

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 #:	66-132	Historic / Other Name:	None
Tax Parcel #:	66-4-9	Address:	425 Dilworthtown Rd.
County:	Chester 029	Municipality:	Thornbury Township

425 Dilworthtown Rd.

Photographs

Photo 1: South (front)
Elevation, House

Photographer:
J. Christopher Lang

Date: 9/8/2007

Negative Location:
Thornbury Township



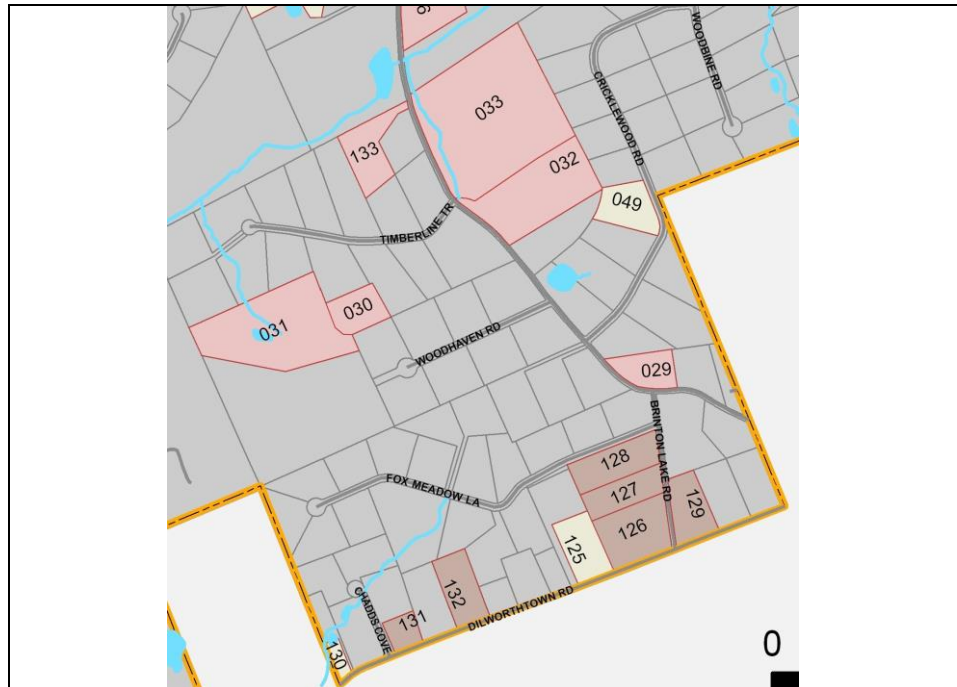
Location Map

Thornbury Township
Historic Resource
Inventory GIS Map

LOOK FOR: HR #132

MAP KEY

- 132 = 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 #	66-132		Tax Parcel No.	66-4-9	
County	1. Chester 029		2.		
Municipality	1. Thornbury Township		2.		
Address	425 Dilworthtown 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				1	
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.			
C.			
D.			
Particular Type		A.	House
		B.	
		C.	
		D.	
Current Function Category		Subcategory	Code
A.	Domestic	Single Dwelling	01 A
B.			
C.			
D.			

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION				
Architectural Classification	A. No Style		B.	C.
	D.		Other	
Exterior Materials	Foundation			Roof
	Walls	Brick 30		Walls
	Other			Other
Structural System		1.		2.
Width 3 Bays C		Depth 2 Rooms B		Stories / Height 1 A

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HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Year Built: c. 1951 Additions/Alterations Dates: c. _____

Basis for Dating: ___ Documentary Physical

Explain: This house appears to be a typical early 1950s 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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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

The house at 425 Dilworthtown Road is a three-bay, one-story, side-gable, brick-faced ranch house. Its roof is shingled in asphalt.

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.