

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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REPORT INFORMATION:

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Phase I and II Archaeological Surveys at the National Business Park (18AN816), Annapolis Junction, Anne Arundel County, Maryland.
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18AN816

Project Details:

Phase I
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Project Justification:
Title 3, Section 109 of the Anne Arundel County Subdivision Regulations stipulates that historic places, architecturally significant buildings and similar irreplaceable assets, including cultural resources, shall be preserved whenever possible. Archeological assessments are required on development projects in areas judged by the County Archeologist to have a high probability of prehistoric and historic materials within their boundaries. In compliance with these regulations, a Phase I archeological survey was conducted on approximately 33 acres proposed for development at the National Business Park, near Annapolis Junction, Maryland.

Project Objectives:
-Identify any cultural deposits situated within the vicinity of the planned development at National Business Park.
-Identify the nature and extent of these cultural deposits.
-Assess their significance.
-Determine whether the impact of the proposed development would result in the loss of valuable cultural resources.

Research Potential:

Since 18AN816 had no stratigraphic integrity and no foundations or prehistoric/historic features were found, no additional archeological work was recommended. The National Business Park now stands at the site, which was almost certainly entirely destroyed during construction. Thus, the site is not a significant archeological resource.
