

# Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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## REPORT INFORMATION:

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Archeological Excavations at the Waveland Farm Site (18AN17), Annapolis, Anne Arundel  
County, Maryland (Subdivision #2006-069)  
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## Sites examined:

18AN17

## Project Details:

Phase I

Phase II

Phase III



### Project Justification:

This report presents the findings of archeological investigations conducted at 18AN17 in Annapolis, Maryland. The property owner contracted a firm to conduct archeological testing prior to the construction of a residence on the property. The investigation was required by the Anne Arundel County Department of Planning and Code Enforcement, based on their planning review and approval process. Anne Arundel County personnel review all subdivision applications to determine whether the proposed construction will adversely affect potentially significant archeological sites or historic properties. Archeological testing was limited to the area of ground disturbance associated with a proposed house construction. This Area of Potential Effects (APE) consisted of the construction footprint for the house, and incidental impacts including the removal of 5 cottages and the installation of septic fields.

### Project Objectives:

- Determine the presence or absence of cultural material within the excavated portion of the construction footprint.
- Determine the presence or absence of cultural features within the excavated portion of the construction footprint.
- Determine the distribution of both cultural materials and features.

## Research Potential:

The radiocarbon dates and diagnostic artifacts indicate that 18AN17 was occupied from the Late Archaic, through to the Late Woodland period. The site appears to have been a village for much of that period. Following completion of the 2007 fieldwork, Anne Arundel County archeologists monitored construction activities at the site. They reported only seeing occasional occurrences of shell during the grading for the new house. While the county holds an easement on a portion of the property, the county archeologists report that there is likely very little remaining at the site that is intact.