

BUILDING-STRUCTURE INVENTORY FORM

DIVISION FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION
NEW YORK STATE PARKS AND RECREATION
ALBANY, NEW YORK (518) 474-0479

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

UNIQUE SITE NO. 001-06-0045
QUAD _____
SERIES _____
NEG. NO. _____

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

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

ORGANIZATION (if any): _____

IDENTIFICATION

1. BUILDING NAME(S): Sharp Brothers Residence (Building 16)
 2. COUNTY: Albany TOWN/CITY: Guilderland VILLAGE: _____
 3. STREET LOCATION: 4382 Western TDK (Sharp's CORN)
 4. OWNERSHIP: a. public b. private
 5. PRESENT OWNER: Timothy Coughtry ADDRESS: RD2 Box 245, Altamont, NY 12009
 6. USE: Original: Farmhouse Present: Residence
 7. ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC: Exterior visible from public road: Yes No
 Interior accessible: Explain by appointment

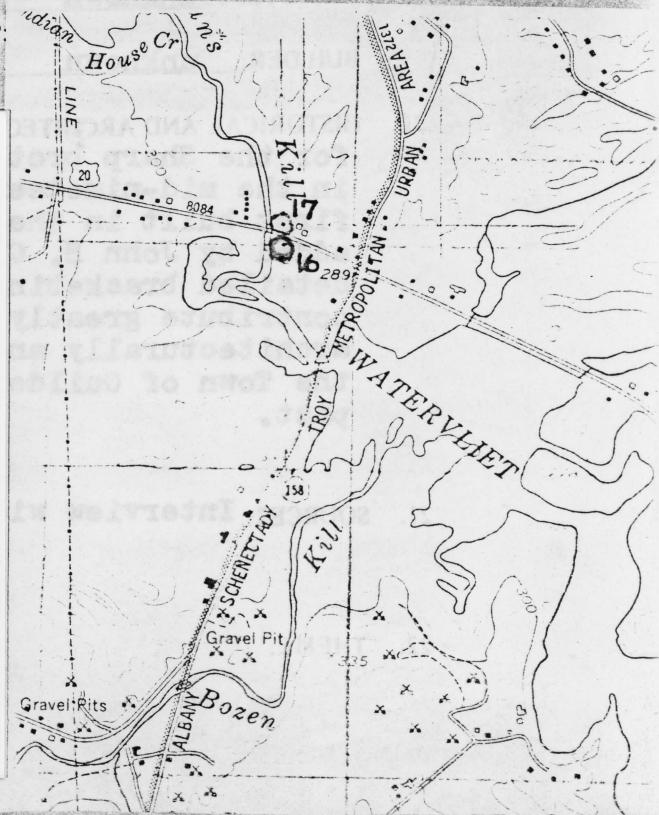
DESCRIPTION

8. BUILDING MATERIAL: a. clapboard b. stone c. brick d. board and batten
 e. cobblestone f. shingles g. stucco other: _____
 9. STRUCTURAL SYSTEM: 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: situated on a small knoll off the
j. other: road near stream
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)

Located to the west of an area called Sharp's Corner; together with the barns and undeveloped farmland, they form an intact period farm complex.

18. OTHER NOTABLE FEATURES OF BUILDING AND SITE (including interior features if known):

Two and one-half story, Queen Anne Style design; steeply pitched multi-gabled roof with tall paneled chimneys; the one-story porch on north and east side retains original highly decorated, scroll-sawn brackets; the first floor windows along porch are unusual French doors.

SIGNIFICANCE

19. DATE OF INITIAL CONSTRUCTION: rear ca. 1850; front ca. 1880

ARCHITECT: unknown

BUILDER: unknown

20. HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL IMPORTANCE: This house is believed to have been built for the Sharp brothers, a prominent farming family of the town in the mid-nineteenth century. The rear portion of the house was first built in the 1850's. The porches and front section were added by John H. Clutein in the late 1880's. The finely detailed bracketing and railing of the porch remain intact and contribute greatly to the modest Queen Anne Style design. The architecturally and historically significant farmhouse recalls the Town of Guilderland's prosperous 19th-century past.

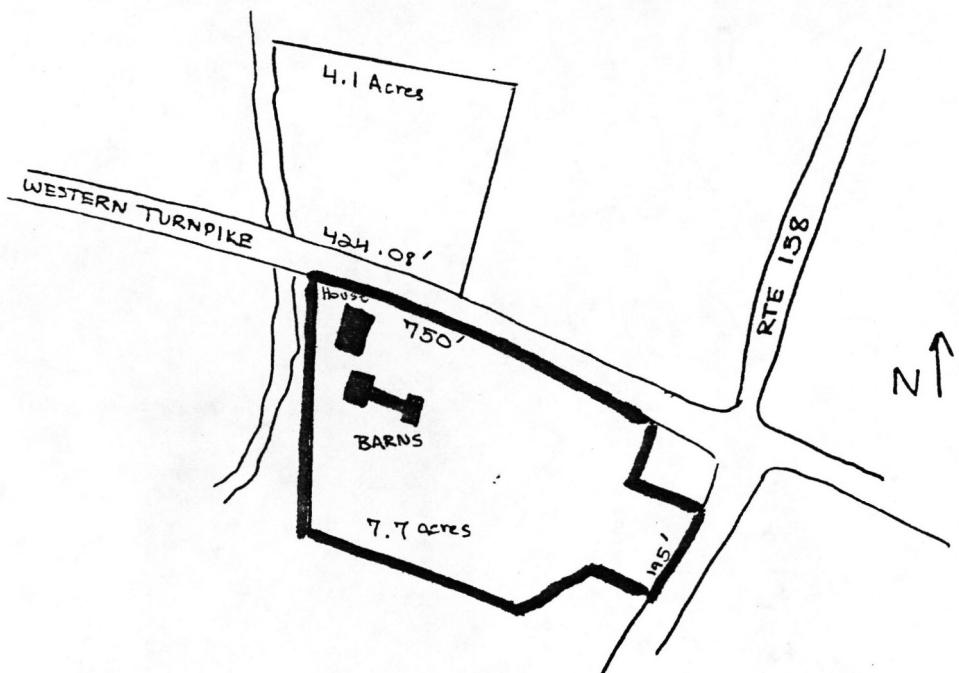
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21. SOURCES: Interview with owner; Albany County Clerk's office

22. THEME:

4382 Western Turnpike

Building # 16



Sharp Brothers' Residence
Historic Resources of
Guilderland Phase I
Albany County Guilderland
New York
Site Map (from tax map)
Smith & Mahoney 1979

1" = 400'

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

EXP. 12/31/84

National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form

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Continuation sheet

Item number

Page 3 of 4Multiple Resource Area
Thematic GroupName Guilderland Multiple Resource Area
State New York

Nomination/Type of Review

Date/Signature

21. St. Mark's Lutheran Church Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

Attest

22. Prospect Hill Cemetery Entered in the
Building National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

Attest

23. Fuller's Tavern Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

Attest

24. Veeder Farmhouse #1 Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

Attest

25. Veeder Farmhouse #2 Substantive ReviewBruce Van Duyck 11/10/82

Attest

26. Van Patten Barn Complex Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

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27. Gillespie House Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

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28. Sharp Brothers House Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

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29. Sharp Farmhouse Entered in the
National RegisterDebra Byers 11/10/82

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30. Parker, Charles, House Substantive ReviewBruce Van Duyck 11/10/82

Attest

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES**EVALUATION / RETURN SHEET**

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

Sharp Brothers House (Guilderland MRA)
Albany County
NEW YORK

Working No. 969/82-2682

Fed. Reg. Date: 2-1-83

Date Due: 10/26/82 - 11/3/82

Action: ACCEPT 11/10/82

Entered in the RETURN

National Register REJECT

Federal Agency: _____

- resubmission
 nomination by person or local government
 owner objection
 appeal

Substantive Review: sample request appeal NR decision

Reviewer's comments:

Recom./Criteria _____

Reviewer _____

Discipline _____

Date _____

____ see continuation sheet

Nomination returned for: technical corrections cited below
 substantive reasons discussed below

1. Name**2. Location****3. Classification**

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
	Public Acquisition	Accessible	

4. Owner of Property**5. Location of Legal Description****6. Representation in Existing Surveys**

Has this property been determined eligible? yes no

7. Description

Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input 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		

Describe the present and original (if known) physical appearance

- summary paragraph
 completeness
 clarity
 alterations/integrity
 dates
 boundary selection

8. Significance

Period Areas of Significance—Check and justify below

Specific dates Builder Architect

Statement of Significance (in one paragraph)

- summary paragraph
- completeness
- clarity
- applicable criteria
- justification of areas checked
- relating significance to the resource
- context
- relationship of integrity to significance
- justification of exception
- other

9. Major Bibliographical References

10. Geographical Data

Address of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

UMT References

Verbal boundary description and justification

11. Form Prepared By

12. State Historic Preservation Officer Certification

The evaluated significance of this property within the state is:

national state local

State Historic Preservation Officer signature

Title _____ Date _____

13. Other

- Maps
- Photographs
- Other

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to _____

Signed _____ Date _____ Phone: 202 272-3504

Comments for any item may be continued on an attached sheet

SHARP BROTHERS' RESIDENCE
Historic Resources of
Guilderland (Phase I)
Guilderland, New York
Albany County
Building #16



Front (north) elevation



Detail of sawn scrollwork
on porch brackets



Barns located to the
southeast of the house

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JUNCTION

NEW YORK STATE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Sharp Brothers' Residence
Historic Resources of
Guilderland Phase I
Albany County Guilderland
New York
U.S.G.S. and Site Map
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