

**PENNSYLVANIA HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM PHOTO/SITE PLAN SHEET**

Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission

Bureau of Historic Preservation

Box 1026, Harrisburg, PA 17108-1026

Survey Code/Tax Parcel/Other No.: 109 / 66 00 06481 00 5 Block-Unit #018-021

County: Montgomery

Municipality: Whitpain Township

Address: 453 Skippack Pike

Historic Name/Other Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**SITE PLAN**

**PHOTO INFORMATION**



Number	Description of View	Direction of Camera
1	House	
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
Photographer Name:	Robert Wise	Date: 1999

Negative Location: Robert Wise Consulting, Station Square 1, Suite 104,  
37 N. Valley Road, Paoli PA 19301

**PENNSYLVANIA HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM - DATA SHEET**

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**IDENTIFICATION AND LOCATION**

Survey Code: 109 Tax Parcel/Other No.: 66 00 06481 00 5 Block Unit #018-021

County: 1. Montgomery 091 2.

Municipality: 1. Whitpain Township 2.

Address: 453 Skippack Pike Historic Name:

Other Name:

Owner Name/Address: Shirley F. Mackenzie 1400 Waverly Rd #141 Gladwyne PA 19035

Owner Category:  Private  Public-local  Public-state  Public-federal

Resource Category:  Building  District  Site  Structure  Object

Number/Approximate Number of Resources Covered by This Form: 1 f

USGS Quad: 1. Lansdale 2.

UTM A. \_\_\_\_\_ C.

References: B. \_\_\_\_\_ D.

**HISTORIC AND CURRENT FUNCTIONS**

Historic Function Category: \_\_\_\_\_ Subcategory: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Residence 1802 2,051 SF Land 15.94 Acre Dwelling

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

D. \_\_\_\_\_

Particular Type: A. \_\_\_\_\_

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

D. \_\_\_\_\_

Current Function Category: \_\_\_\_\_ Subcategory: \_\_\_\_\_ Code: \_\_\_\_\_

A. Single Family Residence Dwelling

B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_

D. \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION**

Architectural Classification: A. Penn Plan

B. \_\_\_\_\_ C. \_\_\_\_\_

D. \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Exterior Materials: Foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Roof wood shingles

Walls stone Walls \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Structural System: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

Width 2 Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Stories/Height 2

## HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Year Built: ca. 1802 Additions/Alterations Dates: ca. ca.  
Basis for Dating:  Documentary  Physical  
Explain: Tax records

Cultural/Ethnic Affiliation: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Associated Individuals: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Associated Events: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Architects/Engineers: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Builders: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

## MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

## PREVIOUS SURVEY, DETERMINATIONS

## EVALUATION (Survey Director/Consultants Only)

Individual NR Potential:  Yes  No Context(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Contributes to Potential District  Yes  No District Name/Status:

**Classification:** Class II due to newer additions.

## THREATS

Threats:  1. None 2. Public Development 3. Private Development 4. Neglect 5. Other

Explain:

## SURVEYOR INFORMATION

Surveyor Name/Title: Robert Wise Date: 6/16/2000  
Project Name: Whitpain Township Historic Resource Survey  
Organization: Robert Wise Consulting/Whitpain Township Telephone: (610) 722-5818  
Street and No.: Station Square 1, Suite 104, 37 North Valley Road  
City, State: Paoli, Pa Zip Code: 19301  
Additional Survey Documentation: n/a  
Associated Survey Codes: n/a

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NARRATIVE SHEET 89C

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**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:**

This resource, constructed 1802 (date stone), is a three-part additive "Penn Plan" Colonial style house. The core, which is the central section, consists of semi-coursed stonewalls, an end gable, wood shingle roof, and a two bay window arrangement. The 6' x 6' sash windows are new. The core measures approximately 20' x 20'. A stone, flush chimney is located on the southern end. Due to the setbacks and heights of the addition, the core is the most visible part of the house. (House largely obscured.)

A garage is attached to the southern end of the core. The addition is 1.5 stories in height, vinyl sided, with east facing bays. Another 1.5 story addition is attached to the northern end of the core. This unit is a frame house with vinyl siding and a wood shingle roof. With the additions, the building measures approximately 65' x 25'.

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