New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Historic Preservation Office

PROPERTY REPORT

Property ID:

-376467276

Property Name: 14 Station Road Ownership: Private Address: 14 STATION RD **ZIP:** 08512 Apartment #:

PROPERTY LOCATION(S):

County: Municipality: **Local Place Name: USGS Quad:** Block: Lot:

MIDDLESEX Cranbury township 18 14

Property Photo:



Old HSI Number: NRIS Number: HABS/HAER Number: 25

Description:

PS&S recommends that 14 Station Road, constructed in 2013, is a non-contributing property in the Cranbury Historic District.

The 2-story, side gable-roofed, rectangular-plan main block of this composite siding-clad, frame dwelling on a brick foundation is 5 bays wide and 2 bays deep and is fronted on the north by a 1-story, composite-roofed, centered porch and backed on the south by a 2-story, gable-roofed rear volume which is in turn flanked on its east side by a 2-story, 3-sided, hip-roofed projecting bay. A 1-story porch backs the rear volume. An exterior, brick chimney projects from the center of the west, side elevation. The windows are clad in asphalt shingle and the windows have 6/6 wood sash. The primary entrance is located in the central bay of the north elevation and is flanked by 4-light sidelights. The remaining bays are regularly fenestrated. The west and east side elevations are regularly fenestrated, with shaped shingles and a pent eave dividing the floors of the projecting bay. The south, rear elevation is not visible from the public right-of-way.

Historic maps indicate that Station Road was developed beginning in the first half of the 19th century. The 1980 National Register of Historic Places Nomination for the Cranbury Historic District reports that the original residence at 14 Station Road was constructed in the late 19th century. The residence is documented on the 1916 and 1933 Sanborn maps as a 2-story, L-plan dwelling with a 1-story, fullwidth front porch, a 1-story rear el, and a 1-story outbuilding. The 1974 photographic inventory of Cranbury historic buildings in the collection of the Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society shows the residence as a 2-story, 3-bay, side gable-roofed dwelling with a

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historic door surround. This residence was demolished between 2010 and 2013 for the construction of the current residence.

14 Station Road is a non-contributing property in the historic district by virtue of its construction date after the period of significance.

Setting:

Within Cranbury Township, Station Road is an approximately 1/2-mile long road that connects S. Main Street, to the west, to Route 130, to the east, and then continues east. Station Road is a tree-lined, residential street predominantly bordered by single-family dwellings of moderate size.

Registration and Status Dates:

National Historic Landmark?:

National Register: 9/18/1980

New Jersey Register: 8/9/1979 Local Designation: 9/26/1988

Site Map:

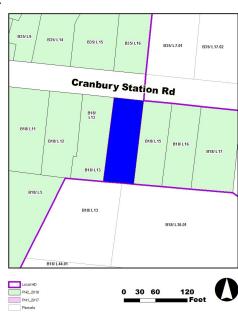
Determination of Eligibility: 3/25/1977 Other Designation:
Certification of Eligibility: Other Designation Date:

Eligibility Worksheet included in present survey?

☐ Is this Property an identifiable farm or former farm?

SHPO Opinion:

Location Map:



BIBLIOGRAPHY:

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(None Listed)	Aerial and street view photography for 1931, 1940, 1947, 1953, 1957, 1963, 1969, 1970, 1972, 1979, 1987, 1995, 2002, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, and 2015 available at historicaerials.com and for 1995, 2002, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2013, 2016, and 2017 available through Google Earth									
(None Listed)	1916 Sanborn Map				1916					
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Additional Information: 1202_18_14 / 2-STY - SFD / 1790										
More Research Needed? (checked=Yes)										
INTENSIVE-LEVEL USE	ONLY:									
Attachments Include	d:	0 1	Building	0	Bridge					
		0 \$	Structure	0	Landscape					
Historic District ?	✓	0 (Object	0	Industry					
District Name:	Cranbury Historic District									
Status:	Non Contributing									
Associated Archeological Site/Deposits? (known or potential sites. If Yes, please describe briefly)										
Conversion Problem? ConversionNote:										
Date form completed: 8/28/2018										

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