

# Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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## REPORT INFORMATION:

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Phase II Archeological Investigations of Sites 18CR18 and 18CR196, London Square  
Business Park, Carroll County, Maryland.  
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## Sites examined:

18CR18 18CR196  
NRHP Eligible:  NRHP Eligible:   
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## Project Details:

	Project Justification:
Phase I	
Phase II <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Phase II testing and analyses were conducted for a proposed business park and industrial plant; the London Square Business Park. The Maryland Historical Trust requested that archeological investigations be undertaken in the approximately 35-acre portion of the development that included a majority of the site.
Phase III	

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Project Objectives:
-Identify the site's vertical and horizontal boundaries.
-Interpret the site's cultural affiliations, functions, and significance.
-Evaluate the site's integrity.
-Determine conclusively the site's eligibility the National Register of Historic Places.
-Define the need for any further archeological work.

## Research Potential:

Unfortunately, Sites 18CR18 and 18CR196 (both adjacent) have been subjected to historic plowing and to recent development improvements that have destroyed their integrity and research potential. In places, this plowing continued down to underlying bedrock. In more recent times the sites have been impacted by grading and by the rerouting of a drainage associated with construction of an adjacent factory. These impacts have totally compromised the integrity of the prehistoric sites and it is not possible to differentiate occupations either chronologically or functionally. Thus, Sites 18CR18 and 18CR196 have no remaining research potential.