Salisbury Historic District Commission AGENDA

Wednesday, April 23, 2025 at 7:00 pm

Government Office Building Room 306

- 1. 7:00 P.M. CALL TO ORDER Scott Saxman, Chairman
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES February 23, 2025

PUBLIC INPUT – Public members are welcome to comment at this time, subject to a time allotment of two (2) minutes per person.

- 5. CONSENT DOCKET #25-04* 709 Camden Ave Fence Installation
- 6. OLD BUSINESS –
- 7. NEW BUSINESS
 - #25-03* 226 N Division St Alterations Replacement of roof
 - #25-05* 227 Broad St Alterations Replace wood windows and siding

^{*}The structure has been deemed a contributing structure by the SHDC

^{*}The structure has been deemed a non-contributing structure by the SHDC

Salisbury Historic District Commission February 26, 2025

The Salisbury Historic District Commission met in regular session on Wednesday, February 26, 2025. The meeting took place at 125 N Division St Room 301 with attendance as follows:

COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT
Scott Saxman, Chairman –Present
Matt Auchey, Vice Chairman – Not Present
Lynne Bratten - Present
Brad Phillips- Not present
Margaret Lawson- Present
Brenden Frederick – Not present
Lisa Gingrich – Present

CITY OFFICIALS PRESENT Laura Hay, City Attorney- Present Jennifer Jean, Infrastructure & Development- Present

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Mr. Scott Saxman called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.
- **2. ROLL CALL** Each member of the Commission introduced themselves for the record. The Chairman explained the procedure of the meeting to all applicants and administered the oath en masse to all persons intending to testify.
- **3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** Ms. Lisa Gingrich made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on January 22, 2025. Ms. Lynne Bratten seconded the motion and the motion carried (4-0).
- **4.** PUBLIC INPUT Members of the public are welcome to make comment at this time, subject to a time allotment of two (2) minutes per person.
- 5. **CONSENT DOCKET** None
- 6. OLD BUSINESS None
- 7. NEW BUSINESS- #25-02 Alterations Replace two windows on second floor Ms. Anastacia Thomasian brought her application before the commission for alterations to replace two windows on the second floor of the property due to concerns that were brought to her attention in her home inspection report. Mr. Scott Saxman confirmed the window selected for replacement is appropriate. He added that windows with full divided light grilles would be preferred. Ms. Anastacia Thomasian confirmed there will be exterior grilles as stated in the amended application submitted through email on January 25, 2025.

Ms. Lisa Gingrich made a motion to approve the amended application which includes the full divided exterior section lights. Ms. Lynne Bratten seconded the motion and the motion carried (4-0).

8. Adjourn the Meeting-

Mr. Saxman made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Lawson seconded the motion. The Commission voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting.

This is a summary of the proceedings of this meeting. Detailed information is in the permanent files of each case as presented and filed in the City of Salisbury, Housing & Community Development Department.

Scott Saxman, Chairman	Date
Amanda Rodriguez, City Planner	Date

Salisbury Historic District Commission

Hearing Notification

April 23, 2025

Hearing Date:

Time:	7:00 pm
Location:	Government Office Building 125 N. Division Street Salisbury, MD. 21804 Room 306
Case Number:	#25-03
Commission Considering:	Alterations – Roof replacement
Owner's Name:	Healthport
Applicant Name:	STG Enterprise Solutions
Agent/Contractor:	N/A
Subject Property Address:	226 N. Division St. Salisbury, MD 21801
Historic District:	Newtown Historic District
Use Category:	Office & Service Residential
Chairman:	Mr. Scott Saxman
HDC Staff contact:	Jennifer Jean Associate Planner (410) 548-3170

Salisbury Historic District Commission

125 N. Division Street Room 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170/ fax (410) 548-3107

Application Processor (Date)

Permit Application \$150 Fee Received_____(date)

Secretary, S.H.D.C. (Date)

	Case #:25-03
Date Submitted: Date Accepted as Complete:	Action Required By (45 days):
Subject Location: Ale N. Division St.	1001110Q1110G
Application by: Sto Enterprise Solutions	Owner Name: Heathfut Inc
Applicant Address: 22 V N. DIVISION ST Salisburno	Owner Address: 218 F. Main St Sallsby Owner Phone: \$210-259-5293
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letter from the easement holder stating their approval of	the proposed work:tosto
Do you intend to apply for Federal or State Rehabilitation	n Tax Credits? If yes, have you contacted
Maryland Historical Trust staff?Yes_√_No	, ,
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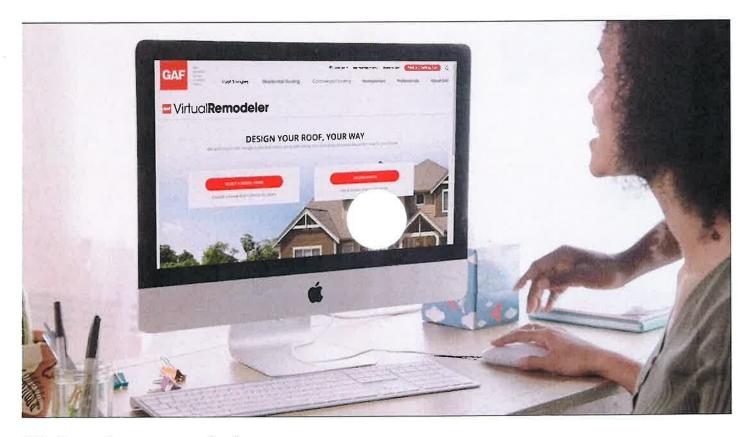
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About Camelot® II Shingles

Camelot® II Shingles complete a home with their classic, artisan-crafted look — at a surprisingly affordable price. Now with GAF Time-Release Algae-Fighting Technology for long-lasting algae-fighting power so strong it allows us to offer a 25-year StainGuard Plus™ Algae Protection Limited Warranty against blue-green algae discoloration. ¹ 25-year StainGuard Plus™ Algae Protection Limited Warranty against blue-green algae discoloration is available only on products sold in packages bearing the StainGuard Plus™ logo. See GAF Shingle & Accessory Limited Warranty for complete coverage and restrictions and qualifying products.



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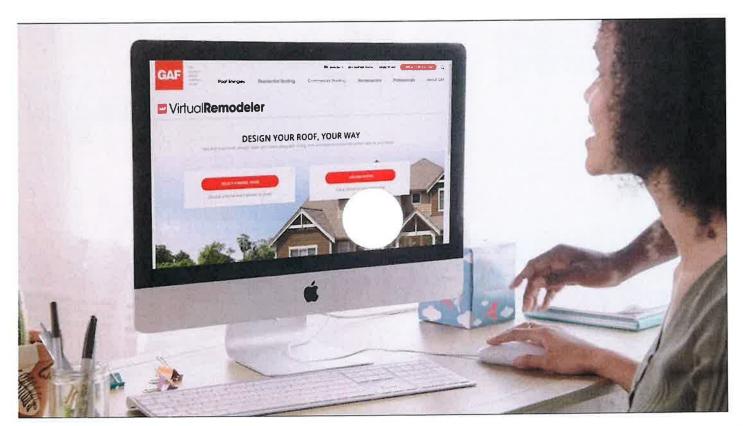
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About Slateline® Asphalt Shingles

Slateline® Asphalt Shingles feature bold shadow lines and tapered cut-outs to create the appearance of slate at only a fraction of the cost of traditional slate. Now with GAF Time-Release Algae-Fighting Technology for long-lasting algae-fighting power so strong it allows us to offer a 25-year StainGuard Plus™ Algae Protection Limited Warranty against

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Salisbury Historic District Commission

STAFF FINDINGS

Meeting of April 23, 2025

Case Number: #25-03 **Commission Considering:** Alterations – Roof replacement **Owner Name:** Healthport **Owners Address:** 208 E Main St Salisbury, MD 21801 **Applicant Name: STG Enterprise Solutions Applicant's Address:** 226 N. Division St Salisbury, MD 21801 **Agent/Contractor:** N/A **Subject Property Address:** 226 N. Division St Salisbury, MD 21801 **Historic District:** Newtown Historic District **Use Category: OSR Zoning Classification:** OSR - Office & Service Residential **Structure / Site Description: Built Date:** 1920 **Enclosed Area:** 4,215 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property Database) Lot Size: 5,460 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property

Database)

2 1/2

Contributing Structure: Yes

Wicomico County Historic Survey on file: Yes; WI-153

Nearby Properties on County Survey: Yes

Properties included below but not limited to:

Number of Stories:

• WI-363; Theodore Parsons House

• WI-645; Albert Smith House

Explanation of Request: The applicant is seeking approval to replace the existing roof.

Areas of Historic Guidelines to be considered:

UNIVERSAL GUIDELINES

Guideline 24: Roofing Material

- a. Retain and repair the historic roof material when feasible.
- b. Where replacement is necessary, match the historic materials as closely as possible in terms of material, size, color, and pattern.
- c. Requests for substitute roofing materials will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.
- d. When asphalt shingles are used to replace wood or slate, heavy weight architectural shingles which provide depth and variation, and which match the shape of the historic materials, are preferred.
- e. Roofing materials on additions should match or mimic the material on the main body of the historic building.
- f. Roofing materials on new construction should be consistent with the prevalent roofing material on surrounding buildings.
- g. Repair of isolated sections of a roof must match the existing tiles in material composition, style, size and color.

Best Choice:

Replace a slate roof with new or salvaged slate.

Good Alternative:

Replace a slate roof with new synthetic slate shingles which mimic the texture and pattern of the historic slate roof.

Not Appropriate:

Replacing a slate roof with a new standing seam metal roof.

GUIDELINES FOR RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES

Guideline 60: Roof Shape and Slope

- a. Preserve the historic shape and slope of the roof of the main house as well as historic outbuildings
- b. like garages and carriage houses.
- c. Roof shapes on additions and outbuildings, including large sheds and garages, should be
- d. consistent with the architectural style of the main building. For example, a house with a hipped
- e. roof would likely have a garage with a hipped roof. A gable-roofed building would typically have
- f. additions with gable or shed roofs.
- g. On new buildings, roof shapes should be consistent with those found in the surrounding area.
- h. Nearly every type of domestic roof type is present within the Newtown and Camden Historic Districts. The new design should be harmonious with the adjacent properties.

Evaluation Criteria:

Pursuant to Section 17.52.040 A & B of the Salisbury Zoning Code, it is the duty of the Historic District Commission to review and make determinations on all applications to construct, alter, reconstruct, move or demolish a site or structure within a Historic District whenever "exterior changes are involved which would affect the historic archeological, or architectural significance of a site or structure, any portion of which is visible or intended to be visible from a public way." In reviewing an application and plans, the Commission should consider review criteria, and may decide as to which of said Criteria are applicable.

Staff Findings Prepared By: Jennifer Jean Infrastructure and Development 125 N Division Street, Suite 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170 Date: April 14, 2025

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Newtown Historic District

Architectural Survey File

This is the architectural survey file for this MIHP record. The survey file is organized reverse-chronological (that is, with the latest material on top). It contains all MIHP inventory forms, National Register nomination forms, determinations of eligibility (DOE) forms, and accompanying documentation such as photographs and maps.

Users should be aware that additional undigitized material about this property may be found in on-site architectural reports, copies of HABS/HAER or other documentation, drawings, and the "vertical files" at the MHT Library in Crownsville. The vertical files may include newspaper clippings, field notes, draft versions of forms and architectural reports, photographs, maps, and drawings. Researchers who need a thorough understanding of this property should plan to visit the MHT Library as part of their research project; look at the MHT web site (mht.maryland.gov) for details about how to make an appointment.

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Last Updated: 05-15-2018

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM

operty Name: Newtown Historic District	Inventory Number: WI-153
Address:	Historic district: X yes no
ity: Salisbury Zip Code: 21801	County: Wicomico
SGS Quadrangle(s): Salisbury	
roperty Owner:	Tax Account ID Number:
ax Map Parcel Number(s): Tax Map	Number: 104,106-7
roject: TEA-21 DOE	Agency: Maryland Historical Trust
gency Prepared By: Maryland Historical Trust	
eparer's Name: Nicole Diehlmann	Date Prepared: 6/15/2004
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Nicole Diehlmann	Tuesday, June 15, 2004
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services	Date
Peter Kurtze	Tuesday, June 15, 2004
Reviewer, National Register Program	Date

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Newtown Historic District

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The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion A and C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

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Newtown Historic District WI-153 Salisbury, Wicomico County 1795-1954

The Newtown Historic District is a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned residential community located just north of U.S. Route 50 in the City of Salisbury. Most structures within the area are in residential use with the exception of a few churches on the southern end and some commercial space along Route 13. Structures in Newtown are large in scale and placed fairly close together. They are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The neighborhood maintains integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling.

The Newtown Historic District is one of Salisbury's earliest residential areas. Slowly subdivided from the tract known as "Pemberton's Good Will," structures in Newtown date from as early as 1795 to the mid-20th century. These houses, constructed by Salisbury's elite, represent the evolution of residential architectural trends from the late 18th to the early 20th century and retain their architectural integrity. The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion A and C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

Inventory No. WI-153

Maryland Historical Trust Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

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3. Owner of	Wicomico						
	Property	(give names and mailing	g address	ses of all owners	s)		
name	Multiple Owner	rs					
street and number					telephone		
city, town	Salisbury		state	MD	zip code	21801	
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7. Description

Inventory No. WI-153

Condition

X excellent	deteriorated			
good	ruins			
fair	altered			

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

The Newtown Historic District is a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned residential community located just north of U.S. Route 50 in the City of Salisbury. The area is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. Most structures within the area are in residential use with the exception of a few churches on the southern end and some commercial space along Route 13. Structures in Newtown are large in scale and placed fairly close together. They are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The neighborhood maintains integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling.

Newtown is a predominantly residential community on the north side of downtown Salisbury that slowly developed from the mid-19th century into the early 20th century. The Newtown Historic District is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. The district is primarily residential with the exception of a few churches along the southern boundary and some commercial space along Route 13.

Parcels in Newtown were slowly subdivided from a tract of land called "Pemberton's Good Will" beginning in the mid-19th century. Early development was clustered along what is now Broad and Division streets. More development occurred after the Civil War when Isabella, Elizabeth and William streets were partitioned for development from the Poplar Hill Mansion property. The 1877 Atlas for Salisbury shows a street system very close to what exists today, with the exception of Park Avenue, Oakdale Road and Elizabeth Street, which don't appear. Development at that time is clustered on the southern end of the district, principally on Division, Broad, Chestnut and Walnut streets. The neighborhood seems to have been almost built out by the time the September 1899 Sanborn Map was published. That map shows very few vacant parcels left in the community. The area along Oakdale Road, on the property once called The Oaks, was the last portion of the district to be developed.

Despite the long period of development, the Newtown streetscape is rhythmic with an irregular gridiron layout and a relatively consistent setback. Lot sizes are irregular, but the houses are large in scale and placed fairly close together. The houses are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The streets are lined with mature trees.

Newtown is significant for its broad array and distinguished examples of 19th to early 20th century architectural styles. As a result of fires in 1860 and 1886, there are few remaining antebellum houses in Salisbury. Two of them are located in Newtown. Poplar Hill Mansion [WI-8], located at 117 Elizabeth Street, is the oldest known structure in the City of Salisbury. Construction of the two-story, five-bay frame structure with fine federal-style detailing, including a Palladian window, block cornice and decorative fanlight over the entrance door, was begun circa 1795 when Levin Handy purchased the property. This property is currently operated as a house museum. The rear wing of the 1897 Robert D. Grier house [WI-62] at 315 North Division Street, was originally the two-story, five-bay frame Thomas Hooper House which dates to circa 1820. Now functioning as a service wing, the structure was originally a center hall plan house with fine federal detailing.²

The Greek Revival style is well represented in Newtown. Probably the most notable is the three-story, five-bay frame house located at 115 Broad Street, formerly known as "Park Hall," which was the residence of merchant and mill owner General Humphrey Humphreys. According to an inscribed board, the house dates to 1856. The double pile house is three stories tall with a center hall and low pitched roof with wide eaves. The first two stories are clad in weatherboard with 6/6 sash windows while the shorter third story is clad in flush board siding with casement windows. The first and second stories are encased in vertical corner pilasters on which the third floor appears to rest as a classical entablature. The interior also retains Greek-inspired finishes. Similar to this house is the Dr. Cathell Humphreys house (later known as "Mrs. Herold's School") at 325 N. Division Street. This building, constructed c.

Wicomico Bicentennial Commission, The 1877 Atlases and other Early Maps of the Eastern Shore of Maryland (Salisbury, MD: Peninsula Press, 1976), p. 18.

² Touart, Paul Baker, At the Crossroads: The Architectural History of Wicomico County, Maryland, draft manuscript located at the Maryland Historical Trust, 2002-2003; Touart, Paul Baker, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood," article found in the Maryland Historical Trust vertical files; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District," found in the vertical files of the MHT Library.

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1860-1870 by General Humphrey's brother, is a three-story, three-bay center hall dwelling with weatherboard sheathing on the first two stories and flush board sheathing on the third. The eaves under the hipped roof are marked with large decorative brackets. Other Greek Revival structures remaining in Newtown include Hatfield Manor on Division Street, which was constructed for local merchant Theodore Parsons and his wife, Margaret Bell Parsons. This three-story, five-bay, center-hall structure with flanking two-story wings and a low pitched roof retains its Corinthian columns and bracketed cornice. ³

Elihu E. Jackson, a lumber magnate and Governor of Maryland, and his wife Nellie Rider Jackson lived on the large estate known as The Oaks on the north side of Newtown. The house was located on the northwest corner of North Division and West Isabella streets and designed in the Queen Anne style by Jackson C. Gott of Baltimore in 1883-84. At the time, it was the largest house constructed in Salisbury with over twenty rooms. It was located on an elevated site and was decorated with an asymmetrical collection of towers, gables and porches. In August 1887, it was one of the first houses in Salisbury to be electrified. The structure was demolished in the 1920s to make way for new residential development.⁴

Other notable Queen Anne dwellings in Newtown include the 1887-8 Gillis-Grier house [WI-13] at the corner of North Division and William streets (401 N. Division Street). Built for merchant James Cannon, the asymmetrical house sports a three-story octagonal tower with conical roof, brick chimneys with corbelled caps and terra cotta and woodwork panels. In 1897, Robert D. Grier, a foundry owner, purchased property at 501 North Division Street. He moved the existing dwelling and hired Salisbury builder William J. Johnson to construct a new house on the front of the property. The new portion of the house contains many Queen Anne details including a three story circular tower with conical roof and fishscale shingles. Throughout the Newtown district, there are many more modest dwellings with Queen Anne detailing. One example is the 1898 William M. Day house [WI-245] at the corner of East Isabella Street and Poplar Hill Avenue (119 E. Isabella Street). This two-and-a-half story house is sheathed in a mix of narrow weatherboards, decorative panels and fish scale shingles, and contains multisided bays. ⁵

The Perry-Cooper house [WI-106] at the corner of William and Gay streets (200 E. William Street) in Newtown is an outstanding example of the Second Empire style. It was constructed in 1897 for Thomas Perry, the owner of the Salisbury Advertiser. It maintains its distinctive mansard roof and circular front porch, and is notable for the unusual swag design found in the cornice and window lintels.⁶

The American Four-Square was a popular house type in the early 20th century. They are defined by their two-and-a-half story height, square massing and hipped or pyramidal roof. They were often ornamented with Colonial Revival and Craftsman design motifs. One such example in Newtown is the 1910 L. Atwood Bennett house on Elizabeth Street. Constructed for a Salisbury attorney, the dwelling is notable for its neoclassical porch and exposed rafter ends.⁷

³ Touart, At the Crossroads and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

⁴ Touart, At the Crossroads.

⁵ Touart, At the Crossroads and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

⁶ Touart, At the Crossroads and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

Touart, At the Crossroads.

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The properties on Oakdale and the northernmost block of Park Avenue, formerly the site of E.E. Jackson's property, The Oaks, differ from the rest of the district. They are characterized by larger lots and a curvilinear streetscape. The earliest structures date to the 1930s and are predominantly designed in the Colonial Revival style. The eastern half of the block between Isabella Street and Oakdale Road is now a community park.

The Newtown neighborhood also contains several significant institutional buildings. These include the Charles H. Chipman Cultural Center, which was formerly the John Wesley M.E. Church. The John Wesley M.E. congregation was formed in 1837 by a group of free blacks. They constructed a one-story frame church on a Newtown lot they purchased in 1838 at what is now 321 Broad Street. The church was renovated and raised to two stories in 1880, and in 1901 a tower was added to the front. The building now houses a museum interpreting local African-American history.⁸

In 1859, Salisbury's Wicomico Presbyterian Church congregation began construction of a large brick church with Romanesque Revival details at what is now 129 Broad Street. This larger church replaced their former place of worship, a one-story building on Broad Street. The church with its rounded arched windows was dedicated on March 24, 1861. The entrance tower and steeple, designed by Baltimore architectural firm Owens & Sisco, was added in 1910.9

The original Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church was destroyed by the 1886 fire, but was reconstructed in 1887-8. The new church, financed by wealthy lumber merchant William H. Jackson, was designed by Baltimore architect Jackson C. Gott in the Romanesque Revival style and constructed in Port Deposit stone. The church was unique because the sanctuary was oriented on a diagonal with a corner pulpit and theatre-style seating. The building now houses the Faith Community Church at 219 N. Division Street.¹⁰

Trinity Methodist Church [WI-64], at the corner of North Division and High Street, was designed by the Baltimore architectural firm, C.E. Cassell & Son, and constructed in 1904-5. Built in the Richardsonian Romanesque style with Port Deposit granite and limestone accents, the building is notable for its windows made by the studios of Louis Comfort Tiffany. 11

⁸ Touart, At the Crossroads; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and j	ustify below	
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Evaluation for:				
X	National Register	X N	Maryland Register	not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

The Newtown Historic District is one of Salisbury's earliest residential areas. Slowly subdivided from the tract known as "Pemberton's Good Will," structures in Newtown date from as early as 1795 to the early 20th century. These houses, constructed by Salisbury's elite, represent the evolution of residential architectural trends from the late 18th to the early 20th century and retain their architectural integrity. The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. The neighborhood maintains its integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

The City of Salisbury was established in 1732 on fifteen acres of land between the north and east branches of the Wicomico River. Despite its location on the dividing line of what was then Somerset and Worcester counties, by the end of the 18th century, Salisbury had developed into a commercial center. According to architectural historian Paul Touart, much of this growth was fueled by "the speculation and subdivision of additional parts of "Pemberton's Good Will," one of the principal tracts on which the city was laid out. The newly partitioned land was located along the Salisbury-Laurel [Delaware] Road between High Street and modern-day West Isabella Street." A large mill complex was established in 1769 on the north prong of the Wicomico River by Littleton Dennis and Josiah and Gilliss Polk which by 1774 contained two grist mills, a bolting mill and a saw mill on eighty acres of land. The surviving 1798 Direct Tax records for Somerset County show a diversity of commercial, industrial and domestic structures located primarily between the two forks of the Wicomico River. Almost a third of the dwellings were classified as "new," indicating the town was experiencing a growth spurt. 13

Outside of this developed area were several large land holdings, including the 357-acre plantation owned by Levin Handy. This property was called Poplar Hill, but was originally a portion of "Pemberton's Good Will." Levin Handy purchased the property in 1795 and shortly thereafter began construction of the two-story, five-bay frame structure with fine federal-style detailing now known as Poplar Hill Mansion. The house was not completed by Handy, however. In 1805, John Huston, a doctor who also owned and operated a downtown bank, acquired the property and finished construction. ¹⁴

During the late 18th century, a 74.75-acre parcel of "Pemberton's Good Will," located between what is now High and West Isabella streets, was acquired by another of Salisbury's early physicians, Dr. Martin Luther Haynie. Dr. Haynie subdivided the land into smaller, irregularly-sized parcels that fronted the west side of what was then known as Dividing or Boundary Street. The 1798 Federal Direct tax assessment indicates that these properties were located in "Haynie's Settlement" and were mostly unimproved. It is unclear how much development occurred there in the first quarter of the nineteenth century, but by the 1820s, the area was referred to as "New Town" in property transfers.¹⁵

¹² Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

¹³ Touart, At the Crossroads; Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood;" and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

¹⁴ Touart, At the Crossroads.

¹⁵ Touart, At the Crossroads; and Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

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Salisbury continued to grow in the early 19th century, mostly because of its commercial and industrial enterprises and its location on the Wicomico River and the primary north-south road of the Delmarva Peninsula. The area of Newtown was incorporated into Salisbury's corporate limits in 1847. At that time, most of the construction activity within Newtown was limited to parcels bordering on Broad, High, and Dividing streets. The additional acreage within the current-day boundaries of Newtown was still owned by Dr. John and Sarah Huston of Poplar Hill.¹⁶

By the time the railroad reached Salisbury in April 1860, the town boundaries had expanded dramatically and the population neared 2,000 residents. The next several years brought setbacks for the town—an August 1860 fire devastated much of the town, and by 1862 the town was occupied by federal forces seeking confederate sympathizers. By the end of the war, however, Salisbury was recovering from the ravages of fire. Many residents chose to rebuild their houses outside of the commercial district in Newtown. The pace of construction was brisk along Division Street. Three new east-west streets were created from land subdivided from the Poplar Hill property. They were named after the children of Poplar Hill's owners, John and Sarah Huston—Isabella, Elizabeth and William.¹⁷

In 1867, the Maryland legislature passed a new constitution with an amendment authorizing the partition of Somerset and Worcester counties and the creation of a new jurisdiction named after the Wicomico River. Salisbury became the county seat of the new Wicomico County and grew in influence. During the 1870s, an extensive railroad network was developed on the Eastern Shore. Many of these lines intersected at Salisbury, transforming the town into a transportation hub. At the same time, dredging and other improvements to the Wicomico River improved the town's shipping capacity. These positive economic factors lead to a building boom in Salisbury that would last to the end of the century.¹⁸

Fire struck the town once again on October 18, 1886. Ignited in a livery stable downtown, the fire quickly spread throughout the city. Wet blankets were effectively used to protect the roofs of Newtown houses from catching on fire. With help from the Wilmington, Pocomoke City and Crisfield fire departments, the north and easternmost portions of the blaze were extinguished by Broad and Division streets, saving the residence of Dr. Eugene Humphreys [the General Humphrey Humphreys House] at 115 Broad Street. Salisbury quickly recovered from this second major fire and Newtown once again became a center of residential construction. 19

As a result of its ever-growing industrial, commercial and agricultural economy, from the 1880s to the 1920s, Salisbury's population grew from nearly 4,000 to over 10,000 residents. This population growth spurred demand for housing. To meet this need, some local businessmen constructed rowhouse units on smaller parcels of land. There is a series of such brick rowhouse units in Newtown on Poplar Hill Avenue, but the neighborhood remained one of primarily single-family detached houses.²⁰

The properties on Oakdale Road and the northernmost block of Park Avenue, formerly the site of E.E. Jackson's property, The Oaks, were the last to be developed and represent building trends in the early 20th century. They are characterized by larger lots and a curvilinear streetscape. The earliest structures date to the 1930s and are predominantly designed in the Colonial Revival style.

The Newtown Historic District contains examples of almost all architectural styles popular in the United States from the late 18th to the early 20th century. These high-style structures were built by Salisbury's elite and represent the City's growing importance on Maryland's Eastern Shore.

¹⁶ Touart, At the Crossroads; and Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

¹⁷ Touart, At the Crossroads; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

¹⁸ Touart, At the Crossroads.

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property _	74.98	
Acreage of historical setting	74.98	
Quadrangle name	Salisbury	Quadrangle scale: 1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The Newtown Historic District is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. This area contains a concentrated collection of significant historic properties that were originally subdivided from the tract "Pemberton's Good Will." Some properties facing the west side of U.S. Business Route 13 are not included in the district because they do not retain sufficient integrity to contribute to the district's significance.

11. Form Prepared by

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305 PARK AVE	Contributing	0107	0960	4	4	
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320 PARK AVE	Contributing	0106	0981	2	11	
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400 PARK AVE	Contributing	0106	0980	2	12	
402 PARK AVE	Contributing	0106	0979	2	13	
403 PARK AVE	Contributing	0107	0972	3	2	
405 PARK AVE	Contributing	0107	0973	3	3 4	
406 PARK AVE	Contributing	0106	0978	2	14	
500 PARK AVE	Contributing	0104	0928	2	56	
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519 PARK AVE	Noncontributing	0104	0939			
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107 PARSONS ST	Contributing	0107	0808			
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109 PARSONS ST	Contributing	0107	0809			
110 PARSONS ST	Contributing	0107	0803			
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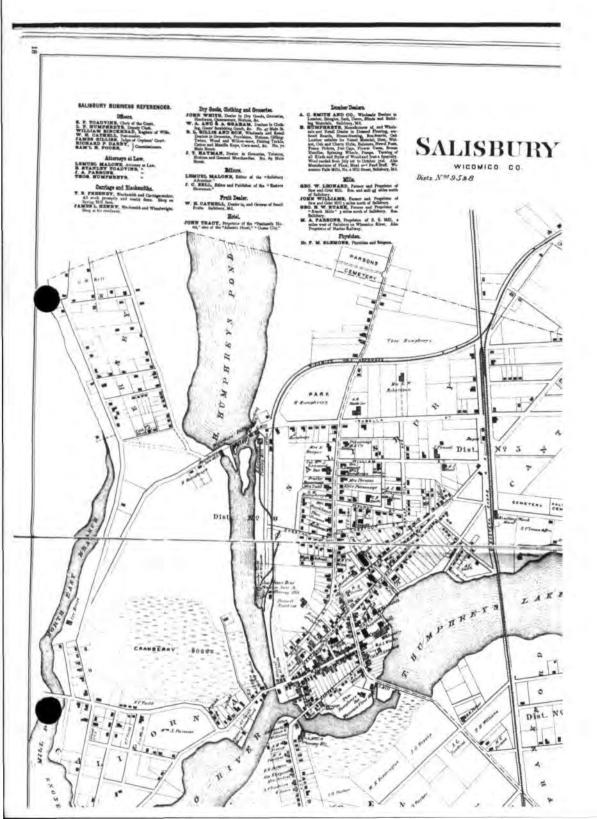
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315 E RAILROAD AVE	Contributing	0107	0986			
416 N SALISBURY BLVD	Contributing	0107	0655			
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104 WALNUT ST		0107	0771			
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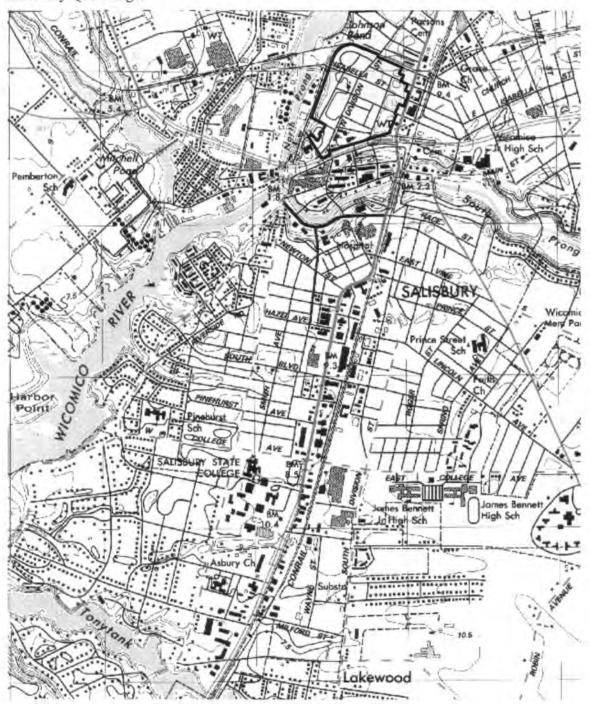
Contributing & Noncontributing Resources

District Name: Newtown Historic District Inventory Number: WI-153

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102 W WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0971	4	14	
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120 WILSON ST	Noncontributing	0104	0602			
122 WILSON ST	Noncontributing	0104	0601			



WI-153 Newtown Historic District Wicomico County Salisbury Quadrangle





West Side Park Avenus Newtown Historic District Wicomiso to MY Nicole Liermann 3/4/04 ML SHOW Found South #10f4



W1-153 South Sidewissibelia i rect Newtown Historic District Wicomico Co, mb Nicole Bichimann 3/4/04 MB SHOO Foore East # Z of 4



WI-153 Park Avenue (500 £ 507) Newtown Historic District Wicomico County M. Nicole Dieh mann 3/4/04 ML SHOW Facina East #30f4



W1-153 SE corner of Elizabeth & Division Streets Newton Historic District WICOMICO CO MY Nicole Dehlmann 3/4/2004 ML SHOW

Facing SE # 4 of 4

HISTORIC DISTRICT CONDUSTION FOR NEWTOWN



A group of Salisburians 1974-5 promoted a movement to preserve the uniqueness of an old neighborhood known as Newtown. The culmination of this group's efforts was the acceptance of Ordinance #1142 by the Mayor, and Council of Salisbury on Feb. 10, 1975, which created the Newtown Historic District.

The purpose of Ordinance #1142 as quoted from the Ordinance, is to "regulate the construction, alteration, reconstruction, moving and demolition of structures of historic and architectural value together with their appurtenances and environmental settings within respective specified himits. This regulation is designed to safeguard the heritage of the City by preserving districts herein which reflect elements of its cultural, social, economic, political or architectural history; to stabilize and improve the property values in such districts in the City, to foster civic beauty, to strengthen the local economy and to promote the use and preservation of such historic districts in the City for the education, welfare and pleasure of the residents of the City of Salisbury."

Ordinance #1142 also provided for the establishment of a Historic District Commission whose duty it is to carry out the purpose of the Ordinance. In Section 2 of the Ordinance under item D-3-4 "Powers and Frocedures" the Commission is required to give consideration to "a, b, c, d, e and Item 4".

- The historic or architectural value or significance of the structure and its relations to the historic value of the surrounding area.
- "b. The relationship of the exterior architectural features of such structure to the rest of the structure and to the surrounding area.
- "c. The general compatibility of exterior design, arrangement, texture and materials proposed.
- "d. Special features in historic areas such as their architectural integrity and spatial relationships among buildings. Spatial relationships include courtyards, street patterns, scale of buildings, and open space.
- "e. To any other factors, including aesthetic factors, which the Commission deems to be pertinent.
- The Historic District Commission shall pass only on exterior features of a structure and shall not consider interior arrangement, nor shall it disapprove applications except in regard to the considerations set forth above."

The "uniqueness" which is seen and felt in the Newtown Area can be described by a statement of repetitions and continuities throughout the district which lend the character to the area which the Cormission merits as important to save. This pleasing flavor consists of the sum of the following details blending with one another to form a whole, which is historically and architecturally significant for Salisbury:

- Massive late 19th and early 20th century Victorian style houses along N. Division Street corridor with strong support from similar houses on William, Elizabeth, Walnut and Isabella Streets; a parallel corridor in intensity of Victorian houses on Park Avenue.
- 2. Sidewalks with large shade trees encouraging pedestrian traffic.
- 3. A lack of large or overlighted commercial signs.
- 4. The retension of residential appearance in some commercial properties.
- 5. Repetition of the following architectural details:
 - a. Large front porches with ballusters.
 - b. Palladian windows.
 - c. Victorian "gingerbread" trim.
 - d. Colored glass windows.
 - e. Diagonal and diamond shaped pane windows.
 - f. Beveled, leaded glass windows.
 - g. East lake carving motif.
 - h. Decorative cornices, brackets, and corner boards or pilasters.
 - i. Shaped shingles i.e.; fish scale, diamond saw tooth.
 - j. Shuttered windows.
 - k. Towers, cupolas, balconies.
 - 1. Predominance of clapboard.

These specific details in addition to considerations mandated by the Ordinance were used as criteria to form a classification system for Newtown properties.

COMMISSION'S SURVEY

The Commission surveyed in February 1976 each property in the Newtown area. The findings have been classified and recorded. The information, with a picture of the property, is recorded on 3 x 5 cards in a file held by the Commission. The survey will be used in future identification of properties

be used to provide the landmark list mentioned in Section V of Salisbury
Historic District Commission, Rules and Regulations. The landmark list WI-153
itemizes those proper less which should be protected their historical or
architectural merit. Other graphic materials, i.e. maps will be composed
from this information to show growth, change, or comparisons.

CLASSIFICATION CATEGORIES

Each property has been classified according to the following categories. A coding system is used in order to abbreviate the information.

The classification categories are:

- A. Street and House No. (No abbreviations)
- B. Style of House-indicate height and materials, type

Abbreviations:

Clapboard = CB
Aluminum Siding = Al
Asbestos Shingle = AS
Wood Shingle = WS
Brick = B
Stucco - Stu
Asphalt Shingle = Asp
Formstone = F

L Story = 1S
2 Story = 2S
3 Story = 3S
With Attic = W/A
Victorian - Vict.
Colonial - Col.
Rancher - Ran.

- C. Approximate Date (No abbreviation)
- D. Use

'Abbreviations:

Apartment = Apt
Single family = SF
Commercial = Com
Duplex = Dup
Public - Public

E. Condition

#1 = Sound, recently painted or renovated.

#2 = Fair, needs paint and some repair.

#3 = Poor condition needs extensive repair and paint. Deteriorated.

F. Rating Historical/Architectural

- A = Must be retained, historically significant and/or exhibits many architectural details listed above and is a superior example of a period in architectural development.
- B = Should be preserved, represents good example of development and style, exhibits some details from above lists and supports the environ visually by size, shape or materials.

- C = Houses or buildings adjoining A or B properties and should be j ed with considerable thought.
- D = Should be judged most leniently, has no significance architecturally or historically, lacks close proximity to A or B houses, or is deteriorated beyond reasonable or economic restoration.
- G. House has had structural exterior modification since being built (porch removed, siding changed, trim removed, addition, etc.)

Abbreviation:

m = modified um = unmodified.

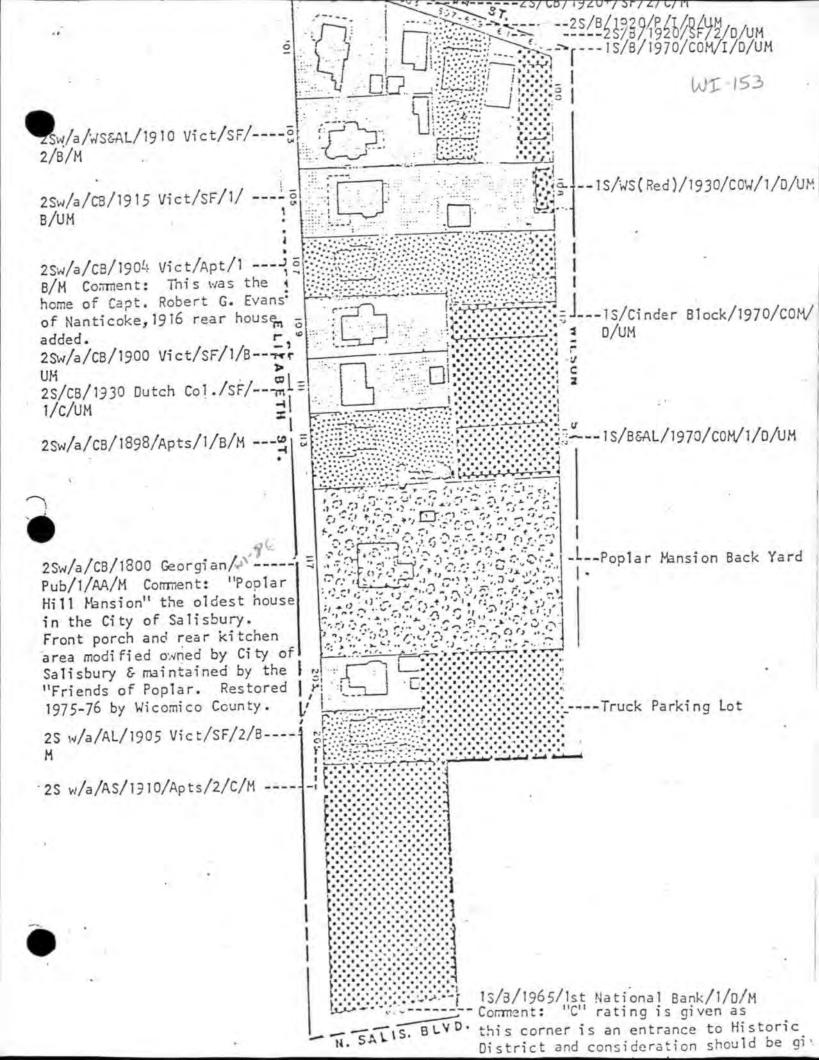
H. General Comment: Any further piece of information which would be worthy of consideration, pertaining to history, structure, preservation or modification. Empty lots would be described in this space.

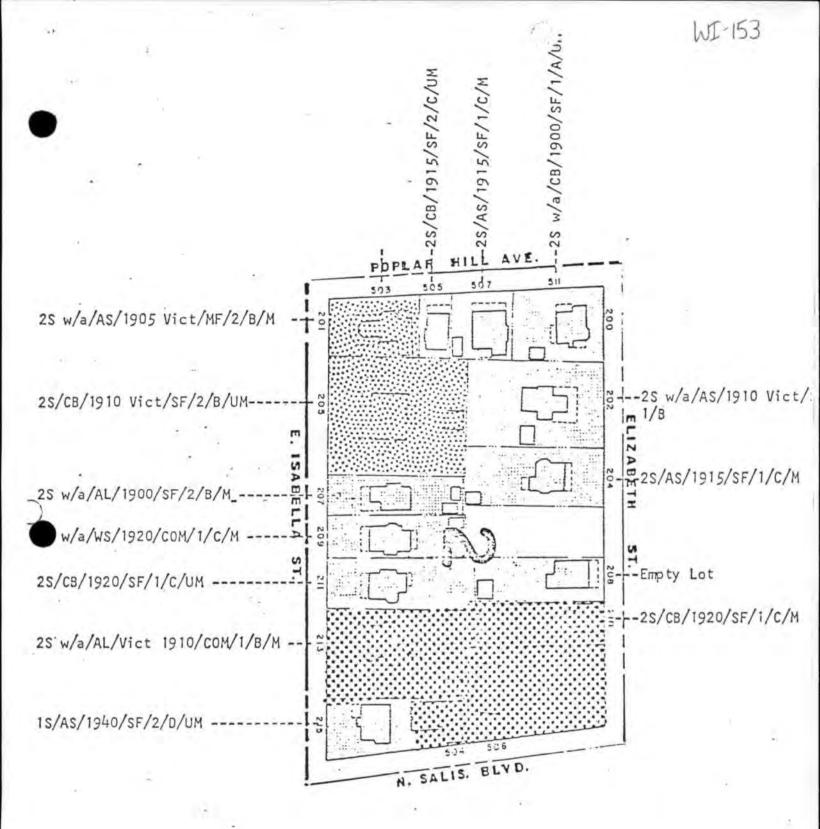
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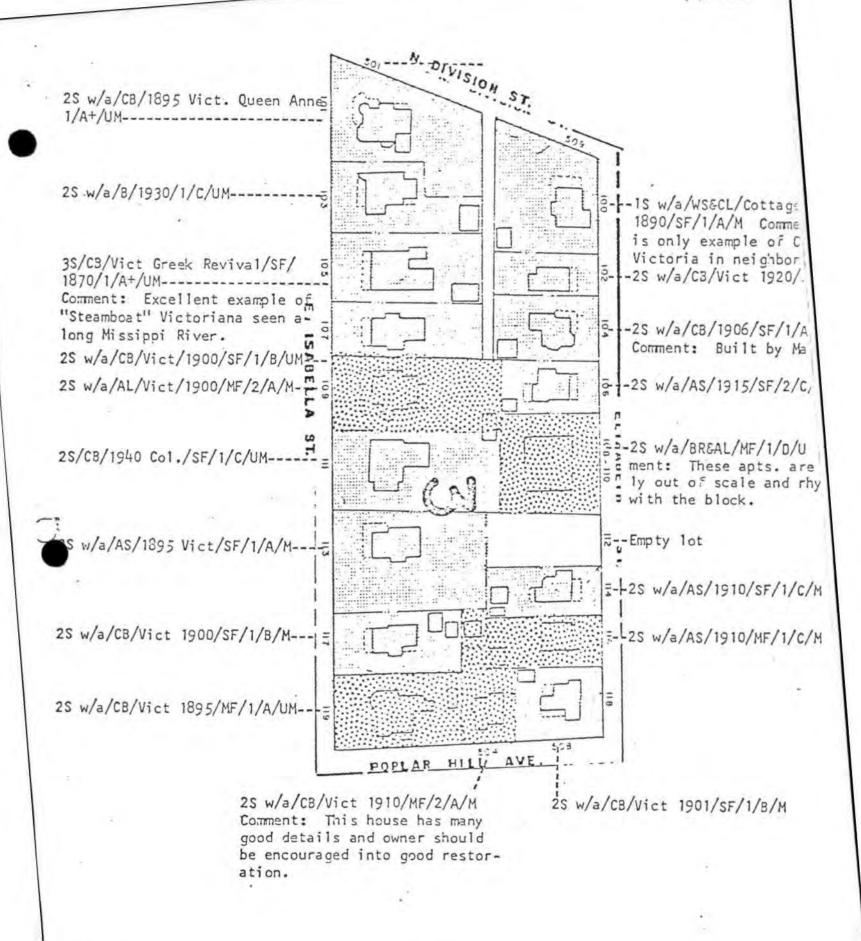
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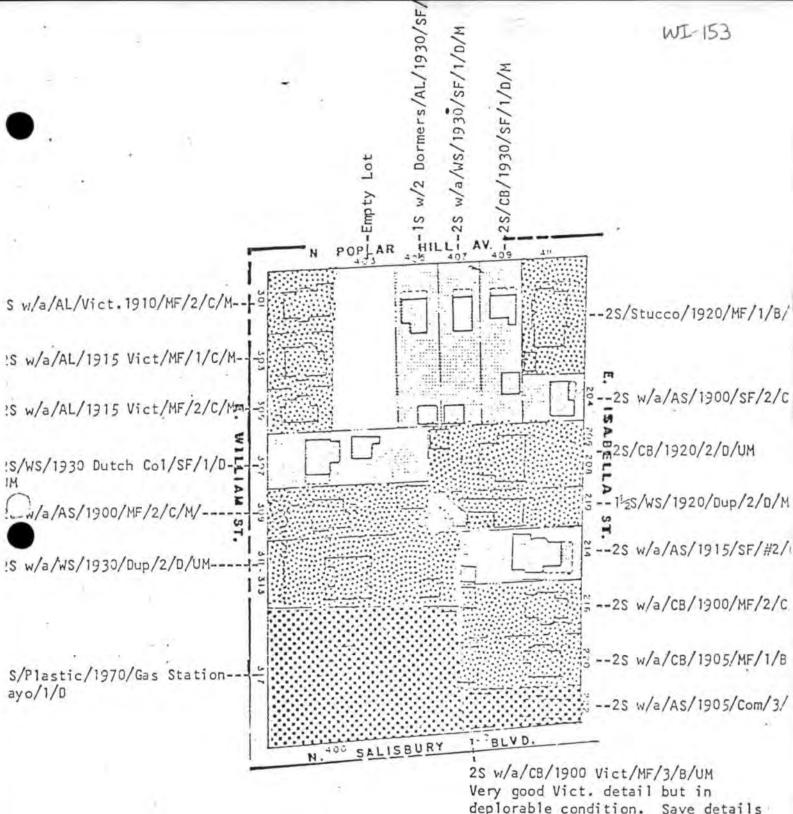
General Comment: This house is registered with Maryland Historic
Trust and is the oldest home in Newtown. Modifications have been made to front porch and removal
of old kitchen.

It is the hope of the Historic District Commission that these criteria and classifications will assist in preserving the charm, character and prosperity of the Newtown District for the benefit of Salisbury's residents and posterity.

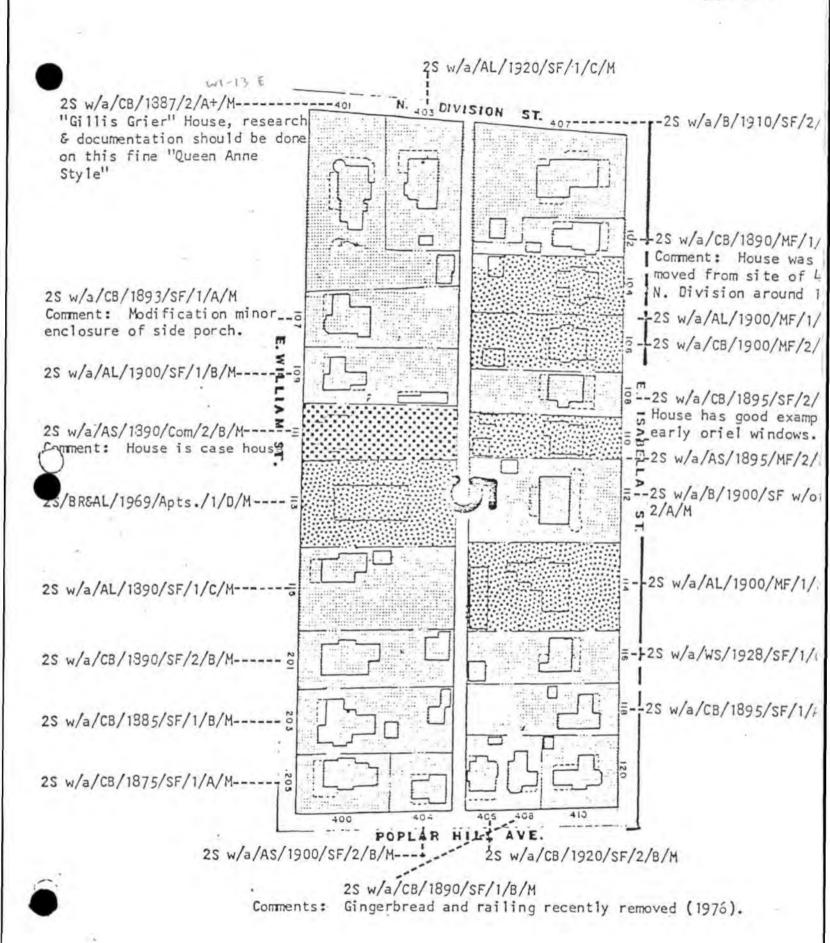


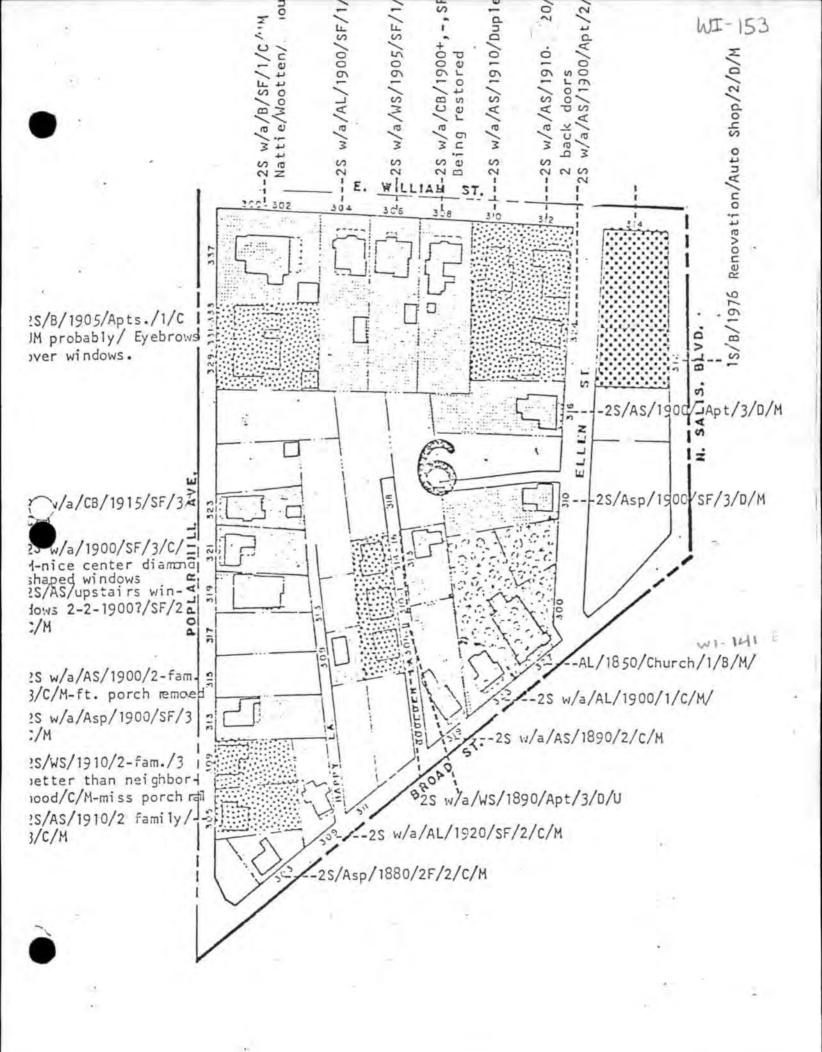


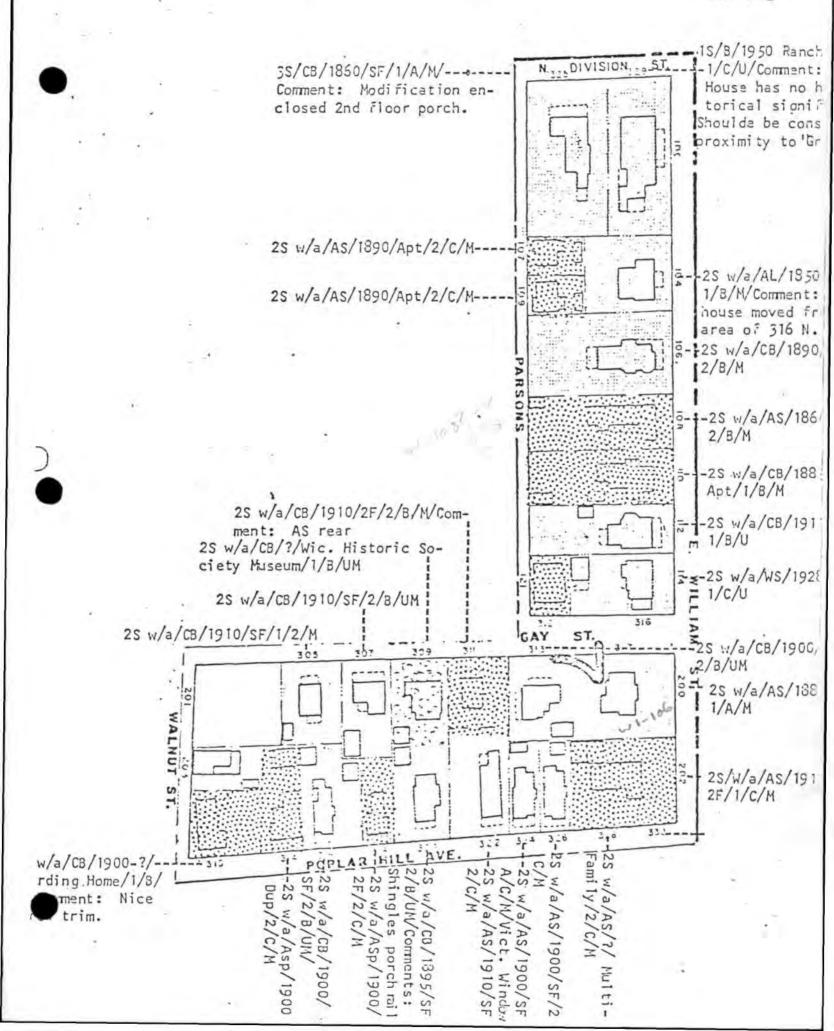


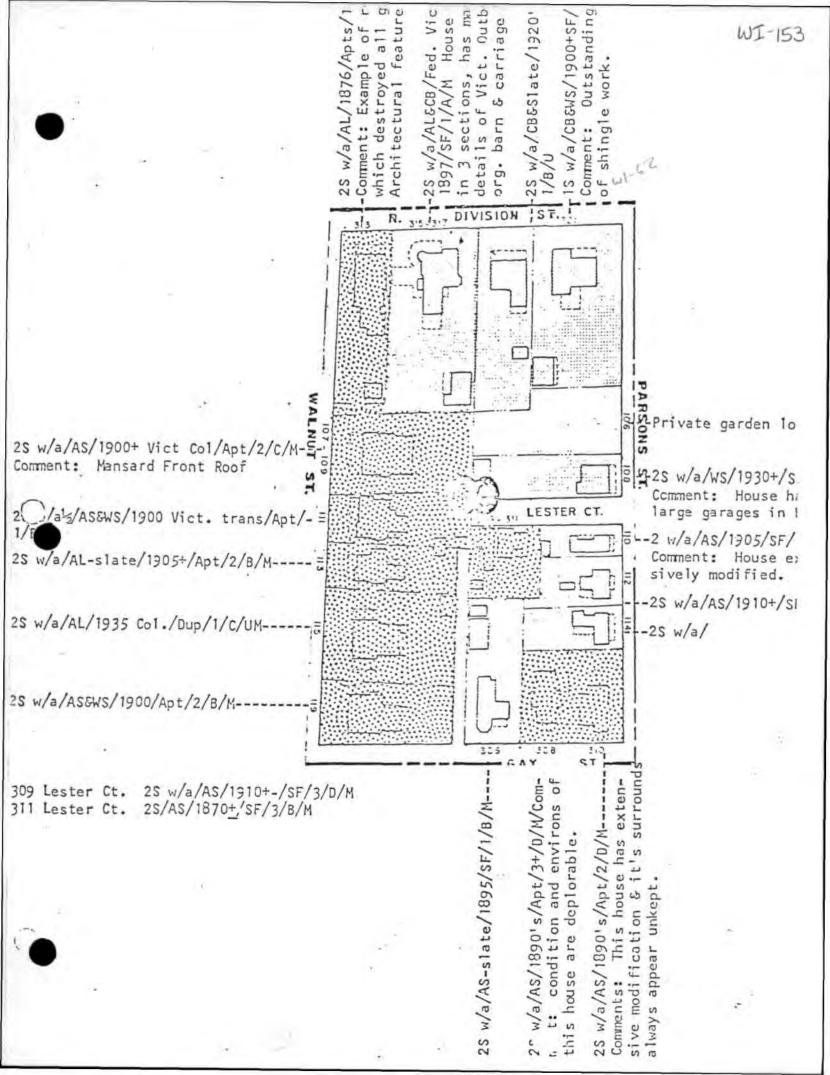


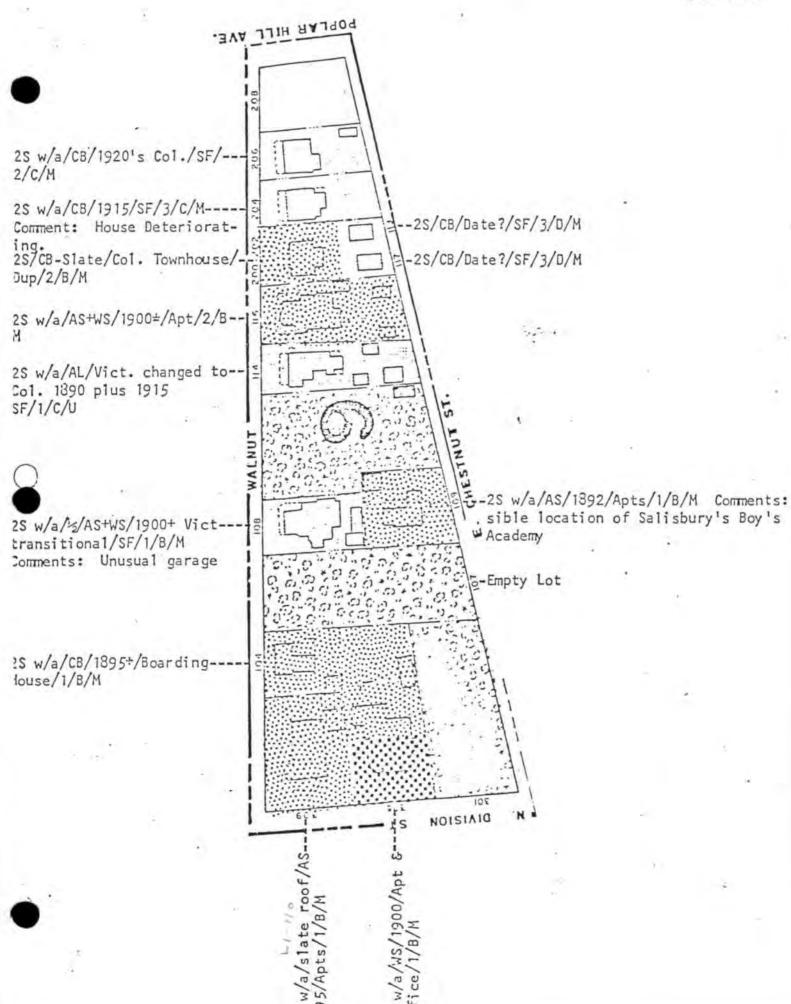
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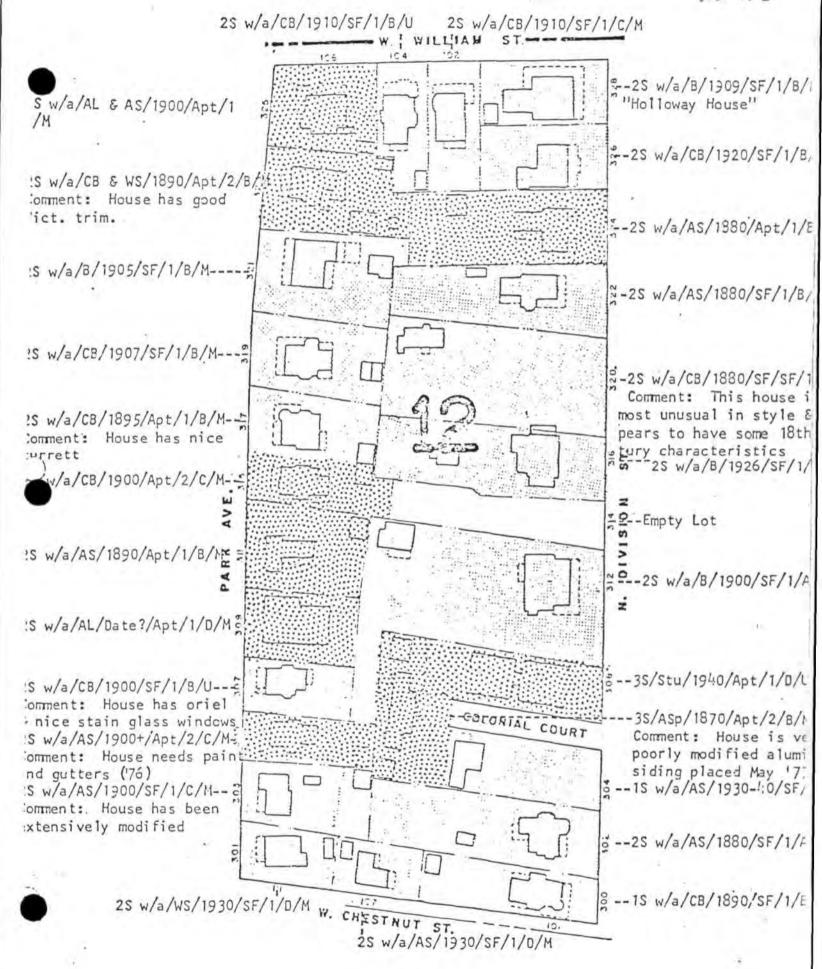


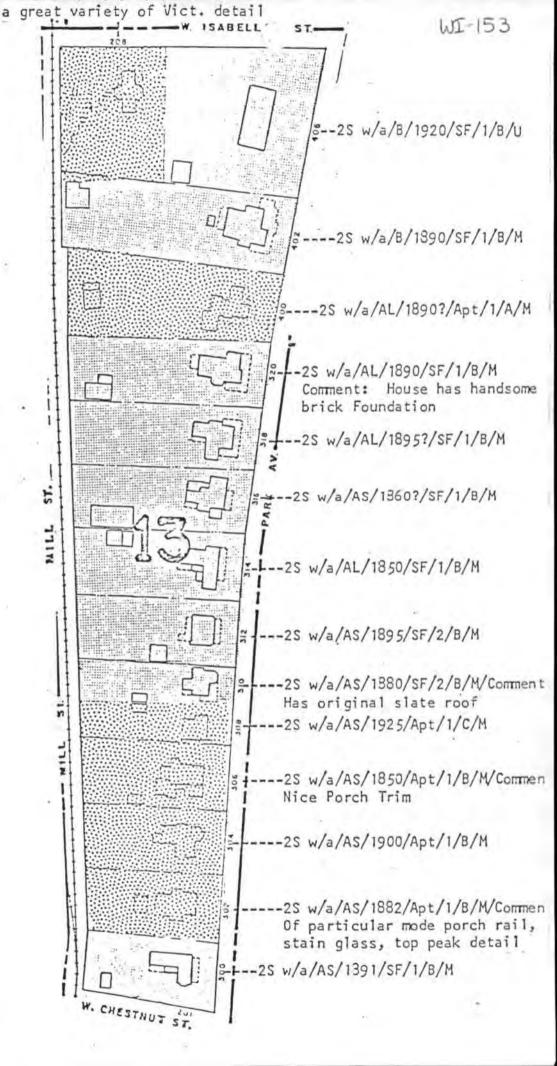


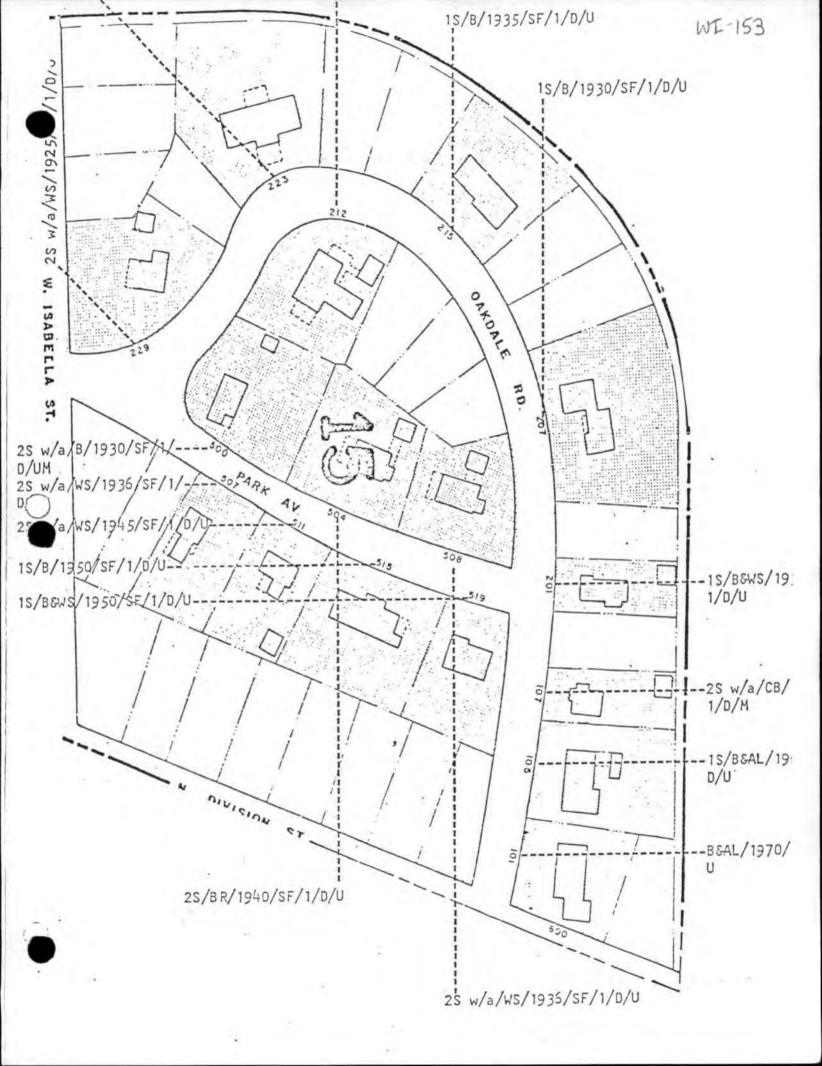


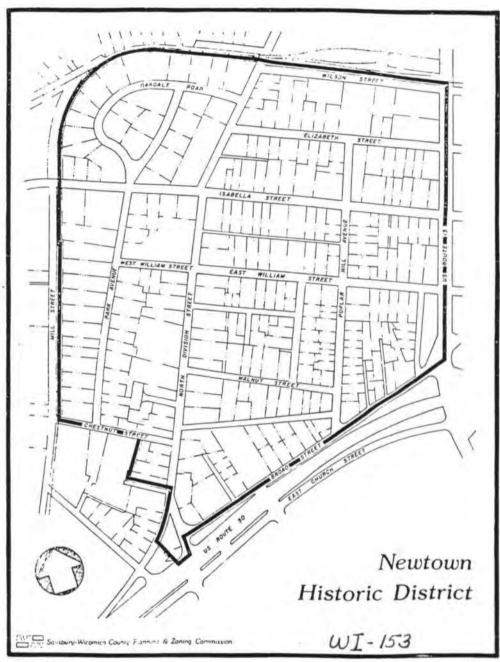


Parking Church 2S/CB/Date?/SF/3/D/U Demolished -25/AL/1395/Apt 2S w/steeple/Graystone/1887--/C/M/Comments: Old Asbury ethodist Church WI - 53 6-25/Cinder Blk/S 1940's/2/D/M/Can 2S/AS/1900 Vict/Apts/ 2Sw/a/WS/1940's Co1/Apt/1 2S w/a/WS/1930's/Apt/2/D/UM w/steep1e/B/Co1/1/C/U--Demolish - Church Green & Parking omment: Allen Memorial Demolished - Church Green hurch 25 w/a/AS/Vict 13807/SF/1/C/M/Comment: Some w/a/AS/Date?/Apts/1/D/ teresting detail; shingles porch 5 w/a/WS/19057/Apts/1/C/ 1/2 w/steeple/B/Slate/1859/Church/1/A/M/Comment: 01d remaining church building in Salisbury 2S w/a/CB/Vict 18917/Apt & Off/3/A/M/Comment: Excellent V exterior - good window, porch tower & side BS/CB/Federal 1856/Law offices/1/A+/M/Comment: Ideal example of restor for business use. 3S/B/Federal 1918/Church Hall/1/B/UM/Comment: Was built originally as 1st YMCA o rinity Methodistary Salisbury nurch W1-64





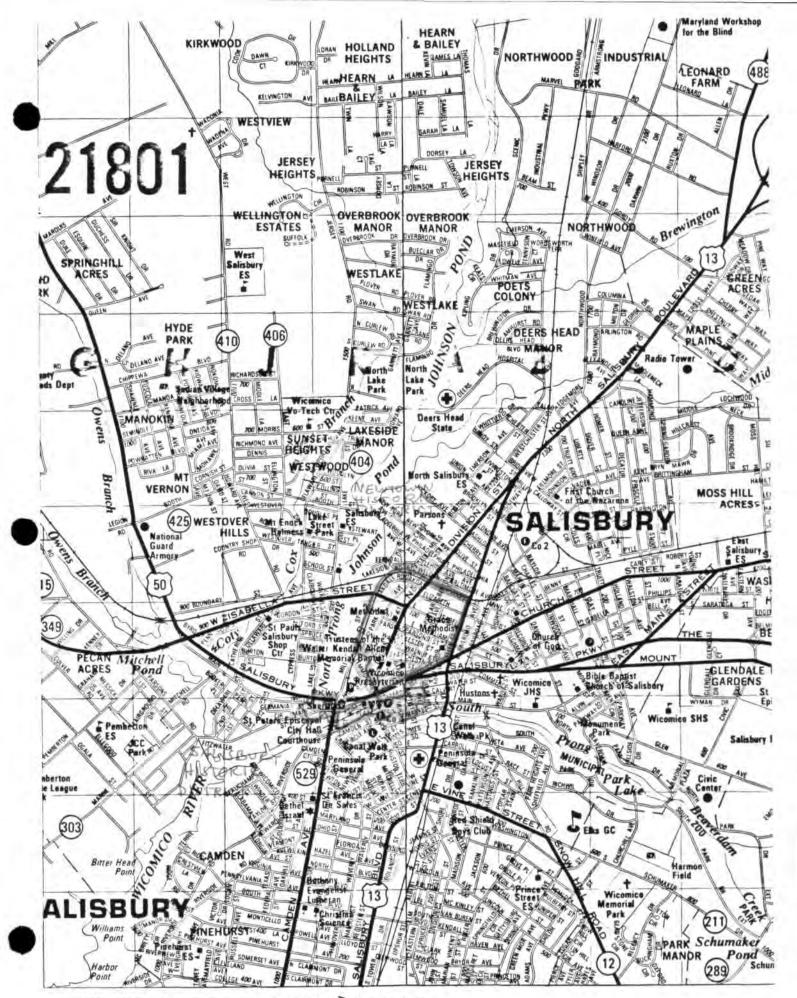






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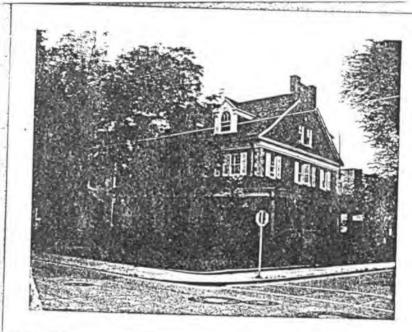
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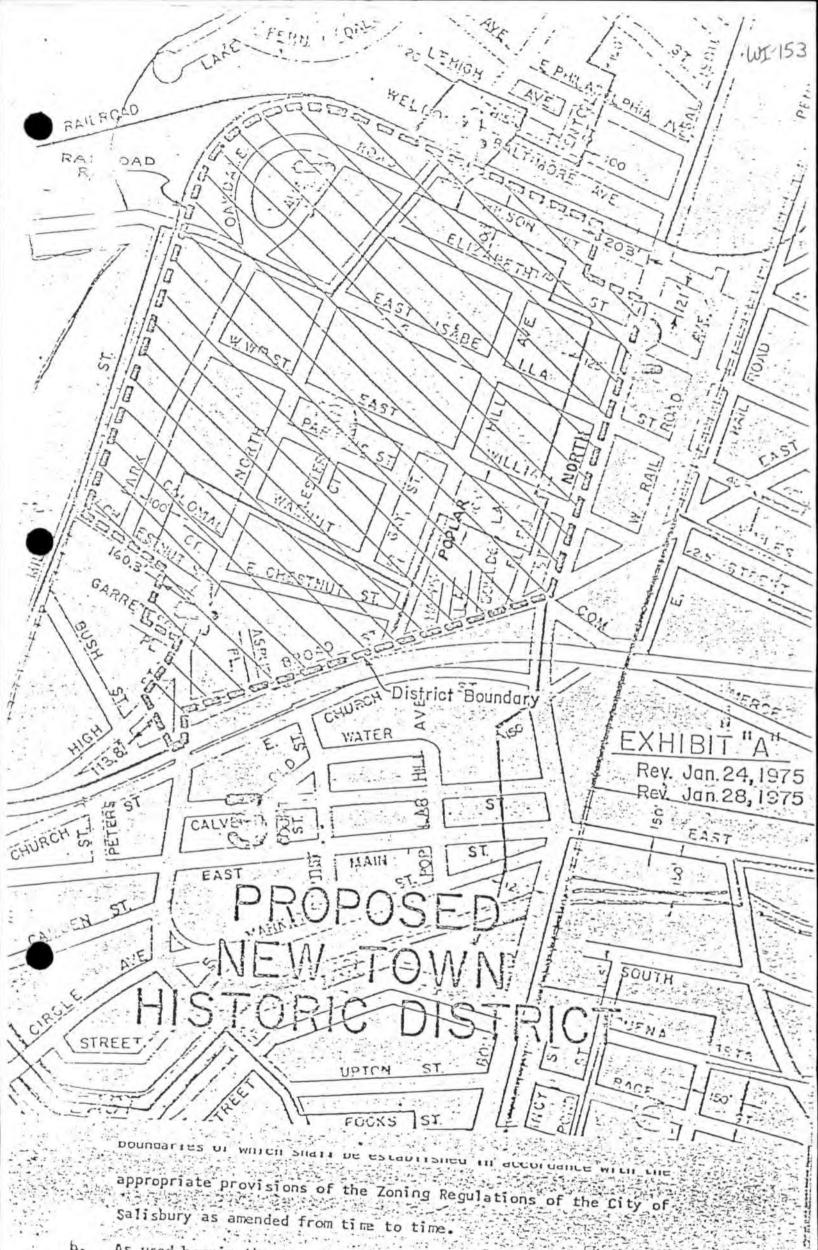












appropriate provisions of the Zoning Regulations of the City Salisbury as amended from time to time.

As used herein the term "structure" means a combination of material to form a construction that is stable; including among other things, buildings, stadiums, reviewing stands, platforms,

Real Property Data Search () Search Result for WICOMICO COUNTY

> **View GroundRent Registration View Map View GroundRent Redemption**

Special Tax Recapture: None

District - 09 Account Identifier - 046836 **Account Number:**

Owner Information

Owner Name: HEALTHPORT INC EXEMPT Use:

Principal Residence: NO

Deed Reference: Mailing Address: 208 E MAIN ST /05489/ 00129

SALISBURY MD 21801-

Location & Structure Information

226 N DIVISION ST **Legal Description: Premises Address:** BL-5 L-2 5,460 SQFT SALISBURY 21801-0000

226 N DIVISION ST CITY OF SALIS

Grid: Neighborhood: Subdivision: Section: Block: **Assessment Year:** Plat No: Map: Parcel: Lot: 8000 0997 9030380.23 0000 2025 Plat Ref: 0107

Town: SALISBURY

Primary Structure Built Above Grade Living Area Finished Basement Area Property Land Area County Use

5,460 SF 1920 4,215 SF

Quality **Last Notice of Major Improvements Stories Basement Exterior** Full/Half Bath **Type** Garage

STANDARD UNIT 2 1/2 3 full/ 2 half YES 3

Value Information

Phase-in Assessments Base Value Value As of As of As of 01/01/2025 07/01/2024 07/01/2025

Land: 15,900 15,900 279,200 **Improvements** 338,600

Total: 295,100 354,500 295,100 314,900

Preferential Land: 0

Transfer Information

Date: 01/02/2025 Seller: LOWER SHORE CLINIC INC Price: \$0 Type: NON-ARMS LENGTH OTHER Deed1: /05489/ 00129 Deed2: Seller: LEONARD A KRAUS CO INC Date: 02/08/2022 **Price:** \$339,900

Type: ARMS LENGTH IMPROVED Deed1: /05038/ 00337 Deed2: Seller: KRAUS DEVELOPMENT LLC Date: 03/30/2021 Price: \$0 Deed1: /04822/ 00111 Deed2: Type: NON-ARMS LENGTH OTHER

Exemption Information

Partial Exempt Assessments: Class 07/01/2024 07/01/2025 County: 860 295,100.00 314,900.00 State: 860 295,100.00 314,900.00

295,100.00|314,900.00 Municipal: 860 295,100.00|314,900.00

Special Tax Recapture: None

Homestead Application Information

Homestead Application Status: No Application

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Information

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Status: No Application Date:

Salisbury Historic District Commission

Hearing Notification

Hearing Date:	April 23, 2025			
Time:	7:00 pm			
Location:	Government Office Building 125 N. Division Street Salisbury, MD. 21804 Room 306			
Case Number:	#25-04			
Commission Considering:	Alterations – Fence installation			
Owner's Name:	Patrick J. & Casey B. Benzin			
Applicant Name:	Patrick Benzin			
Agent/Contractor:	N/A			
Subject Property Address:	709 Camden Ave Salisbury, MD 21801			
Historic District:	Camden Historic District			
Use Category:	Residential			
Chairman:	Mr. Scott Saxman			
HDC Staff contact:	Jennifer Jean Associate Planner			

	125 N. Division Street Room 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170/ fax (410) 548-3107	Permit Application \$150 Fee Received(date)
Date	Submitted: 11-25 Accepted as Complete: ect Location: 209 CANDEN AUE	Case #:Action Required By (45 days):
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		Owner Address:
	icant Address: 709 CAMS EN	Owner Phone:
Appı	icant Phone:	Owner Email:
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	See Reverse Side for DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	TO BE EILED WITH ADDITION
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the c	Salisbury Historic District Commission Rules and Regulations of the Department of Infrastructure and Development for site: www.ci.salisbury.md.us.	
	my authorized representative, will appear at the meeting of the(date).	e Salisbury Historic District Commission
that App	eby certify that the owner of the subject premises has been fusaid owner is in full agreement with this proposal.	lly informed of the alterations herein proposed and $3-11-25$
Sign	ature	Date_ 70
Aı	oplication Processor (Date)	Secretary, S.H.D.C. (Date)

Salisbury Historic District Commission

Patrick Benzin

pjbenzin@gmail.com

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Licensed and Insured

Veteran Owned

Good fences make good neighbors.

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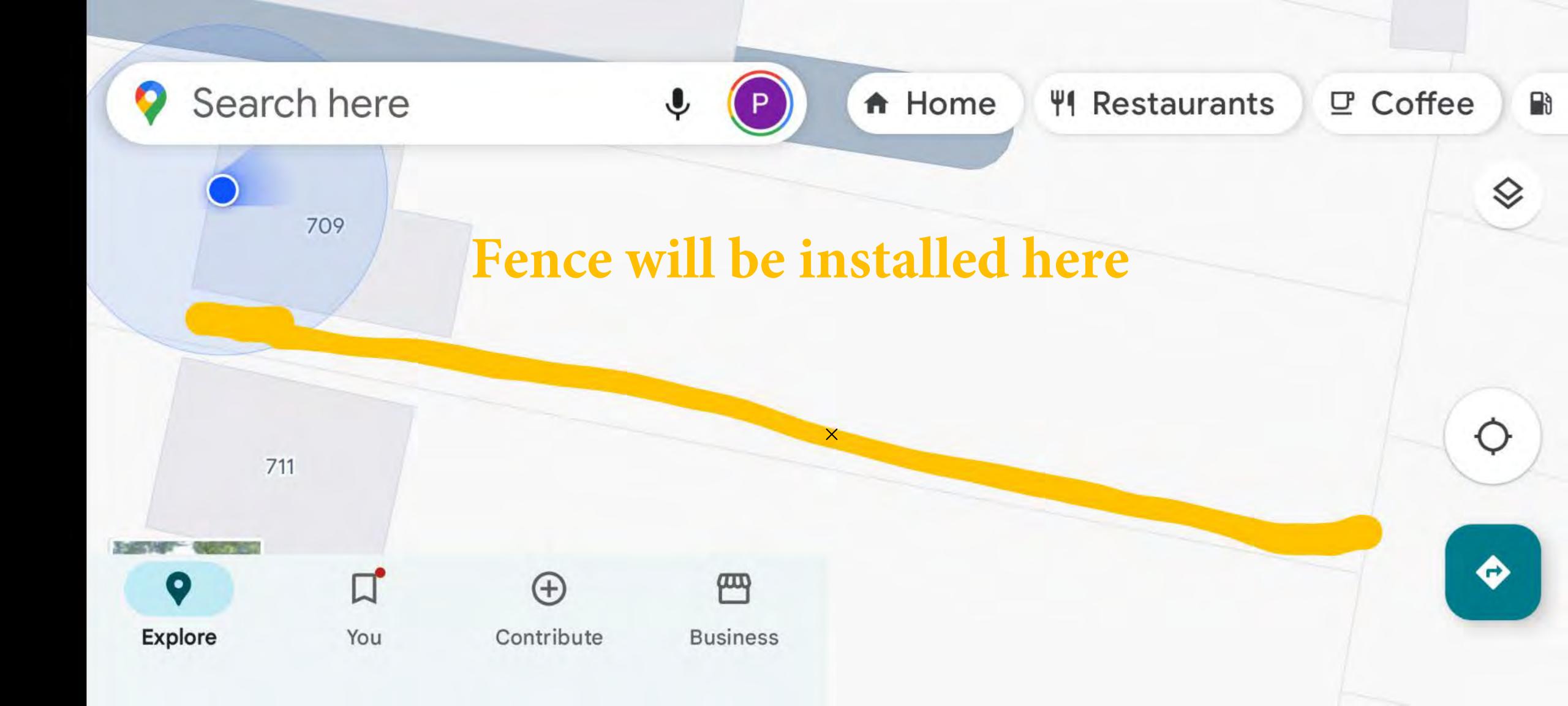












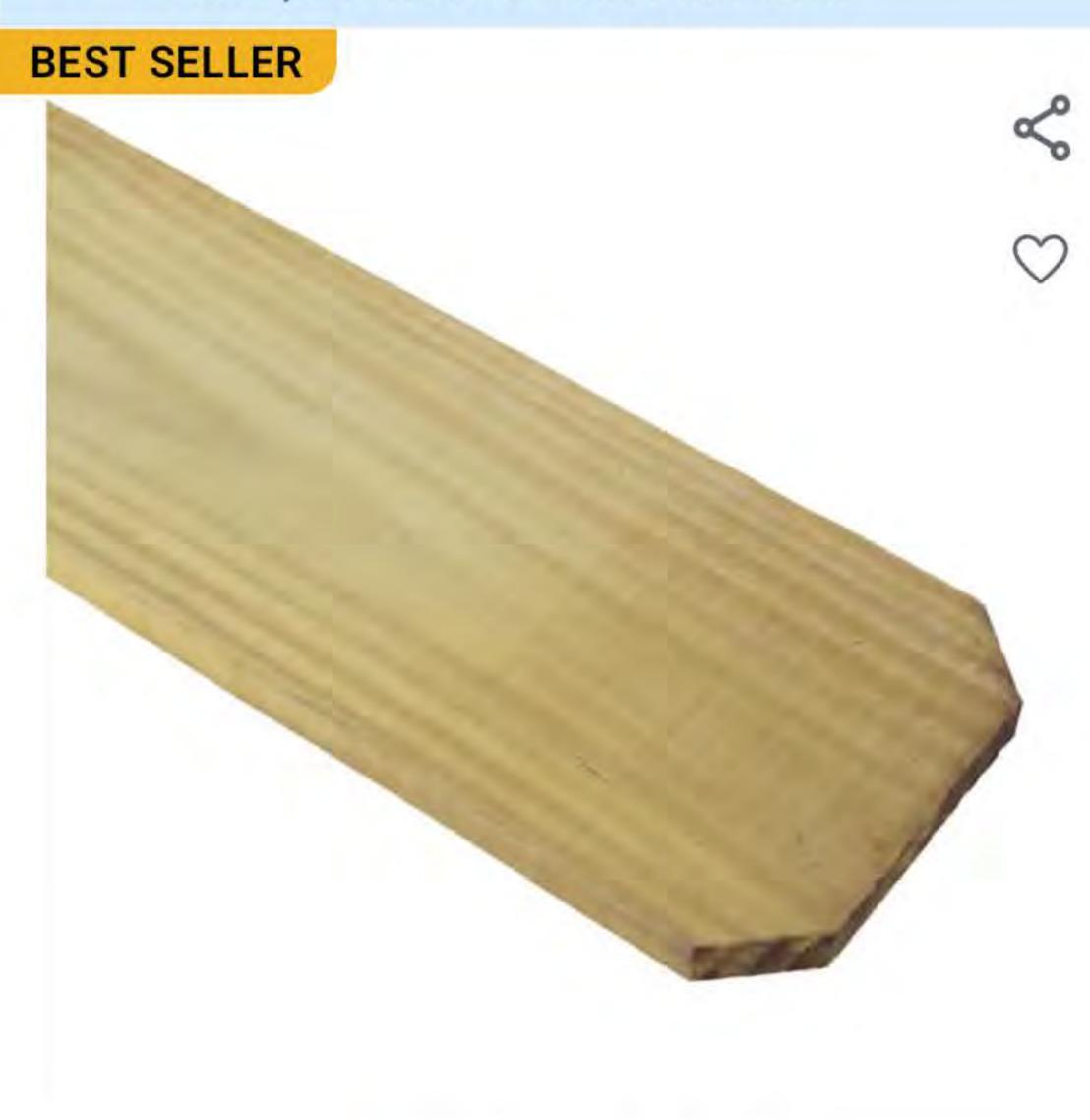


Salisbury Lowe's > 2217 Available

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Purchased 11 times Last purchased Jan 20, 2025



Severe Weather 5/8-in x 5-1/2-in x 6-ft
Pressure Treated Southern yellow pine Dog
ear Fence Picket

Ⅲ Garden Center Aisle 6 • Bay 1

















Salisbury Lowe's > 1027 Available





Purchased 4 times Last purchased Aug 8, 2024



Severe Weather 4-in x 4-in x 8-ft 2 Southern yellow pine Ground contact Pressure Treated Lumber

Aisle 53 · Bay 1

















Salisbury Lowe's > 33 Available

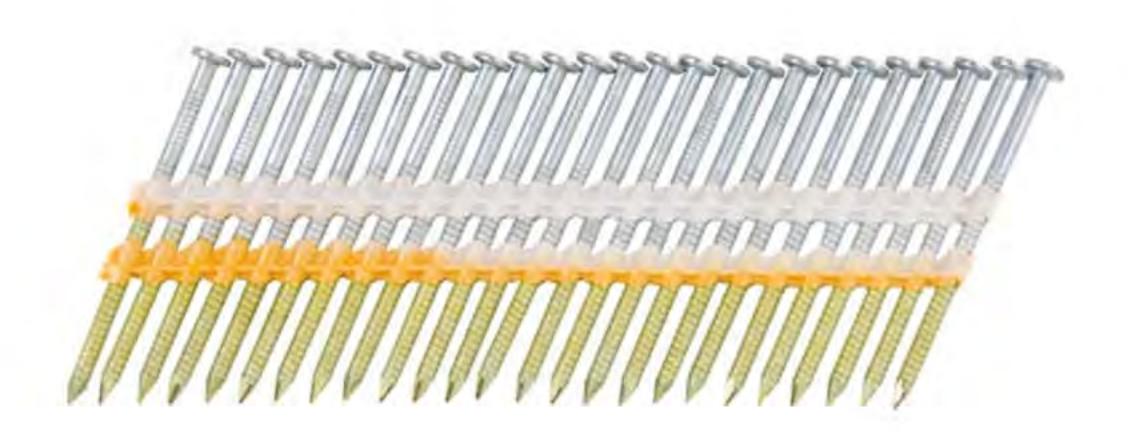




Purchased 10 times Last purchased Jan 28, 2025

BEST SELLER







Metabo HPT 2-in x 0.113-Inches 21 -Degree Hot-dipped galvanized Ring Shank Collated Framing nails (1000 -Per Box)

















Salisbury Lowe's > 448 Available





Purchased 5 times Last purchased Jan 20, 2025



Severe Weather 2-in x 4-in x 10-ft 2 Prime Southern yellow pine Above ground Pressure Treated Lumber

M Aisle 53 · Bay 1

















Salisbury Lowe's > 1237 Available













Sakrete High-Strength 60 Pound(s) High strength Concrete mix

100k+ bought last week

\$5.18















Salisbury Historic District Commission

STAFF FINDINGS

Meeting of April 23, 2025

#25-04

same as owner

Commission Considering:

Alterations – Fence installation

Owner Name:
Patrick J. & Casey B. Benzin
709 Camden Ave
Salisbury, MD 21804

Applicant Name:
Patrick Benzin

Agent/Contractor: N/A

Subject Property Address: Same as owner

Historic District: Camden Historic District

Use Category: Residential

Zoning Classification: R10 - Residential

Structure / Site Description:

Case Number:

Applicant's Address:

Built Date: 1900

Enclosed Area: 2,488 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property

Database)

Lot Size: 17,760 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property

Database)

Number of Stories: 2

Contributing Structure: Yes

Wicomico County Historic Survey on file: Yes; WI-552, John S Adkins House

Nearby Properties on County Survey: Yes

Properties included below but not limited to:

- WI-485 Olivia C. Oliphant
- WI-529 Holmes Home, Trinity M. E. Church Parsonage

Explanation of Request: The applicant is seeking approval to install a wood fence.

Areas of Historic Guidelines to be considered:

UNIVERSAL GUIDELINES

Guideline 34: Fences, Retaining Walls, and Gates

- a. Maintain and preserve existing historic fences.
- b. When replacement is necessary, in-kind replacements are the first choice. A simple fence in a style that compliments the surrounding architecture may also be appropriate.
- c. Designs for new fences must be complimentary to the surrounding architecture, and must comply with existing zoning code.
- d. Automatic security gates may be permitted, provided they are properly located and comply with existing zoning requirements. They must be appropriate to the design of any existing fence or the style of the historic building.

Best Choice:

Maintaining, repairing, or restoring an existing historic picket fence. Installing a new picket fence, similar in style to other properties on the street.

Good Alternative:

Replacing a historic fence that is beyond repair with a new fence that matches the historic fence as closely as possible.

Installing a new steel or aluminum fence with a simple design and finish that is complimentary to the property and streetscape.

Not Appropriate:

Replacing a historic fence with incongruous materials, such as chainlink or concrete block, or constructing a new fence of non-historic, incongruous materials.

Evaluation Criteria:

Pursuant to Section 17.52.040 A & B of the Salisbury Zoning Code, it is the duty of the Historic District Commission to review and make determinations on all applications to construct, alter, reconstruct, move or demolish a site or structure within a Historic District whenever "exterior changes are involved which would affect the historic archeological, or architectural significance of a site or structure, any portion of which is visible or intended to be visible from a public way." In reviewing an application and plans, the Commission should consider review criteria, and may decide as to which of said Criteria are applicable.

Staff Findings Prepared By: Jennifer Jean Infrastructure and Development 125 N Division Street, Suite 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170 Date: December 5, 2024

WI-552

Camden Historic District (a.k.a. Newton)

Architectural Survey File

This is the architectural survey file for this MIHP record. The survey file is organized reverse-chronological (that is, with the latest material on top). It contains all MIHP inventory forms, National Register nomination forms, determinations of eligibility (DOE) forms, and accompanying documentation such as photographs and maps.

Users should be aware that additional undigitized material about this property may be found in on-site architectural reports, copies of HABS/HAER or other documentation, drawings, and the "vertical files" at the MHT Library in Crownsville. The vertical files may include newspaper clippings, field notes, draft versions of forms and architectural reports, photographs, maps, and drawings. Researchers who need a thorough understanding of this property should plan to visit the MHT Library as part of their research project; look at the MHT web site (mht.maryland.gov) for details about how to make an appointment.

All material is property of the Maryland Historical Trust.

Last Updated: 08-29-2003

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

NR	Eligible:	yes	X
		no	

Property Name:	Camde	n Historic I	District (aka N	lewton) I	nventory	Number	:: <u>WI-5</u>	552					
Address:		,		City: S	Salisbury	, 			_Zip(Code:			
County: Wicomico US				SGS Topog	raphic N	Лар: <u>S</u>	Salisbu	ry Qua	d				
Owner:													
Tax Parcel Num	ber:	Tax M	ap Number: _	T	ax Acco	unt ID N	umber	:			_		
Project:					Ageno	cy:							
Site visit by MH	T Staff:	no	<u>X</u> yes	Name:	Andrey	v Lewis/I	Michae	l Day_	D:	ate: <u>03</u>	/23/01		
Eligibility recom	mended	<u>X</u>			Eligib	ility not	recom	mende	d	_			
Criteria: X	<u> </u>	B_X_C_	D	Consider	ations:	A	_в	_c_	_D_	_E	_F	_G _	_None
Is the property lo	ocated wi	thin a histo	ric district? _	no	yes	Name o	of distri	ict:					
Is district listed?	no	yes	Determined	eligible? _	no	yes	D	istrict l	Invento	ory Nu	nber:	<u>WI-55</u>	2
Documentation of	on the pro	operty/distri	ct is presente	d in:									
Description of Pr	operty ar	nd Eligibilit	y Determinati	ion: (Use con	ıtinuation	sheet if nec	essary a	nd attac	h map ai	nd photo)		

The Camden Historic District (aka the Newton-Camden Historic District) is a local historic district composed of homes of a wide variety of architectural styles. According to information contained in the Wicomico survey files, the district was determined eligible by "Lukenbach & Andreve" on April 17, 1986, but no copy of the DOE form could be found. Nevertheless, the district contains numerous homes with a great deal of integrity and the earlier determination of eligibility still appears valid. Architectural styles represented within the district include Colonial Revival, Queen Anne and other Victorian styles. The City of Salisbury specifically identifies some of the homes in the area to be of "great historical value to the community". These homes include "the Humphrey House, Red Gables and the house known as "Cricket Box"". The City Ordinance establishing the district also included the following findings:

- Camden Avenue was once the main highway connecting Salisbury with Princess Anne to the south crossing the 18th
 Century Mill Dam at Tony Tank and Allen. It continued through the heart of Salisbury running northward to the Delaware
 towns.
- The Camden area was the location of the first known sanitary sewer installed in 1887 to serve the L.W. Gunby and William P. Jackson homes on Camden Avenue.
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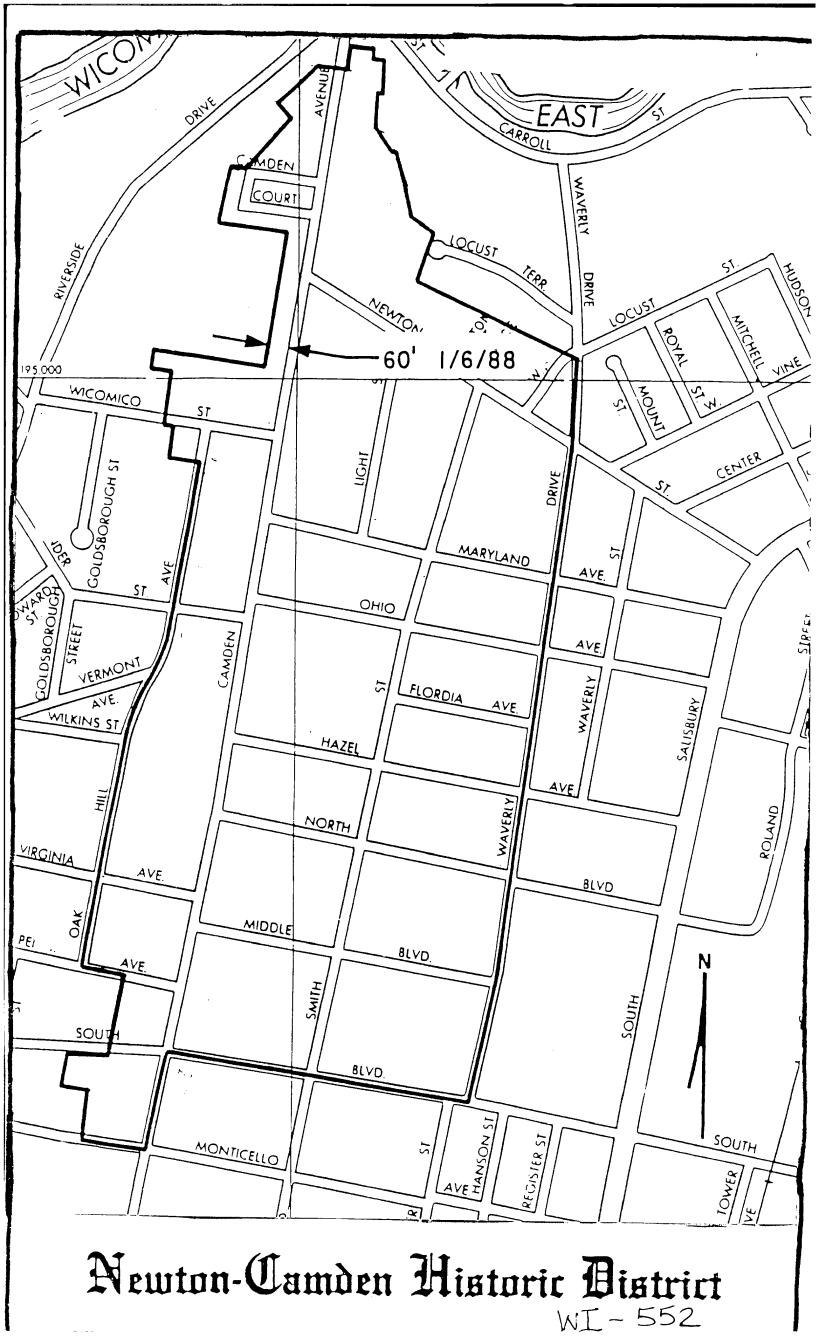
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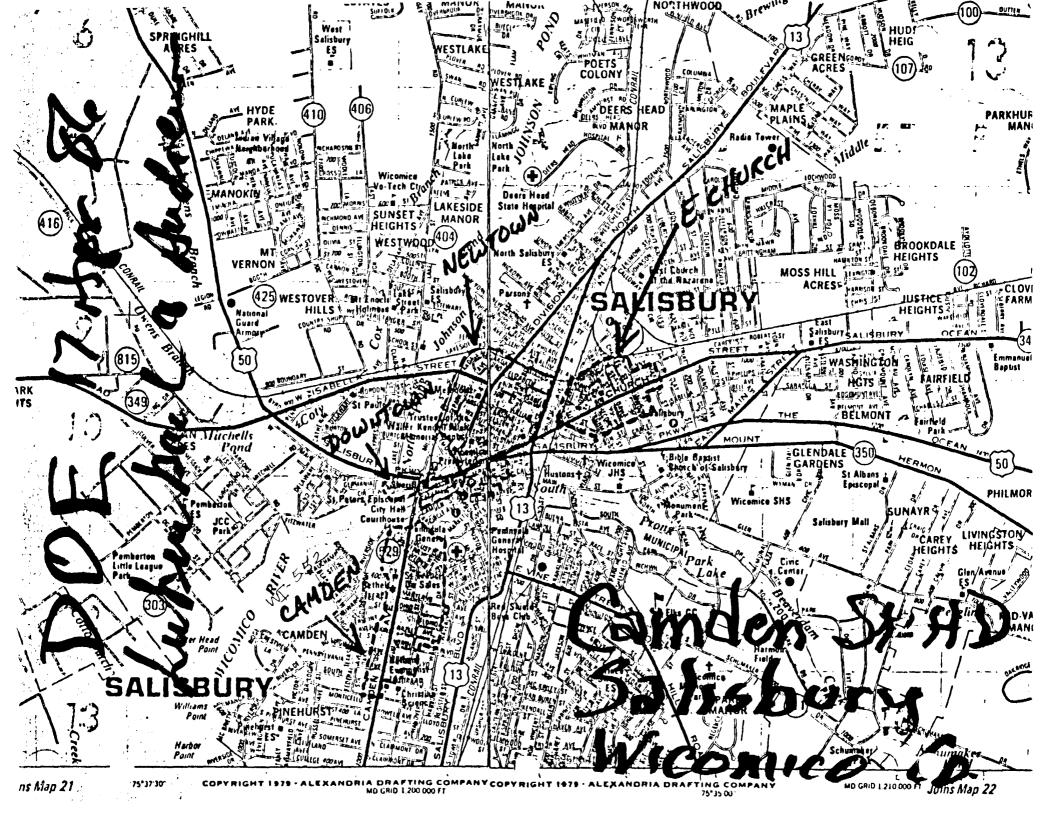
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Camden Historic District (WI-552) Continuation Sheet No. 1

- The town's first development laws were enacted in 1892 and involved the Camden area. Only structures of brick, stone or iron with slate roofs or other non-combustible materials were permitted.
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 architectural legacy, the home was demolished.
- The Newton Jackson home on the corner of Camden and Newton Street remains as a historic reminder of the City's past.
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Prepared by:	Andrew Lewis	Date Prepared: 05/02/01





MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST NR-ELIGIBILITY REVIEW FORM

NR Eligible: yes X no

Property Name: Camden Historic District (aka Ne	Inventory Number: WI-552
Address: City	y: Salisbury Zip Code:
County: Wicomico	USGS Topographic Map: Salisbury
Owner:	
Tax Parcel #: Tax parcel Map Number:	Tax Account ID Number:
Project:	Agency:
Site visit by MHT staff X no yes Nar	me: Andrew Lewis/ Date: 03/23/2001
Eligibility recommended X Eligibility	not recommended
Criteria: X A B X C D Considerations:	ABCDEFGNone
Is the property located within a historic district? no	yes Name of District:
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Documentation on the property/district is presented in:	
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MHT Comments:	
C. Andrew Lewis	May 02, 2001
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services	Date
Peter Kurtze	May 02, 2001
Reviewer, NR Program	Date

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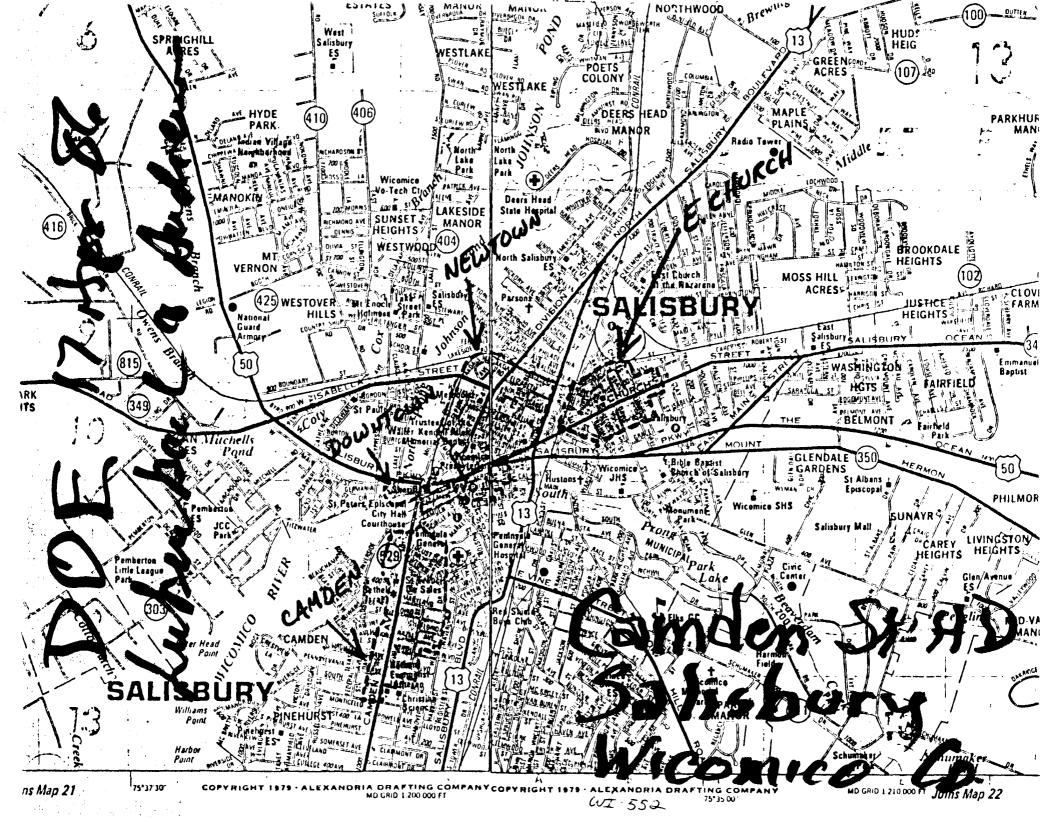
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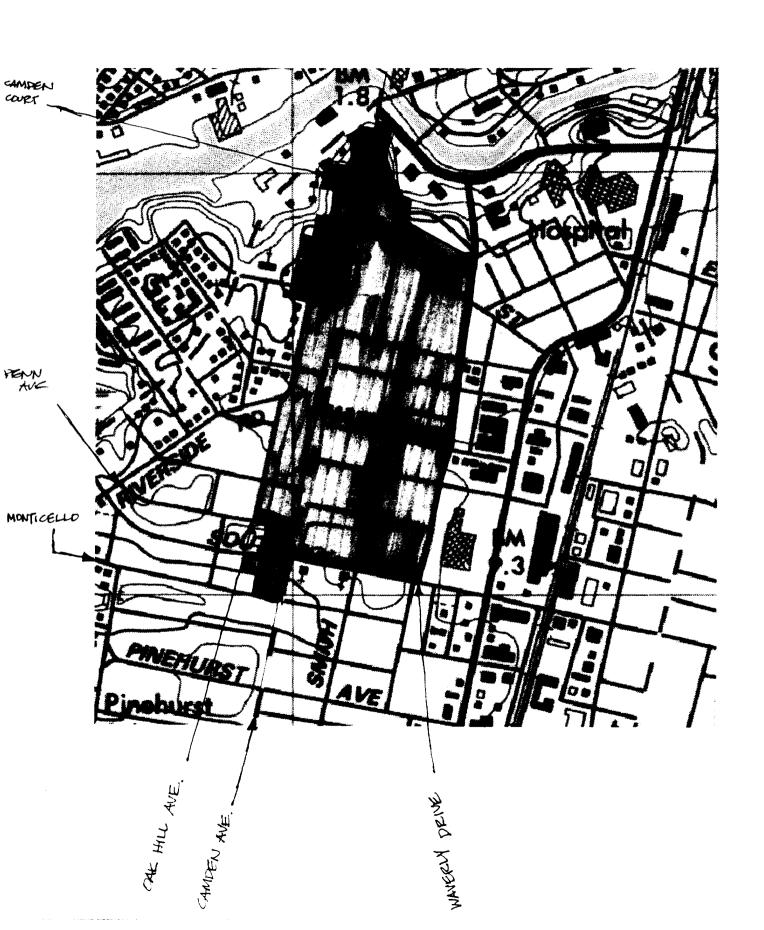
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WI-552 Camden Historic District Salisbury, Md.



CAMPEN' HISTORIC DISTRICT (AKA NEWTON)
SALISBURY, WICCIMICC COUNTY, MD
WT. - 552



Real Property Data Search () Search Result for WICOMICO COUNTY

> **View Map View GroundRent Redemption View GroundRent Registration**

Special Tax Recapture: None

Account Number: District - 13 Account Identifier - 050295

Owner Information

Owner Name: BENZIN PATRICK J RESIDENTIAL Use:

BENZIN CASEY B Principal Residence: YES

709 CAMDEN AVE /04828/ 00293 **Mailing Address: Deed Reference:**

SALISBURY MD 21801-

Location & Structure Information

Legal Description: 709 CAMDEN AVE 17,760 SQFT **Premises Address:** SALISBURY 21801-0000 709 CAMDEN AVE

CITY OF SALISBURY

Lot: Grid: Neighborhood: Subdivision: Section: Block: **Assessment Year:** Plat No: Map: Parcel: 0111 0016 13030702.23 0000 2025 Plat Ref: 0310

Town: SALISBURY

Primary Structure Built Above Grade Living Area Finished Basement Area Property Land Area County Use 2,488 SF 17,760 SF 1900

Stories Basement Type Exterior Quality Full/Half Bath **Last Notice of Major Improvements** Garage

STANDARD UNIT SIDING/ 2 NO 3 1 full

Value Information

Phase-in Assessments Base Value Value As of As of As of 01/01/2025 07/01/2024 07/01/2025 Land: 19,700 23,000 63,600 **Improvements** 100,500

Total: 83,300 123,500 83,300 96,700

Preferential Land:

Transfer Information

Date: 04/08/2021 Seller: WESSEL WILLIAM RICHARD **Price:** \$240,000 Type: ARMS LENGTH IMPROVED Deed1: /04828/ 00293 Deed2: Seller: WHITE THOMAS R JR & DIETLAND F Date: 12/21/2018 **Price:** \$85,000 Type: ARMS LENGTH IMPROVED Deed1: /04416/ 00161 Deed2: Seller: WHITE, THOMAS R JR & CHARLOTTE P Date: 04/25/1979 Price: \$0 Deed2:

Deed1: /00919/ 00067 Type: ARMS LENGTH MULTIPLE

Exemption Information

Partial Exempt Assessments: Class 07/01/2024 07/01/2025 County: 000 0.00 State: 000 0.00 Municipal: 000 0.00|0.00 0.00|0.00

Special Tax Recapture: None

Homestead Application Information

Homestead Application Status: No Application

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Information

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Status: No Application Date:

Salisbury Historic District Commission

Hearing Notification

April 23, 2025

Hearing Date:

Time:	7:00 pm
Location:	Government Office Building 125 N. Division Street Salisbury, MD. 21804 Room 306
Case Number:	#25-05
Commission Considering:	Alterations – Add siding, windows, back patio, front porch
Owner's Name:	Adjalma Da Silva
Applicant Name:	Adjalma Da Silva
Agent/Contractor:	N/A
Subject Property Address:	227 Broad St. Salisbury, MD 21801
Historic District:	Newtown Historic District
Use Category:	Office & Service Residential
Chairman:	Mr. Scott Saxman
HDC Staff contact:	Jennifer Jean Associate Planner (410) 548-3170

Salisbury Historic District Commission

125 N. Division Street

Permit Application \$150 Fee Received_____

(date)

Room 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170/ fax (410) 548-3107

Date Submitted: 03 - 21- 25	Case #:
Date Accepted as Complete:	Action Required By (45 days):
Subject Location: 224 BROAD 57	- Owner Name: poyano Siivi
Application by: ADTALMA SILVA	- Owner Address: Los Diamond AF. Sko
Applicant Address: 103 Diamon AVE	 Owner Phone: 410 f45 0762
Applicant Phone: UIO 845 0762	- Owner Email: Antonios: 110 @ HOT.M.
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Work Involves:New Const	
DemolitionSign	Awning Estimated Cost
DESCRIPTION OF WORK PROPOSED (Please be spe	ecific. Attach sheet if space is inadequate) Type of
material, color, dimensions, etc. must accompany applic	cation. It signs are proposed, indicate material,
method of attachment, position on building, size and fro	ont linear feet of building, size and position of all
other signs on building, and a layout of the sign. Dlease see attached barner wor	K provincely given
Please see attached paper wor	previously given.
Replace Wood Windows Custom made	JUST like previous upon windows.
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Are there any easements or deed restrictions for the	e exterior of this property? If yes, submit a
letter from the easement holder stating their approv	val of the proposed workYesNo
Do you intend to apply for Federal or State Rehabili Maryland Historical Trust staff?Yes <u>≮</u> No <u>If you have checked "Yes" to either of the above qu</u>	uestions, please provide a copy of your approval
letter from the Maryland Historic T	rust along with this application.
See Reverse Side for DOCUMENTS REQUI	IRED TO BE FILED WITH APPLICATION
All required documents must be submitted to the City Planne least 30 days prior to the next public meeting. Failure to incluant or his/her authorized representative to appear at the application until the next regular scheduled meeting. If an appresubmitted for one year from date of such action. Please be Commission or staff, may visit the subject property prior to the project.	er, Department of Infrastructure and Development at ude all the required attachments and/or failure of the ne scheduled meeting may result in postponement of the oplication is denied, the same application cannot be advised that members of the Salisbury Historic District
The Salisbury Historic District Commission Rules and Regulate of the Department of Infrastructure and Developme website: www.ci.salisbury.md.us.	ations and Design Guidelines are available for review in ent for the City of Salisbury as well as on the city's
l, or my authorized representative, will appear at the meeting on(date).	g of the Salisbury Historic District Commission
I hereby certify that the owner of the subject premises has be that said owner is in full agreement with this proposal.	een fully informed of the alterations herein proposed and
Applicant's Signature	Date 03-21-25
Olgi lature	
Application Processor (Date)	Secretary, S.H.D.C. (Date)



EXPIRED BUILDING PERMIT NOTICE

2/11/2025

DA SILVA, ADJALMA R. 105 DIAMOND AVE SALISBURY MD 21804

RE:

227 Broad St.

Permit No.:

202301588

Dear permit holder,

Pursuant to the enforcement of Section 105.5 of the current Building Code, our records indicate that your permit has expired. This section states: "A permit issued shall become invalid unless the work authorized by such permit is commenced within 180 days after its issuance or after commencement of work if more than 180 days pass between inspections. The building official is authorized to grant, in writing, one or more extensions of time, for periods not more than 180 days each. The extension shall be requested in writing and justifiable cause demonstrated."

Please re-submit for a new permit if you plan on continuing work. New Historic approvals will also be contingent on this re-submission.

Without a final approval or a Certificate of Occupancy, the building or space under construction may not be legally used or occupied. Failure to obtain the required Certificate of occupancy may deny insurance claims, prevent future real-estate transactions, or make the owner liable for citations not to exceed \$500.00 per day, per violation.

Your immediate attention to this matter is appreciated. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 410-548-3130.

Sincerely, Building Inspector City of Salisbury

PROJECT INFORMATION

Description:

Residential Addition

Location:

227 Broad St. Salisbury, Maryland

Occupancy:

Single Family -R-

Code Compliance: International Residential Code 2018

Construction:

947 sqft 1st Floor: 947 sqft 1,894 sqft

CONSTRUCTION NOTES

1. ALL WINDOW AND DOOR HEADERS ARE 2x12 SPF #2 OR BETTER.

METAL HURRICANE STRAPPING MUST CONNECT EACH RAFTER TO BOTTOM MEMBER OF DOUBLE TOP PLATE.

FOUNDATION ASSEMBLY

EXISTING FLOOR ASSEMBLY

R-19 INSULATION 2x10 FLOOR JOIST @ 16" O.C. 3/4" T&G PLYWOOD SUBFLOOR

EXTERIOR ASSEMBLY

VAPOR BARRIER 1/2" PLYWOOD SHEATHING

R-21 FIBERGLASS INSULATION OR FILL CAVITY IN EXISITNG WALLS 2x6 STUDS @ 16" O.C.

1/2" GYPSUM BOARD INTERIOR

ROOF ASSEMBLY

ASPHALT SHINGLES #30 FELT 5/8" PLYWOOD SHEATHING RAFTERS @16" O.C.

R-38 FIBERGLASS INSULATION MTL. FASCIA & DRIP EDGE VENTED VINYL SOFFIT

EGRESS WINDOWS AND TYP. WINDOW NOTES

1. ALL BEDROOMS TO HAVE EGRESS WINDOWS INSTALLED OR 2 DOORWAYS INTO ROOM.

2. FIRE EGRESS TO BE PROVIDED BY WINDOWS WITH A CLEAR WIDTH >20" CLEAR HEIGHT > 24", AND 5.7 SQ. FT. CLEAR

3. ALL WINDOWS TO BE MIN. OF 24" A.F.F. OR HAVE A FALL PREVENTION DEVICE INSTALLED TO NOT ALLOW A CLEAR OPNG. OF MORE THEN 4". DEVICE TO HAVE AUTOMATIC RESET WHEN THE WINDOW IS CLOSED.

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE FROM FACE OF STUDS OR FACE OF CONCRETE

MISS. NOTES:

1. SMOKE DETECTORS TO BE INTERCONNECTED AND TO BE HARDWIRE WITH BATTERY BACKUP

2. CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS TO BE INSTALLED WHEN GAS APPLIANCES ARE TO BE INSTALLED 3. HANDRAILS ARE REQUIRED WHEN THERE ARE 3 OR MORE RISERS ON A STAIR MIN. 36" GUARDRAILS

REQUIRED WHEN 30" OR MORE ABOVE GRADE BELOW AND OPEN STAIRS OF MORE THEN 30" RISE. NO OPENINGS LARGER THEN 4" BETWEEN PILASTERS AND PICKETS.

4. STAIRS THE MAX RISERS SHALL BE 8 1/4 INCHES AND MIN. TREAD DEPTH SHALL BE 9 INCHES

STRUCTURAL NOTES:

DESIGN BASED ON FOLLOWING MINIMUM PROPERTIES:

1.1 Sawn lumber shall be Spruce-Pine-Fir (SPF) No.1/No.2 or better, graded in accordance with the NFPA National Design Specification with the following base design values:

A. Fb=875 psi (bending – single member use) B. Fv=135 psi (horizontal shear)

C. Fc=1150 psi (compression parallel to grain)

D. E=1,400,000 psi (modulus of elasticity)

1.2 Laminated Veneer Lumber (LVL) shall be as manufactured by iLevel (Microllam) or equal with the

following base design values: A. Fb=2600 psi (bending)

B. Fv=285 psi (horizontal shear)

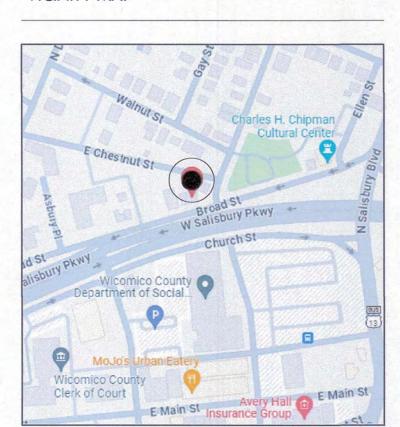
C. Fc=2510 psi (compression parallel to glue line)
D. E=2,000,000 psi (modulus of elasticity)

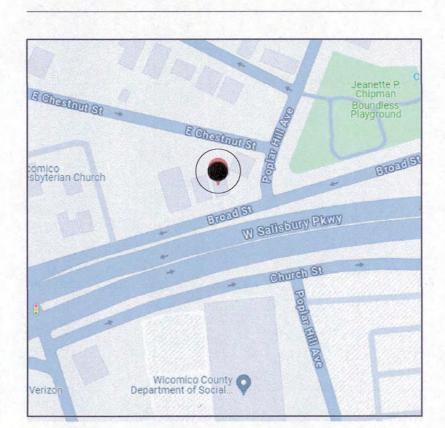
1.3 "I" shape, solid web joists (TJI) shall be as manufactured by Weyerhaeuser, or equal.

Broad St.

227 Broad St. Salisbury MD, 21801

VICINITY MAP





LOCATION MAP

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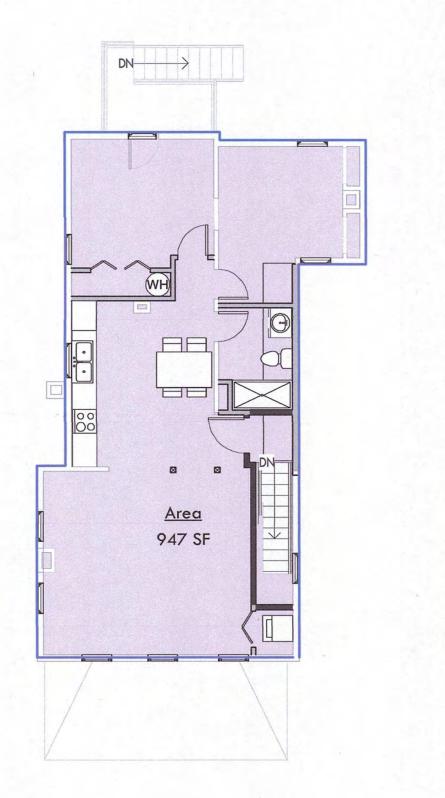


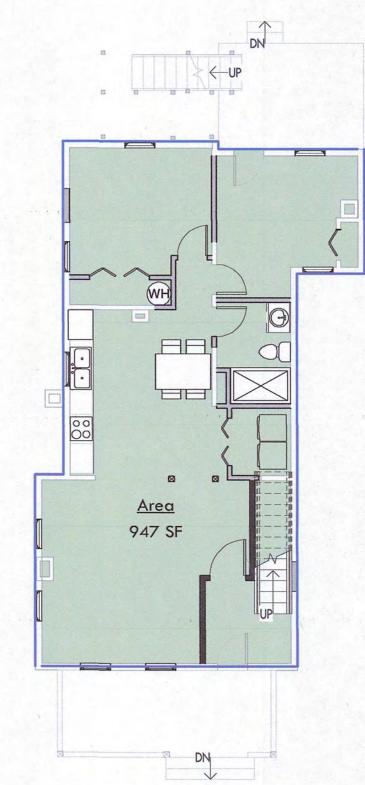
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Salisbury, Maryland 21801 www.Angell-Design.com

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All work on this project shall be done in accordance with all applicable building codes, ordinances, regulations and any additional requirement so stated in any Law, Ordinance, or Regulation pertaining to construction within the said limits of the authority having jurisdiction over the proposed work, architectural, structural, mechanical, plumbing, electrical, energy conservation, zoning, and fire. It shall be the responsibility of the contractor to conform to all codes applicable to this project.

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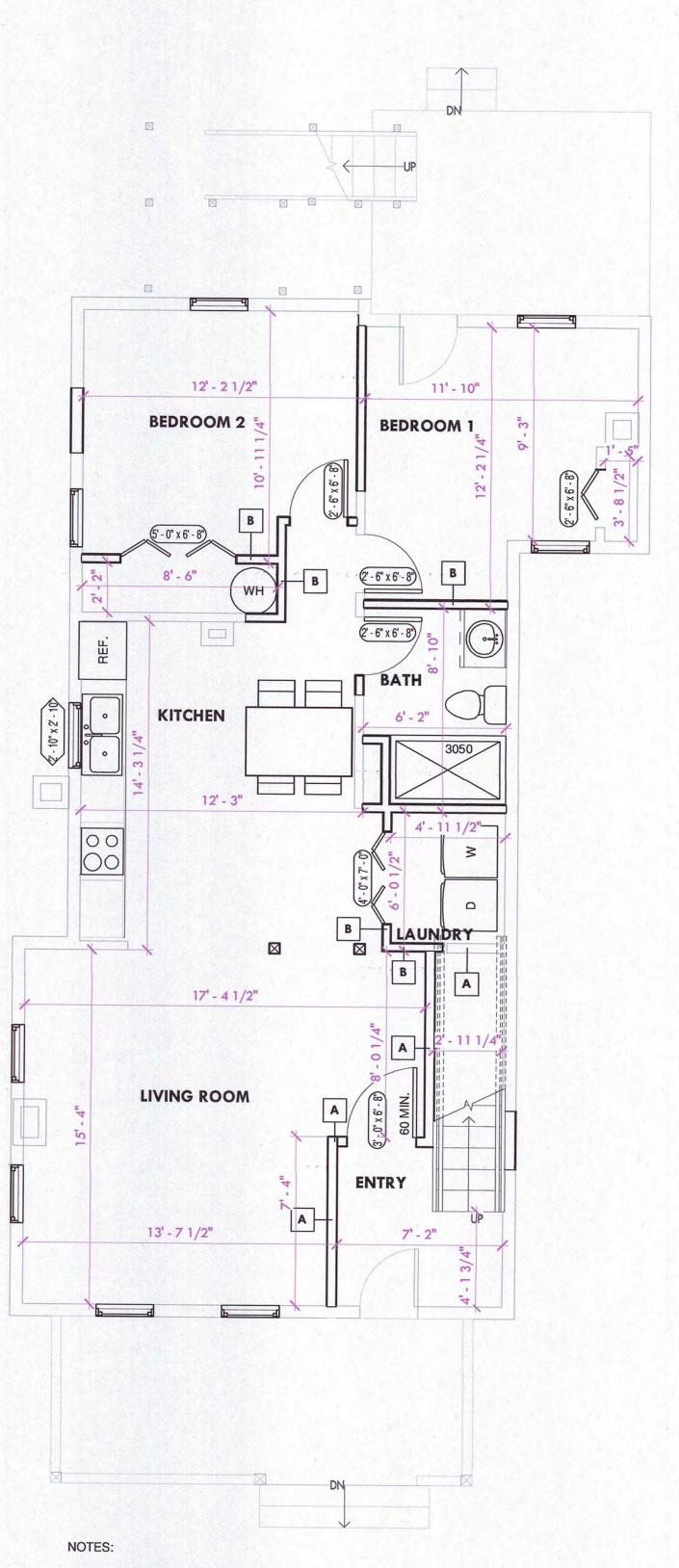
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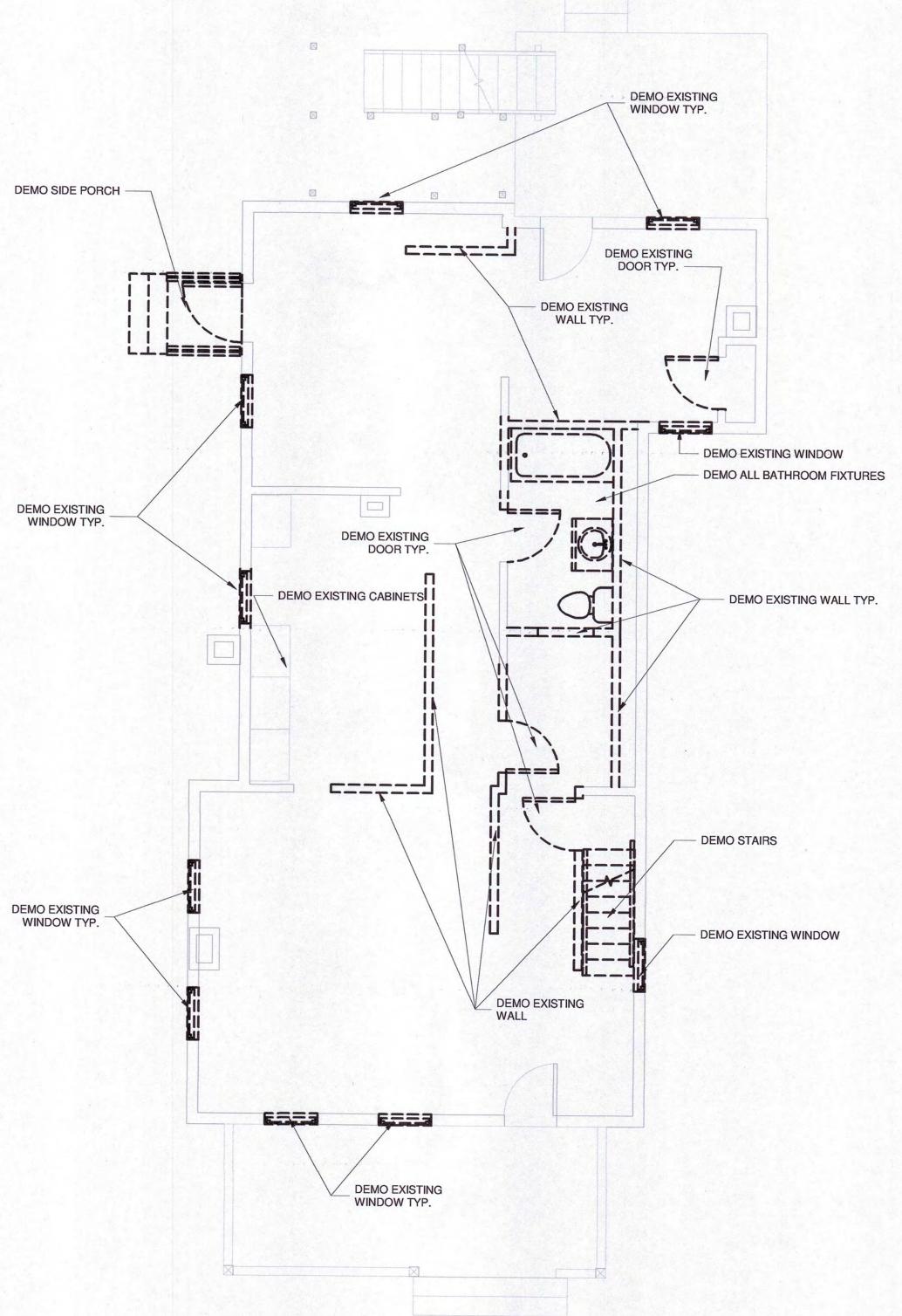
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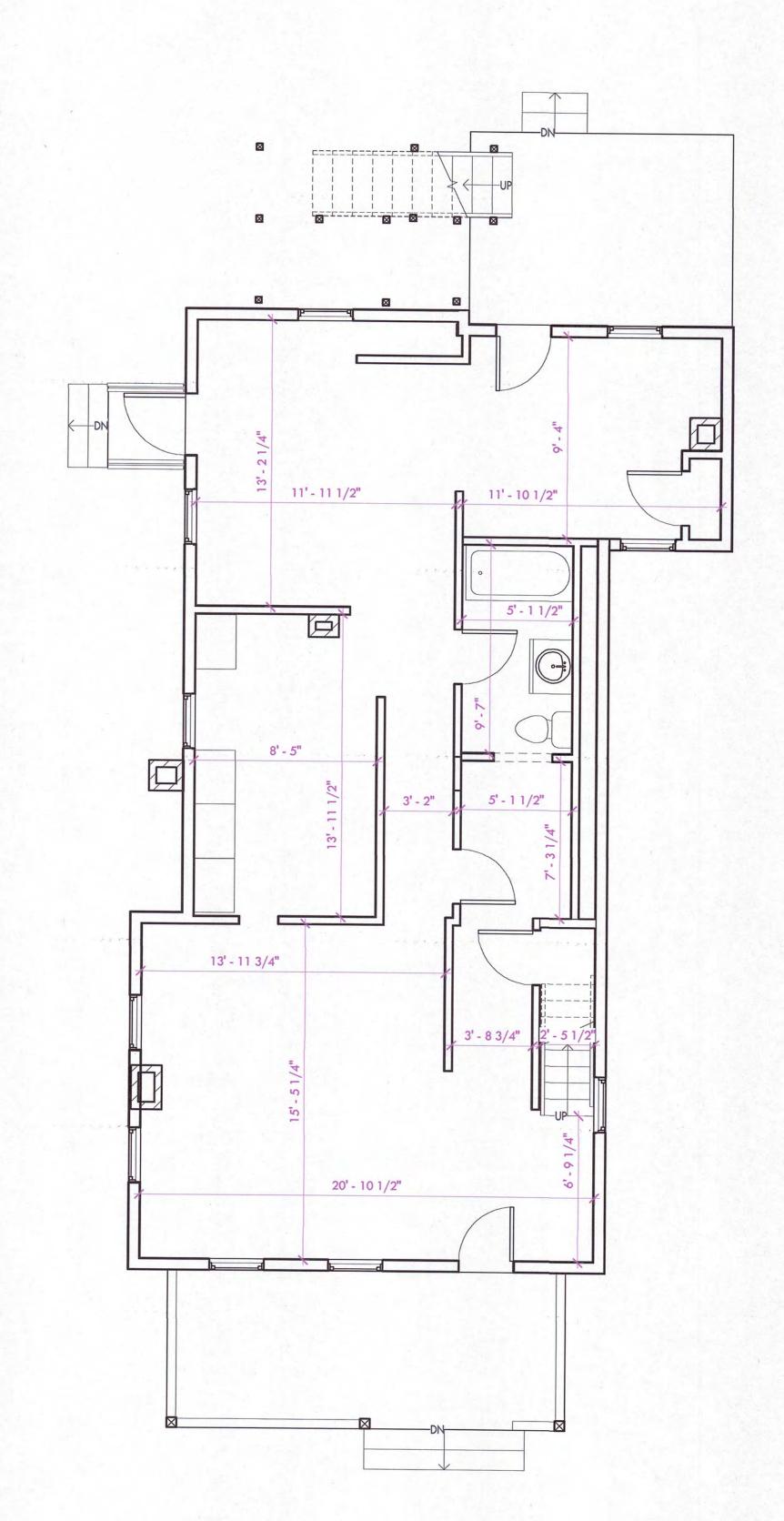
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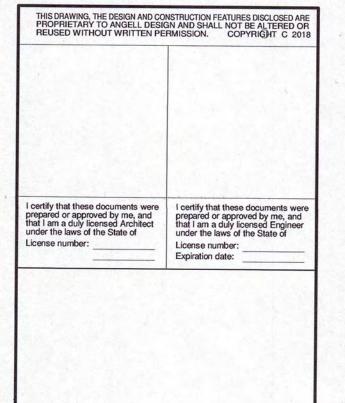


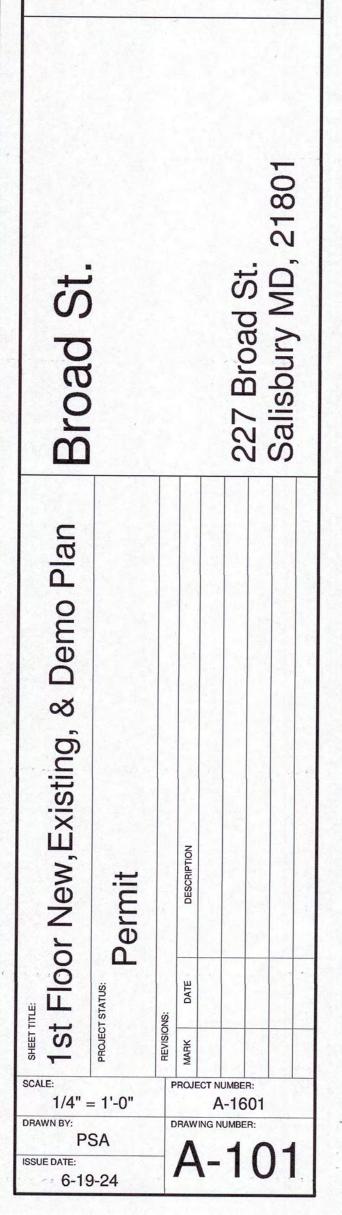
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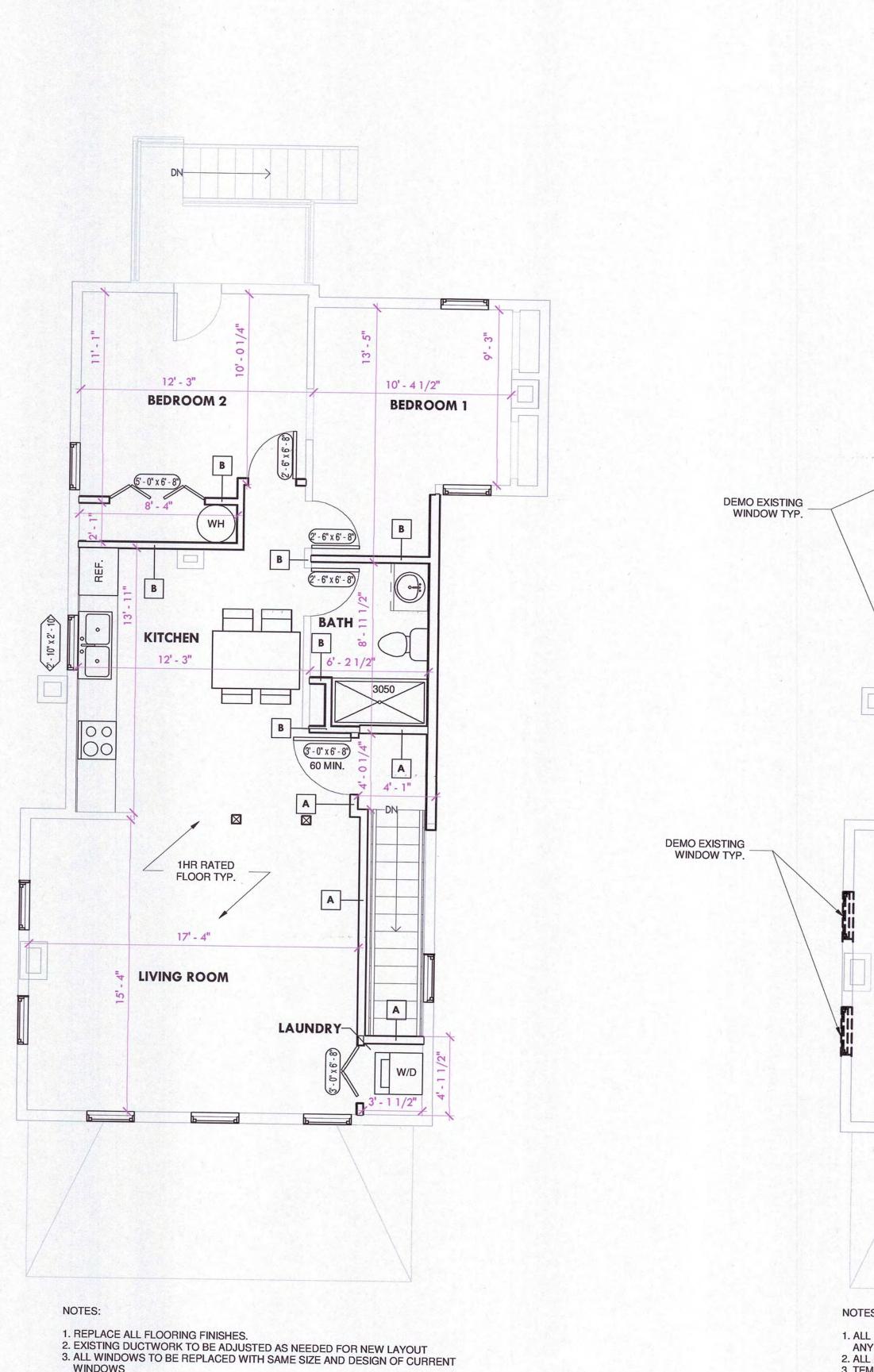
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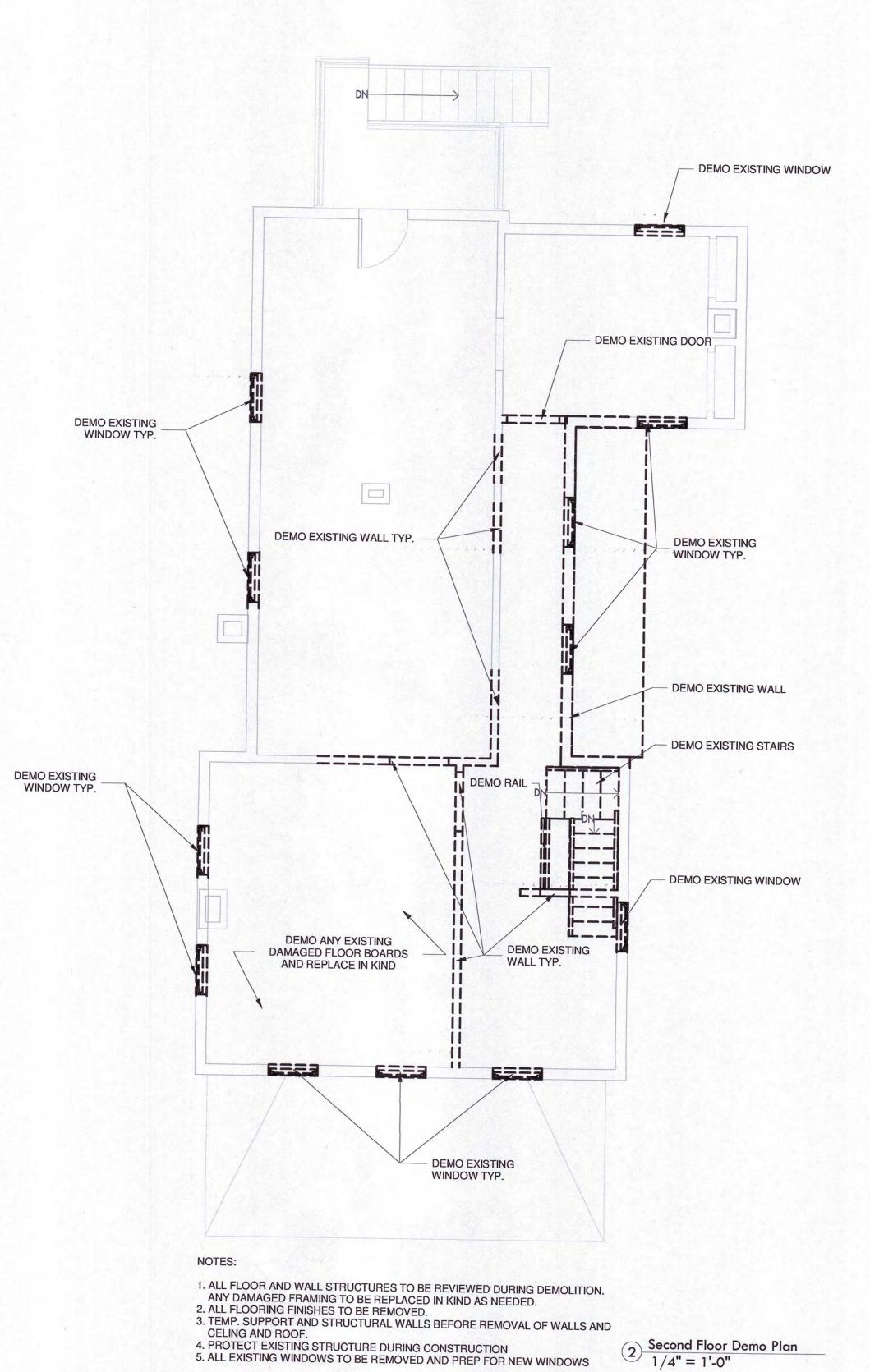


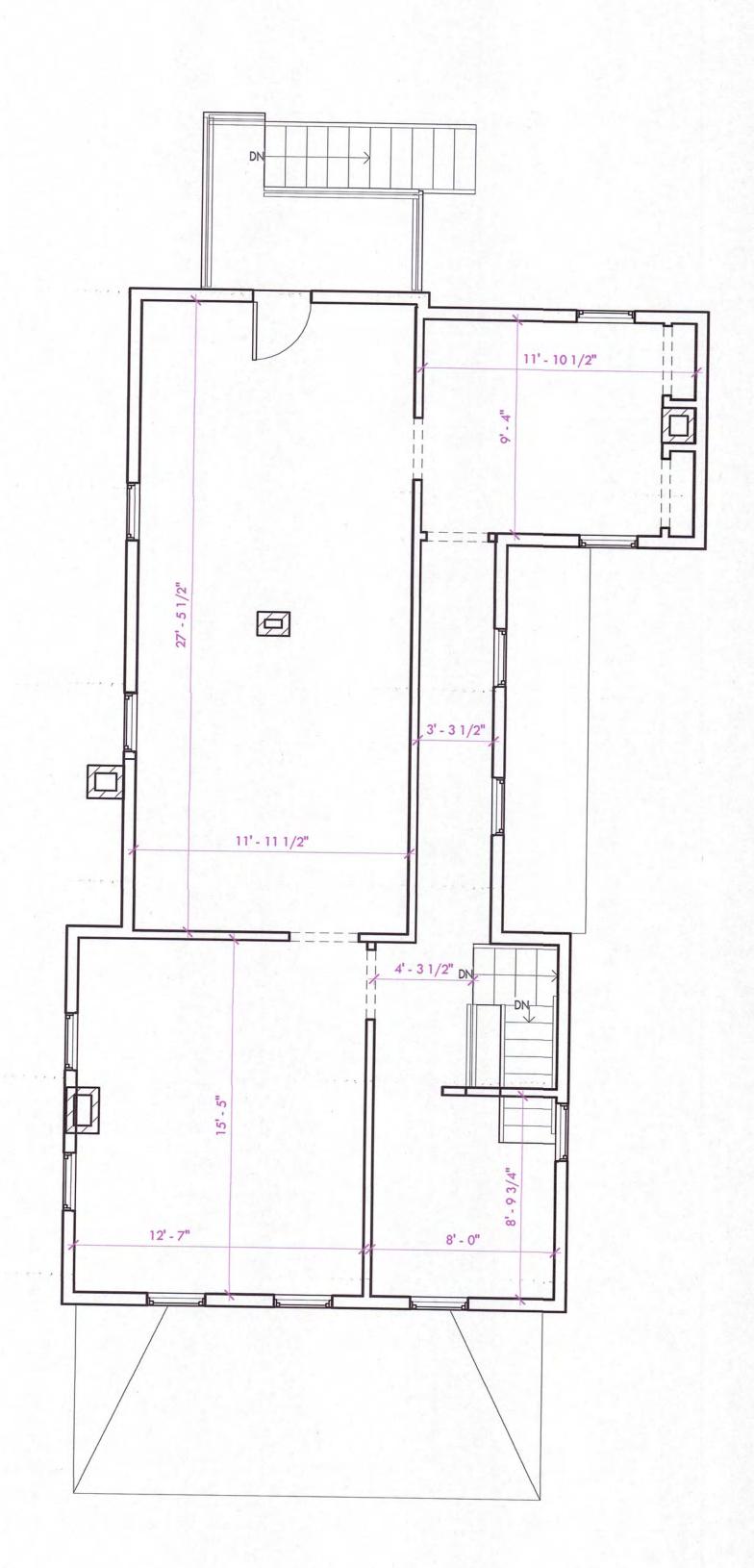
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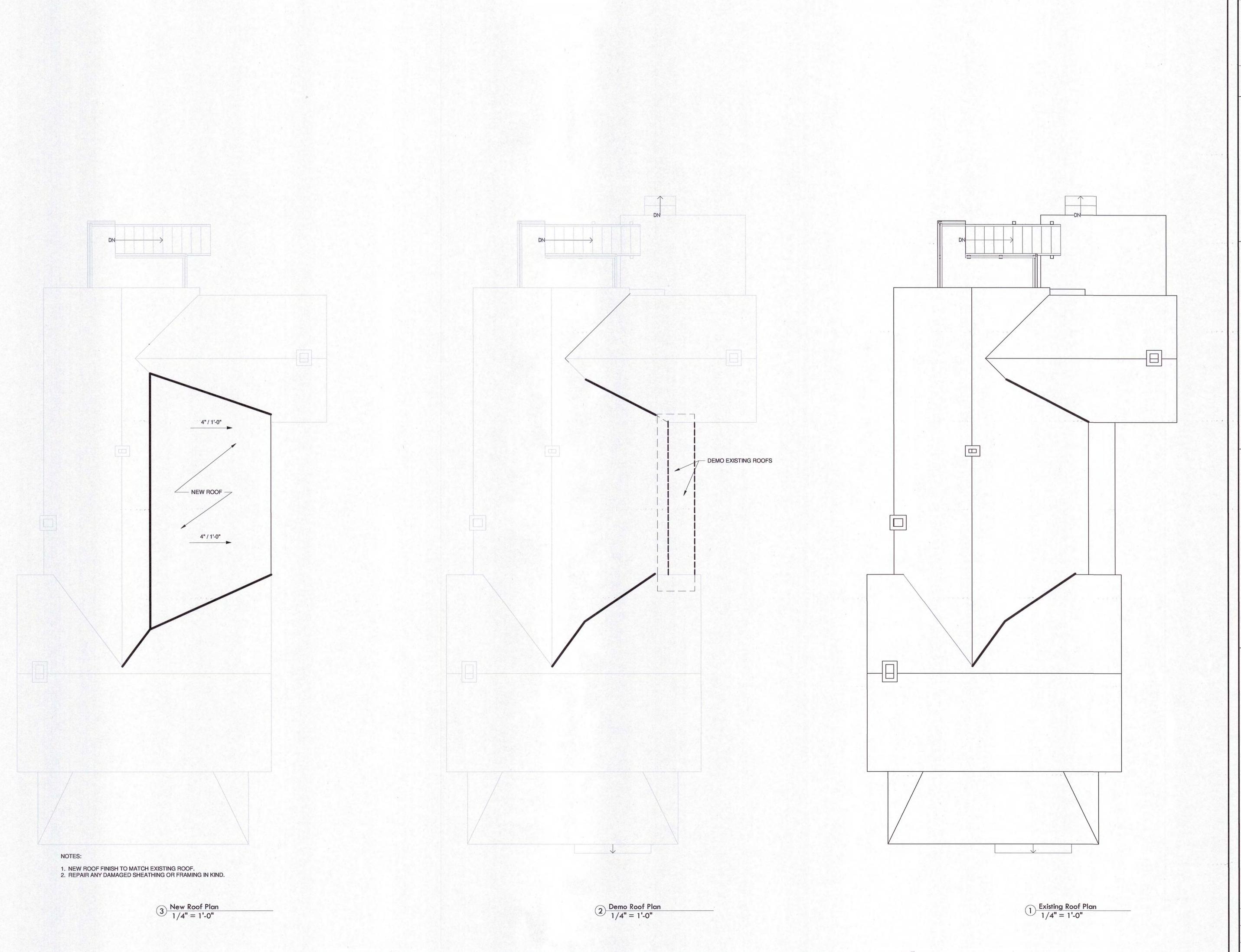




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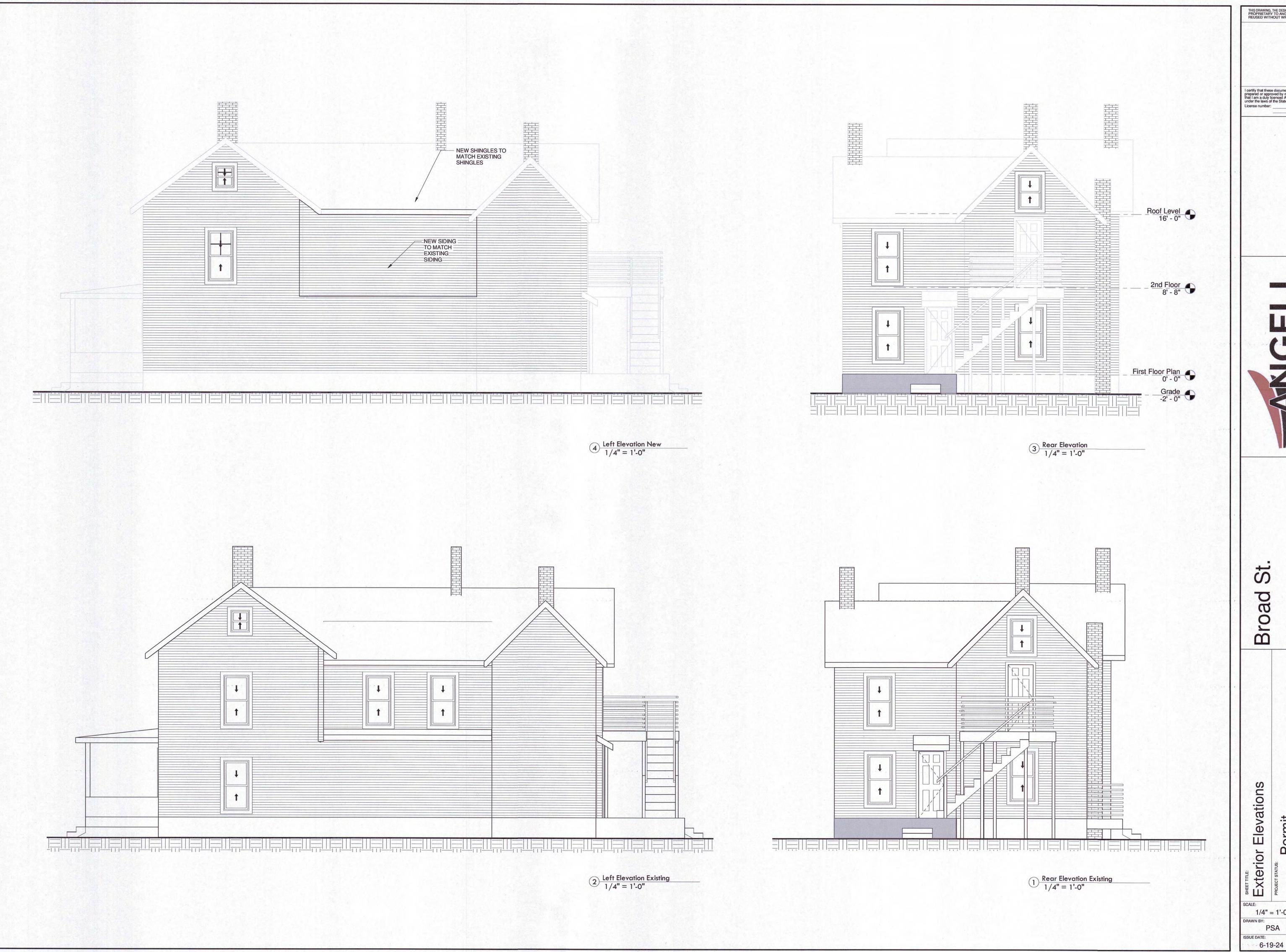
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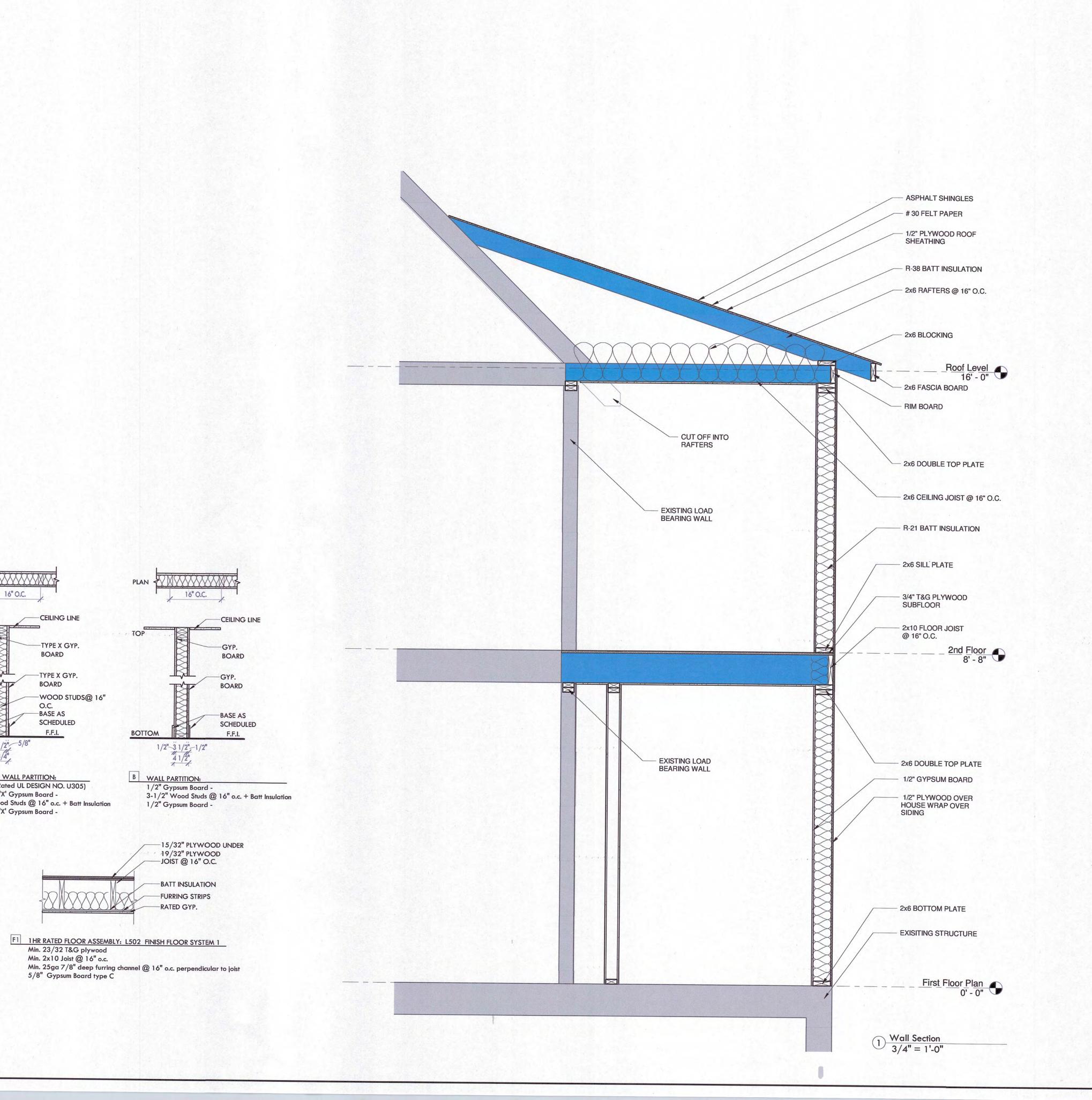
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TYPE X GYP. BOARD

-WOOD STUDS@ 16"

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Salisbury Historic District Commission

STAFF FINDINGS

Meeting of April 23, 2025

#25-05
Alterations – Add siding, windows, back patio, front porch Adjalma Da Silva 105 Diamond Ave Salisbury, MD 21804
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N/A
227 Broad St Salisbury, MD 21801
Newtown Historic District
OSR
OSR – Office & Service Residential
1925 2,058 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property Database)
3,597 sq. ft. (SDAT Real Property Database)
Unspecified

Yes

Yes

Yes; WI-153

Properties included below but not limited to:

Wicomico County Historic Survey on file:

Nearby Properties on County Survey:

Contributing Structure:

• WI-21, Wicomico Presbyterian Church

• WI 14, Dr. Humphrey's House (Humphrey Humphreys House)

Explanation of request: The applicant is seeking approval to replace the existing windows with custom-made wood windows and to replace the existing siding with white fiber cement siding. The request also includes demolishing and rebuilding the back patio, as well as replacing the front porch floor and railing with Azek tongue-and-groove flooring and square spindles.

Areas of Historic Guidelines to be considered:

UNIVERSAL GUIDELINES

Guideline 17: Retain Historic Windows

- a. Maintain or restore the historic shape, size, alignment, pattern, and details of existing historic windows, particularly those in upper stories of commercial properties.
- b. Do not infill window openings or cover existing historic windows.
- c. Consider reopening windows that are presently blocked, if your budget allows.

Guideline 12: Preserve Historic Wood Siding

- a. Maintain and preserve existing wood siding. Keep paint intact to preserve wood features
- b. Repair damaged wood siding by replacing in-kind only the affected boards or shingles. Keep sound material in place.
- c. Do not replace sound historic siding material with new materials for the sake of convenience.

Guideline 13: Match Existing or Historic Siding

- a. Where full-scale siding replacement is necessary, match the historic or existing siding on the building. Keep the details (width of wood boards, shingle size, corner and seam details, etc.) consistent with the historic appearance.
- b. When replacing non-historic siding that was inappropriately applied, choose an appropriate replacement that is consistent with buildings of the type, period, and architectural style.
- c. Do not cover historically uncovered masonry surfaces with siding. Siding applied to masonry surfaces has the potential to hold moisture and cause damage to the underlying wall.

Guideline 14: Synthetic Siding

Synthetic siding describes a siding product not made from natural materials. Vinyl, asphalt, and fiber cement board are the most commonly found synthetic siding types.

- a. The use of new synthetic siding may be approved on a case by case basis if one or more of the
- b. following conditions are met.
- c. Historic decorative details should not be removed or covered by synthetic siding. These details include but are not limited to cornices, window hoods, moldings, eaves, decorative shingles, and trim.
- d. Synthetic siding may not be applied over historically uncovered masonry walls.

Guideline 32: General Landscaping

a. New decks, patios, swimming pools, and playground equipment requiring a permanent

- foundation should be situated in the rear of properties rather than at the front elevation Where appropriate, these additions should be screened from view with landscaping or vegetation. Additions of this type require a COA.
- b. Historic landscaping features should be maintained and preserved as any other historic feature on the property. The removal of historic landscaping features, including front lawns, hedge rows, and mature trees should be avoided.

Best Choice:

Maintain existing historic landscape features including lawns, patios, and planting arrangements.

Good Alternative:

Design new patios and planting arrangements to complement the existing historic features of the property.

Not Appropriate:

Replacing a lawn with gravel or synthetic landscaping materials such as Astroturf, or installing artificial plants and/or flowers for the sake of convenience.

GUIDELINES FOR RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES

Guideline 51: Replacement Windows for Residential Properties

- a. Where window replacement is necessary, the new window should match the historic window in size, type, glazing pattern, and profile.
- b. The number of window panes and the approximate muntin and mullion profile should match the historic window.
- c. Removable, snap-in, or "between the glass" muntins are not historically appropriate.
- d. Maintain the historic window opening size and surrounding trim.
- e. Do not alter the size of the historic window opening to accommodate larger or smaller windows.
- f. Do not remove or cover surrounding trim, including wood and masonry details.
- g. Maintain the window type. For example, do not replace double-hung windows with new casement windows, or replace casement windows with fixed windows.

Guideline 55: Restore Historic Porch Features

- a. Maintain the historic porch or stoop when feasible. Keep wooden surfaces painted and keep up with general maintenance.
- b. If repair or rehabilitation is necessary, keep as much of the historic materials in place as possible. Maintain the porch's design, proportion, and ornament to the greatest extent possible.
- c. Replace missing porch posts and railings where necessary. Match the size, shape, profile, proportion, and spacing to the original features.
- d. Use of synthetic replacement materials may be allowed if the new material closely approximates the size, scale, texture, and overall appearance of the historic feature.

Guideline 56: Replacement Porches

- a. If porch replacement is necessary in whole or in part, reconstruct it to match the historic porch in size, scale, and overall design. Where possible, detail and ornamentation should be replicated.
- b. Use the same or similar materials wherever feasible.
- c. Avoid applying decorative elements that are not appropriate to the style of the dwelling. Whenever possible, choose accurate details based on historic photographs or similar properties of the same period and style.

Evaluation Criteria:

Pursuant to Section 17.52.040 A & B of the Salisbury Zoning Code, it is the duty of the Historic District Commission to review and make determinations on all applications to construct, alter, reconstruct, move or demolish a site or structure within a Historic District whenever "exterior changes are involved which would affect the historic archeological, or architectural significance of a site or structure, any portion of which is visible or intended to be visible from a public way." In reviewing an application and plans, the Commission should consider review criteria, and may decide as to which of said Criteria are applicable.

Staff Findings Prepared By: Jennifer Jean Infrastructure and Development 125 N Division Street, Suite 304 Salisbury, MD 21801 (410) 548-3170

Date: April 14, 2025

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Newtown Historic District

Architectural Survey File

This is the architectural survey file for this MIHP record. The survey file is organized reverse-chronological (that is, with the latest material on top). It contains all MIHP inventory forms, National Register nomination forms, determinations of eligibility (DOE) forms, and accompanying documentation such as photographs and maps.

Users should be aware that additional undigitized material about this property may be found in on-site architectural reports, copies of HABS/HAER or other documentation, drawings, and the "vertical files" at the MHT Library in Crownsville. The vertical files may include newspaper clippings, field notes, draft versions of forms and architectural reports, photographs, maps, and drawings. Researchers who need a thorough understanding of this property should plan to visit the MHT Library as part of their research project; look at the MHT web site (mht.maryland.gov) for details about how to make an appointment.

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MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM

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reparer's Name: Nicole Diehlmann	Date Prepared:	6/15/2004
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Nicole Diehlmann	Tuesday, June 15, 2004	1
Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services	Date	
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Reviewer, National Register Program	Date	

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Anne, Shingle Style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The neighborhood maintains integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling.

The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion A and C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

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Newtown Historic District WI-153 Salisbury, Wicomico County 1795-1954

The Newtown Historic District is a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned residential community located just north of U.S. Route 50 in the City of Salisbury. Most structures within the area are in residential use with the exception of a few churches on the southern end and some commercial space along Route 13. Structures in Newtown are large in scale and placed fairly close together. They are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The neighborhood maintains integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling.

The Newtown Historic District is one of Salisbury's earliest residential areas. Slowly subdivided from the tract known as "Pemberton's Good Will," structures in Newtown date from as early as 1795 to the mid-20th century. These houses, constructed by Salisbury's elite, represent the evolution of residential architectural trends from the late 18th to the early 20th century and retain their architectural integrity. The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion A and C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

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The Newtown Historic District is a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned residential community located just north of U.S. Route 50 in the City of Salisbury. The area is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. Most structures within the area are in residential use with the exception of a few churches on the southern end and some commercial space along Route 13. Structures in Newtown are large in scale and placed fairly close together. They are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The neighborhood maintains integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling.

Newtown is a predominantly residential community on the north side of downtown Salisbury that slowly developed from the mid-19th century into the early 20th century. The Newtown Historic District is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. The district is primarily residential with the exception of a few churches along the southern boundary and some commercial space along Route 13.

Parcels in Newtown were slowly subdivided from a tract of land called "Pemberton's Good Will" beginning in the mid-19th century. Early development was clustered along what is now Broad and Division streets. More development occurred after the Civil War when Isabella, Elizabeth and William streets were partitioned for development from the Poplar Hill Mansion property. The 1877 Atlas for Salisbury shows a street system very close to what exists today, with the exception of Park Avenue, Oakdale Road and Elizabeth Street, which don't appear. Development at that time is clustered on the southern end of the district, principally on Division, Broad, Chestnut and Walnut streets. The neighborhood seems to have been almost built out by the time the September 1899 Sanborn Map was published. That map shows very few vacant parcels left in the community. The area along Oakdale Road, on the property once called The Oaks, was the last portion of the district to be developed.

Despite the long period of development, the Newtown streetscape is rhythmic with an irregular gridiron layout and a relatively consistent setback. Lot sizes are irregular, but the houses are large in scale and placed fairly close together. The houses are typically frame, two-and-a-half stories in height and three to five bays wide. Most structures have full length or wraparound porches. The structures represent an eclectic mix of mid-19th to early-20th century building types and styles including foursquares, Greek Revival, Queen Anne, Shingle style, and Colonial Revival buildings. The streets are lined with mature trees.

Newtown is significant for its broad array and distinguished examples of 19th to early 20th century architectural styles. As a result of fires in 1860 and 1886, there are few remaining antebellum houses in Salisbury. Two of them are located in Newtown. Poplar Hill Mansion [WI-8], located at 117 Elizabeth Street, is the oldest known structure in the City of Salisbury. Construction of the two-story, five-bay frame structure with fine federal-style detailing, including a Palladian window, block cornice and decorative fanlight over the entrance door, was begun circa 1795 when Levin Handy purchased the property. This property is currently operated as a house museum. The rear wing of the 1897 Robert D. Grier house [WI-62] at 315 North Division Street, was originally the two-story, five-bay frame Thomas Hooper House which dates to circa 1820. Now functioning as a service wing, the structure was originally a center hall plan house with fine federal detailing.²

The Greek Revival style is well represented in Newtown. Probably the most notable is the three-story, five-bay frame house located at 115 Broad Street, formerly known as "Park Hall," which was the residence of merchant and mill owner General Humphrey Humphreys. According to an inscribed board, the house dates to 1856. The double pile house is three stories tall with a center hall and low pitched roof with wide eaves. The first two stories are clad in weatherboard with 6/6 sash windows while the shorter third story is clad in flush board siding with casement windows. The first and second stories are encased in vertical corner pilasters on which the third floor appears to rest as a classical entablature. The interior also retains Greek-inspired finishes. Similar to this house is the Dr. Cathell Humphreys house (later known as "Mrs. Herold's School") at 325 N. Division Street. This building, constructed c.

Wicomico Bicentennial Commission, The 1877 Atlases and other Early Maps of the Eastern Shore of Maryland (Salisbury, MD: Peninsula Press, 1976), p. 18.

² Touart, Paul Baker, At the Crossroads: The Architectural History of Wicomico County, Maryland, draft manuscript located at the Maryland Historical Trust, 2002-2003; Touart, Paul Baker, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood," article found in the Maryland Historical Trust vertical files; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District," found in the vertical files of the MHT Library.

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1860-1870 by General Humphrey's brother, is a three-story, three-bay center hall dwelling with weatherboard sheathing on the first two stories and flush board sheathing on the third. The eaves under the hipped roof are marked with large decorative brackets. Other Greek Revival structures remaining in Newtown include Hatfield Manor on Division Street, which was constructed for local merchant Theodore Parsons and his wife, Margaret Bell Parsons. This three-story, five-bay, center-hall structure with flanking two-story wings and a low pitched roof retains its Corinthian columns and bracketed cornice. ³

Elihu E. Jackson, a lumber magnate and Governor of Maryland, and his wife Nellie Rider Jackson lived on the large estate known as The Oaks on the north side of Newtown. The house was located on the northwest corner of North Division and West Isabella streets and designed in the Queen Anne style by Jackson C. Gott of Baltimore in 1883-84. At the time, it was the largest house constructed in Salisbury with over twenty rooms. It was located on an elevated site and was decorated with an asymmetrical collection of towers, gables and porches. In August 1887, it was one of the first houses in Salisbury to be electrified. The structure was demolished in the 1920s to make way for new residential development.

Other notable Queen Anne dwellings in Newtown include the 1887-8 Gillis-Grier house [WI-13] at the corner of North Division and William streets (401 N. Division Street). Built for merchant James Cannon, the asymmetrical house sports a three-story octagonal tower with conical roof, brick chimneys with corbelled caps and terra cotta and woodwork panels. In 1897, Robert D. Grier, a foundry owner, purchased property at 501 North Division Street. He moved the existing dwelling and hired Salisbury builder William J. Johnson to construct a new house on the front of the property. The new portion of the house contains many Queen Anne details including a three story circular tower with conical roof and fishscale shingles. Throughout the Newtown district, there are many more modest dwellings with Queen Anne detailing. One example is the 1898 William M. Day house [WI-245] at the corner of East Isabella Street and Poplar Hill Avenue (119 E. Isabella Street). This two-and-a-half story house is sheathed in a mix of narrow weatherboards, decorative panels and fish scale shingles, and contains multisided bays. ⁵

The Perry-Cooper house [WI-106] at the corner of William and Gay streets (200 E. William Street) in Newtown is an outstanding example of the Second Empire style. It was constructed in 1897 for Thomas Perry, the owner of the Salisbury Advertiser. It maintains its distinctive mansard roof and circular front porch, and is notable for the unusual swag design found in the cornice and window lintels.⁶

The American Four-Square was a popular house type in the early 20th century. They are defined by their two-and-a-half story height, square massing and hipped or pyramidal roof. They were often ornamented with Colonial Revival and Craftsman design motifs. One such example in Newtown is the 1910 L. Atwood Bennett house on Elizabeth Street. Constructed for a Salisbury attorney, the dwelling is notable for its neoclassical porch and exposed rafter ends.⁷

³ Touart, At the Crossroads and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

⁴ Touart, At the Crossroads.

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The properties on Oakdale and the northernmost block of Park Avenue, formerly the site of E.E. Jackson's property, The Oaks, differ from the rest of the district. They are characterized by larger lots and a curvilinear streetscape. The earliest structures date to the 1930s and are predominantly designed in the Colonial Revival style. The eastern half of the block between Isabella Street and Oakdale Road is now a community park.

The Newtown neighborhood also contains several significant institutional buildings. These include the Charles H. Chipman Cultural Center, which was formerly the John Wesley M.E. Church. The John Wesley M.E. congregation was formed in 1837 by a group of free blacks. They constructed a one-story frame church on a Newtown lot they purchased in 1838 at what is now 321 Broad Street. The church was renovated and raised to two stories in 1880, and in 1901 a tower was added to the front. The building now houses a museum interpreting local African-American history.⁸

In 1859, Salisbury's Wicomico Presbyterian Church congregation began construction of a large brick church with Romanesque Revival details at what is now 129 Broad Street. This larger church replaced their former place of worship, a one-story building on Broad Street. The church with its rounded arched windows was dedicated on March 24, 1861. The entrance tower and steeple, designed by Baltimore architectural firm Owens & Sisco, was added in 1910.9

The original Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church was destroyed by the 1886 fire, but was reconstructed in 1887-8. The new church, financed by wealthy lumber merchant William H. Jackson, was designed by Baltimore architect Jackson C. Gott in the Romanesque Revival style and constructed in Port Deposit stone. The church was unique because the sanctuary was oriented on a diagonal with a corner pulpit and theatre-style seating. The building now houses the Faith Community Church at 219 N. Division Street.¹⁰

Trinity Methodist Church [WI-64], at the corner of North Division and High Street, was designed by the Baltimore architectural firm, C.E. Cassell & Son, and constructed in 1904-5. Built in the Richardsonian Romanesque style with Port Deposit granite and limestone accents, the building is notable for its windows made by the studios of Louis Comfort Tiffany. 11

⁸ Touart, At the Crossroads; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

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[&]quot;Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

Period	Areas of Significance	Check and j	ustify below	
1600-1699 <u>X</u> 1700-1799 <u>X</u> 1800-1899 <u>X</u> 1900-1999 2000-	agriculture archeology X architecture art commerce communications community planning conservation	economics education engineering entertainment/ recreation ethnic heritage exploration/ settlement	health/medicine industry invention landscape architecture law literature maritime history military	performing arts philosophy politics/government religion science social history transportation other:
Specific dates	1795-1954		Architect/Builder	
Construction da	ates			
Evaluation for:				
X	National Register	X N	Maryland Register	not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

The Newtown Historic District is one of Salisbury's earliest residential areas. Slowly subdivided from the tract known as "Pemberton's Good Will," structures in Newtown date from as early as 1795 to the early 20th century. These houses, constructed by Salisbury's elite, represent the evolution of residential architectural trends from the late 18th to the early 20th century and retain their architectural integrity. The Newtown Historic District is eligible for listing on National Register under Criterion C as a outstanding example of a mid-19th to early-20th century unplanned suburban neighborhood. The neighborhood maintains its integrity of location, design, setting, materials, association and feeling. It is significant for its intact collection of late-18th to early-20th century residential building styles, as well as for its association with key figures in the development of the City of Salisbury.

The City of Salisbury was established in 1732 on fifteen acres of land between the north and east branches of the Wicomico River. Despite its location on the dividing line of what was then Somerset and Worcester counties, by the end of the 18th century, Salisbury had developed into a commercial center. According to architectural historian Paul Touart, much of this growth was fueled by "the speculation and subdivision of additional parts of "Pemberton's Good Will," one of the principal tracts on which the city was laid out. The newly partitioned land was located along the Salisbury-Laurel [Delaware] Road between High Street and modern-day West Isabella Street." A large mill complex was established in 1769 on the north prong of the Wicomico River by Littleton Dennis and Josiah and Gilliss Polk which by 1774 contained two grist mills, a bolting mill and a saw mill on eighty acres of land. The surviving 1798 Direct Tax records for Somerset County show a diversity of commercial, industrial and domestic structures located primarily between the two forks of the Wicomico River. Almost a third of the dwellings were classified as "new," indicating the town was experiencing a growth spurt. 13

Outside of this developed area were several large land holdings, including the 357-acre plantation owned by Levin Handy. This property was called Poplar Hill, but was originally a portion of "Pemberton's Good Will." Levin Handy purchased the property in 1795 and shortly thereafter began construction of the two-story, five-bay frame structure with fine federal-style detailing now known as Poplar Hill Mansion. The house was not completed by Handy, however. In 1805, John Huston, a doctor who also owned and operated a downtown bank, acquired the property and finished construction. ¹⁴

During the late 18th century, a 74.75-acre parcel of "Pemberton's Good Will," located between what is now High and West Isabella streets, was acquired by another of Salisbury's early physicians, Dr. Martin Luther Haynie. Dr. Haynie subdivided the land into smaller, irregularly-sized parcels that fronted the west side of what was then known as Dividing or Boundary Street. The 1798 Federal Direct tax assessment indicates that these properties were located in "Haynie's Settlement" and were mostly unimproved. It is unclear how much development occurred there in the first quarter of the nineteenth century, but by the 1820s, the area was referred to as "New Town" in property transfers.¹⁵

¹² Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

¹³ Touart, At the Crossroads; Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood;" and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

¹⁴ Touart, At the Crossroads.

¹⁵ Touart, At the Crossroads; and Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

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Salisbury continued to grow in the early 19th century, mostly because of its commercial and industrial enterprises and its location on the Wicomico River and the primary north-south road of the Delmarva Peninsula. The area of Newtown was incorporated into Salisbury's corporate limits in 1847. At that time, most of the construction activity within Newtown was limited to parcels bordering on Broad, High, and Dividing streets. The additional acreage within the current-day boundaries of Newtown was still owned by Dr. John and Sarah Huston of Poplar Hill.¹⁶

By the time the railroad reached Salisbury in April 1860, the town boundaries had expanded dramatically and the population neared 2,000 residents. The next several years brought setbacks for the town—an August 1860 fire devastated much of the town, and by 1862 the town was occupied by federal forces seeking confederate sympathizers. By the end of the war, however, Salisbury was recovering from the ravages of fire. Many residents chose to rebuild their houses outside of the commercial district in Newtown. The pace of construction was brisk along Division Street. Three new east-west streets were created from land subdivided from the Poplar Hill property. They were named after the children of Poplar Hill's owners, John and Sarah Huston—Isabella, Elizabeth and William.¹⁷

In 1867, the Maryland legislature passed a new constitution with an amendment authorizing the partition of Somerset and Worcester counties and the creation of a new jurisdiction named after the Wicomico River. Salisbury became the county seat of the new Wicomico County and grew in influence. During the 1870s, an extensive railroad network was developed on the Eastern Shore. Many of these lines intersected at Salisbury, transforming the town into a transportation hub. At the same time, dredging and other improvements to the Wicomico River improved the town's shipping capacity. These positive economic factors lead to a building boom in Salisbury that would last to the end of the century.¹⁸

Fire struck the town once again on October 18, 1886. Ignited in a livery stable downtown, the fire quickly spread throughout the city. Wet blankets were effectively used to protect the roofs of Newtown houses from catching on fire. With help from the Wilmington, Pocomoke City and Crisfield fire departments, the north and easternmost portions of the blaze were extinguished by Broad and Division streets, saving the residence of Dr. Eugene Humphreys [the General Humphrey Humphreys House] at 115 Broad Street. Salisbury quickly recovered from this second major fire and Newtown once again became a center of residential construction. 19

As a result of its ever-growing industrial, commercial and agricultural economy, from the 1880s to the 1920s, Salisbury's population grew from nearly 4,000 to over 10,000 residents. This population growth spurred demand for housing. To meet this need, some local businessmen constructed rowhouse units on smaller parcels of land. There is a series of such brick rowhouse units in Newtown on Poplar Hill Avenue, but the neighborhood remained one of primarily single-family detached houses.²⁰

The properties on Oakdale Road and the northernmost block of Park Avenue, formerly the site of E.E. Jackson's property, The Oaks, were the last to be developed and represent building trends in the early 20th century. They are characterized by larger lots and a curvilinear streetscape. The earliest structures date to the 1930s and are predominantly designed in the Colonial Revival style.

The Newtown Historic District contains examples of almost all architectural styles popular in the United States from the late 18th to the early 20th century. These high-style structures were built by Salisbury's elite and represent the City's growing importance on Maryland's Eastern Shore.

¹⁶ Touart, At the Crossroads; and Touart, "The Eighteenth-Century Origins of the Newtown Neighborhood."

¹⁷ Touart, At the Crossroads; and "Architectural Walking Tour of Newtown Historic District."

¹⁸ Touart, At the Crossroads.

¹⁹ Touart, At the Crossroads.

²⁰ Touart, At the Crossroads.

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10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property	74.98	
Acreage of historical setting	74.98	
Quadrangle name	Salisbury	Quadrangle scale: 1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The Newtown Historic District is roughly bounded by Broad Street/Route 50 to the south, U.S. Route 13 to the east and railroad tracks to the north and west. This area contains a concentrated collection of significant historic properties that were originally subdivided from the tract "Pemberton's Good Will." Some properties facing the west side of U.S. Business Route 13 are not included in the district because they do not retain sufficient integrity to contribute to the district's significance.

11. Form Prepared by

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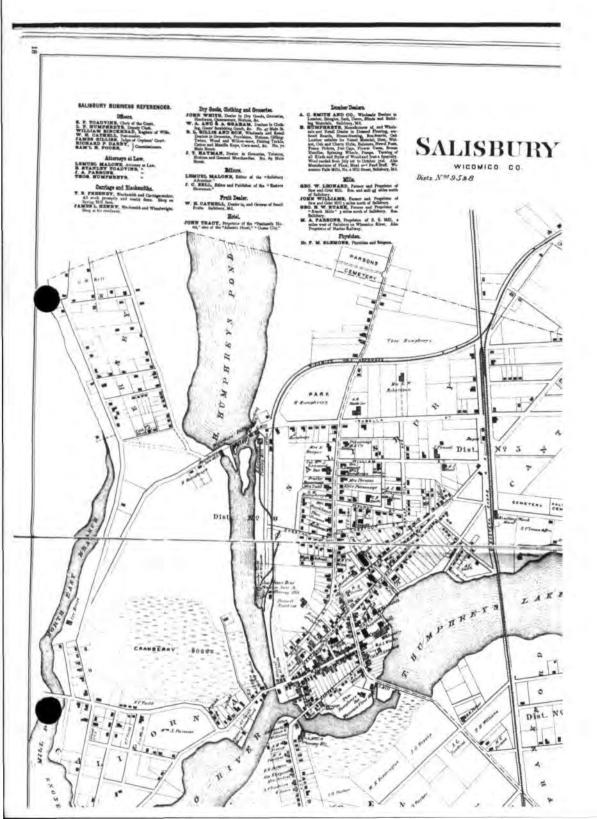
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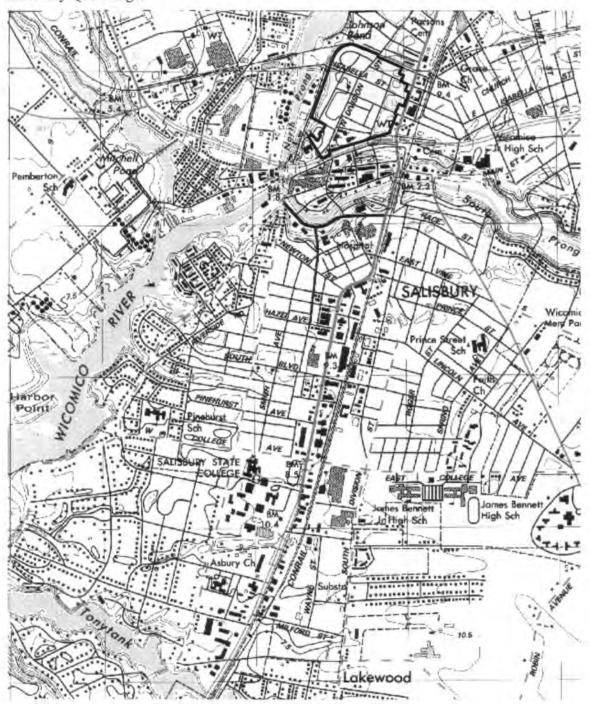
Contributing & Noncontributing Resources

District Name: Newtown Historic District Inventory Number: WI-153

Address	Contributing Resource?	Мар	Parcel	Block	Lot	Inventory No.
113 E WILLIAM ST	Noncontributing	0107	0682			
114 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0820			
115 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0683			
200 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0791			WI-106
201 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0684			
202 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0790			
203 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0685			
205 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0686			
300 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0712			
301 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0692		29A	
303 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0694	T	26A	
304 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0711			
305 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0694	Ĵ.	27B	
306 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0710			
307 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0695			
308 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0709			
309 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0696			
310 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0708			
311 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0697		3	
312 E WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0707			
102 W WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0971	4	14	
104 W WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0970	4	13	
108 W WILLIAM ST	Contributing	0107	0969		0	
108 WILSON ST		0104	0603			
120 WILSON ST	Noncontributing	0104	0602			
122 WILSON ST	Noncontributing	0104	0601			



WI-153 Newtown Historic District Wicomico County Salisbury Quadrangle





West Side Park Avenus Newtown Historic District Wicomiso to MY Nicole Liermann 3/4/04 ML SHOW Found South #10f4



W1-153 South Sidewissibelia i rect Newtown Historic District Wicomico Co, mb Nicole Bichimann 3/4/04 MB SHOO Foore East # Z of 4



WI-153 Park Avenue (500 £ 507) Newtown Historic District Wicomico County M. Nicole Dieh mann 3/4/04 ML SHOW Facina East #30f4



W1-153 SE corner of Elizabeth & Division Streets Newton Historic District WICOMICO CO MY Nicole Dehlmann 3/4/2004 ML SHOW

Facing SE # 4 of 4

HISTORIC DISTRICT CONDUSTION FOR NEWTOWN



A group of Salisburians 1974-5 promoted a movement to preserve the uniqueness of an old neighborhood known as Newtown. The culmination of this group's efforts was the acceptance of Ordinance #1142 by the Mayor, and Council of Salisbury on Feb. 10, 1975, which created the Newtown Historic District.

The purpose of Ordinance #1142 as quoted from the Ordinance, is to "regulate the construction, alteration, reconstruction, moving and demolition of structures of historic and architectural value together with their appurtenances and environmental settings within respective specified himits. This regulation is designed to safeguard the heritage of the City by preserving districts herein which reflect elements of its cultural, social, economic, political or architectural history; to stabilize and improve the property values in such districts in the City, to foster civic beauty, to strengthen the local economy and to promote the use and preservation of such historic districts in the City for the education, welfare and pleasure of the residents of the City of Salisbury."

Ordinance #1142 also provided for the establishment of a Historic District Commission whose duty it is to carry out the purpose of the Ordinance. In Section 2 of the Ordinance under item D-3-4 "Powers and Frocedures" the Commission is required to give consideration to "a, b, c, d, e and Item 4".

- The historic or architectural value or significance of the structure and its relations to the historic value of the surrounding area.
- "b. The relationship of the exterior architectural features of such structure to the rest of the structure and to the surrounding area.
- "c. The general compatibility of exterior design, arrangement, texture and materials proposed.
- "d. Special features in historic areas such as their architectural integrity and spatial relationships among buildings. Spatial relationships include courtyards, street patterns, scale of buildings, and open space.
- "e. To any other factors, including aesthetic factors, which the Commission deems to be pertinent.
- The Historic District Commission shall pass only on exterior features of a structure and shall not consider interior arrangement, nor shall it disapprove applications except in regard to the considerations set forth above."

The "uniqueness" which is seen and felt in the Newtown Area can be described by a statement of repetitions and continuities throughout the district which lend the character to the area which the Cormission merits as important to save. This pleasing flavor consists of the sum of the following details blending with one another to form a whole, which is historically and architecturally significant for Salisbury:

- Massive late 19th and early 20th century Victorian style houses along N. Division Street corridor with strong support from similar houses on William, Elizabeth, Walnut and Isabella Streets; a parallel corridor in intensity of Victorian houses on Park Avenue.
- 2. Sidewalks with large shade trees encouraging pedestrian traffic.
- 3. A lack of large or overlighted commercial signs.
- 4. The retension of residential appearance in some commercial properties.
- 5. Repetition of the following architectural details:
 - a. Large front porches with ballusters.
 - b. Palladian windows.
 - c. Victorian "gingerbread" trim.
 - d. Colored glass windows.
 - e. Diagonal and diamond shaped pane windows.
 - f. Beveled, leaded glass windows.
 - g. East lake carving motif.
 - h. Decorative cornices, brackets, and corner boards or pilasters.
 - i. Shaped shingles i.e.; fish scale, diamond saw tooth.
 - j. Shuttered windows.
 - k. Towers, cupolas, balconies.
 - 1. Predominance of clapboard.

These specific details in addition to considerations mandated by the Ordinance were used as criteria to form a classification system for Newtown properties.

COMMISSION'S SURVEY

The Commission surveyed in February 1976 each property in the Newtown area. The findings have been classified and recorded. The information, with a picture of the property, is recorded on 3 x 5 cards in a file held by the Commission. The survey will be used in future identification of properties

be used to provide the landmark list mentioned in Section V of Salisbury
Historic District Commission, Rules and Regulations. The landmark list WI-153
itemizes those proper less which should be protected their historical or
architectural merit. Other graphic materials, i.e. maps will be composed
from this information to show growth, change, or comparisons.

CLASSIFICATION CATEGORIES

Each property has been classified according to the following categories. A coding system is used in order to abbreviate the information.

The classification categories are:

- A. Street and House No. (No abbreviations)
- B. Style of House-indicate height and materials, type

Abbreviations:

Clapboard = CB
Aluminum Siding = Al
Asbestos Shingle = AS
Wood Shingle = WS
Brick = B
Stucco - Stu
Asphalt Shingle = Asp
Formstone = F

L Story = 1S
2 Story = 2S
3 Story = 3S
With Attic = W/A
Victorian - Vict.
Colonial - Col.
Rancher - Ran.

- C. Approximate Date (No abbreviation)
- D. Use

'Abbreviations:

Apartment = Apt
Single family = SF
Commercial = Com
Duplex = Dup
Public - Public

E. Condition

#1 = Sound, recently painted or renovated.

#2 = Fair, needs paint and some repair.

#3 = Poor condition needs extensive repair and paint. Deteriorated.

F. Rating Historical/Architectural

- A = Must be retained, historically significant and/or exhibits many architectural details listed above and is a superior example of a period in architectural development.
- B = Should be preserved, represents good example of development and style, exhibits some details from above lists and supports the environ visually by size, shape or materials.

- C = Houses or buildings adjoining A or B properties and should be j ed with considerable thought.
- D = Should be judged most leniently, has no significance architecturally or historically, lacks close proximity to A or B houses, or is deteriorated beyond reasonable or economic restoration.
- G. House has had structural exterior modification since being built (porch removed, siding changed, trim removed, addition, etc.)

Abbreviation:

m = modified um = unmodified.

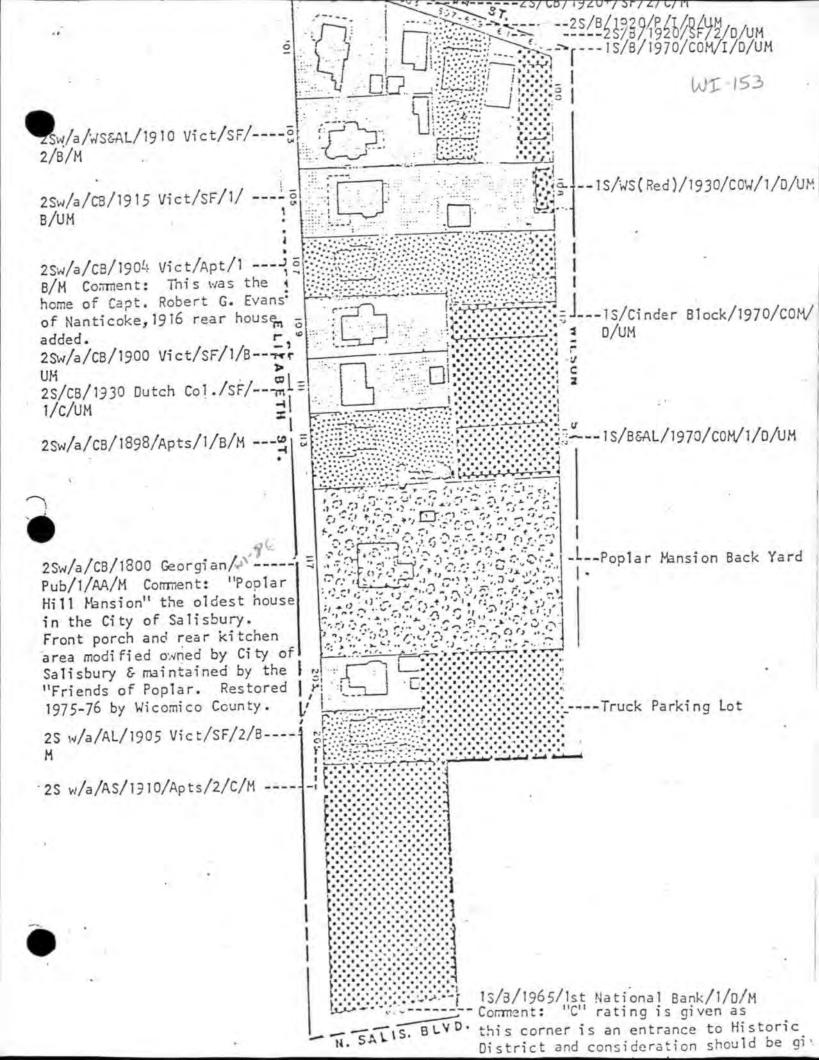
H. General Comment: Any further piece of information which would be worthy of consideration, pertaining to history, structure, preservation or modification. Empty lots would be described in this space.

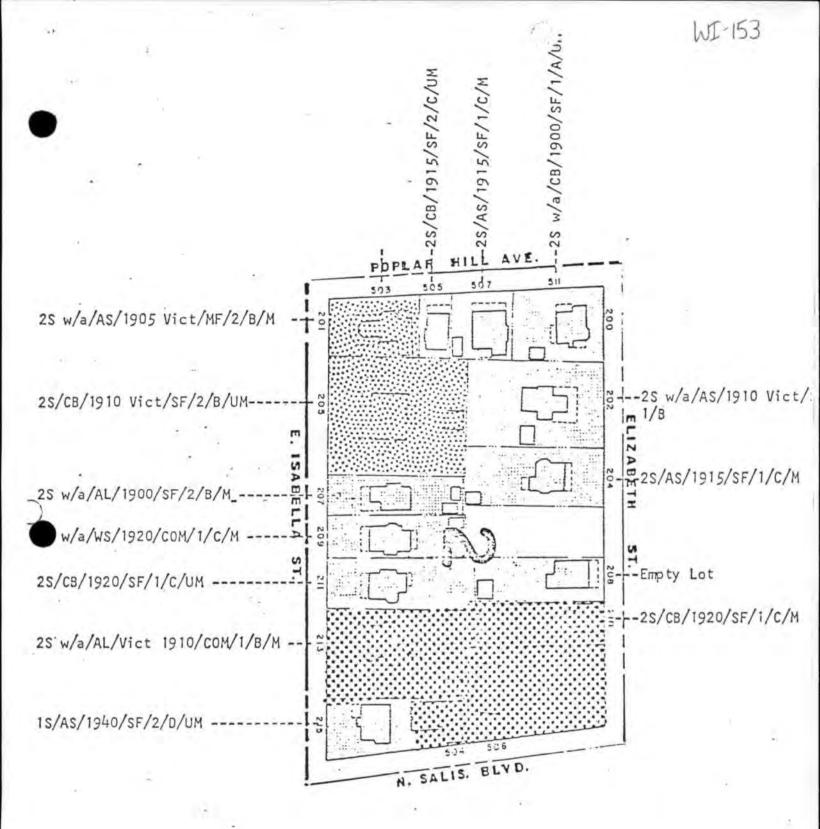
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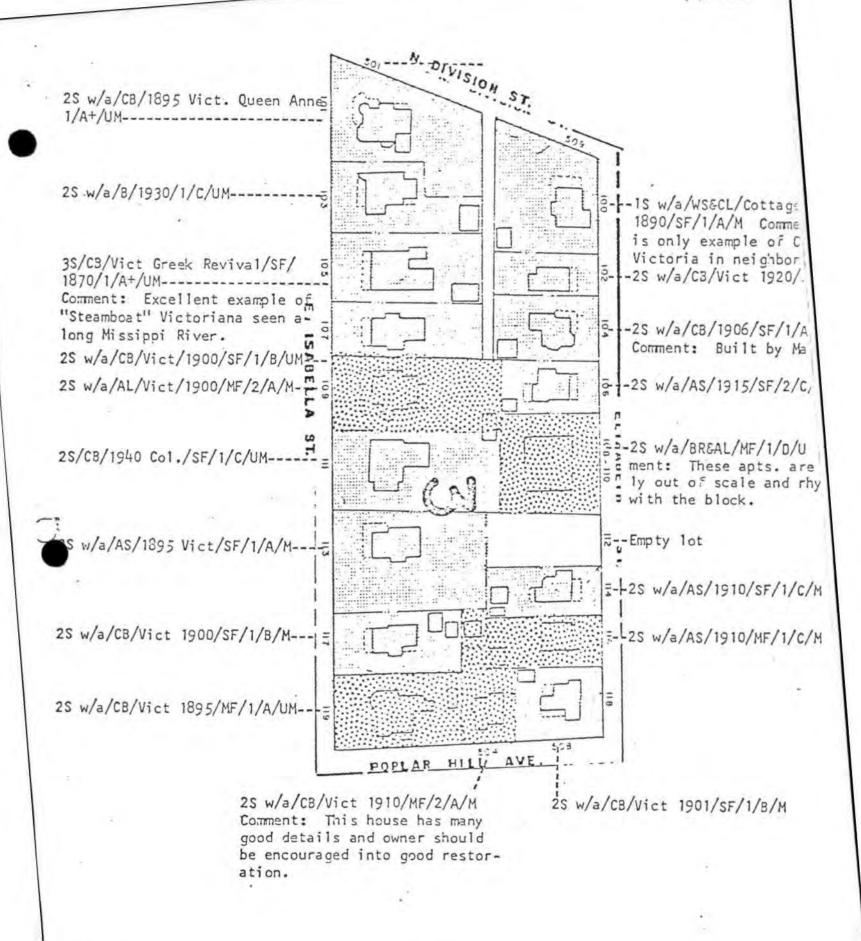
Elizabeth 115/2S W/A CB Col./1800/Public/#1/A/m

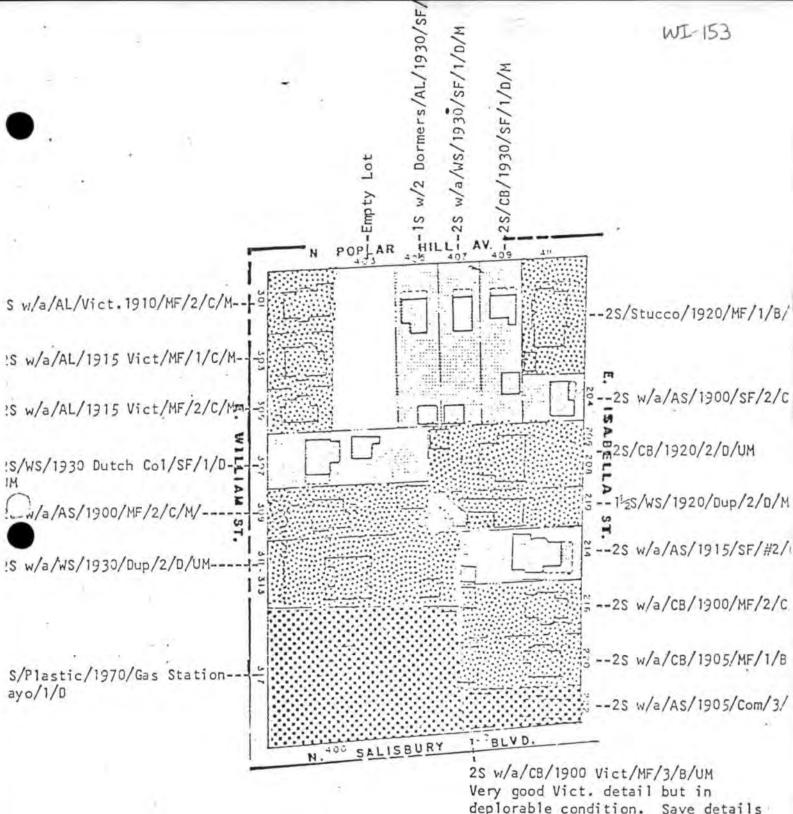
General Comment: This house is registered with Maryland Historic
Trust and is the oldest home in Newtown. Modifications have been made to front porch and removal
of old kitchen.

It is the hope of the Historic District Commission that these criteria and classifications will assist in preserving the charm, character and prosperity of the Newtown District for the benefit of Salisbury's residents and posterity.

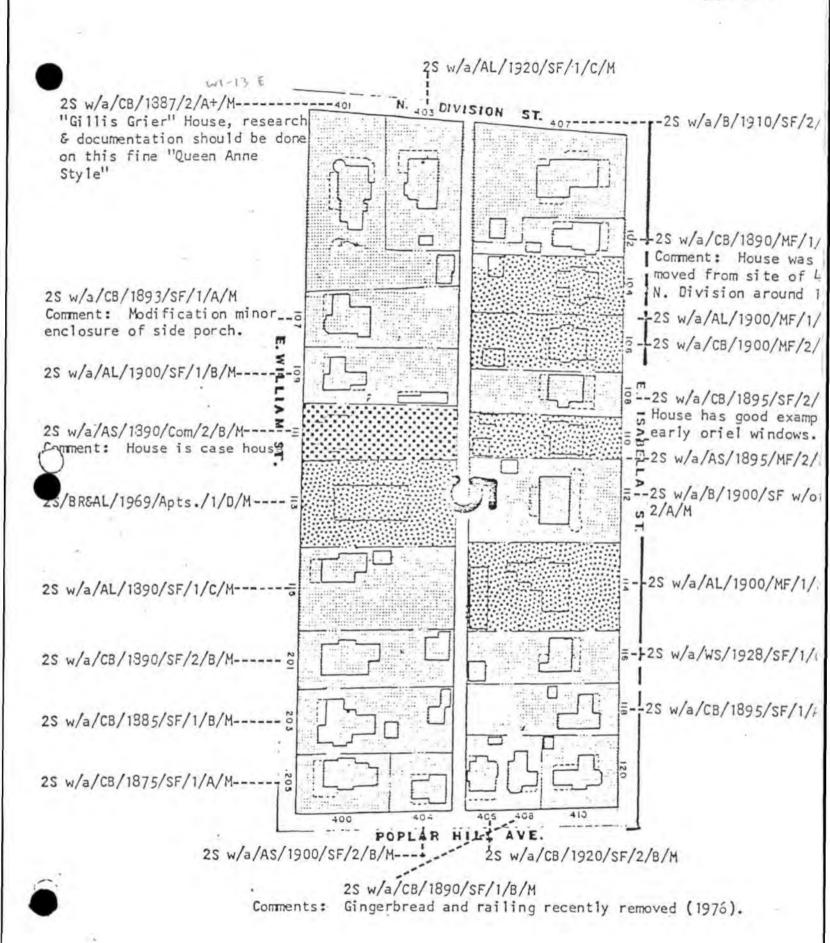


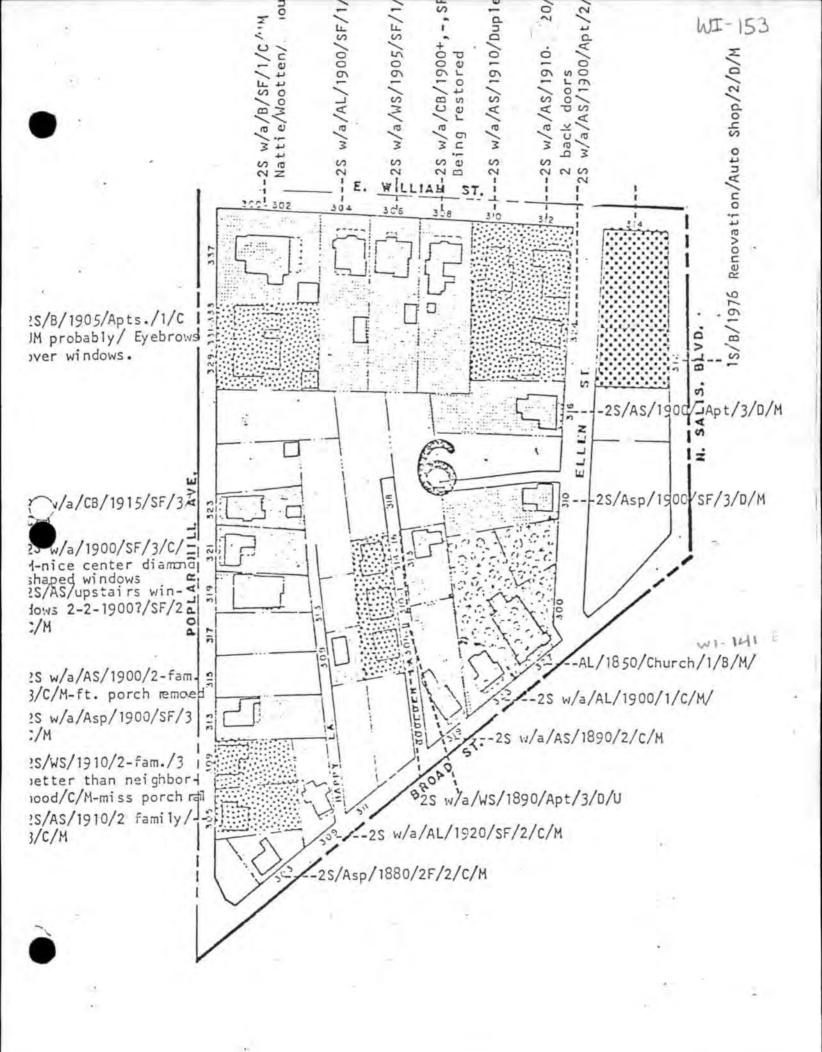


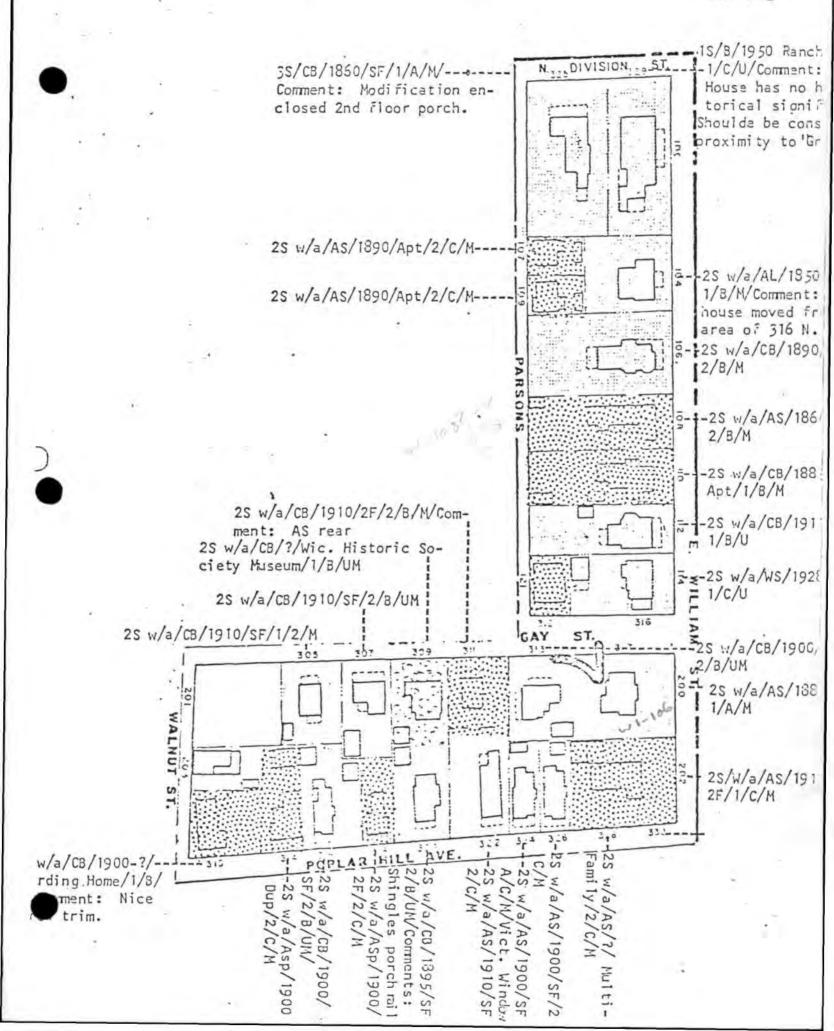


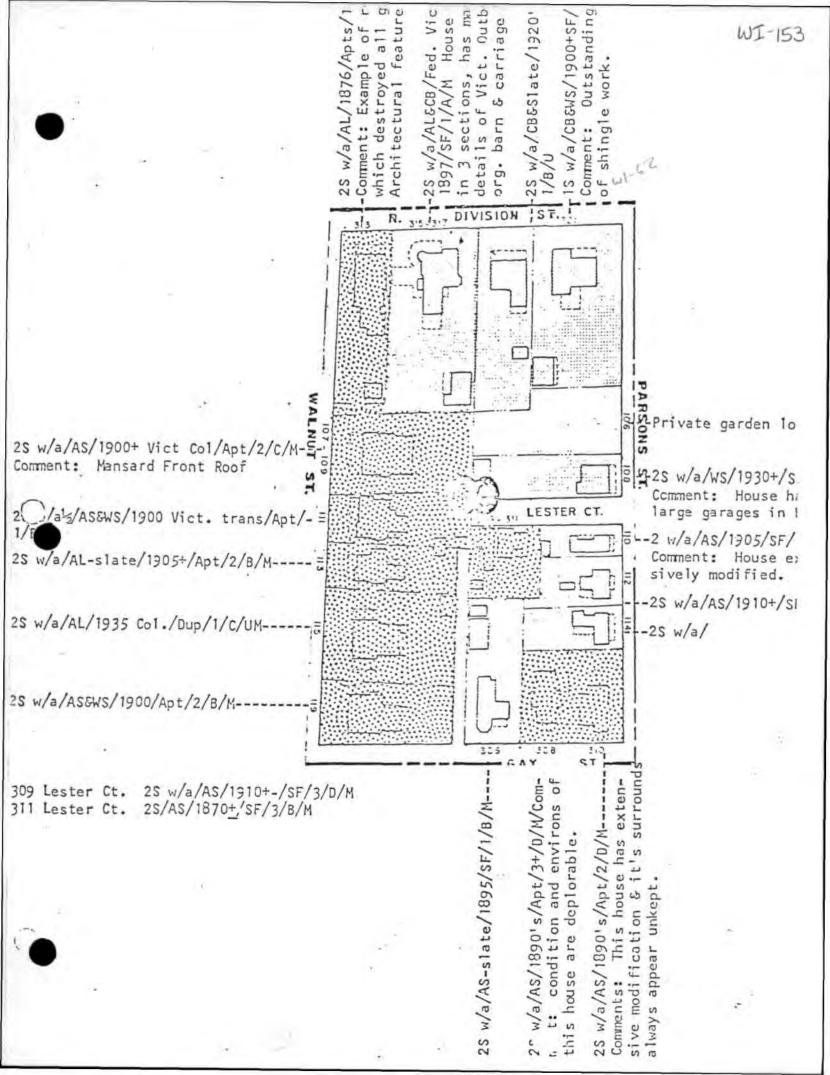


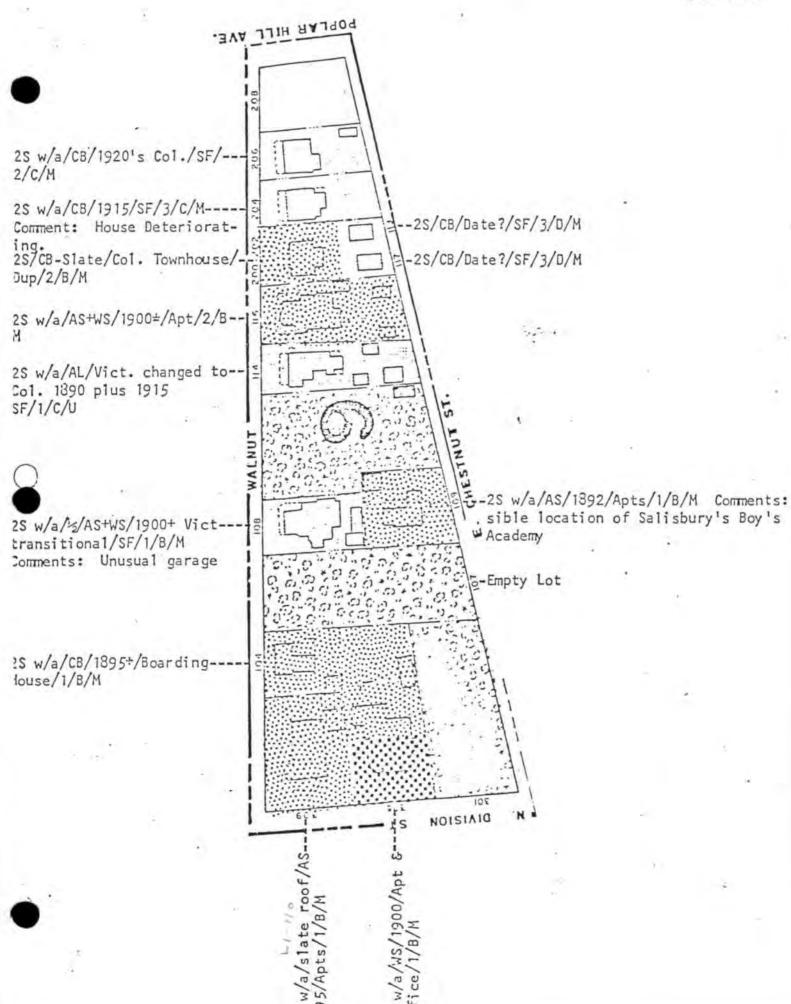
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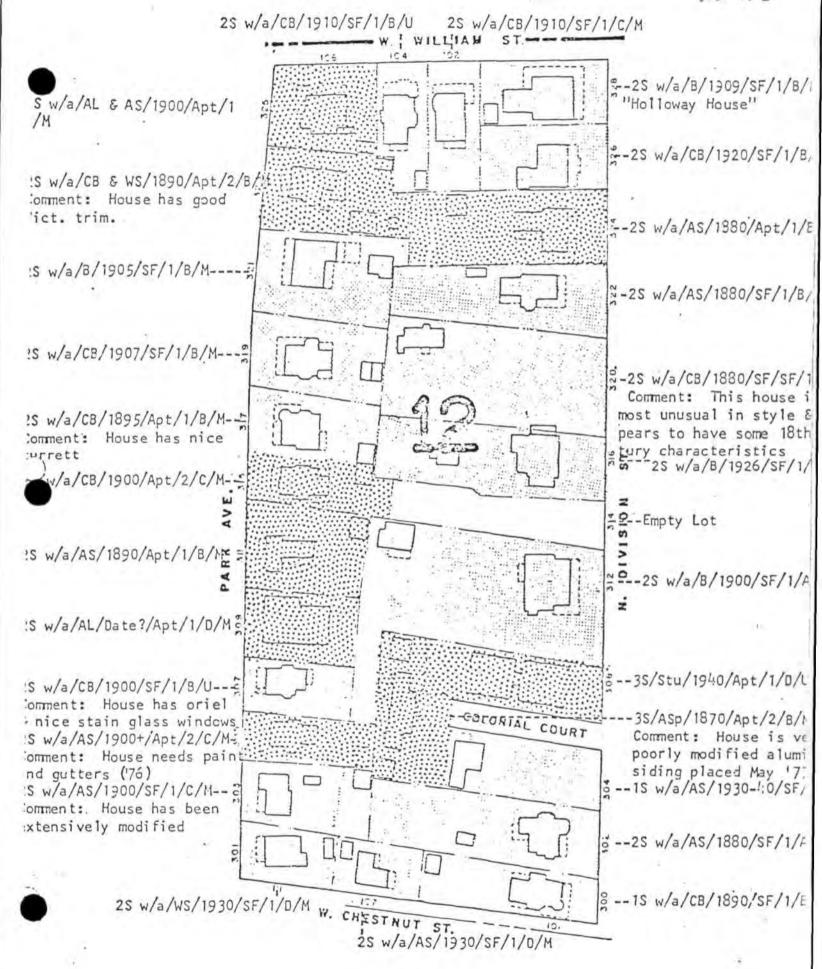


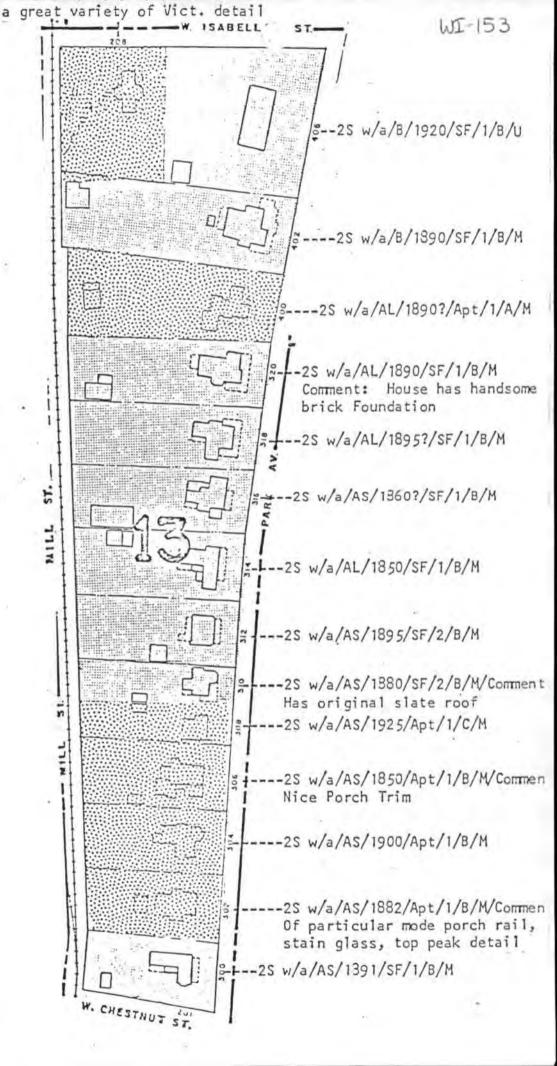


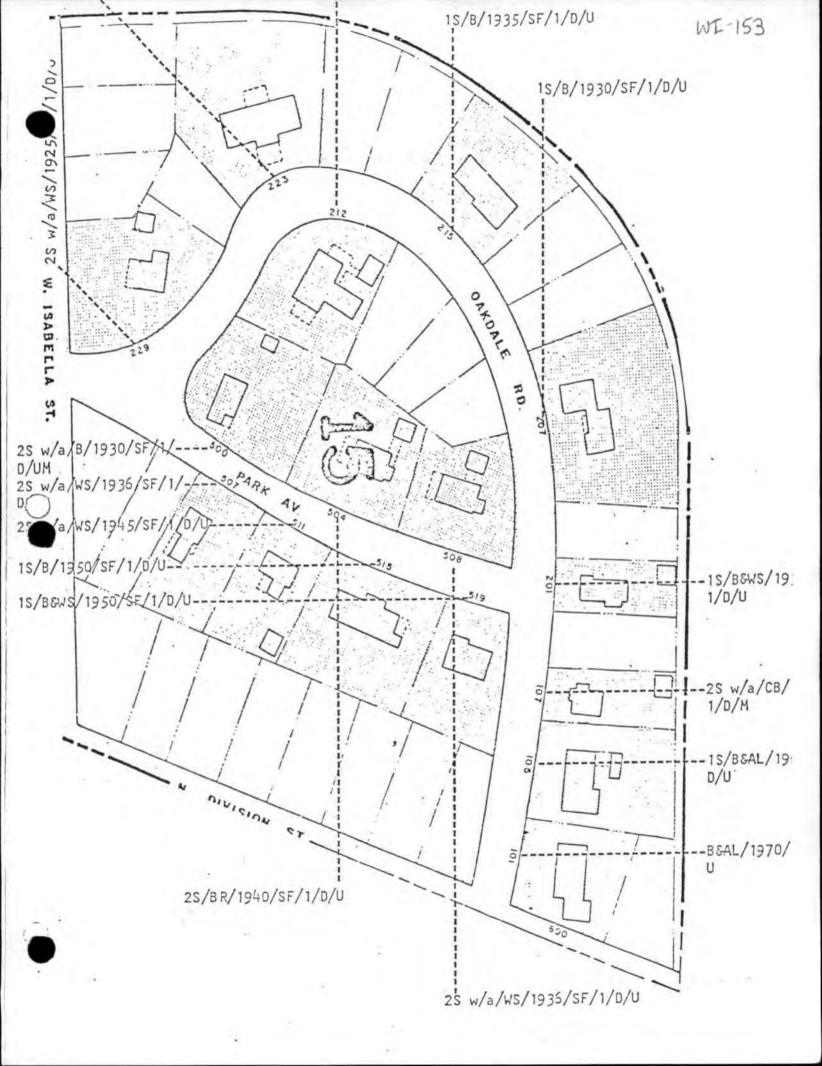


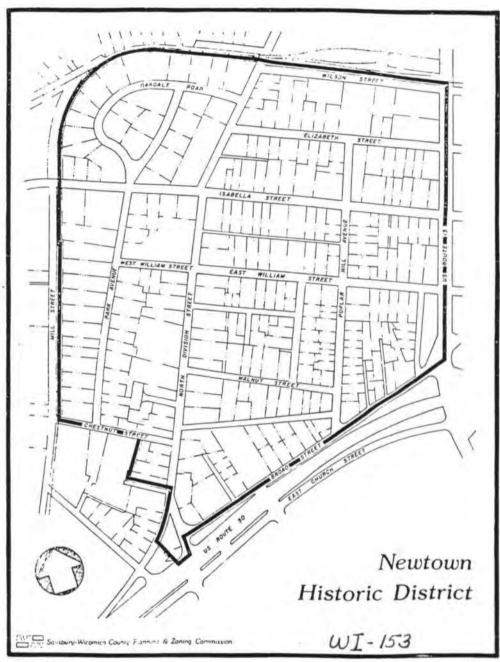


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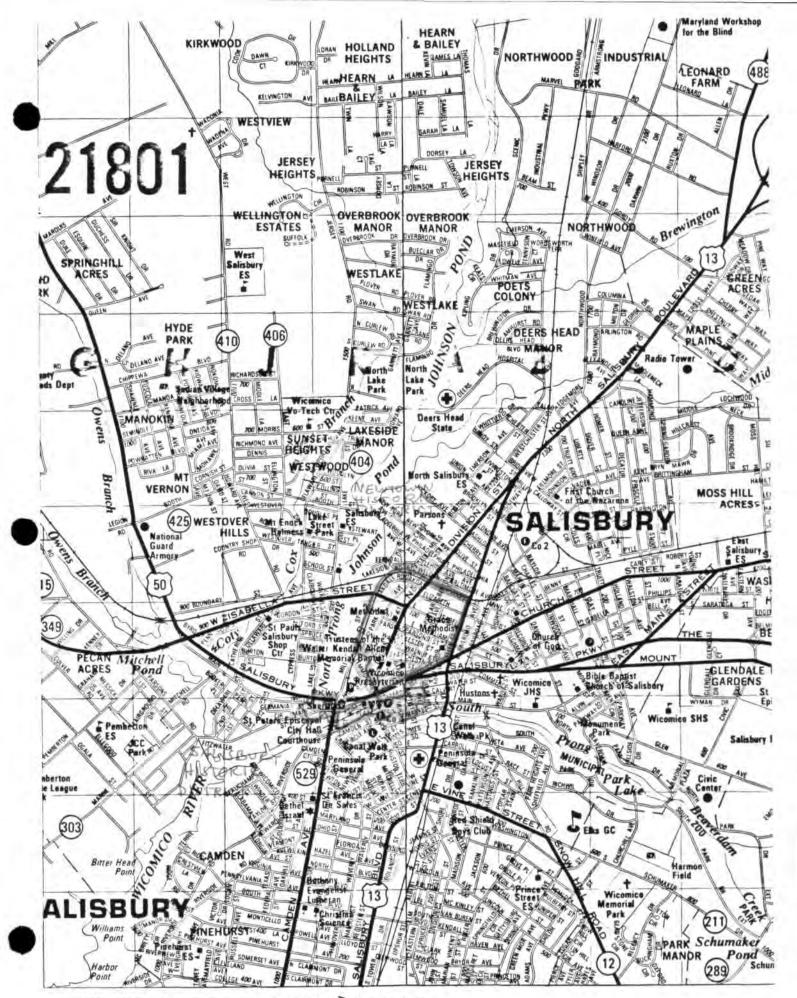






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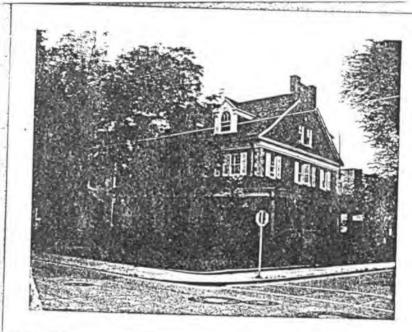
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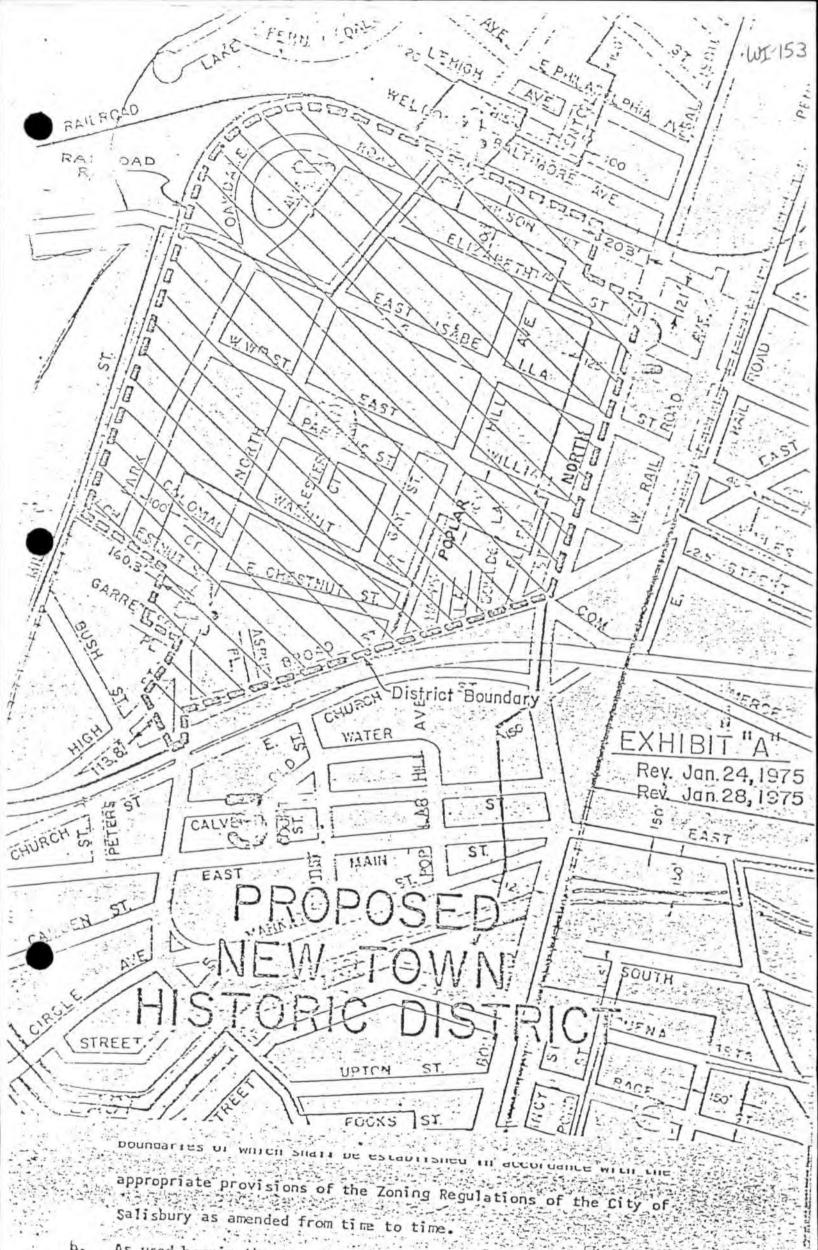












appropriate provisions of the Zoning Regulations of the City Salisbury as amended from time to time.

As used herein the term "structure" means a combination of material to form a construction that is stable; including among other things, buildings, stadiums, reviewing stands, platforms,

Real Property Data Search ()
Search Result for WICOMICO COUNTY

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Special Tax Recapture: None

Account Number: District - 05 Account Identifier - 007682

Owner Information

Owner Name: DA SILVA ADJALMA RODRIGUES Use: APARTMENTS

RAMOS VANUSA Principal Residence: NO

Mailing Address:105 DIAMON AVEDeed Reference:/05296/ 00428

SALISBURY MD 21804-

Location & Structure Information

Premises Address:227 BROAD STLegal Description:3,597 SQFTSALISBURY 21801-0000227 BROAD ST

CITY OF SALISBURY

Lot: Grid: Neighborhood: Subdivision: Section: Block: **Assessment Year:** Plat No: Map: Parcel: 0009 10002.23 0000 2023 Plat Ref: 0107 0743

Town: SALISBURY

Primary Structure Built Above Grade Living Area Finished Basement Area Property Land Area County Use

1925 2,058 SF 3,597 SF

Stories Basement Type Exterior Quality Full/Half Bath Garage Last Notice of Major Improvements

MULTIPLE RESIDENCE / C3

Value Information

Improvements 36,500 27,900
Total: 61,600 53,000

Total: 61,600 53,000 53,000 53,000

Preferential Land: 0 0

Transfer Information

 Seller: PEAK RE LLC
 Date: 09/11/2023
 Price: \$80,000

 Type: ARMS LENGTH IMPROVED
 Deed1: /05296/ 00428
 Deed2:

 Seller: HOULIHAN JOHN P & Date: 12/21/2021
 Price: \$125,000

 Type: ARMS LENGTH MULTIPLE
 Deed1: /05008/ 00015
 Deed2:

 Seller: WOLFE, W WIRT
 Date: 06/11/1996
 Price: \$110,000

 Type: ARMS LENGTH MULTIPLE
 Deed1: /01491/ 00470
 Deed2:

Francisco Information

Exemption Information

 Partial Exempt Assessments:
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 07/01/2024
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 County:
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 Municipal:
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Special Tax Recapture: None

Homestead Application Information

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Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Information

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