polygonal bay. There is a one-story, three-bay hip-roofed porch with attenuated columns that have lost their Ionic capitals. Some riven lathe is exposed on the interior of the building. The core of this building probably dates to the early nineteenth-century, if not earlier. The building has been continually remodeled over the course of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. As an example of domestic architecture in Boonsboro, this house is a contributing element 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	<u>12/1/98</u> Date
_____ Reviewer, NR program	<u>10/12/00</u> Date

**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:

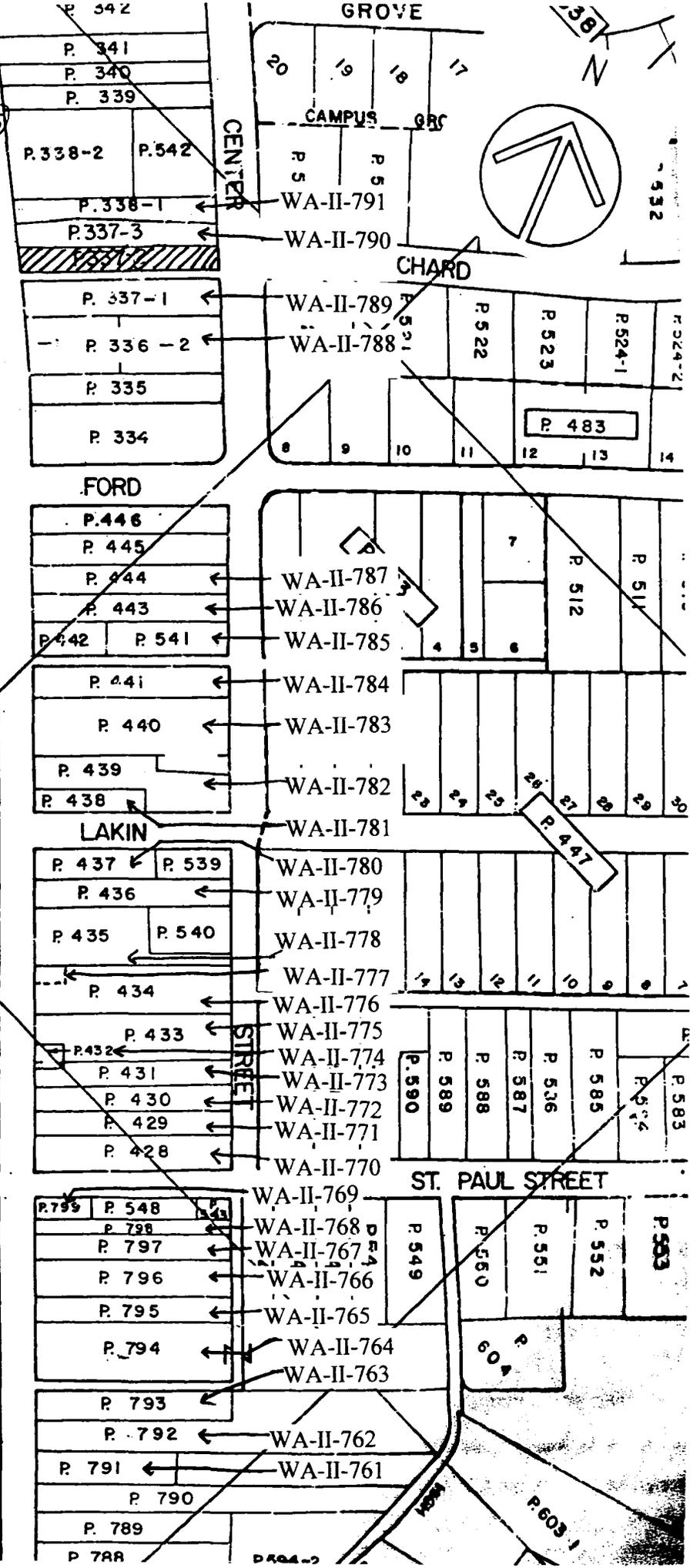
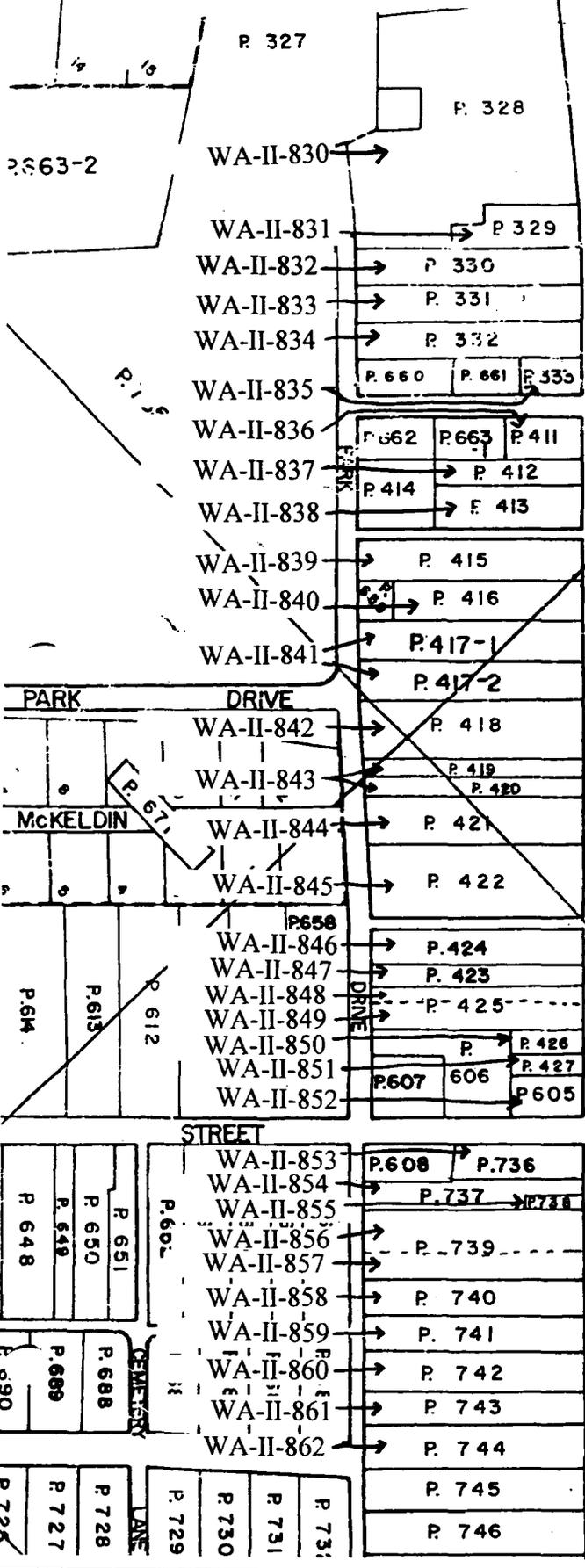
- Agriculture
 Architecture, Landscape Architecture, and Community Planning
 Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
 Government/Law
 Military
 Religion
 Social/Educational/Cultural
 Transportation

IV. Resource Type:

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

STOUFFER AVE.

Portion of Washington Co., MD Tax Map 601 showing the location of WA-II-832 (Parcel 330), 208 North Main Street, Boonsboro, MD





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208 N. Main St

Beansboro, Washington Co, MD

Kerr Culhane

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regis - MD SHPO

looking SW main house



WA-11-832

208 N. Main St

Boonsboro Washington Co, MD

Kerri Culhane

6/1999

neg MD SHPO

looking NW, main house



WA-11-832

208 N. Main St

Boonsboro, Washington Co., MD

Kerri Culhane

6/1999

neg. MD SHPO

looking NE, outbuilding



WA-11-832

208 N. Main St

Boonsboro, Washington Co., MD

Herri Cuhane

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neg. MD 5470

looking NE, outbuilding

SITE NUMBER: WA-II-832
ADDRESS: 208 North Main Street, Boonsboro, MD
OWNER/LOT NUMBER/ACCESS: private
BUILDING DATE: mid 19th century, pre-1897

208 North Main Street is an east-facing, horizontally massed, two-and-a-half-story, three-bay, frame with brick veneer, freestanding, residential structure. The building, which is set directly at the public-right-of-way, rests on a stone foundation. The brick is painted red and is laid in a running bond. The artificial shingle, side-gable roof has two brick chimneys. A hipped-roof porch is supported on slender corinthian columns and extends across the facade, protecting the center-bay entrance and a one-story octagonal bay window. The entrance is composed of a glazed and four-panel door surmounted by a three-light transom. Fenestration consists of double-hung, one-over-one windows with shutters and simple lintels and sills. There are two frame outbuildings on the property.

A building of similar configuration is noted on the 1877 map of the town. The 1897 Sanborn notes that this building, then numbered 12 Main, is a frame building with a brick veneer. It also notes several outbuildings on the property. The porch and bay window were constructed between 1904 and 1910. Most of the outbuildings are extant on the 1940 Sanborn.

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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