

Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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REPORT INFORMATION:

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Sites examined:

18FR592

Project Details:

Phase I

Project Justification:

Phase II

Phase II Testing was conducted as part of the MDOT planning activities for a bridge replacement and associated road realignment of Route 77 over Double Pipe Creek.

Phase III

Project Objectives:

-Determine the site history, boundaries, purpose, integrity, significance, and the potential impact to the site due to the road realignment.

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Research Potential:

Little can be said regarding the nature of 18FR592, but it seems to have served as a short-term camp during Late Archaic times. Odds are that the site is heavily disturbed based on the observed distribution of artifact concentrations. However, testing within the defined site boundaries was limited to a single, peripheral 2 X 2 unit. Thus, its integrity (and ability to address significant research questions) is still in question.