

FORM B – BUILDING

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

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
MASSACHUSETTS ARCHIVES BUILDING
220 MORRISSEY BOULEVARD
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02125

127-01	New Bedford South		DAR.110
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Town: Dartmouth

Place:

Photograph



Address: 586 Elm Street

Historic Name: A. Mathews (1856)

Uses: Present: single family home

Original: same

Date of Construction: ca. 1840 (1812 in Tax Database)

Source: historic mapping

Style/Form: Greek Revival

Architect/Builder:

Exterior Material:

Foundation: stone

Wall/Trim: Clapboard

Roof: asphalt shingle

Outbuildings/Secondary Structures: None

Major Alterations (with dates): rear addition date unknown

Condition: Good

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

Acreage: 21,736 sq. ft.

Setting: residential

Topographic or Assessor's Map

see continuation sheet

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Date: 2008

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[DARTMOUTH] [586 Elm Street]

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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 Greek Revival dwelling with a wide front façade. The gable end is the front and the doorway is located off-center, to the left. It is framed by paneled pilasters, extended entablature, and sidelights. Paneled pilasters are located at house corners. The cornice is extended and at the front façade, ends in a cornice return. The prominent frieze is embellished with a dentil course. Caps are above windows. There is a rear addition. There is also a dentil course on entablature frieze above doorway. [Note: Preceding description transcribed from 1983 survey form]

HISTORICAL INFORMATION:

1856 Map: House shown with name "A. Matthews"

1871 Map: House not shown

1895 Map: House shown with name "A. Matthews"

Tax Card, 1st Entry: 1844, Alonzo Matthews Est., Book 35 Page 209

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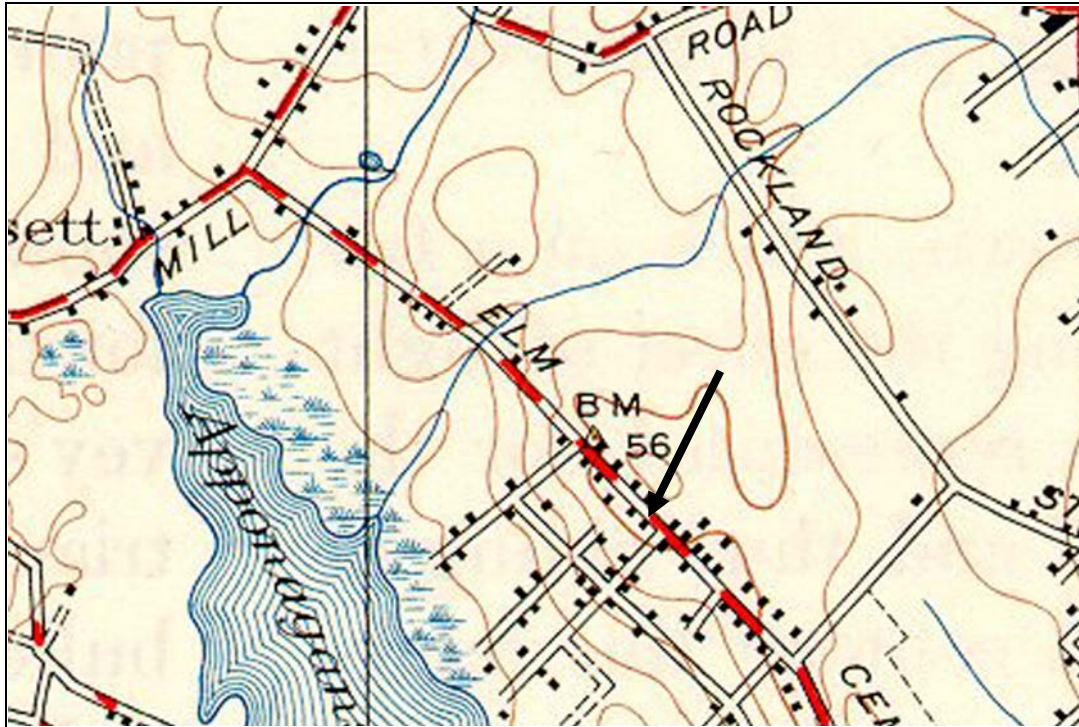
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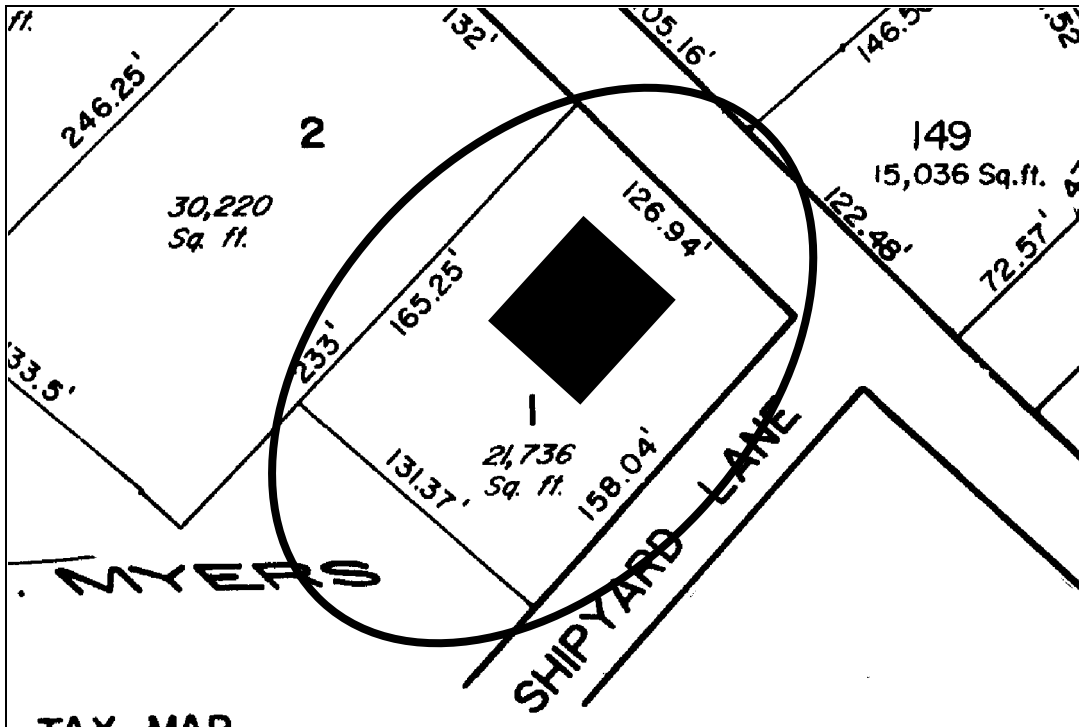
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LOCATION MAPPING



USGS Topographic Map New Bedford South Quadrangle 1941, Revised 1948



Dartmouth Tax Assessors Map

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