

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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REPORT INFORMATION:

2003 Polglase, C.R. et. al.
 Phase I Archeological Survey at the Proposed Marvista Development, Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
 Submitted to Mandrin Construction Company, Inc.
 Library ID No: 97002455 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 505

Research Firm/Institution:

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Sites examined:

18AN1206
 NRHP Eligible: **N**
[Justification](#)

Project Details:

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| Phase I | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Project Justification: This report presents the results of a 2001 Phase I survey of approximately 25.7 acres in the proposed Marvista Subdivision, Anne Arundel County, Maryland. Archeological investigations in the (then) proposed housing development, were undertaken in compliance with requirements provided by the Anne Arundel County Office of Planning and Zoning, pursuant to Article 26, Title 3-109 of the Anne Arundel County Subdivision regulations. This piece of legislation mandates consideration for archeological resources as part of the development review process. The area was determined to have high potential for encompassing archeological deposits by the County Archeologist. Grading and construction would have had an adverse impact on the integrity of any cultural resources within the project area. |
| Phase II | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Phase III | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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| Project Objectives: -Locate, identify, and delineate all archeological resources. -Determine if relevant research questions can potentially be answered at said sites. -Evaluate the potential significance of each resource. -Establish impacts and mitigation needs for any significant sites or components. |
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Research Potential:

See below for remaining research questions at 18AN1206.

REPORT INFORMATION:

2003 Polglase, C.R. et. al.
 Archeological Testing at Site 18AN1206 for the Proposed Marvista Development, Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
 Submitted to Mandrin Construction Company, Inc.
 Library ID No: 97001729 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 434

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Sites examined:

18AN1206
 NRHP Eligible: **N**
[Justification](#)

Project Details:

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| Phase I | <input type="checkbox"/> | Project Justification: Phase I archeological survey of the Marvista Subdivision was conducted in 2001 and identified Site 18AN1206. Archeological investigations in the (then) proposed housing development, were undertaken in compliance with requirements provided by the Anne Arundel County Office of Planning and Zoning, pursuant to Article 26, Title 3-109 of the Anne Arundel County Subdivision regulations. This piece of legislation mandates consideration for archeological resources as part of the development review process. The area was determined to have high potential for encompassing archeological deposits by the County Archeologist and during the mandated survey, the potential nightsoil dump at 18AN1206 was identified. Grading and construction would have had an adverse impact on the deposits, which were deemed potentially significant and, hence, a Phase II program was |
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| Phase III | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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| Project Objectives: -Identify the land ownership of the site during the period of its deposition and the nature of activity at the site as supported by archival evidence. -Obtain a significant sample of site materials. -Determine the vertical deposition sequence at the site through a regimen of test unit excavation. -Characterize the site chronologically and functionally. |
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requested.

Research Potential:

While the archival and archeological investigations leave it unclear whether Site 18AN1206 ever was a processing area for nightsoils from Baltimore, these investigations do suggest that the site represents a primary dumping of materials from Baltimore privies, probably late in the sequence of such disposal from an urban context. The late date for the primary deposit, however, reduces the overall value of this assemblage. The site was not considered a significant enough archeological resource to proceed to a Phase III level of investigation and approvals were granted for the housing development to proceed. Today, several home lots sit atop the site.

REPORT INFORMATION:

2004 Turner, S.P., J.B. Pelletier, and K.H. Meier
Technical Addendum to Archeological Testing at Site 18AN1206 for the Proposed Marvista (Osprey Landing) Development, Anne Arundel County, MD: Archeological Testing of Wharf Structure & Phase I Marine Archeological Remote Sensing Survey of Osprey Landing.
Submitted to the Mandarin Construction Company, Inc.
Library ID No: 97002122 Catalog/Shelving ID: AN 469

Research Firm/Institution:

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Sites examined:

18AN1206 18AN1226

NRHP Eligible:

[Justification](#)

Project Details:

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| Phase I | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Project Justification: This report presents the results of the archeological testing of an historic wharf (initially considered a part of 18AN1206) and a Phase I marine archeological remote sensing survey of Osprey Landing, Anne Arundel County. The work was carried out in August and September of 2003 to assist the Mandarin Construction Company, Inc. in satisfying the responsibilities of the US Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District, under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended. A pier/marina was planned for a new housing development on Marley Creek and would entail impacts on the existing wharf and dredging and/or placements of pilings in the creek. |
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| Phase III | <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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| Project Objectives: -Identify all submerged and visible watercraft and other maritime related cultural resources in the project area. -Whenever possible, assess the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) eligibility of identified resources, applying the Criteria for Evaluation (36 CFR 60.4 [a-d]). -Provide Mandarin Construction Company, Inc., with management recommendations for such resources. |
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Research Potential:

Neither Site 18AN1206 (the nightsoil processing area) nor 18AN1226 the associated wharf are eligible for listing on the NRHP based on the various criteria for inclusion. The site, as a whole, was not considered a significant enough archeological resource to proceed to a Phase III level of investigation and approvals were granted for the housing development to proceed.