

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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Sites examined:

18AN1214

Project Details:

Phase I

Project Justification:

Phase II



This report describes the results of a 2003 Phase II archeological investigation at previously identified Site 18AN1214. The excavations were funded by a Non-Capital Grant from the Maryland Historical Trust. This work followed a successful Phase I survey also funded by MHT which led to the identification of the site.

Phase III

Project Objectives:

-To the extent possible, determine the town's spatial layout, development, and demise.

-Document the types of architecture being utilized in the construction of the town's buildings.

-Reconstruct the activities and lifeways of the town's inhabitants.

Research Potential:

Fieldwork at the Town of Herrington site (18AN1214) took place in 2003 and resulted in the discovery of structural features related to two domestic dwellings, as well as an intact 17th century domestic midden. Supporting archival research provides the basis for formulating new historical interpretations, and placing the town and its inhabitants within a broader regional context. The site represents a valuable archeological resource capable of addressing significant research questions related to life in 17th century Maryland.