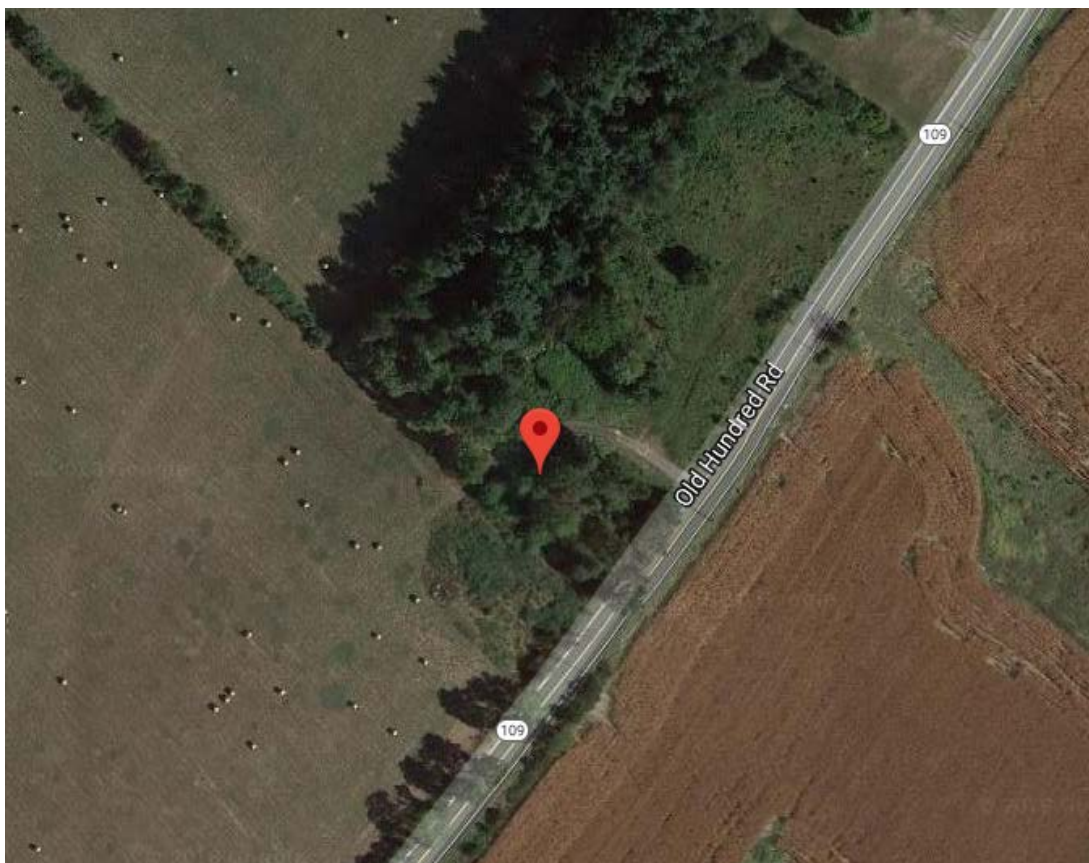
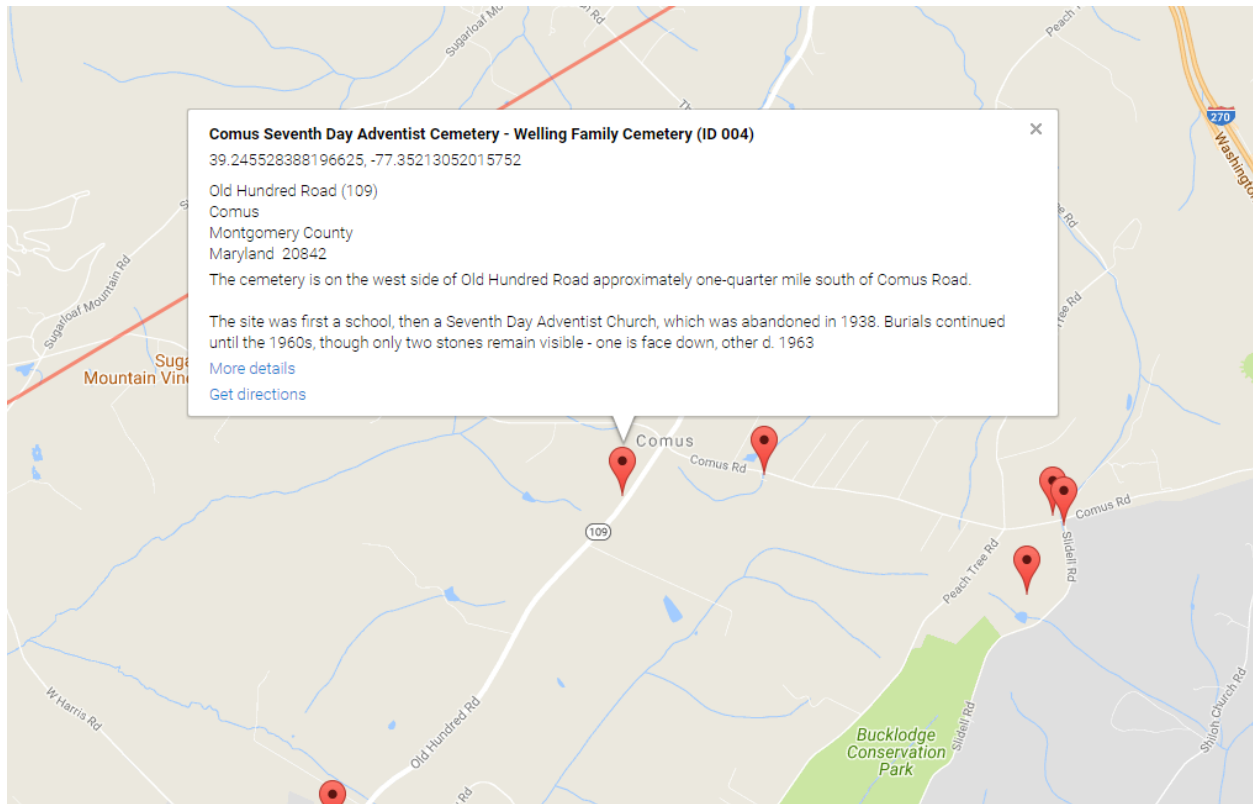


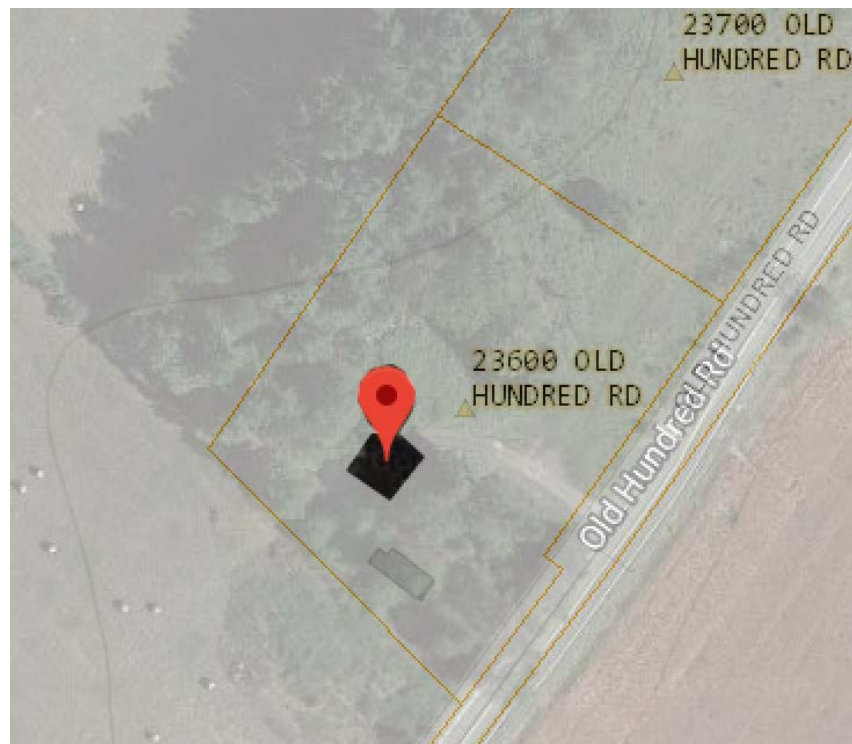


MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED		
BURIAL SITE INFORMATION		
Name: Welling Family Cemetery		Inventory ID: 004
Alternate name: Comus Seventh Day Adventist Church Cemetery		
Address: 23600 Old Hundred Road, Comus		
Website:		
GPS coordinates: Latitude: 39.243969		Longitude: -77.353148
FindaGrave: https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/2344960		
BURIAL SITE TYPE		
Category: <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Community <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Family <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
BURIAL SITE EVALUATION		
Setting/location description: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rural <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Suburban <input type="checkbox"/> Wooded <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
General condition (See conditions sheet): <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> None		
Is there a formal entrance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Accessibility: <input type="checkbox"/> Inaccessible <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By foot <input type="checkbox"/> By car
Is cemetery active (recent burials)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Is there a cemetery sign: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Is cemetery being maintained? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minimal <input type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)		
Are there visible markers? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers: 4	Date ranges: 1944–1966
Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)		
• Cemetery is approximately 40 yards from Old Hundred Road		
• 20'x20' enclosure surrounded by short chain-link fence		
• Two headstones for two couples, two markers for pets.		
• People still come to visit the graves and leave mementos.		
BURIAL SITE CONTACT		
Name: William Monroe Rickman, III		
Relationship to burial site: Owner/Developer		Advocacy contact:
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR		
Name: Lisa Warffeli	Survey Date: 6/10/2018	Time spent: 30 min
Photographer: Lisa Warffeli		
COMMENTS		
Suggestions for follow-up:		
• Contact owner/developer to ensure the protection of this cemetery.		
Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:		
• Overgrown with weeds		
• Discarded furniture and garbage surround the fence.		
Anything of significance about this cemetery?		
• Small church built in 1918 for Seventh Day Adventists next to cemetery. Active until 1938. Disbanded. Church torn down after 2002. Visible burials occurred <u>after</u> church disbanded.		
• There are no records of burials from the SDA.		
SOURCES		
Cite sources used and resources available:		





Aerial from 1963 showing highlighted cemetery and old church building



Current location of cemetery

Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory Photograph Log

Cemetery Name: Welling Family Cemetery		Inventory ID: 004
Photographer: Glenn Wallace / Lisa Warffeli		Date: 1/27 & 6/10/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing (Ex: detail of wall around Carr plot facing North)
	1	Approach to cemetery from Old Hundred Rd., facing north
	2	Cemetery from fence enclosure, facing west
	3	Panoramic from west to north to east (taken in winter)
	4	Panoramic from west to north to east (taken in summer)



1. Approach to cemetery from Old Hundred Rd., facing north



2. Cemetery from fence enclosure, facing west



3. Panoramic from west to north to east (taken in winter)



4. Panoramic from west to north to east (taken in summer)