

CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
SURVEY UPDATE FORM

CRS # N05042

1. HISTORIC NAME/FUNCTION: Bloomfield

2. ADDRESS/LOCATION: 4663 Kirkwood St. Georges Road, Saint Georges, 19733

3. CURRENT CONDITION: excellent good fair poor demolished

4. INTEGRITY: The dwelling's exterior siding has been replaced with vinyl and some windows replaced with vinyl sash windows. The porch on façade was a new wood floor. The door openings on first floor of west elevation of rear ell removed. The majority of the associated outbuildings have been demolished since the property was listed in 1982 (see notes).

5. SETTING INTEGRITY: The land to the west of the property has been subdivided for residential use.

6. FORMS ADDED (give number of forms completed for each):

#:	Form:	List property types:
1	CRS 2 Main Building Form	Dwelling
0	CRS 3 Secondary Building Form	Barn
0	CRS 4 Archaeological Site Form	N/A
0	CRS 5 Structure (Building-Like) Form	N/A
0	CRS 6 Structure (Land Feature) Form	N/A
0	CRS 7 Object Form	N/A
0	CRS 8 Landscape Elements Form	N/A
0	CRS 9 Map Form	N/A
0	CRS 14 Potential District Form	N/A

7. SURVEYOR INFORMATION:

Surveyor name: Patti Kuhn/Sarah Groesbeck

Principal Investigator name: Patti Kuhn

Principal Investigator signature: 

Organization: The Louis Berger Group Date: June 2012

8. OTHER NOTES OR OBSERVATIONS:

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Bloomfield was listed in the National Register in 1982 as part of the Historic Resources of Red Lion Hundred multiple property documentation. Resources are significant as “tangible evidences of the economic prosperity resulting from the application of intensive and novel agricultural techniques during the course of the nineteenth century” (Criterion A) (Jett and Fitting 1979). Bloomfield was found to be an excellent example of rural Gothic Revival architecture as advocated by Andrew Jackson Downing (Criterion C). Additionally, it is historically significant for its association with two prominent Red Lion Hundred citizens, William J. Hurlock and Albert O. Newton (Criterion B).

The majority of the associated farm buildings listed on the nomination appear to have been demolished since the property was listed in 1982. Buildings on the nomination included a number of smaller gable roof sheds and a gable roof barn. A corn crib and a tenant house remain; however, the tenant house has been substantially altered and the corn crib is in deteriorated condition. There are a number of outbuildings that have been added to the south of the dwelling: a gambrel roof barn, three large gable roof structures with corrugated metal cladding, and a gable roof concrete block building.

The property is also being evaluated or reassessed for its National Register eligibility or listing status. This evaluation assessment is triggered by the federal undertaking initiated by DeIDOT and the Federal Highway Administration as part of the SR 1 Roth Bridge to Interstate 95, Capacity Improvement Project (T200511001; Federal Aid NH-N067(26)). Further referenced information on this property as well as other in the vicinity, can be seen in the Architectural Evaluation entitled, “Architectural Survey Report, SR 1 Widening, New Castle County, Delaware.”

The 1982 National Register Boundary of Bloomfield originally included the dwelling and nine historic and modern outbuildings. As a result of the 2012 reassessment the recommended historic boundary of the property is limited to the main drive and lawn, which retain the rural setting and approach to the property, and to the house itself.

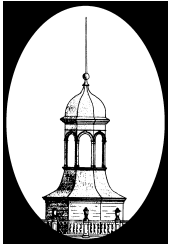
9. STATE HISTORIC CONTEXT FRAMEWORK (check all appropriate boxes; refer to state management plan(s)):

- a) Time period(s)
 - Pre-European Contact
 - Paleo-Indian
 - Archaic
 - Woodland I
 - Woodland II
 - 1600-1750∇ Contact Period (Native American)
 - 1630-1730∇ Exploration and Frontier Settlement
 - 1730-1770∇ Intensified and Durable Occupation
 - 1770-1830∇ Early Industrialization
 - 1830-1880∇ Industrialization and Early Urbanization
 - 1880-1940∇ Urbanization and Early Suburbanization
 - 1940-1960∇ Suburbanization and Early Ex-urbanization

- b) Geographical zone
 - Piedmont
 - Upper Peninsula
 - Lower Peninsula/Cypress Swamp
 - Coastal
 - Urban (City of Wilmington)

- c) Historic period theme(s)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation and Communication
<input type="checkbox"/> Forestry	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Settlement Patterns and Demographic Changes
<input type="checkbox"/> Trapping/Hunting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture, Engineering and Decorative Arts
<input type="checkbox"/> Mining/Quarrying	<input type="checkbox"/> Government
<input type="checkbox"/> Fishing/Oystering	<input type="checkbox"/> Religion
<input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing	<input type="checkbox"/> Education
<input type="checkbox"/> Retailing/Wholesaling	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Organizations
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance	<input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Organizations
<input type="checkbox"/> Professional Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Major Families, Individuals and Events



CULTURAL RESOURCE SURVEY
MAIN BUILDING FORM

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1. ADDRESS/LOCATION: 4663 Kirkwood St. Georges Road

2. FUNCTION(S): historic Single-family dwelling current duplex

3. YEAR BUILT: 1850 CIRCA?: ARCHITECT/BUILDER: _____

4. STYLE OR FLOOR PLAN: Gothic-Revival

5. INTEGRITY: original site moved
if moved, from where other location's CRS # year

<u>list major alterations and additions with years (if known)</u>	<u>year</u>
a. addition to rear ell	1910
b.	

6. CURRENT CONDITION: excellent good fair poor

7. DESCRIPTION: (Describe the resource as completely as possible. Use N/A for not applicable; leave no blanks.)

- a. Overall shape: L-shaped Stories: 2.5
Additions: addition to rear ell
- b. Structural system (if known): balloon frame
- c. Foundation: materials: not visible
basement: full partial not visible no basement
- d. Exterior walls (original if visible& any subsequent coverings): vinyl siding
- e. Roof: shape: gable with cross gable on facade
materials: asphalt shingle
cornice: cornice returns
dormers: N/A
chimney: location(s): Main block - Interior, end stucco on west end, interior ridge on east end

8. DESCRIPTION OF ELEVATIONS:

- a. Facade: Direction: N
 - 1) Bays 6
 - 2) Windows 13
 fenestration irregular
 type 1st story – 5 2/2 wood sash, 2nd story – 6 2/2 wood sash, 2.5 story – 2/2 wood
 sash rounded arch
 trim arched lintel on 1st story
 shutters replacement fixed louvered vinyl on 2nd story

Facade (cont'd)

- 3) **Door(s)** 1
 location third bay from west
 type single-leaf door with wood storm door
 trim transom with arched lintel
- 4) **Porch(es)** 8-bay three-sided flat-roof porch with wood post supports

b. Side: Direction: W

- 1) **Bays** 2 on main block, 3 on rear ell
- 2) **Windows** 3 on main block, 6 on rear ell
 fenestration irregular, Main block - 2 bays on 2nd story, 1 on 2.5 story; Rear ell – 2 on 1st story, 3 on 2nd story, 1 on 2.5 story
 type 6/6 double-hung vinyl sash
 trim N/A
 shutters replacement fixed louvered vinyl
- 3) **Door(s)** 1
 location S end of main block
 type single leaf
 trim N/A
- 4) **Porch(es)** 4 bays, wrapping around from north elevation on main block

c. Side: Direction: E

- 1) **Bays** not visible
- 2) **Windows** not visible
 fenestration not visible
 type not visible
 trim not visible
 shutters not visible
- 3) **Door(s)** not visible
 location not visible
 type not visible
 trim not visible
- 4) **Porch(es)** not visible

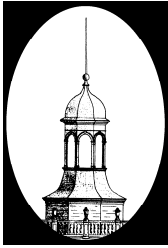
d. Rear: Direction: S

- 1) **Bays** 5 on main block
- 2) **Windows** 7 on main block
 fenestration irregular
 type 12/12 & 6/6 double-hung vinyl sash
 trim N/A
 shutters N/A
- 3) **Door(s)** 0
 location N/A
 type N/A
 trim N/A
- 4) **Porch(es)** 0

9. **INTERIOR:** Not accessible

10. **LANDSCAPING:** The house is set back from the road, with a grassy, manicured lawn and mature trees fronting the house. Foundation plantings surround the wrap-around porch. A gravel drive to the west of the house leads back to the modern outbuildings.

11. **OTHER COMMENTS:** N/A



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MAP FORM

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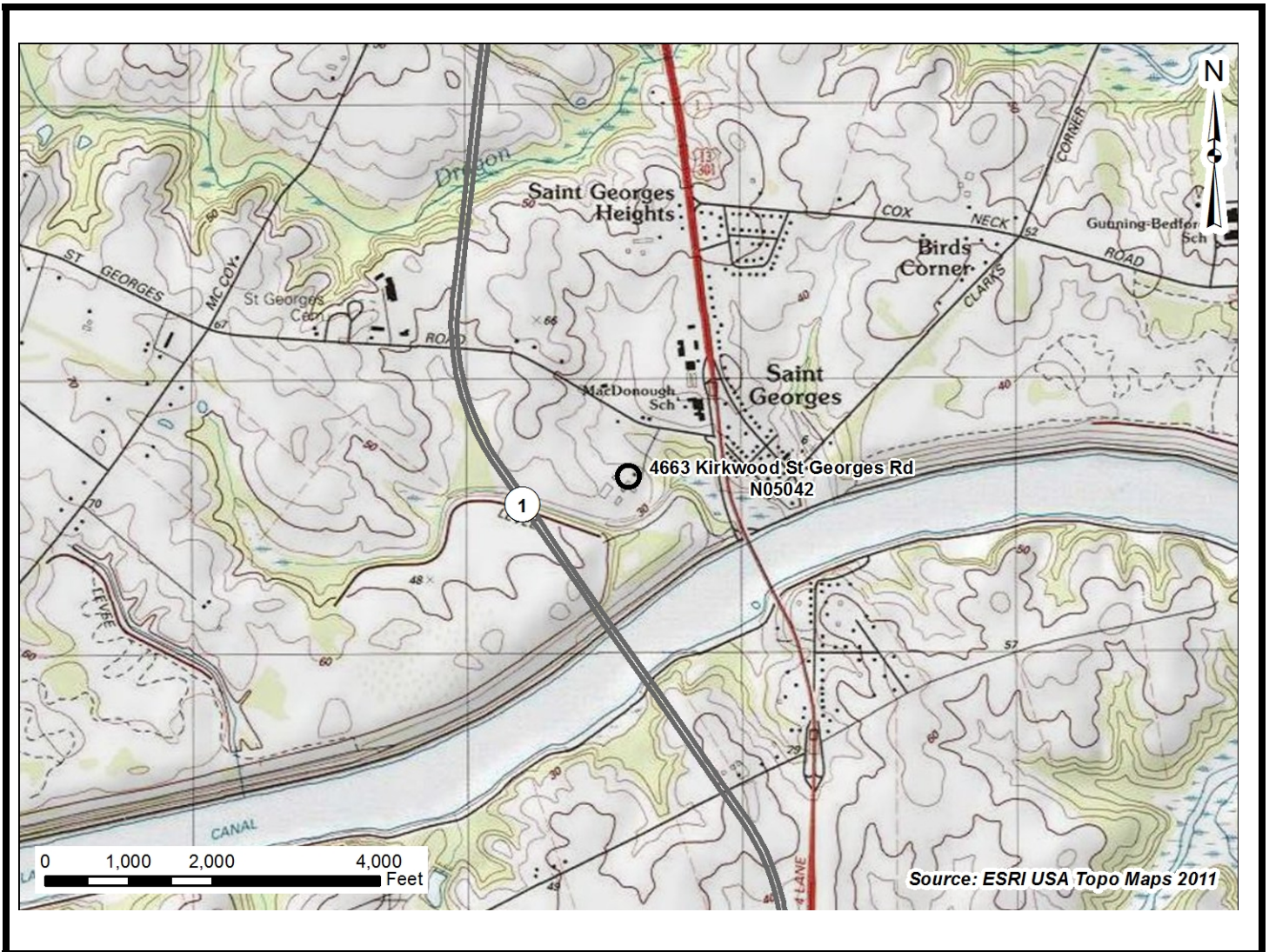
2. NOT FOR PUBLICATION reason: _____

3. LOCATION MAP:

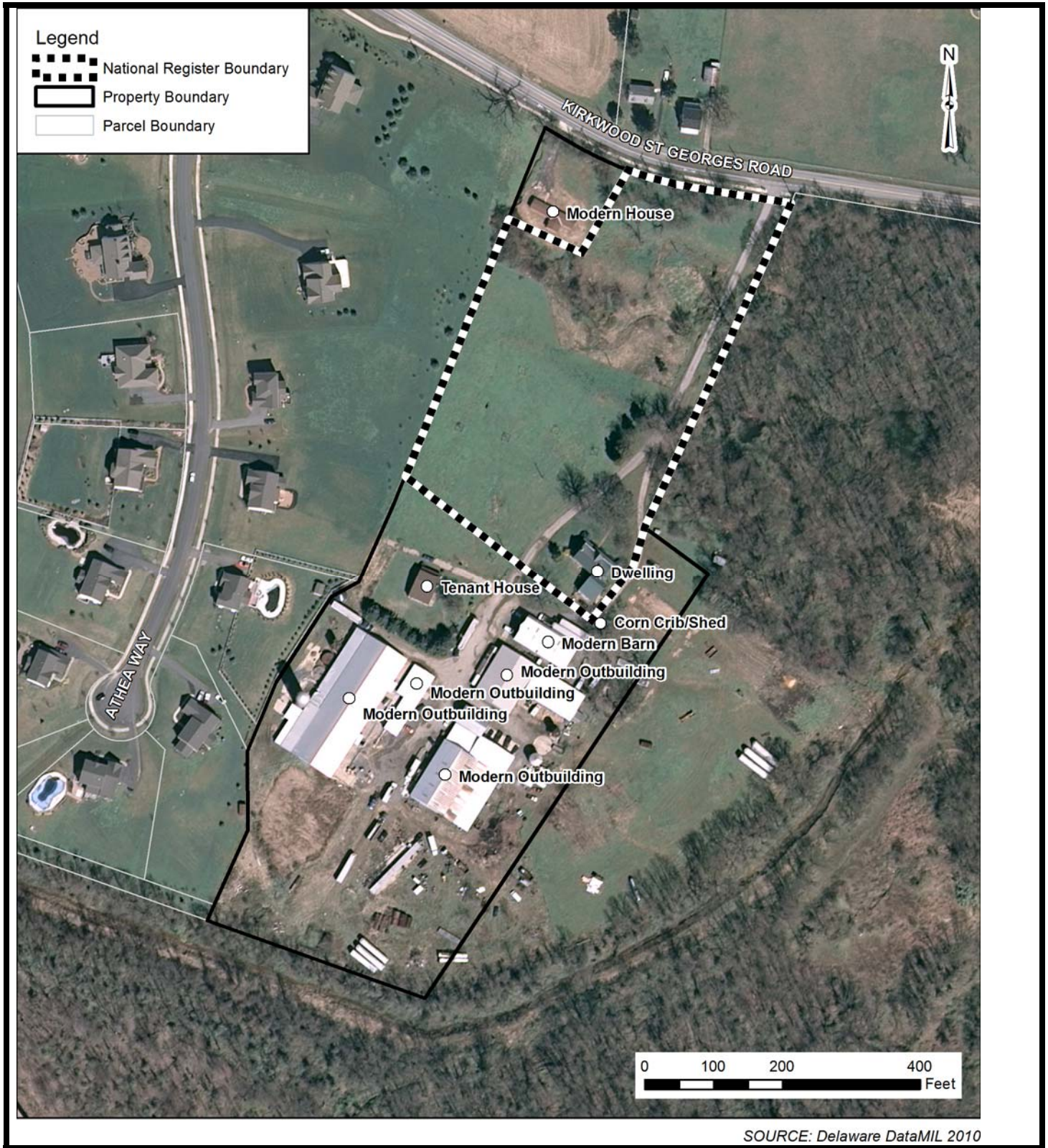
Indicate position of resource in relation to geographical landmarks such as streams and crossroads.

(attach section of USGS quad map with location marked or draw location map)

INDICATE NORTH ON SKETCH



INDICATE NORTH ON PLAN



5. 1964 HISTORIC AERIAL:

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INDICATE NORTH ON PLAN



DELAWARE STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

PHOTOGRAPHIC INVENTORY

CRS # N05042 Date 5/22/2012 Photo Roll # n/a Surveyor S Groesbeck & P Kuhn

Description Façade (north elevation) and west elevation of main building looking southeast; West elevation of main building looking east

Negative location (if other than SHPO) _____

Attach contact print(s):

