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Addendum:

This small log house is now in ruins. The roof is gone, and only two of the walls are standing (west and north). The west elevation (towards Daisy Road) had a central door flanked by two window openings, and smaller square windows above that, just below the eave line.

Field visit, J.K. Cosham, 3/19/98

H0-109

Ann B. Dunn's Log House
Woodbine
Private

nineteenth century

Ann B. Dunn's Log House faces south on the north side of Daisy Road, just west of its intersection with Jennings Chapel Road. It is a two bay wide, one room deep, two story high, gabled roof (running east-west) log house of a comfortable scale, with patches in its tin roof where once stood a brick chimney on the west wall.

The hand hewn logs are overlaid at the corners and chinked with a composition of thin stone slabs and mortar.

Used two decades ago as a black tavern it is presently abandoned, settling on its north elevation and no longer features window sashes or doors.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC
Ann B. Dunn's Log House
AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER
North east corner of Daisy Road and Jennings Chapel Road

CITY, TOWN
Woodbine,

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
6th

STATE
Maryland

COUNTY
Howard

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	PRESENT USE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC	<input type="checkbox"/> OCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> BUILDING(S)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNOCCUPIED	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL
<input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> BOTH	<input type="checkbox"/> WORK IN PROGRESS	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATIONAL
<input type="checkbox"/> SITE	PUBLIC ACQUISITION	ACCESSIBLE	<input type="checkbox"/> ENTERTAINMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> OBJECT	<input type="checkbox"/> IN PROCESS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES RESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> GOVERNMENT
	<input type="checkbox"/> BEING CONSIDERED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES UNRESTRICTED	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRIAL
		<input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER vacant

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME
Mrs. Ann B. Dunn
Waterford Farms

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER
Jennings Chapel Road

CITY, TOWN
Woodbine, MD

STATE, zip code
21797

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.
Tax Map 20 p.20 PAR III
Hall of Records

Liber #: 364
Folio #: 499

STREET & NUMBER
Howard County Court House

CITY, TOWN
Ellicott City

STATE
Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE
Howard County Historic Sites Inventory

DATE
1978-1979

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS
Maryland Historical Trust

CITY, TOWN
21 State Circle, Annapolis

STATE
Maryland

7 DESCRIPTIONHO-109
District 4

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Ann Dunn Log Cabin faces south on the north side of Daisy Road, just west of its intersection with Jennings Chapel Road. It is a two bay wide, one room deep, two story high, gabled roof (running east-west) log house with patches in its roof where once probably stood a brick chimney on the west wall.

The south elevation holds two rectangular apertures with two square second floor windows above, all of which have no sashes. A central door is located on its north wall with a window to its west, and two square second floor windows above. An additional entrance is located on its east wall with a square second floor window centered above. The west wall holds no apertures. The building is composed of hand hewn logs, separated and filled with thin stone slabs and mortar chinking. The roof appears to be of a later period than the log house with six inch boards (running east-west) covered with tin sheets of varying sizes.

The log house was at one time covered with clapboards which have been removed except in the A's formed by the gables. The house has settled considerably on its north elevation and is in a state of disrepair with no window sashes. It appears, however, quite intact and sound otherwise and should be considered for rehabilitation and future reuse with required modernization.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY) black history	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES _____ BUILDER/ARCHITECT _____

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Ann B. Dunn Log House is significant architecturally to Howard County and the State of Maryland as a representative log house of the nineteenth century of a comfortable scale. Though settling on its north elevation and presently abandoned and in a deteriorating state, it is not beyond repair and renovation.

Thaddeus Crapster's Log House on Route 94 serves as a fine example of such renovation and use as a single family dwelling unit. The second floor of this log house is higher than that of the Thaddeus Crapster's loft and could very well provide comfortable living space of a similar nature.

Local historians point out that many of the log houses scattered throughout this district were moved from Cherry Grove, H0-1, when the slaves were freed and given their quarters after the Civil War.

Whether this log house was such or not, it stands as representative of a log house of the nineteenth century, a class of building which many Howard Countians have successfully preserved.

The Log House was used some two decades ago as a black tavern with adjacent wing. This wing which was rather unsightly, was torn down by Mrs. Dunn on the acquisition of the property. The integrity of the log house has thus been reestablished and needs only to be renovated.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Interview with Mrs. Willis Cissel, September 18, 1978

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 352.81

Please see Attachment 1, Tax Map 20

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Please see Howard County Land Records, Liber 364 Folio 499

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE Maryland COUNTY Howard

STATE _____ COUNTY _____

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE
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ORGANIZATION Office of Planning & Zoning-Comprehensive Planning Section DATE 465-5000 x257

STREET & NUMBER 3450 Court House Drive TELEPHONE _____

CITY OR TOWN Ellicott City STATE Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438

Common "Waterford Farm?" (rain?)

Anne Dunn log bldg.

Daisy Rd, north of Jennings Chapel Rd., Brookville

2-story log - 2-bays plus center door
previously used as a tavern by Negroes
(about 5 yrs ago)

now abandoned + vandalized

located in field by MRS
1/24/70

falling in - 2.7.72

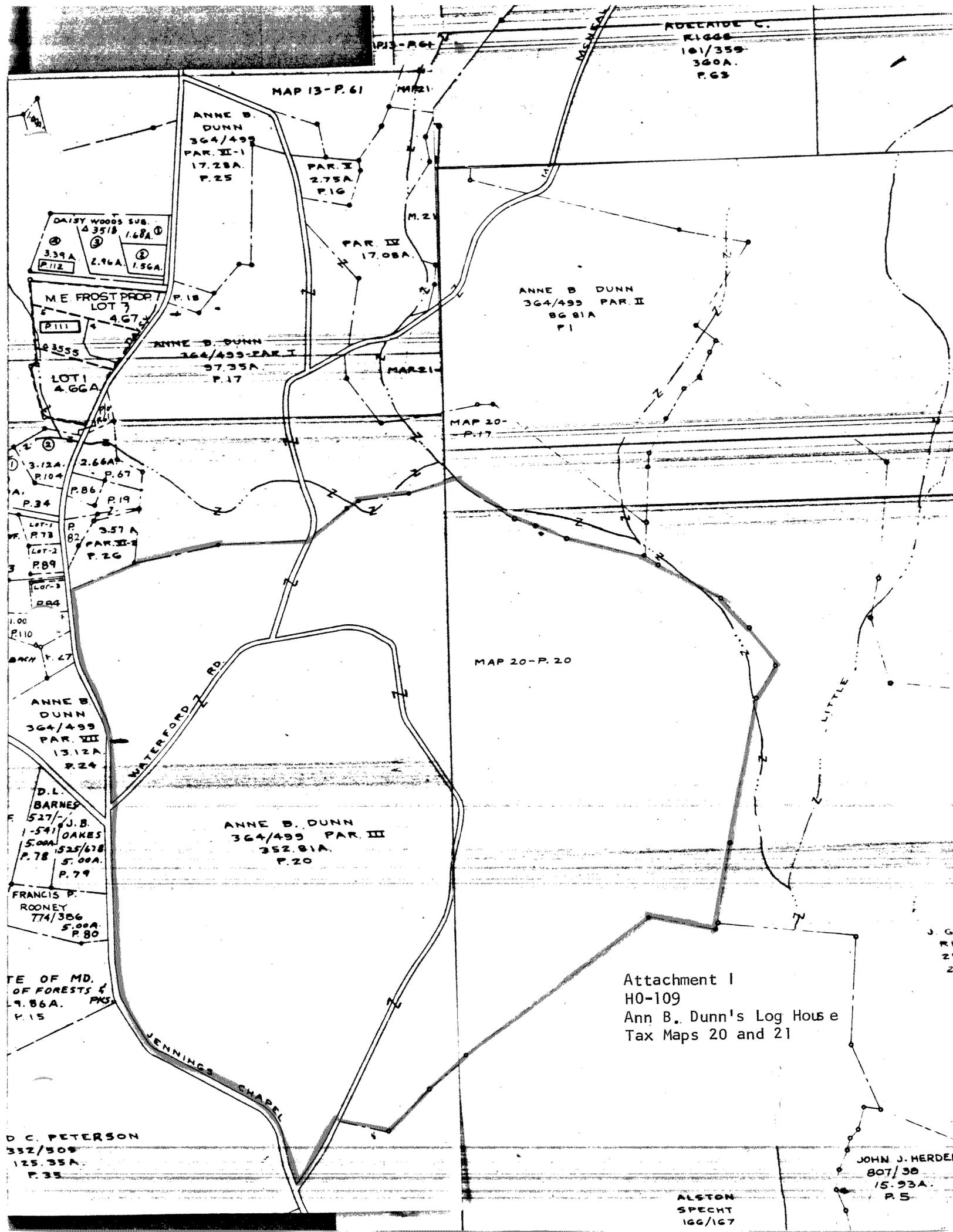
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Anne B. Dunn

364/499 Por III

352.81 A.

p. 20



MAP 13-P.61

ROSLAND C. RIGGS
101/359-360A.
P.63

ANNE B. DUNN
364/499
PAR. II-1
17.28A.
P.25

PAR. I
2.75A
P.16

PAR. II
17.08A

ANNE B. DUNN
364/499 PAR. II
86.81A
P.1

DAISY WOODS SUB.
43518 1.68A
339A 2.96A 1.56A
P.112

M. E. FROST PROP.
LOT 7
P.111

LOT 1
4.66A

3.12A 2.66A
P.104 P.67

LOT-1 P.73
LOT-2 P.89
LOT-3 P.84

1.00
P.110

ANNE B. DUNN
364/499
PAR. III
13.12A
P.24

D. L. BARNES
527-541
J. B. OAKES
5.00A 5.25/678
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FRANCIS P. ROONEY
774/306
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D. C. PETERSON
352/509
125.35A
P.35

MAP 20-P.17

MAP 20-P.20

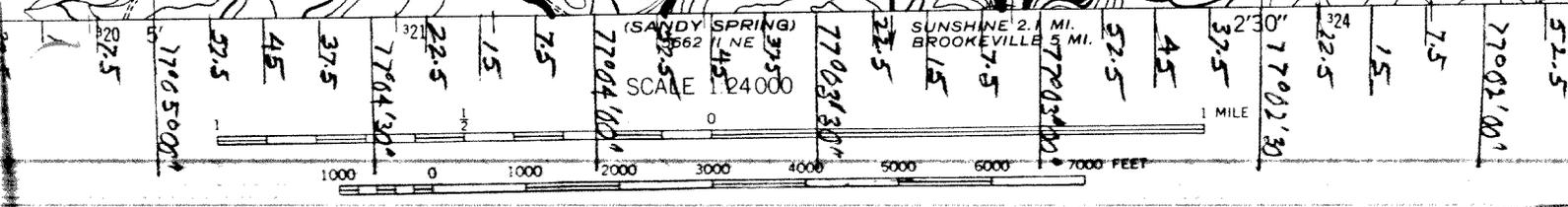
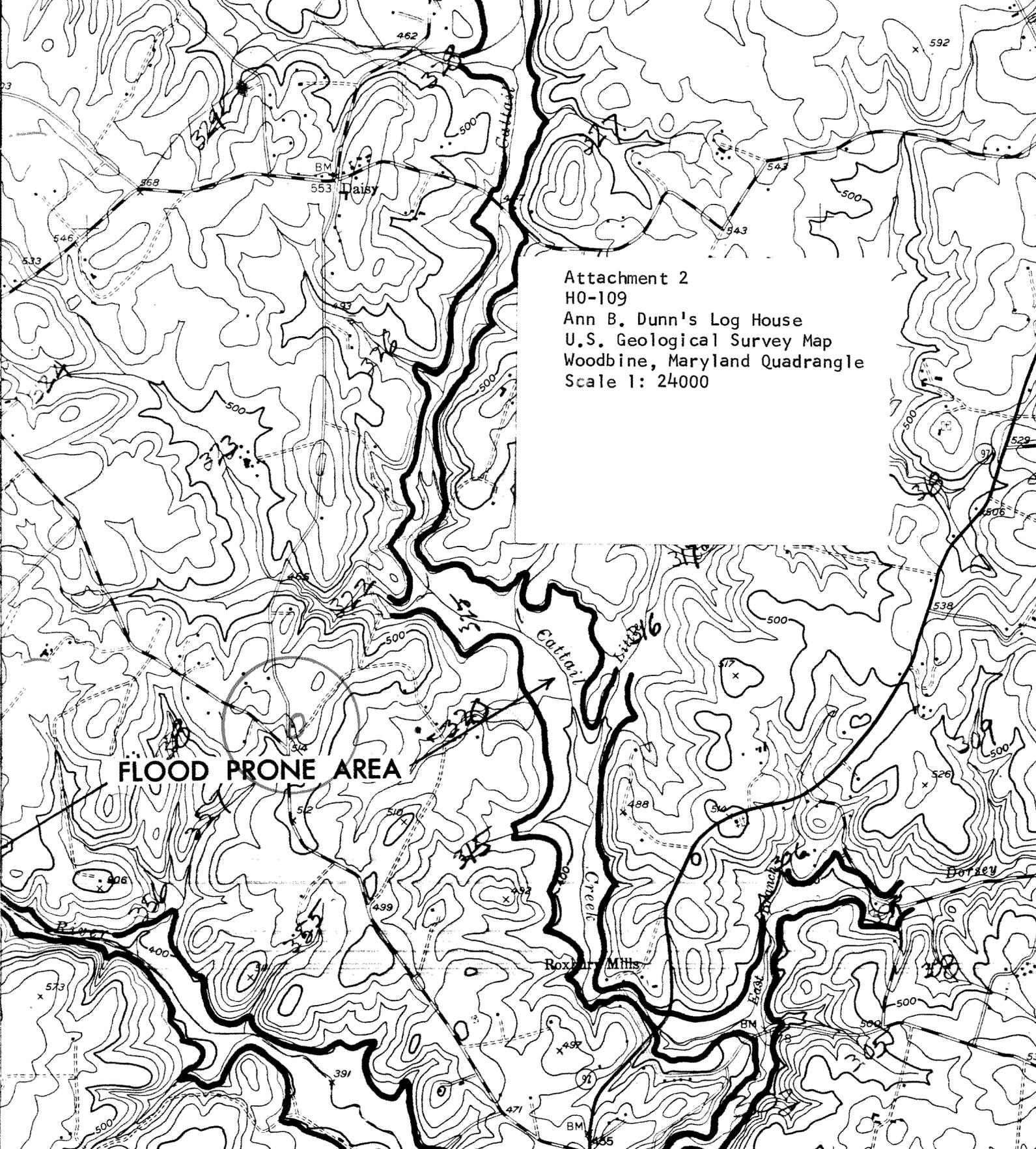
Attachment I
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Ann B. Dunn's Log House
Tax Maps 20 and 21

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807/38
15.93A.
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ALSTON SPECHT
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Attachment 2
 H0-109
 Ann B. Dunn's Log House
 U.S. Geological Survey Map
 Woodbine, Maryland Quadrangle
 Scale 1: 24000

FLOOD PRONE AREA



CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 FEET
 DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

MARYLAND

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Ann B. Dunn's Log House, ruin
Daisy Road north of Jennings Chapel Road, east side
Woodbine
Jennifer K. Cosham
April 21, 2004
Digital color photo on file at MHT



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Ann B. Dunn's Log House, ruin
Daisy Road north of Jennings Chapel Road, east side
Woodbine
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Ann B. Dunn's Log House, ruin
Daisy Road north of Jennings Chapel Road, east side
Woodbine
Ruin on left, intersection on right, looking south
Jennifer K. Cosham
April 21, 2004
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ANN B. DUNN'S LOG HOUSE
SOUTH WEST

CLEORA THOMPSON AIP
AUGUST 1978