

# Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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## Sites examined:

18AN729

## Project Details:

Phase I

### Project Justification:

This report describes the results of a 1997 Phase I survey and Phase II archeological evaluation of Site 18AN729 for the proposed Hospital Drive Extension Project. In addition to grading for the road's extension, the project entailed the construction of storm water management facilities in the vicinity of Site 18AN729. The investigations were undertaken on behalf of the Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works and in compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, and in accordance with Article 83B, Sections 5-617 and 618 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

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Phase II

Phase III

### Project Objectives:

#### Phase I

-Locate, identify, and delineate all archeological resources with the area of potential effects (APE) for the project.

-Review the Phase I results in light of the historic contexts outlined in the MD Comprehensive Historic Preservation Plan.

-Evaluate the potential significance of identified resources, applying NRHP criteria.

-Determine the impacts and mitigation needs for any significant sites or components.

#### Phase II

-Determine the nature, age, and function of 18AN729.

-Document the horizontal and vertical boundaries of the site.

-Assess the integrity of Site 18AN729.

## Research Potential:

The 1997 investigations at 18AN729 indicated that Locus A is the remains of a small, brief episode of lithic reduction. The cultural materials were recovered principally from the plowzone and included no diagnostic artifacts. No national register eligible components were found within the road expansion project corridor, however, the other 3 loci at the site (those actually collected by Mr. Bartholomew). Thus, it cannot be said with certainty that the site as a whole does not retain significant research potential.