

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

DIVISION FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION
NEW YORK STATE PARKS AND RECREATION
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UNIQUE SITE NO. 001-06-0126

QUAD -

SERIES _____

NEG. NO. _____

YOUR NAME: Town of Guilderland DATE: June 1, 1979

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YOUR ADDRESS Town Hall, Guilderland TELEPHONE: 518-356-1980
N.Y.

ORGANIZATION (if any): _____

IDENTIFICATION

1. BUILDING NAME(S) Schoolhouse #6 (Building #10)
2. COUNTY Albany TOWN/CITY Guilderland VILLAGE Guilderland Center
3. STREET LOCATION 206 Main St
4. OWNERSHIP a. public b. private Schools
5. PRESENT OWNER Guilderland Central ADDRESS State Farm Road, Guilderland, N.Y.
6. USE Original School Present Storage Zip 12084

DESCRIPTION

8. BUILDING MATERIAL: a. clapboard b. stone c. brick d. board and batten
e. cobblestone f. shingles g. stucco other: _____

9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM (if known) a. wood frame with interlocking joints
b. wood frame with light members
c. masonry load bearing walls
d. metal (explain) _____
e. other _____

10. CONDITION: a. excellent b. good c. fair d. deteriorated

11. INTEGRITY: a. original site b. moved if so, when? _____
c. list major alterations and dates (if known): _____

12. PHOTO:

13. MAP:



14. THREATS TO BUILDING: a. none known b. zoning c. roads
d. developers e. deterioration
f. other: _____
15. RELATED OUTBUILDINGS AND PROPERTY:
a. barn b. carriage house c. garage
d. privy e. shed f. greenhouse
g. shop h. gardens
i. landscape features: _____
j. other: _____
16. SURROUNDINGS OF THE BUILDING (check more than one if necessary):
a. open land b. woodland
c. scattered buildings
d. densely built-up e. commercial
f. industrial g. residential
h. other: _____

17. INTERRELATIONSHIP OF BUILDING AND SURROUNDINGS:
(Indicate if building or structure is in an historic district)
**Integral part of Main Street with St. Mark's on the west
and residences on the east.**

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):
This unusual one-room schoolhouse is constructed of coursed cobblestone with smooth ashlar quoins; 6/6 windows with stone lintels and sills; open bell tower at southern end with curvilinear hipped roof.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: 1860

ARCHITECT: _____

BUILDER: _____

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE:

One of only several cobblestone buildings in the county, Schoolhouse #6 has been carefully maintained by the Guilderland School District since its construction in 1860. Exceptionally well executed in a traditional nineteenth-century construction technique indigenous to the northeast but rare in this vicinity, the structure survives amidst a contemporary suburban community. It is the best preserved cobblestone structure in the town and is a significant historical and architectural resource of the community. Schoolhouse #6 is now used as a storage building by the school district.

21. SOURCES: **See bibliography**

22. THEME:



Western elevation

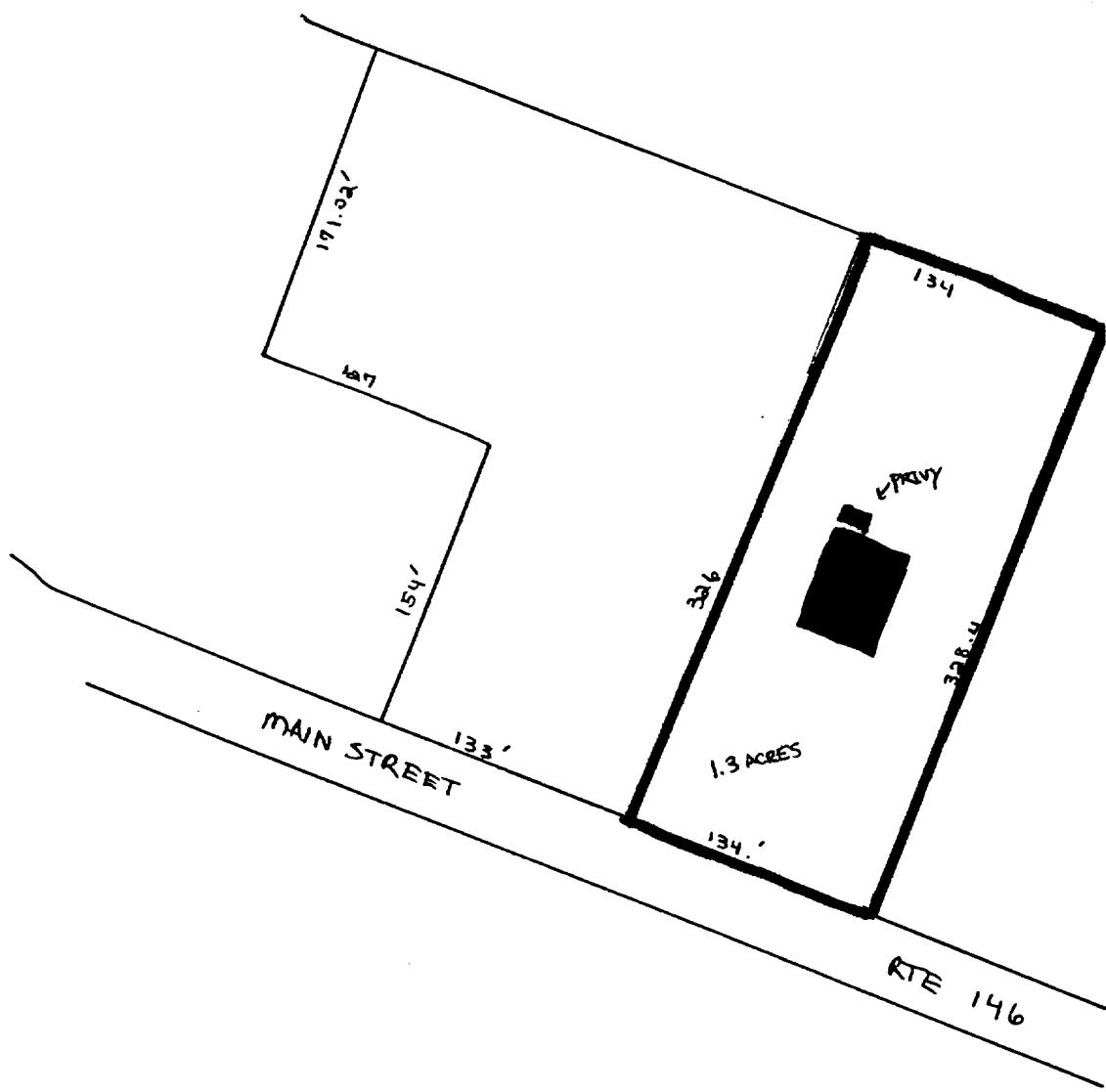


Original school
privy on north
side

SCHOOLHOUSE #6
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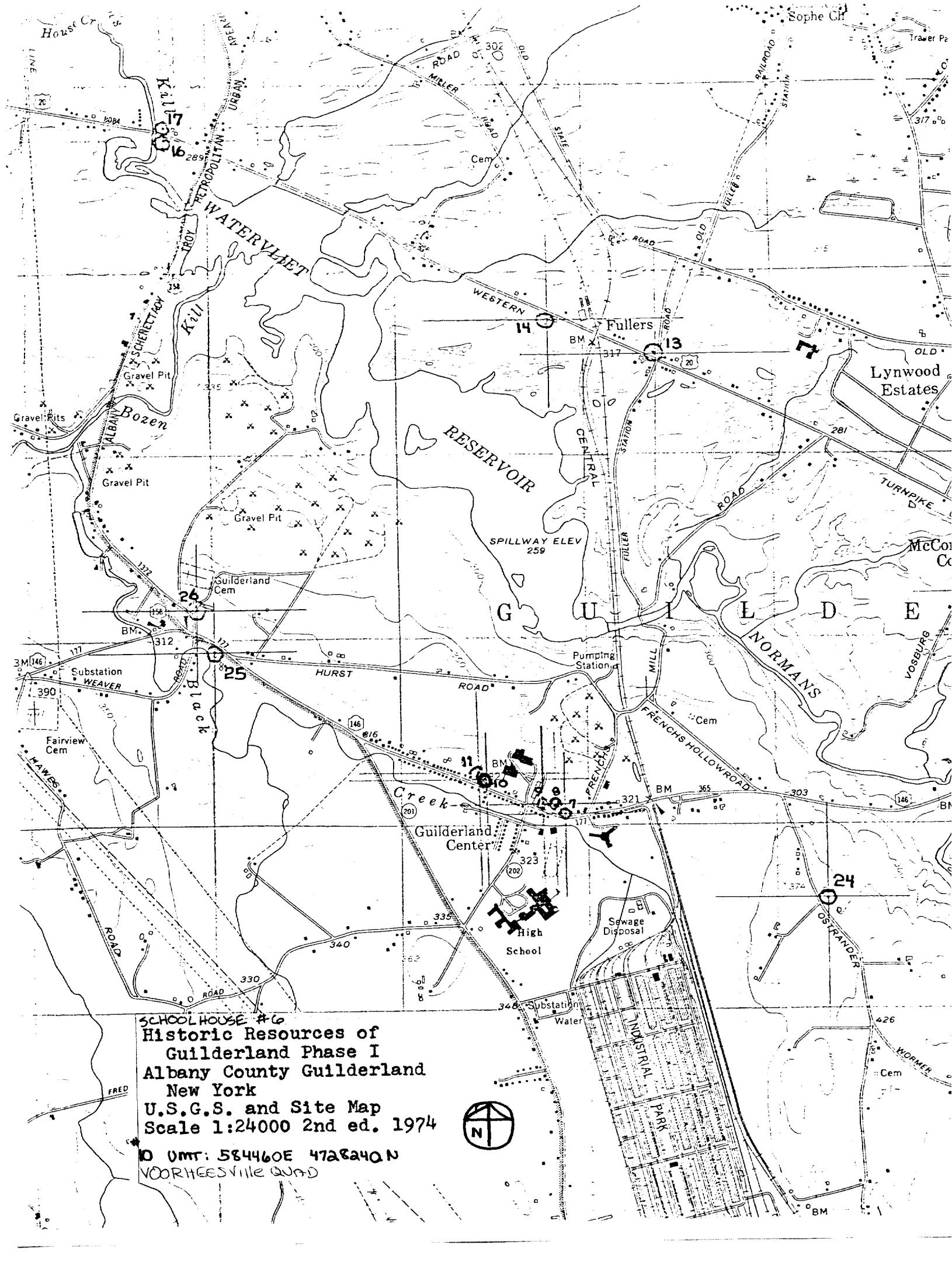
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New York
Site Map (from tax map)
Smith & Mahoney 1979

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1" = 100'



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New York

U.S.G.S. and Site Map
Scale 1:24000 2nd ed. 1974

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