

PENNSYLVANIA HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM – PHOTO/SITE PLAN SHEET
 Pennsylvania Historic and Museum Commission, Bureau of Historic Preservation
 Commonwealth Keystone Building, 2nd Floor, 400 North Street, Harrisburg, PA 17108-1026

Survey Code / HR #:	66-092	Historic / Other Name:	None
Tax Parcel #:	66-2-63	Address:	672 Cheyney Rd.
County:	Chester 029	Municipality:	Thornbury Township

672 Cheyney Rd.

Photographs

Photo 1: South (front) & East Elevations, House

Photographer:

J. Christopher Lang

Date: 3/22/2009

Negative Location:

Thornbury Township



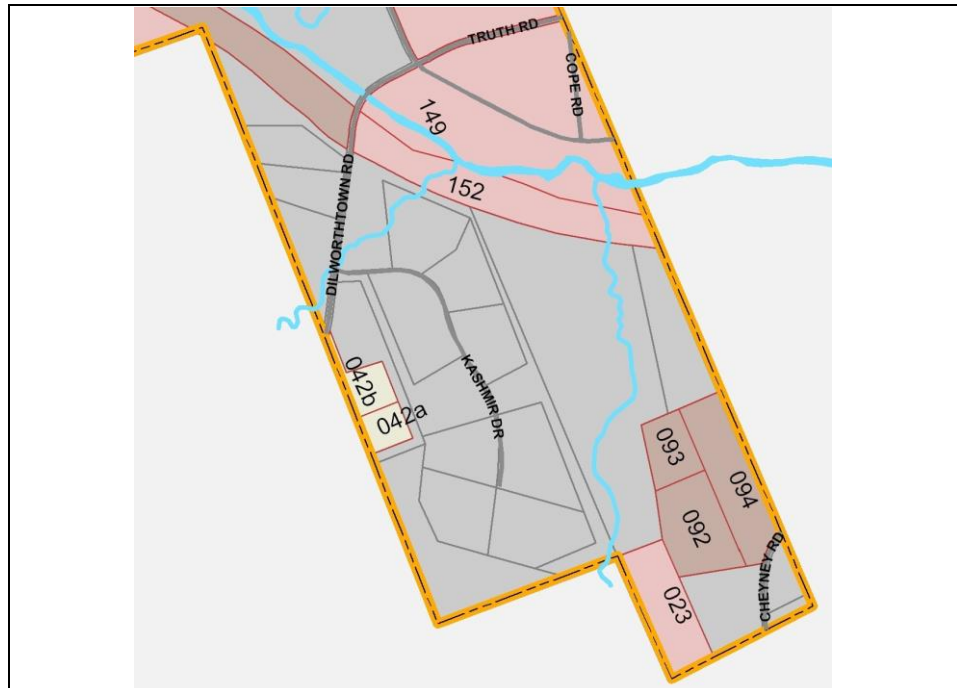
Location Map

Thornbury Township
 Historic Resource
 Inventory GIS Map

LOOK FOR: HR #092

MAP KEY

092 = HR Number
 Purple = Class 1
 Pink = Class 2
 Yellow = Class 3
 Med. Grey = Class 4



PENNSYLVANIA HISTORIC RESOURCE SURVEY FORM – DATA SHEET

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IDENTIFICATION AND LOCATION				
Survey Code #	66-092	Tax Parcel No.	66-2-63	
County	1. Chester 029	2.		
Municipality	1. Thornbury Township	2.		
Address	672 Cheyney Rd.			
Historic Name	None			
Other Name	None			
Owner Name / Address				
Owner Category	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private	<input type="checkbox"/> Public – local	<input type="checkbox"/> Public – state	<input type="checkbox"/> Public – Federal
Resource Category	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building	<input type="checkbox"/> District	<input type="checkbox"/> Site	<input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object
Number/Approximate Number of Resources Covered by This Form	2			
USGS Quad	1. West Chester	2.		
UTM References	A.	B.	C.	D.

HISTORIC AND CURRENT FUNCTIONS			
Historic Function Category		Subcategory	Code
A.	Domestic	Single Dwelling	01 A
B.	Domestic	Secondary Structure	01 C
C.			
D.			
Particular Type	A.	House	
	B.	Outbuilding	
	C.		
	D.		
Current Function Category		Subcategory	Code
A.	Domestic	Single Dwelling	01 A
B.	Domestic	Secondary Structure	01 C
C.			
D.			

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION				
Architectural Classification	A. No Style	B.		C.
	D.	Other		
Exterior Materials	Foundation		Roof	Asphalt shingles 63
	Walls	Stucco 61	Walls	Stone 40
	Other		Other	
Structural System	1.		2.	
Width 3 Bays C	Depth 2 Rooms B		Stories / Height 1.5 A	

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 Survey Code/HR #66-092 / 672 Cheyney Rd.

HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Year Built: X c. 1953 Additions/Alterations Dates: c. _____

Basis for Dating: ___ Documentary X Physical

Explain: The house appears to be a typical mid-1950s “L”-shaped ranch house.

Cultural / Ethnic Affiliation	1. N/A	2.	Associated Individuals	1. N/A	2.
Associated Events	1. N/A	2.	Architects / Engineers	1. N/A	2.
Builders	1. N/A	2.			

MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

N/A

PREVIOUS SURVEY, DETERMINATIONS

N/A

EVALUATION (Survey Director/Consultants Only)

Individual NR Potential: ___ Yes ___ No Context(s):

Contributes to Potential District ___ Yes ___ No District Name/Status:

Class: 4

Justification: Due to this property’s age; it is not possible to ascertain its level of significance; therefore, according to Thornbury Township’s classification of historic resources, it is a Class 4.

THREATS

Threats: 1 1. None 2. Public Development 3. Private Development 4. Neglect 5. Other

Explain:

SURVEYOR INFORMATION			
Surveyor Name / Title	Jane E. Dorchester	Date	8/2009
Project Name	Thornbury Township VPP Historic Resource Inventory & Survey		
Organization	Jane E. Dorchester, Historic Preservation Consultant	Telephone	610-431-3737
Street and No.	19 S. Church St.		
City, State	West Chester, Pa.	Zip Code	19382
Additional Survey Documentation			
Associated Survey Codes	None		

PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL RESOURCE SURVEY FORM – NARRATIVE SHEET 89C

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County	Chester 029	Municipality	Thornbury Township
Address	672 Cheyney Rd.	Historic / Other Name	N/A

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

The house at 672 Cheyney Road is a three-bay, one-and-a-half-story, side-gable, stucco, “L- shaped ranch house. The south (front) elevation of the foot of the “L” is clad in stone-face. Its roof is shingled in asphalt.

There is a two-story, frame outbuilding located immediately to the west of the house.

HISTORICAL NARRATIVE:

This house was one of a handful built around the township after World War II. They were the forerunners of the suburbanization of the township.