

# Maryland Historical Trust

## Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Survey No. CE-1521

### 1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic

other Rental House, 760 Gallaher Road

### 2. Location

street & number Fair Hill N.R.M.A., 760 Gallaher Road

not for publication

city, town Elkton

vicinity

county Cecil

### 3. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name Maryland Department of Natural Resources

street & number Tawes State Office Building, 580 Taylor Avenue

telephone (410) 260-8192

city, town Annapolis

state and zip code Maryland 21401

### 4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc.

tax map and parcel

city, town

liber and folio

### 5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- Individually Listed in the National Register/Maryland Register  
 Contributing Resource in National Register District  
 Contributing Resource in Local Historic District  
 Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register  
 Recorded by HABS/HAER  
 HSR or Research report at MHT  
 Other:

### 6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function		Resource Count		
				Contributing	Noncontributing	
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	buildings
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade	<input type="checkbox"/> recreation/ culture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	sites
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> defense	<input type="checkbox"/> religion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	structures
<input type="checkbox"/> site		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> domestic	<input type="checkbox"/> social	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	objects
<input type="checkbox"/> object		<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/>	Total
		<input type="checkbox"/> funerary	<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress			
		<input type="checkbox"/> government	<input type="checkbox"/> unknown			
		<input type="checkbox"/> health care	<input type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use			
		<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> other:			

**Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the Inventory**

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## 7. Description

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### Condition

excellent       deteriorated  
 good             ruins  
 fair               altered

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Prepare both a one paragraph summary and a comprehensive description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

\*See attached

Inventory Number: CE-1521  
Rental House  
Cecil County, MD  
C. Mazurek  
July 1998  
Section 7.1

This Rental House is located in Cecil County, within the Fair Hill N.R.M.A., and at 760 Gallaher Road.

The House is two and one-half stories tall, "L"-shaped, and three-bays long by one-bay wide. It is built on a fieldstone foundation, with the upper stories of wood frame construction. These upper stories are covered on the exterior by asbestos shingles, with the edges painted white to simulate corner boards. The front facade (west) is punctuated on the roof by a center gable, and the entire surface of the roof is covered with standing seam tin. Chimneys are located on the interior of the structure on each gable end. Also on the front is an open porch with chamfered wood posts, that rests on a rusticated concrete block foundation. There are a variety of windows on the structure including: a pointed one in the front gable with 2/2 sash, 6/6 sash on the front and sides, 2/2 sash in the center of the front facade, and fixed ones throughout.

It is in excellent condition, and is still in use as a rental property, with maintainence undertaken regularly.

# 8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> invention	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government
1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> social history
	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning		<input type="checkbox"/> maritime history	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation		<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other:

Specific dates

Builder/Architect

Evaluation for:

National Register

Maryland Register

not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, and a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance reports, discuss evaluation on a DOE Form - see manual).

\*See Attached

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The Rental House is significant as a typical example of farmhouse construction in the Fair Hill area during the late Nineteenth century.

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## HISTORIC CONTEXT:

### MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

Geographic Organization: Eastern Shore

Chronological/Developmental Period(s): Industrial/Urban Dominance

Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s): Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Community Planning.

#### Resource Type:

Category: Buildings

Historic Environment Rural

Historic Function(s) and Use(s): Domestic

Known Design Source: None

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## 9. Major Bibliographical References

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## 10. Geographical Data

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Acreage of surveyed property .....

Quadrangle name .....

Quadrangle scale .....

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Verbal boundary description and justification

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## 11. Form Prepared By

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date 9/28/98

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city or town Annapolis

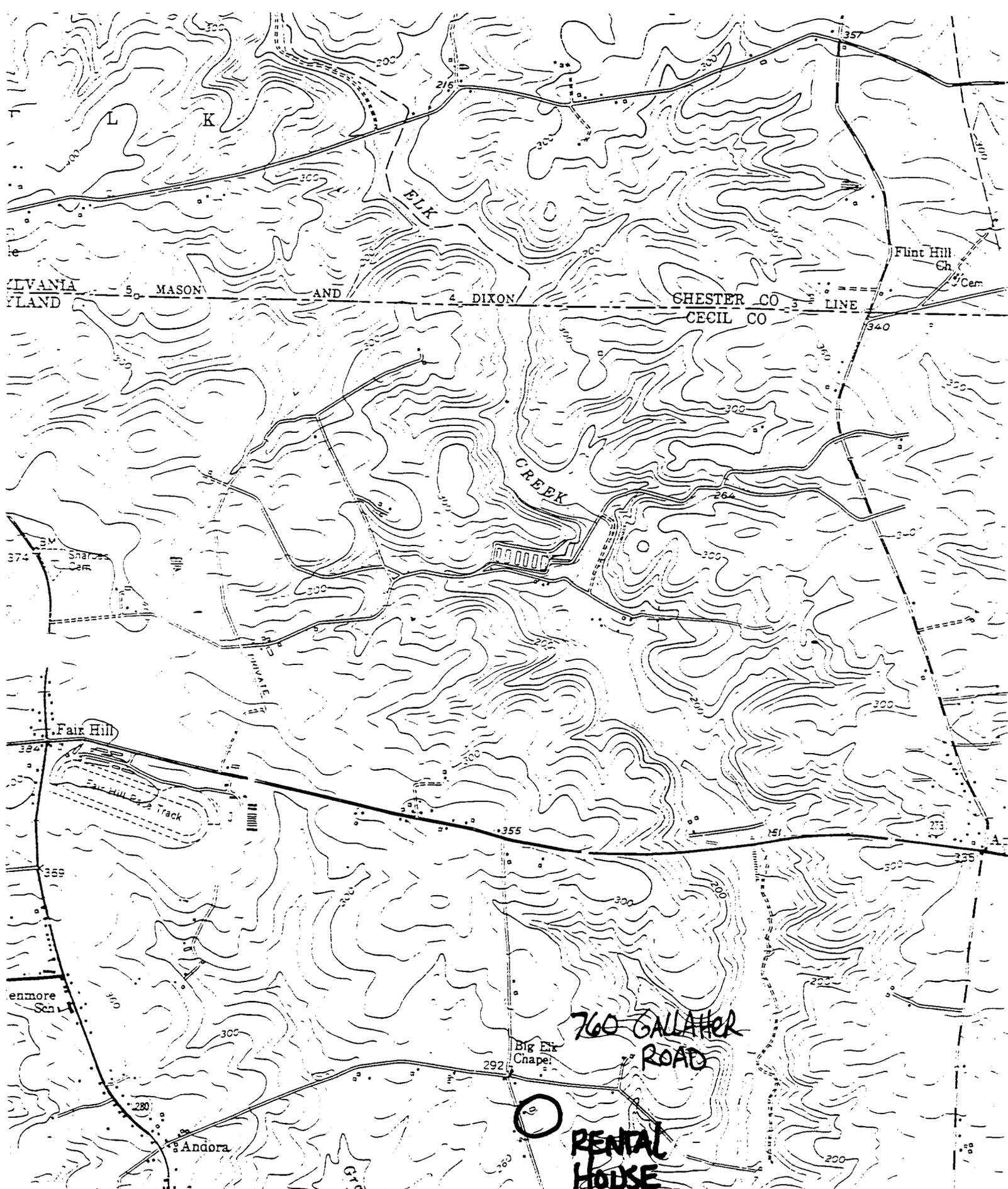
state and zip code Maryland 21401

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The Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties 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.

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NEWARK WEST  
DNR 98 MAP #36



NO. 1983 76 185 (CAL. N N N 81 ?

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HOUSE (RENTAL)

CECIL COUNTY, MD

C. MAZUREK

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DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES

S.W. ELEVATIONS



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HOUSE (RENTAL)

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