

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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REPORT INFORMATION:

1989 Flanagan, E.J., et. al.
Arundel Ridge Archaeological Reconnaissance Survey.
Submitted to the Michael T. Rose Companies
Library ID No: 00000634 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 141

Research Firm/Institution:

Engineering-Science, Inc.
1133 15th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

Sites examined:

18AN676 18AN681
NRHP Eligible: N
[Justification](#)

Project Details:

Phase I	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Project Justification: This report provides the detailed findings of a Phase I survey on the 'Arundel Ridge' tract in central Anne Arundel County. At the time of the survey, a housing development on the tract was in the planning stages. As a part of the planning review process, Anne Arundel County requires consideration for archeological resources and the county archeologist had determined that the construction site had the potential to contain archeological resources.
Phase II		
Phase III		

Project Objectives: -Survey the property of the (then) proposed 'Arundel Ridge' development and locate any archeological resources that will be impacted.

Research Potential:

See below for remaining research questions at 18AN676.
See below for remaining research questions at 18AN681.

REPORT INFORMATION:

1989 Goodman, E.V., M. Pappas, and J.G. Artemel
Phase II Archaeological Testing at Arundel Ridge, Site 18AN681, Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
Submitted to the Michael T. Rose Companies
Library ID No: 00000637 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 144

Research Firm/Institution:

Engineering-Science, Inc.
1133 15th Street, NW
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Sites examined:

18AN681

Project Details:

Phase I		Project Justification:
Phase II	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This report provides the detailed findings of a Phase II testing program conducted at 18AN681 on the 'Arundel Ridge' tract in central Anne Arundel County. The site was first identified during an earlier Phase I survey of the tract. Planning was underway for a housing development on the property and as part of the planning review process, Anne Arundel County requires consideration for archeological resources. The county archeologist had determined that construction of the housing development had the potential to cause significant damage to archeological deposits at the site and mandated that Phase II testing be carried out.
Phase III		

Project Objectives: -Delineate site boundaries. -Determine site integrity. -Interpret the cultural affiliations of the site. -Assess site significance. -Develop recommendations concerning further treatment of the site.
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Research Potential:

See below for remaining research questions at 18AN681.

REPORT INFORMATION:

1992 Haywood, N.A.

Research Firm/Institution:

3D Environmental Services, Inc.

Library ID No: 00000694 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 205

Sites examined:

18AN676 18AN681

NRHP Eligible: N

[Justification](#)

Project Details:

Phase I	
Phase II	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Phase III	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Project Justification:
This report describes the background research, field methods, and results of Phase II and III archeological investigations of a proposed housing development on Arundel Ridge, Anne Arundel County, Maryland. Both sites were identified by an earlier Phase I survey of the Arundel Ridge housing development property. The project was implemented to comply with Article 46, Title 3-109 of the Anne Arundel County Subdivision Regulations.

Project Objectives:
Phase II
-Obtain data which will elucidate basic parameters of site age and function.
-Rigorously define the horizontal extent and vertical integrity of the sites.
-Determine if either of the sites is eligible for the NRHP.
Phase III
-Recover a broad sample of data mitigating against known adverse effects posed by planned development.

Research Potential:

The historic and prehistoric assemblages from 18AN676 are interpreted as isolated surficial scatters mixed into the soil by bioturbation. Due to the extreme paucity of finds, the site is no longer thought to be a significant archeological resource.

Phase III data recovery revealed that no significant intact deposits or features were situated within the construction project area. Approvals were, thus, granted for the housing development to proceed. However, off-site/off-property an apparently intact deposit was encountered that may relate to a topic of significant research interest: 18th and 19th century tenancies. In this case, the tenant Richard Welch, who was working the land of the prominent Snowden family. Additional research attention should be paid to the deposits north of 18AN681 should an opportunity present itself.
