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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

DATA SHEET

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DATE ENTERED MAY 30 1975

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN *HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS*
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury Store

AND/OR COMMON same

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER 40 Highland Street; 30 Highland Street

CITY, TOWN

Worcester

VICINITY OF

3rd

STATE

Massachusetts

CODE

025

COUNTY

Worcester

CODE

027

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE☐ MUSEUM☐ COMMERCIAL☐ PARK☒ EDUCATIONAL☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ RELIGIOUS☐ GOVERNMENT☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ MILITARY☒ OTHER: offices

for charitable agencies

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

(Mansion) Salisbury Associates; (Store) Bay State Society for the Crippled and Handicapped

STREET & NUMBER

30 Highland Street ; 40 Highland Street

CITY, TOWN

Worcester

VICINITY OF

STATE

Massachusetts 01608

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Worcester County Courthouse

STREET & NUMBER

2 Main Street

CITY, TOWN

Worcester

STATE

Massachusetts

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Inventory of the Historic Assets of the Commonwealth

DATE

1974

☐ FEDERAL ☒ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

Massachusetts Historical Commission

CITY, TOWN

Boston

STATE

Massachusetts 02108

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

☒ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED
☒ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☐ ORIGINAL SITE
☒ MOVED DATE 1929

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Salisbury Mansion and The Salisbury Store are situated on a high point in downtown Worcester, on a block bounded by Highland Street on the south, Harvard Street on the east, Institute Road on the north, and Lancaster Street on the west. The Mansion is located on the northwest corner of the block and faces south. The Store faces the Mansion, and a large parking lot in front of the buildings extends to Highland Street. The Mansion and the store were moved in 1929 from their original location in Lincoln Square to their present location, to prevent their destruction.

The Salisbury Mansion was built for Stephen Salisbury I by Deacon Joseph Allen of Hardwick, from designs submitted by Abraham Savage, a Boston architect. The house as it was originally constructed in Lincoln Square was used both as a residence for the Salisbury family and as a store containing hardware and other goods. The house was the same size as it is now, according to the large collection of Salisbury papers preserved at the American Antiquarian Society. These papers include the original building contract, and a complete account of the building materials used in the construction of the Mansion. The store originally occupied the entire east part of the lower floor; a "Pentast" or "paintast" (pent roof porch) over the east and part of the south side of the exterior set the store apart visually from the residential portion of the house. Various interior and exterior alterations were made until 1819 when, with the addition of the delicate Classical Revival portico, the house took on the appearance it has today.

The Mansion is 2 stories high, with a hip roof and clapboards, and has irregular window spacing on the facade. A pedimented center gable with modillions and an oculus emphasizes the 1 story portico underneath it. The portico is supported by five slender Corinthian columns and is topped by a balustrade. The windows are all 6/6, and each one is topped by a cornice with modillions. Wooden quoins delineate the corners of the house and modillions support the cornice. There are four irregularly placed chimneys and the main door, with an elliptical fan light and long narrow side lights flanked by slender pilasters, is off center under the portico.

The interior of the Mansion contains most of its original 18th century woodwork. The wainscoting and window trim are characteristic of the third quarter of the eighteenth century. The interior pilasters, paneling, door frames and cornices, with their elegant but restrained regularity, also seem to date from the original construction of the house. The two east drawing rooms, decorated when the store was finally removed in 1819, have woodwork characteristic of this period, with a few details probably added in the 1830's. The Mansion is now owned by the Salisbury Associates and is rented to the Girl Scouts.

The Store was constructed next to the Salisbury Mansion in 1790, for use as a storeroom. After the Store was moved it was restored to its original condition based on elevation drawings found in the Salisbury Papers, an extensive collection consisting of original contracts, inventories, letters and plans, and preserved by the Worcester Heritage Society.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
☐ PREHISTORIC	☐ ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	☐ COMMUNITY PLANNING	☐ LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	☐ RELIGION
☐ 1400-1499	☐ ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	☐ CONSERVATION	☐ LAW	☐ SCIENCE
☐ 1500-1599	☐ AGRICULTURE	☐ ECONOMICS	☐ LITERATURE	☐ SCULPTURE
☐ 1600-1699	☒ ARCHITECTURE	☐ EDUCATION	☐ MILITARY	☒ SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
☒ 1700-1799	☐ ART	☐ ENGINEERING	☐ MUSIC	☐ THEATER
☐ 1800-1899	☐ COMMERCE	☐ EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	☐ PHILOSOPHY	☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ 1900-	☐ COMMUNICATIONS	☐ INDUSTRY	☐ POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	☐ OTHER (SPECIFY)
		☐ INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES 1772, 1790

BUILDER/ARCHITECT *architect - Abraham Savage*
Mansion by Deacon Joseph Allen

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Salisbury Mansion and Store are significant to the City of Worcester because of their long association with the Salisbury family, who were prominent in Worcester's commercial activity and important contributors to Worcester's cultural heritage. The buildings also have great architectural significance. The Mansion is one of the oldest, and certainly the grandest extant house from its period, and the Store is an excellent example of provincial classical architecture.

The Mansion was built in 1772 by Stephen Salisbury I. Stephen I moved to Worcester in 1767 at the age of twenty-one to establish a hardware store, in partnership with his brother Samuel, of Boston. The store was first located in a small rented building but when the Mansion was erected the store occupied part of the first floor. In 1790 the building now called the Salisbury Store was built on the property, and served as a warehouse. The actual shop remained in the Mansion until 1818, when Samuel Salisbury's death brought an end to the partnership. That year the shop was moved into the Store and the space it vacated in the Mansion was turned into two parlors.

Stephen Salisbury I married Elizabeth Tuckerman of Boston in 1797, and after his death in 1829 his wife continued to live in the house until her death in 1851. The Mansion had numerous tenants after Elizabeth's death, but remained in the Salisbury's possession until 1905. Stephen Salisbury III, Elizabeth's grandson, died that year without an heir, and in keeping with his philanthropic ideals, left the Mansion and the Store to the American Antiquarian Society. The Society in turn sold the buildings in 1908 to the Worcester Art Museum, which Stephen III had founded. The Museum had planned to house their collection in the Mansion and adjoining store, but this plan never materialized.

In 1929 the Museum had to move the Mansion and Store from their original location to their present site, in order to prevent the destruction of the buildings by the city. The Mansion was not occupied again until 1950, when the Craft Center of the Worcester Employment Society bought the building, with preservation restrictions attached to the deed. The Employment Society had to move out in the late 50's because of lack of space, and after a concerted preservation effort, the Mansion was bought by the Salisbury Associates and restored. It is now leased to the Worcester Girl Scout Council. The Store was bought by the Bay State Society for the Crippled and Handicapped, also with preservation restrictions, and is now used for their offices.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Forbes, H.M., "The Salisbury Mansion, Worcester, Mass", Old Time New England, January 1930, Vol. XX, ;. 99-110
Sawyer, C.H., "The Salisbury Houses", Worcester Art Museum Annual, 1946, Vol. V
Salisbury Family Papers, Manuscript collection including contracts for Salisbury buildings

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY less than one acre

UTM REFERENCES

A

1	9
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4	6	8	3	5	8	0
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ZONE EASTING NORTHING

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ZONE EASTING NORTHING

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VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Christine Boulding, Assistant Survey Director

ORGANIZATION

Massachusetts Historical Commission

DATE

May 1975

STREET & NUMBER

40 Beacon Street

TELEPHONE

617-727-8470

CITY OR TOWN

Boston

STATE

Massachusetts 02108

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL ☐

STATE ☐

LOCAL ☒

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

Elizabeth R. Amador

TITLE

Mass. State Historic Preservation Officer

DATE

5/14/75

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

ATTEST:

KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

5/30/75

DATE

5.30.75

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The Store is 2 stories high, with clapboards and a hip roof. In the center of the roof, a small square enclosed structure houses the original hoist, and the interior loft remains intact. There are four 9/6 windows with plain trim on the first floor of the facade and a modern shed porch. The second floor has two non-original 12/12 windows on either side of a central Palladian window and each end elevation contains an oculus on the second floor. Thin boarding laid on top of the clapboards divide the Store into arched bays, three on the facade and one on each of the end elevations. The building is now owned by the Bay State Society for the Crippled and Handicapped and houses their offices.

#8.

The special architectural significance of the Mansion and the Store derives from the fact that they are delightful examples of provincial architecture emulating the elegant structures of the coastal towns, as interpreted by local craftsmen with little formal training. Of additional significance is the voluminous manuscript collection of the Salisbury Family Papers, preserved at the American Antiquarian Society. This collection includes most of the details of the buildings' construction as well as detailed inventories and thousands of family letters. The Mansion, and the Store, along with the Family Papers and the Salisbury portraits, silver, and furniture which are preserved in the Worcester Art Museum, give as complete a record of family history as can be found anywhere in New England.

Property Salisbury Historic District
State Massachusetts Working Number 4.1.75.595

TECHNICAL Sketch

Photos 3
Maps 1

CONTROL

OK pl
4.4.75

HISTORIAN

Conference
W.R. Luce
4/11/75

An artificial "district" - all 3 bldgs ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN
were moved to the site. CONFERENCE!!
(The Salisbury II house appears to have several major
additions, not fully documented in text or photos)
~~HOUSE~~ STRUCTURES MOVED NEARLY 50 YEARS AGO AND
PROBABLY WOULD HAVE BEEN DEMOLISHED OTHERWISE.
SOME QUESTION AS TO ACCURACY OF DESCRIPTION
COMPLEX RATHER THAN DISTRICT.

Hufand
4/8/75

ARCHEOLOGIST

CONFERENCE
LEBOVICH
4-8-75

OTHER

HAER

Inventory _____
Review _____

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

Conference
Reject
Col 4.15.75
BRANCH CHIEF

KEEPER

National Register Write-up _____ Send-back 4.18.75 Entered _____
Federal Register Entry _____ Re-submit 5.21.75

INT:2106-74

NAME OF PROPERTY SALISBURY HISTORIC DISTRICT STATE MASS

The attached National Register Inventory-Nomination form is being returned to your office for clarification of the information indicated below. PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WHEN THE NOMINATION IS RESUBMITTED.

7 Description: _____

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MASS. HIST. COMM.

8 Statement of Significance: _____

9 Bibliography: _____

10 Geographical Data -- Acreage: _____

UTM Reference(s): _____

Verbal Boundary Description: _____

12 Certification: _____

Photographic Coverage: _____

Map Coverage: _____

x Other: As per conversation with Betty Amadon 4/18/75-
please nominate individually as historical integrity
as a district has not yet been determined by time.

Questions concerning this nomination may be directed to Kate Cole
on the National Register staff, telephone 523-5483

Thank you for your attention to the above items.

Charles A. Herring
Chief, Branch of Registration

Date: 5.18.75

INT:2105-74

Property Salisbury Mansion + Salisbury Store
State Massachusetts Working Number 5.21.75.963

75000838
Worcester

TECHNICAL

Photos 2
Maps 1

CONTROL

OK 5.22.75
Cm

HISTORIAN

Nomination doesn't discuss the original ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN physical relationship of the 2 buildings - according to Christie, the siting has been changed w/ the move. **unenthusiastic ACCEPT**

I cannot refute the explicit statement that store is accurate facade, but I do not believe it.

5/23/75
ARCHEOLOGIST

Accept
L. Bouché
5-28-75

OTHER

HAER

Inventory _____
Review _____

I agree w/ Bill but there's nothing we can do.

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

Accept
Cole
5.29.75

BRANCH CHIEF

KEEPER

Henry
for Munk
5.30.75

National Register Write-up _____
Federal Register Entry 7-1-75

Send-back _____
Re-submit _____

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1 NAME

HISTORIC

Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury Store

AND/OR COMMON

Same

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN

Worcester

____ VICINITY OF

COUNTY

Worcester

STATE

MA

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT

Susan McDaniel Ceccacci

DATE OF PHOTO

1975

NEGATIVE FILED AT

Worcester Heritage Society

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT. GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET

PHOTO NO. 1

Salisbury Mansion, south facade

40 Highland Street

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1 NAME

HISTORIC Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury Store

AND/OR COMMON
same

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN Worcester

____ VICINITY OF

COUNTY Worcester STATE MA

3 PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT Susan McDaniel Ceccacci

DATE OF PHOTO 1975

NEGATIVE FILED AT Worcester Heritage Society

4 IDENTIFICATION

DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC. IF DISTRICT. GIVE BUILDING NAME & STREET

PHOTO NO. 2

Salisbury Store, 30 Highland Street, West facade, south elevation

#2 of 2

PROPERTY OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

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TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- ENCLOSE WITH MAP

1 NAME

HISTORIC Salisbury Mansion and Salsibury Store

AND/OR COMMON

same

2 LOCATION

CITY, TOWN Worcester VICINITY OF COUNTY Worcester STATE MA

3 MAP REFERENCE

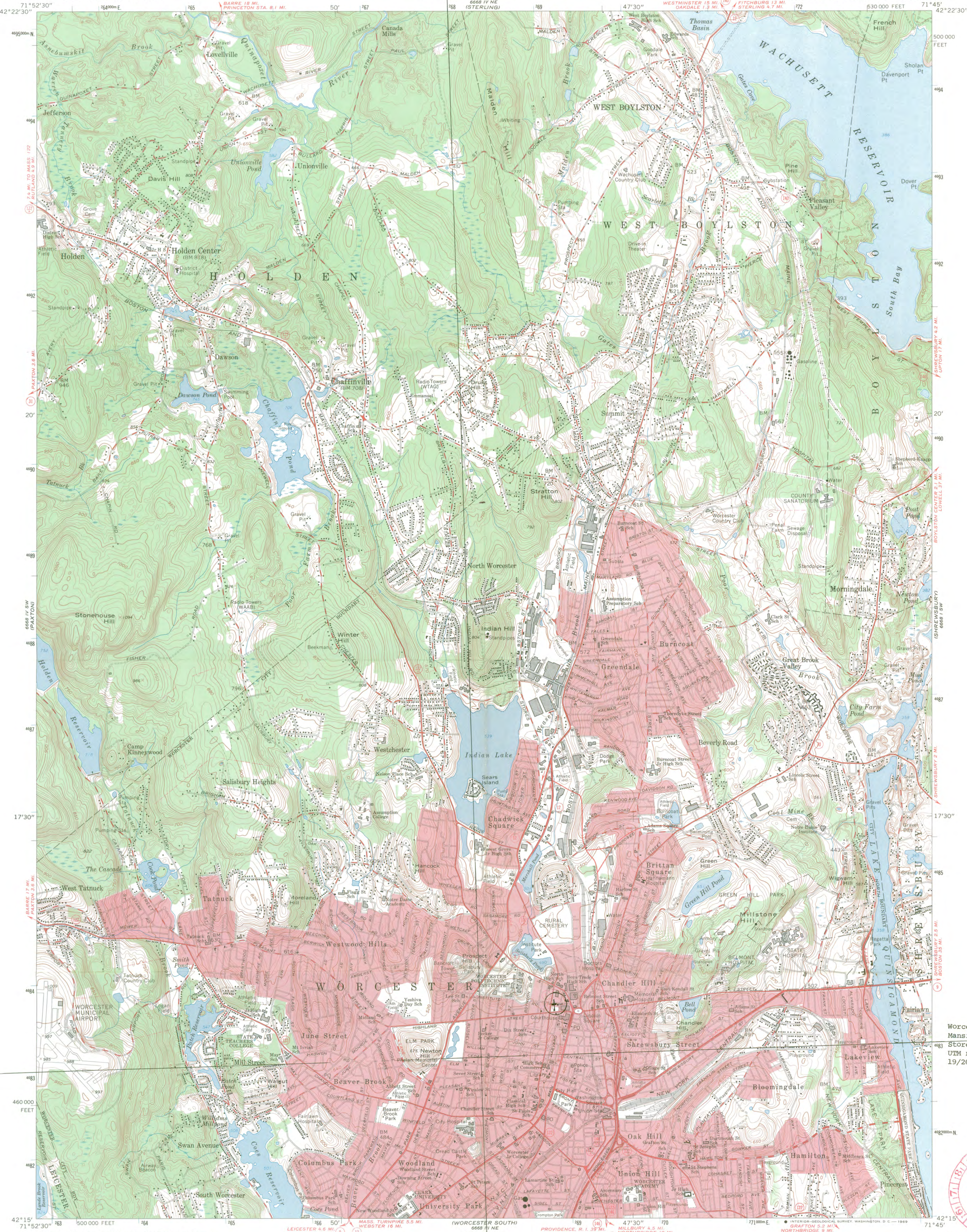
SOURCE U.S.G.S., Worcester North, Mass. quadrangle

SCALE 1:24,000 DATE 1960

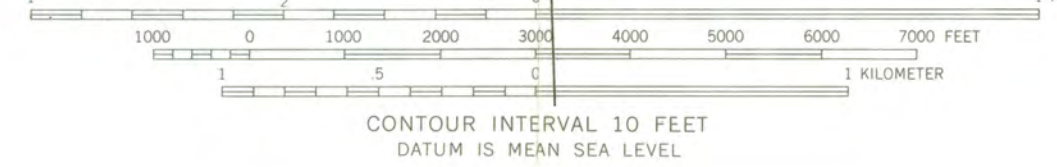
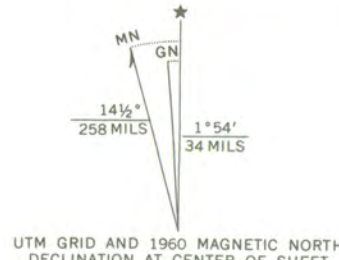
4 REQUIREMENTS

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. PROPERTY BOUNDARIES
2. NORTH ARROW
3. UTM REFERENCES



Mapped, edited, and published by the Geological Survey
Control by USGS, USC&GS, and Massachusetts Geodetic Survey
Planimetry by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs
Topography by planetable surveys 1934. Revised 1960
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grid based on Massachusetts coordinate system,
mainland zone
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks,
zone 19, shown in blue
Red tint indicates areas in which only landmark buildings are shown
Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where
generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked



ROAD CLASSIFICATION
Heavy-duty ——— Light-duty ———
Medium-duty ——— Unimproved dirt ———
○ State Route

WORCESTER NORTH, MASS.
N4215—W7145/7.5

1960

AMS 6668 IV SE—SERIES V814

Worcester, Salisbury
Mansion and Salisbury
Store
UTM reference:
19/268860/4683580





The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Secretary

Massachusetts Historical Commission

Paul Guzzi

Secretary of the Commonwealth

40 Beacon Street

Boston, Massachusetts 02108

727-8470

2 July 1975

Mr. Charles Herrington, Chief
Registration
Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation
National Park Service
18th and C Streets, N.W.
U.S. Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C. 20240

Dear Mr. Herrington:

We have recently been informed of a change in the name of the owners of the Salisbury Store, Worcester, Massachusetts. The National Register nomination form was submitted to your office on 15 May 1975 as Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury Store, and accepted on the National Register on 30 May 1975. The owner, listed as the Bay State Society for the Crippled and Handicapped, is now called the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Massachusetts, Inc. with offices at 30 Highland Street, Worcester, Massachusetts.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely yours,

Patricia L. Weslowski

Patricia L. Weslowski
Survey Director
Massachusetts Historical Commission

PLW/pjj

ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE MASSACHUSETTS

Date Entered MAY 30 1975

Name

Location

Symphony and Horticultural Halls

Boston
Suffolk County

Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury
Store

Worcester
Worcester County

Also Notified

Hon. Edward M. Kennedy
Hon. Edward W. Brooke
Hon. John J. Moakley
Hon. Joseph D. Early
Regional Director, North-Atlantic
Region.

State Historic Preservation Officer
Mrs. Elizabeth R. Amadon
Executive Director
Massachusetts Historical Commission
40 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02108

PR

MMott/bsh

6/3/75

FEDERAL ASSISTANCE		2. APPLICANT'S APPLICATION	3. DATE APPLICATION IDENTIFIER	4. NUMBER
1. TYPE OF ACTION ☐ PREAPPLICATION ☒ APPLICATION (Mark appropriate box) ☐ NOTIFICATION OF INTENT (Opt.) ☐ REPORT OF FEDERAL ACTION		a. DATE 19 77 02 24	b. DATE Year month day 19 77 02 24	a. NUMBER 75050496 b. DATE Year month day 19 75 06 16
4. LEGAL APPLICANT/RECIPIENT		5. FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.		
a. Applicant Name : Massachusetts Historical Commission b. Organization Unit : c. Street/P.O. Box : 294 Washington Street d. City : Boston e. County : Suffolk f. State : Massachusetts g. ZIP Code: 02108 h. Contact Person (Name & telephone No.) : Elizabeth Reed Amadon, S.H.P.O. (617) 727-8470		046-002-284 6. PRO-GRAM (From Federal Catalog) a. NUMBER : 1 5 • 9 0 4 b. TITLE : Historic Preservation		
7. TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT'S PROJECT		8. TYPE OF APPLICANT/RECIPIENT		
Worcester County - Salisbury Mansion and Salisbury Store "Repair roof framing members to relieve pressure on the walls beneath, and to carry out other specified repairs to halt deterioration of the structure." Source of nonfederal match is the Salisbury Mansion Associates, Incorporated.		A-State B-Interstate C-Substate D-District E-City F-School District G-Special Purpose H-Community Action Agency I-Higher Educational Institution J-Indian Tribe K-Other (Specify): Enter appropriate letter ☒ A		
10. AREA OF PROJECT IMPACT (Names of cities, counties, States, etc.)		11. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PERSONS BENEFITING		12. TYPE OF APPLICATION
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		5,689,170		A-New B-Renewal C-Revision D-Continuation E-Augmentation Enter appropriate letter ☒ A
13. PROPOSED FUNDING		14. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF:		15. TYPE OF CHANGE (For 12c or 15e)
a. FEDERAL \$ 5,000 .00 b. APPLICANT 78,000 .00 c. STATE .00 d. LOCAL .00 e. OTHER .00 f. TOTAL \$ 83,000 .00		a. APPLICANT 9 b. PROJECT 3 16. PROJECT START DATE Year month day 19 see #34 17. PROJECT DURATION 36 Months 18. ESTIMATED DATE TO BE SUBMITTED TO FEDERAL AGENCY Year month day 19 77 02 24		A-Increase Dollars B-Decrease Dollars C-Increase Duration D-Decrease Duration E-Cancellation F-Other (Specify): Enter appropriate letter(s) ☐ ☐ ☐
20. FEDERAL AGENCY TO RECEIVE REQUEST (Name, City, State, ZIP code)				21. REMARKS ADDED
National Park Service, Washington D.C. 20240				☐ Yes ☒ No
22. THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT	a. To the best of my knowledge and belief, data in this preapplication/application are true and correct, the document has been duly authorized by the governing body of the applicant and the applicant will comply with the attached assurances if the assistance is approved. b. If required by OMB Circular A-95 this application was submitted, pursuant to instructions therein, to appropriate clearinghouses and all responses are attached: (1) Office of State Planning ☐ ☒ (2) ☐ ☐ (3) ☐ ☐			
23. CERTIFYING REPRESENTATIVE	a. TYPED NAME AND TITLE		b. SIGNATURE	c. DATE SIGNED
Elizabeth Reed Amadon, Exec. Dir and S.H.P.O.	Elizabeth Reed Amadon, Exec. Dir and S.H.P.O.		Elizabeth R. Amadon	Year month day 19 77 02 24
24. AGENCY NAME				25. APPLICATION RECEIVED
Department of the Interior				Year month day 1977 06 27
26. ORGANIZATIONAL UNIT		27. ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE		28. FEDERAL APPLICATION IDENTIFICATION
National Park Service		Grants Administration Div.		
29. ADDRESS				30. FEDERAL GRANT IDENTIFICATION
18th & C Streets NW., Washington, D.C. 20240				25-8075
31. ACTION TAKEN		32. FUNDING		34. STARTING DATE
☒ a. AWARDED ☐ b. REJECTED ☐ c. RETURNED FOR AMENDMENT ☐ d. DEFERRED ☐ e. WITHDRAWN		a. FEDERAL \$ 5,000 .00 b. APPLICANT 78,000 .00 c. STATE .00 d. LOCAL .00 e. OTHER .00 f. TOTAL \$ 83,000 .00		Year month day 1977 03 01
		33. ACTION DATE		35. CONTACT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (Name and telephone number)
		19 77 03 01		Stephen D. Newman (202) 523-5472
				36. ENDING DATE
				1980 09 30
				37. REMARKS ADDED
				☐ Yes ☒ No
38. FEDERAL AGENCY A-95 ACTION		b. FEDERAL AGENCY A-95 OFFICIAL (Name and telephone no.)		
		same as #35		

NR Data Sheet

DATE: 3/10/77
 Reviewer INITIALS: *geoff.*
 NR DOE May 30, 1975

NAME AS IT APPEARS IN FEDERAL REGISTER: Salisbury Mansion and Store

OTHER NAMES:

LOCATION:

STREET & NUMBER 30 40 Highland Street ~~30 Highland Street~~

CITY/TOWN

Worcester

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 3rd

STATE

Massachusetts

VICINITY OF

COUNTY Worcester code 027

OWNER OF PROPERTY: (Circle) PRIVATE STATE LOCAL GOV'T MUNICIPAL COUNTY OTHER

ADMINISTRATOR (underline)

FEDERAL (AGENCY NAME):

NPS REGION: (CIRCLE) N. ATLANTIC MID ATLANTIC SOUTHEAST MIDWEST

SOUTHWEST ROCKY MOUNTAIN WEST PACIFIC NORTHWEST

FEATURES:

INTERIOR

Substantially intact-1
 - unknown - 4
 - not applicable - 7

EXTERIOR

Substantially intact-2
 - unknown - 5
 - not applicable - 8

ENVIRONS

Substantially intact-3
 - unknown - 6
 - Not applicable-9

- Interior, exterior, environs not intact-0

CONDITION -

EXCELLENT
 - GOOD
 - FAIR

- DETERIORATED
 - RUINS
 - UNEXPOSED
 - Unexcavated

UNALTERED
ALTERED
 - Reconstructed
 - Excavated

- ORIGINAL SITE
MOVED 1929
 - Unknown

ACCESS -

Yes-restricted

Yes-unrestricted

No access

Unknown

historic district?

YES

NO

WITHIN NATIONAL REGISTER HISTORIC DISTRICT?

IF YES, NAME:

YES

NO

WITHIN NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK?

IF YES, NAME:

YES

NO

ADAPTIVE USE:

YES

NO

Saved?

YES

NO

FUNCTION(S): (use vocabulary words)

then- *private residence + store*

now- *offices for charitable agencies*

SIGNIFICANCE:

- ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC

- ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC

- AGRICULTURE

ARCHITECTURE - 4

- ART

- COMMERCE

- COMMUNICATIONS

- CONSERVATION

- ECONOMICS

- EDUCATION

- ENGINEERING

- EXPLORATION

- INDUSTRY

- INVENTION

- LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

- LAW/Gov't/politics

- LITERATURE

- MILITARY

- MUSIC

- PHILOSOPHY

- POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

- RELIGION

- SCIENCE

SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN 24

- TRANSPORTATION

- OTHER (SPECIFY)

- entertainment

- health

- recreation

- settlement

- socio/cultural

- urban & commun

planning

Claims

"first"

YES

NO

"oldest"

YES

NO

"only"

YES

NO

ARCHITECTURAL STYLE: GEORGIAN

architect/m-builder: ² ABRAHAM SAVAGE

engineer:

landscape/garden designer:

artist/artisan:

interior decorator:

builder/contractor:

ETHNIC GROUP:

NAMES:

(label role

&
appropriate date)

personal

events

Stephen Salisbury I - prominent local merchant

institutional

1772 (mansion), Abraham Savage, architect

do we have to indicate which is which?

DATES:

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (Specific date or 1/4 of century):

DATE(S) OF "MAJOR" ALTERATIONS:

HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT DATE(S):

1772, 1790
(mansion) (store)

SOURCE:

(OF NOMINATION)

PRIVATE

STATE

LOCAL GOV'T

MUNICIPAL

COUNTY

OTHER

FEDERAL AGENCY:

ACREAGE:

(to nearest tenth of an acre)

less than 1

COMMENTS: (include architectural information here)

STORE: FRAME, CLAPBOARDING; 2 STORIES,

RECTANGULAR, HIPPED ROOF WITH CUPOLA CONCEALING HOIST MACHINERY,

ENTRANCE RAMP AND DOOR, PROTECTED BY PENT ROOF PORCH, 2ND-STORY

OCULUS AND PALLADIAN WINDOW, SIDE DOUBLE DOOR ENTRANCE; MOVED.

MANSION: FRAME, CLAPBOARDING;

2 1/2 STORIES, RECTANGULAR, TRUNCATED HIPPED ROOF, WITH FRONT

PEDIMENTED GABLE, interior and exterior SIDE CHIMNEYS, FRONT

OFF-CENTER ENTRANCE, with elliptical fanlight and sidelights, set

UNDER 1-STORY BALUSTRADED IONIC PORTICO, SURMOUNTED BY CENTER

SIGNIFICANCE: (maximum two sentences)

PEDIMENT, OCULUS LIGHT, DENTICULATED

CORNICE, QUOINS; 1ST-STORY WINDOW ENTABLATURE; ORIGINAL

INTERIOR DETAILING; INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR ALTERATIONS, PRE-1819;

IONIC PORTICO ADDED, 1819; ^{MOVED} GEORGIAN, BUILT FOR ^{Excellent example of Georgian style} STEPHEN

SALISBURY I, PROMINENT LOCAL MERCHANT.

FORM B - BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

In Area no.	Form no.
	102-0

2. Photo (3x3" or 3x5")
Staple to left side of form
Photo number _____

Roll 31

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location
in relation to nearest cross streets and
other buildings. Indicate north.

*Later
5/13/75*

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant _____
MHC Photo no. _____

1. Town Worcester
Address 30 & 40 Highland Street
Name Salisbury Store & Mansion
Present use institutional offices

Present owner see attached information

3. Description:

Date 1772, 1790, ca. 1818

Source see attached information

Style Georgian & Federalist

Architect George Savage of Boston (1772)
clapboard &

Exterior wall fabric matched boarding

Outbuildings (describe) none

Other features see attached National Register
of Historic Places Inventory--Nomination

Form _____

Altered minor Date _____

Moved yes Date 1929

5. Lot size:

One acre or less X Over one acre _____

Approximate frontage 150'

Approximate distance of building from street

15'

6. Recorded by S. Ceccacci, ed. C. Boulding

Organization Worc. Heritage Pres. Soc.

Date May 1975

(over)

7. Original owner (if known) _____

Original use _____

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	_____	Conservation	_____	Recreation	_____
Agricultural	_____	Education	_____	Religion	_____
Architectural	_____	Exploration/ settlement	_____	Science/ invention	_____
The Arts	_____	Industry	_____	Social/ humanitarian	_____
Commerce	_____	Military	_____	Transportation	_____
Communication	_____	Political	_____		
Community development	_____				

9. Historical significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

This property is listed on the National Register of Historic Places;
see attached nomination form for historical background.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records,
early maps, etc.)



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40 Highland St.

west + south eleva-
tions

Worcester Mkt. Mu

Sekisbury Street Mason



Salisbury Store & Mansion

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west to MRA, Ma

30 Highland St.

west-south elevation



Worcester MRA, Ma

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40 Highland St.

South elevations

Salisbury Store & Museum