

# Phase II and Phase III Project Cover Sheet

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## REPORT INFORMATION:

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Phase I and II Archaeological Investigations at Clover Hill Farm, Rockburn Branch Park,  
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## Sites examined:

18HO202      others

## Project Details:

Phase I	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Project Justification:
Phase II	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Phase I & II work was conducted of the site and surrounding properties in 1992 and 1993. This work was prompted by proposed development of the main farmhouse and ground immediately surrounding it as a possible farm museum by Howard County.
Phase III	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Project Objectives:
-Determine the construction date of the farmhouse.
-Identify the existing stone foundations in the nearby vicinity.
-Determine the location of any other associated outbuildings within the historical settlement pattern.

## Research Potential:

Phase I and II examinations at 18HO202 revealed a deeply buried intact late 18th century deposit with overlying fill from the 18th through 20th centuries over much of the site. While intact features that would help in interpreting the activities and history of the site were not encountered, the extent of the excavations was limited by time and surface structural features (such as a parking pad and the steel shed). Certain areas of the site have some potential for additional research and should be investigated further (see the synopsis report).