



MONTGOMERY COUNTY CEMETERY INVENTORY REVISITED

BURIAL SITE INFORMATION

Name: Howes Family Cemetery	Inventory ID: 035
Alternate name:	
Address: In park – closest intersection is Middlebrook Rd and Midcounty Hwy, Germantown	
Website:	
GPS coordinates: Latitude: 39.180311	Longitude: -77.223218
FindaGrave: https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/2674931	

BURIAL SITE TYPE

Category: ☐ Religious ☐ Community ☒ **Family** ☐ African American ☐ Other:

BURIAL SITE EVALUATION

Setting/location description: <input type="checkbox"/> Rural <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suburban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wooded <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	
General condition (See conditions sheet): <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input checked="" 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 type="checkbox"/> Minimal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (If yes, note caretaker's name below)	
Are there visible markers? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Approximate number of burials/visible markers:
Date ranges:	
Description: (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping/vegetation, fence, paths and roads, etc.)	
• Cemetery area lies to the west of the Greenway trail.	
• Stone foundation, possibly for a barn, to the south.	
• Partially delineated by posts and barbed wire on the southern edge of the cemetery.	
• No visible gravestones.	

BURIAL SITE CONTACT

Name: Montgomery County – Great Seneca Park Extension		
Relationship to burial site:		Advocacy contact:
Address:		Phone:
City:	State:	ZIP Code:

BURIAL SITE SURVEYOR

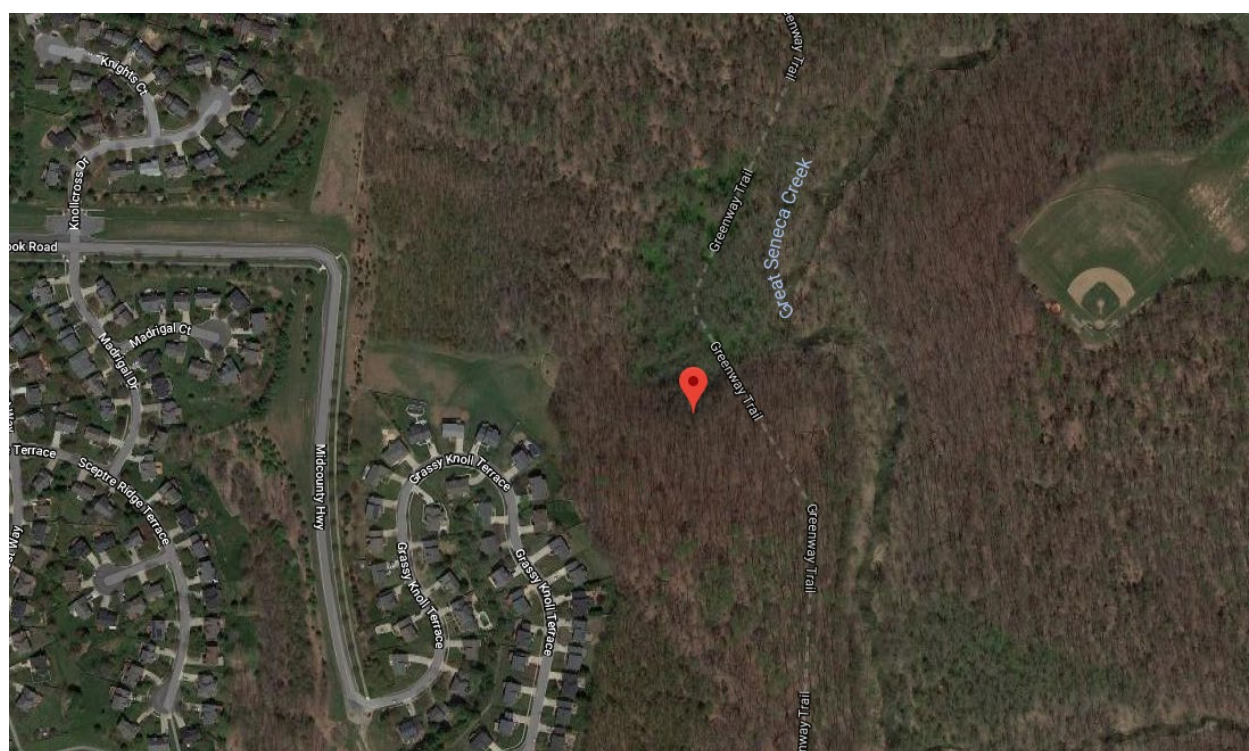
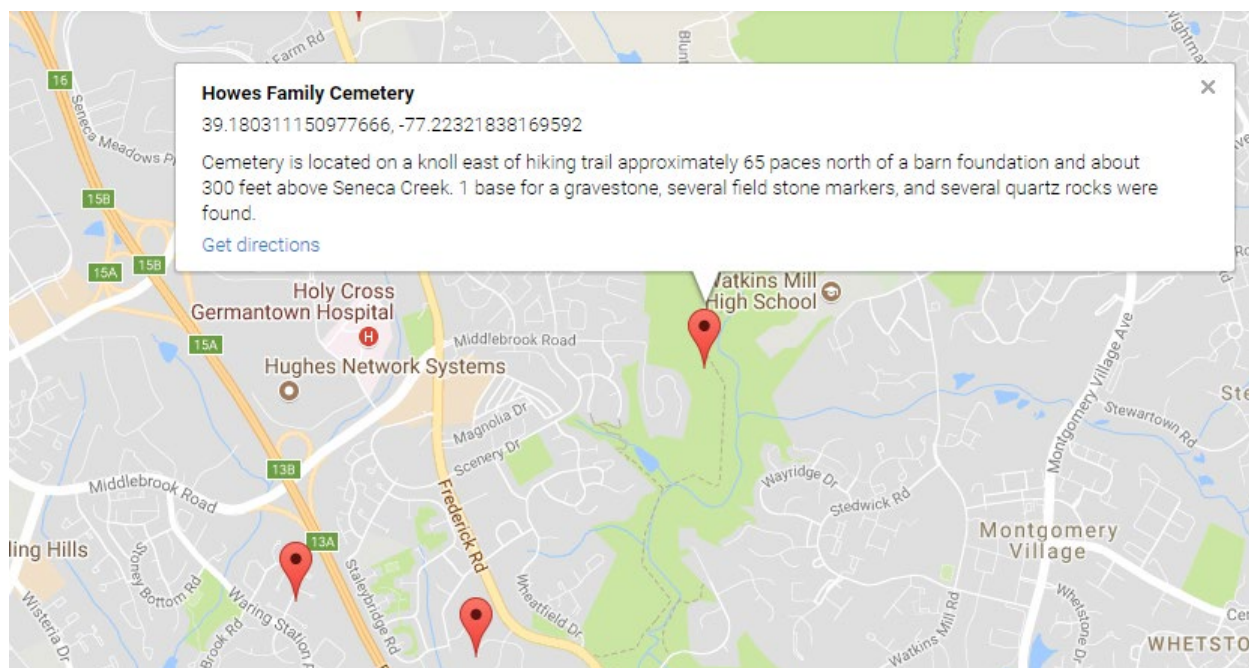
Name: Katherine Rogers, John Kelly, Earl Dunn	Survey Date: 5/23/2018	Time spent: 15 min
Address:		Phone:
Email:		
Photographer: Jackie Rogers		

COMMENTS

Suggestions for follow-up:
• Revisit site in fall or winter to relocate the headstone
Safety issues, invasive vegetation removal, fence removal/restoration, signage, trash, erosion, vandalism:
• Trash and abandoned cars
• Fire pit built from car parts
Anything of significance about this cemetery?
• 19th Century artifacts located in washout on path, approximately .08 miles from site.

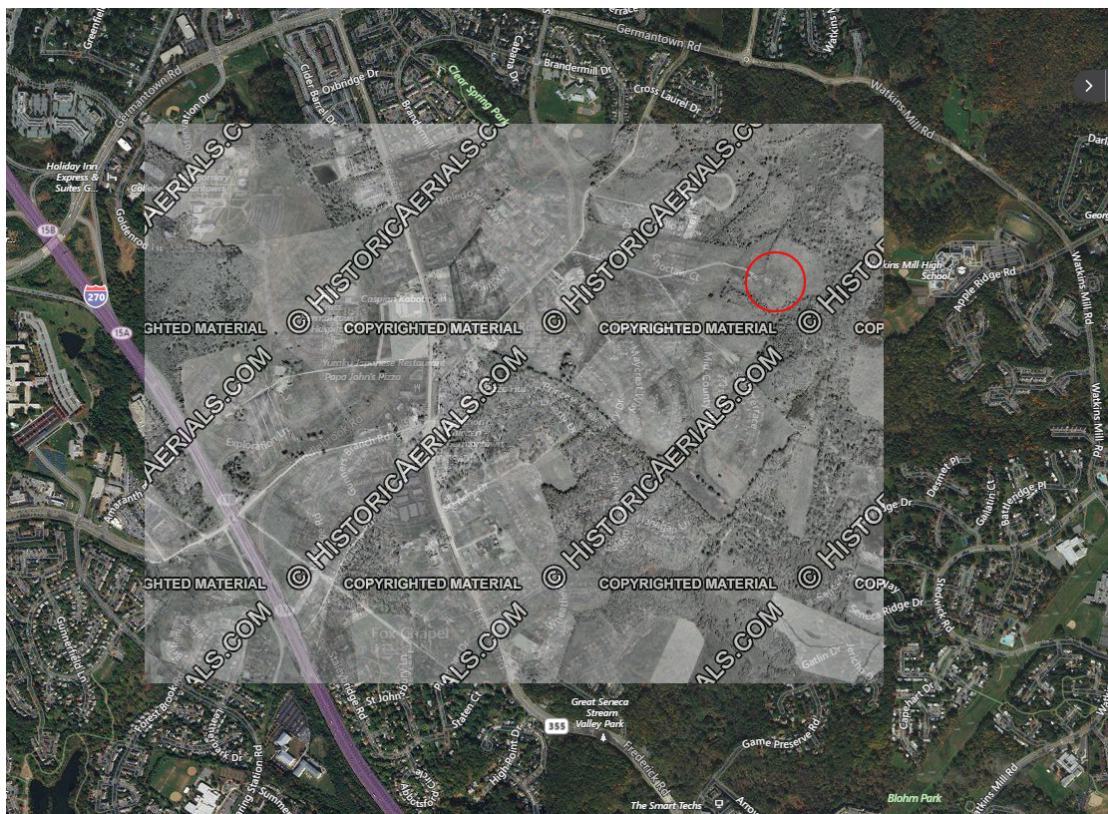
SOURCES

Cite sources used and resources available:





Aerial - 1938



Aerial – 1957 overlay

Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory Photograph Log

Cemetery Name: Howes Family Cemetery		Inventory ID: 035
Photographer: Jackie Rogers		Date: 5/23/2018
Time	Photo No.	Description and direction you are facing (Ex: detail of wall around Carr plot facing North)
11:22 am	1	Approach to site, facing east. 2.2 miles from start of trail at Fred. Ave.
	2	Greenway Trail on route to site, facing north
	3	Abandoned vehicle. Site is located off to the left
	4	Approach to cemetery from vehicle
	5	Possible gravestone base noted in initial inventory survey
	6	Panoramic from west to north to east
11:38 am	7	Panoramic from east to south to west



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2. Greenway Trail on route to site, facing north



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4. Approach to cemetery from vehicle.



5. Possible gravestone base noted in initial inventory survey



6. Panoramic from west to north to east



7. Panoramic from east to south to west