

FORM B – BUILDING

Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

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MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BOULEVARD
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02125

167-110	New Bedford North		DAR.562
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Town: Dartmouth

Place:

Photograph



Address: 35 Old Westport Road

Historic Name: Shoe Shop (1856)

Uses: Present: single family home

Original: residence and shop

Date of Construction: ca. 1840 (1850 in Tax Database)

Source: stylistic

Style/Form: Greek Revival

Architect/Builder:

Exterior Material:

Foundation: stone

Wall/Trim: wood clapboard, wood shingles

Roof: asphalt shingle

Outbuildings/Secondary Structures: None

Major Alterations (with dates):

yes, see description

Condition: Good

Moved: no | x | yes | | **Date**

Acreage: 12,257 sq. ft.

Setting: residential

Topographic or Assessor's Map

see continuation sheet

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[DARTMOUTH] [35 Old Westport Road]

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___ Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.
If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:

This is a 1-1/2 story rectangular plan cross-gable house structure that has undergone numerous alterations making its stylistic interpretation difficult. The extended cornices and cornice returns on the front and side gables, the roof pitch, and the wide front entrance opening that appears to originally had sidelights, all suggest this was a Greek Revival period house. On the right side is a one-story hip roof addition with a front-facing entry door. The addition may have been an open side porch at one time. A full-width porch is under construction across the front and down the left side. A hip-roof wall dormer has been added to the front, probably at the same time as the side addition. All windows have been replaced with modern insulated units with 6/1 grilles. There is an interior brick chimney located near the back left corner. The front façade is clapboarded with the remainder of the structure shingled.

HISTORICAL INFORMATION:

1856 Map: House shown with name "Shoe shop"

1871 Map: House not shown

1895 Map: House shown with name "Capt. Alden Potter"

Tax Card, 1st Entry: 5/5/1911, Holden W. Potter, Book 351 Page 74

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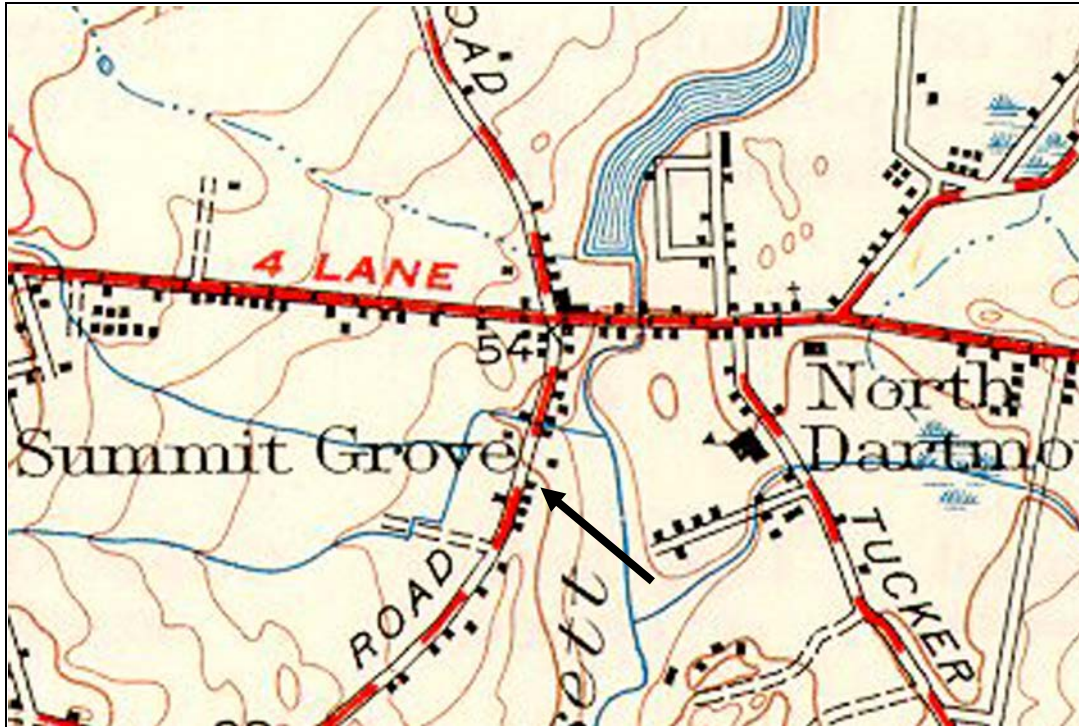
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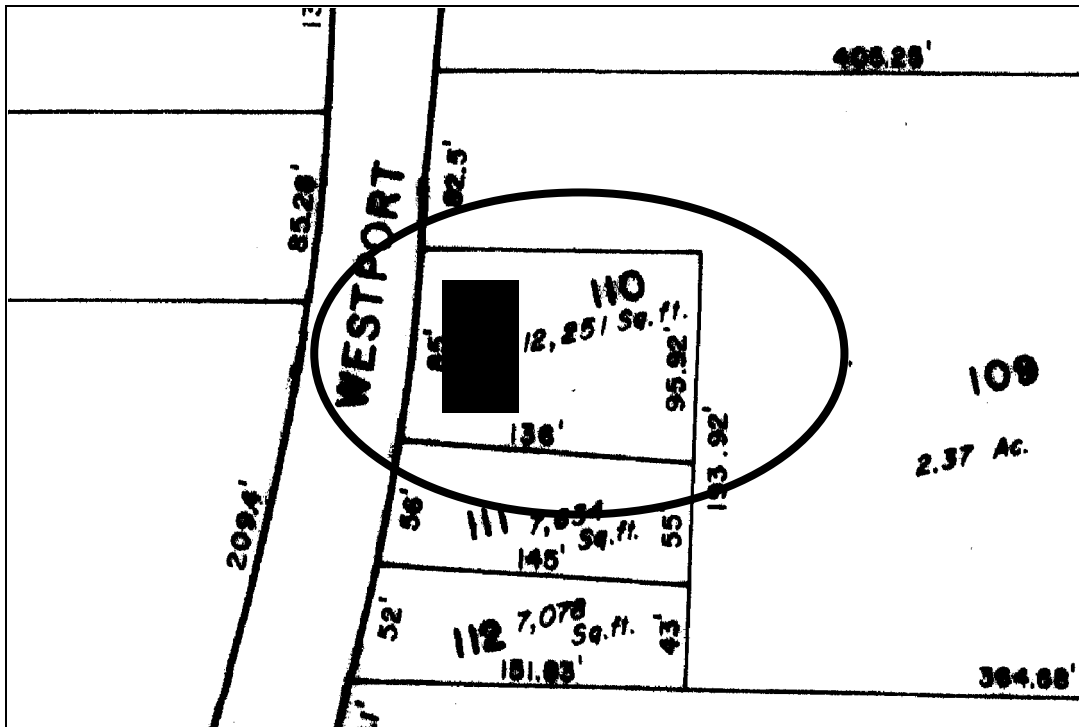
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LOCATION MAPPING



USGS Topographic Map New Bedford North Quadrangle 1941, Revised 1948



Dartmouth Tax Assessors Map

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