

**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.: 154 / 66-00-06430-00-2 Block Unit #007-003

County: Montgomery

Municipality: Whitpain Township

Address: 1950 Skippack Pike

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

**SITE PLAN****PHOTO INFORMATION**

Number	Description of View	Direction of Camera
1	House – façade	
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		

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## IDENTIFICATION AND LOCATION

Survey Code: 154 Tax Parcel/Other No.: 66-00-06430-00-2 Block Unit #007-003

County: 1. Montgomery 091 2.

Municipality: 1. Whitpain Township 2.

Address: 1950 Skippack Pike Historic Name:

Other Name:

Owner Name/Address: Horsham JCDA c/o Gary M. Sherman P.O. Box 328 Tamaqua PA 18252

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

Resource Category:  Building  District  Site  Structure  Object

Number/Aproximate Number of Resources Covered by This Form: 2

USGS Quad: 1. Lansdale 2.

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

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

## HISTORIC AND CURRENT FUNCTIONS

Historic Function Category:

Subcategory:

Code:

A. Residence 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. Georgian \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Exterior Materials: Foundation \_\_\_\_\_

Roof \_\_\_\_\_

Walls stucco \_\_\_\_\_

Walls \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

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

Width 3 bays / 30 feet \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Stories/Height 2 \_\_\_\_\_

## HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Year Built: \_\_\_ ca. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 poor condition and alterations.

## 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 3-bay, 2-story vernacular farmhouse, with Federal style influences, sits abandoned and deteriorating. It consists of the core with a rear addition. Also located on the property is a single story, frame building.

The core is a symmetrical, two-story, end-gabled, three-bay building with a center entrance. The steeply pitched roof is slate. There are small, brick, flush chimneys on both ends of the house. Thick cove molding can be found under the eaves. The walls are stucco over stone. Windows are 2x2 sash. Like many houses in the Township, the attic floor features a twin window arrangement with angled tops under the gables. A portico held up by Tuscan columns protects the front entrance. The core measures 30'x 18'.

A large addition is attached to the rear of the core. It protrudes from the southern end of the core approximately 4 feet. The addition has a flat roof, cornice, and two stories. Like the core, its walls are stucco over stone. Overall, the building measures 34'x 40'.

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