

Montgomery County Cemetery Inventory

ID: 164

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Name: Retirement Farm Cemetery

Alternate name: GRIFFITH FAMILY CEMETERY

Address: 5501 Griffith Road

Town: Laytonsville

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Type

Religious
 Family Griffith Family
 Private
 Other

Association

Free black
 Enslaved
 Ethnic
 Prehistoric

I'll have to calculate again Amanda

Setting Rural Urban Suburban Forested Other

Condition Excellent Good Fair Poor (in process of restoration, and conservation)

Negative Impacts (vandalism, dumping, neglect, encroachment, etc)

Approximate no. of burials 22 ~~23~~ Date range of burials 1840's - 1902

Description (markers, materials, arrangement, landscaping, fence, paths and roads, etc.)

Note: There are 22 burials, but 23 stones. One field stone was put in the cemetery with no burial. This stone was possibly from a nearby farm. This cemetery is approximately 35' x 56'

The stones are mostly marble and there is one field stone. Most have footstones. There are also two flower urns and ^{the} two largest stones marked Sisson, Baltimore referring to a monument maker. Two obelisks also.

Surveyor(s) Amanda Becker and Janet Becker Survey date 3/14/04

Photographer CARL PETERSON Date Nov 2004 Photo no. 164-01 thru 164-08

Current owner Putt and Nancy Willett

Address/Phone No. 5501 Griffith Road, Laytonsville, Md 20882/301-253-2673

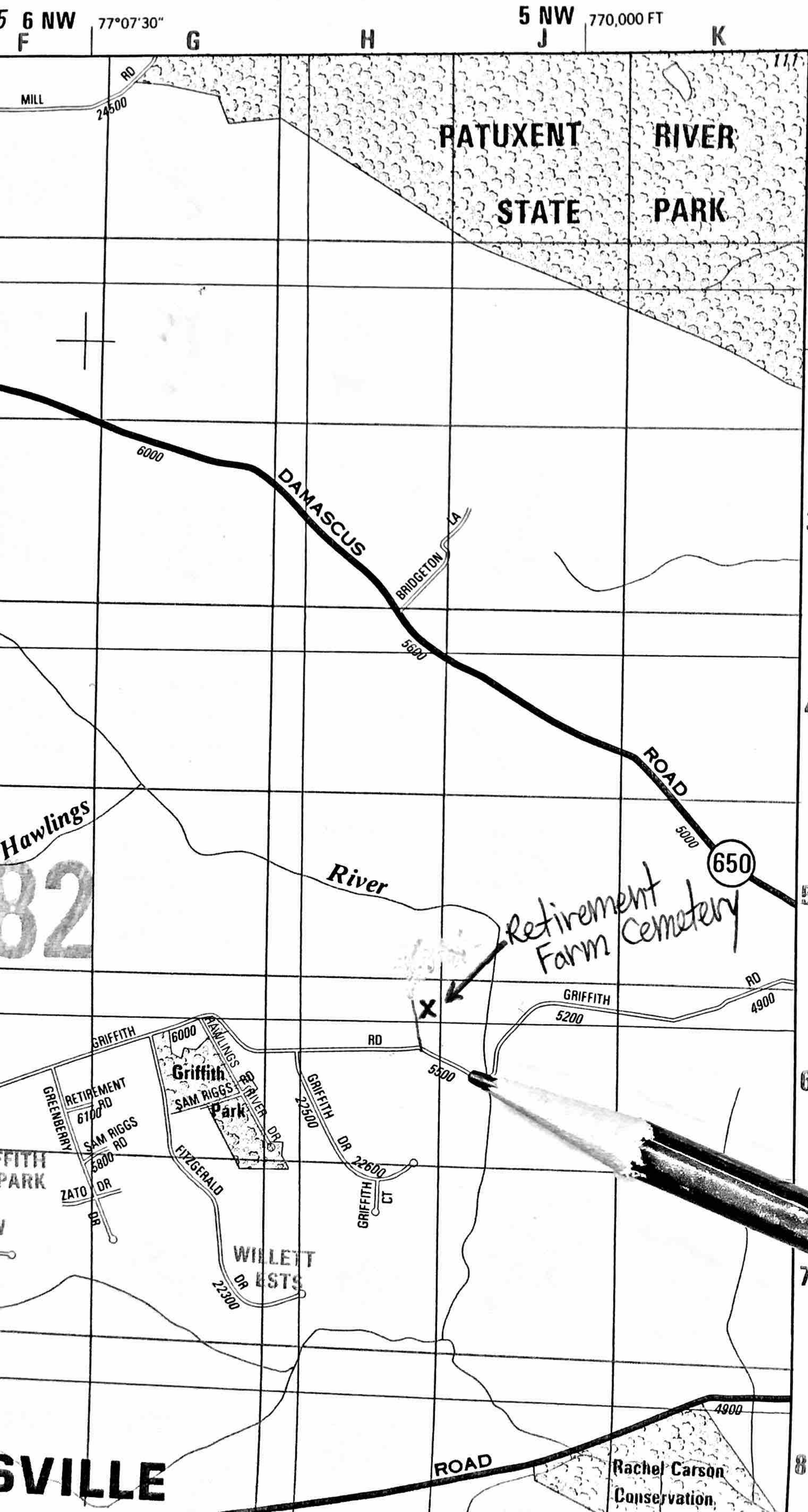
Historic Status Locational Atlas ID National Register
 Master Plan ID 23/019 Other

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Additional sources of information:

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Total of 34 stones including footstones



MAP 11
234 NW
233 NW
510,000 FT 232 NW
231 NW
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PHOTO LOG
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Farmhouse and sign
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View of cemetery, looking east
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View from southwest corner
of cemetery
164-03.JPG



View from northwest corner
of cemetery
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Markers seen through
opening in iron fence
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"Griffith" markers
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"Julia Griffith" marker
(family matriarch)
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"Ulysses Griffith" marker
(family patriarch)
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