

**United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service**

**National Register of Historic Places
Inventory—Nomination Form**

Pulaski County Multiple Resource
Area, Kentucky



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Name: Beatty-Newell House (PU-90)

Location: Bronston off KY 90

Owner: Mr. Charles Newell
Bronston, KY 42518

Classification: Building

Description: Constructed in 1796, the Beatty-Newell House is a two-story rectangular single pen log house. The log has been covered with weatherboard and has three exterior chimneys. The main section of the building has a massive stone chimney and a smaller brick chimney while the added shed addition has a brick chimney. The interior of the building has been altered somewhat with the addition of new frame partition walls. The house rests on a stone foundation with the original cellar and kitchen area remaining. A two-story frame porch with rectangular posts is present on the main facade. Windows are two-over-two sash.

Significance: The Beatty-Newell House is one the earliest homes built south of the Cumberland River in Pulaski County. It was constructed in 1796 by early settler John Beatty and his wife who were some of the first settlers in the area. The house is of single pen log construction and it is one of the few log structures of this type in the county which has been continually occupied since its erection. The Beattys intermarried with the Newell family and the house has remained in the possession of the Newell family until the present. The Newell family members who have occupied the house have been prominent in local politics and business for over one hundred years. The log house has not been significantly altered since its sheathing with weatherboard in the late 19th century. The raised cellar and massive chimney are notable architectural features of the house.

Acreage: Approximately one acre.

Verbal Boundary Description: This house is sited on a rise above the road which runs immediately in front of the house. The house and lawn comprise approximately .8 acre. The house is bounded by the Bronston - Burnside Road on the east, a driveway on the north and hedge lines on the west and south.

UTM References: (Burnside Quadrangle) A/16/712220/4095690

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KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Historic Property Name Beatty-Newell House Site # PU-90

Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title Pulaski County Multiple Resource Area

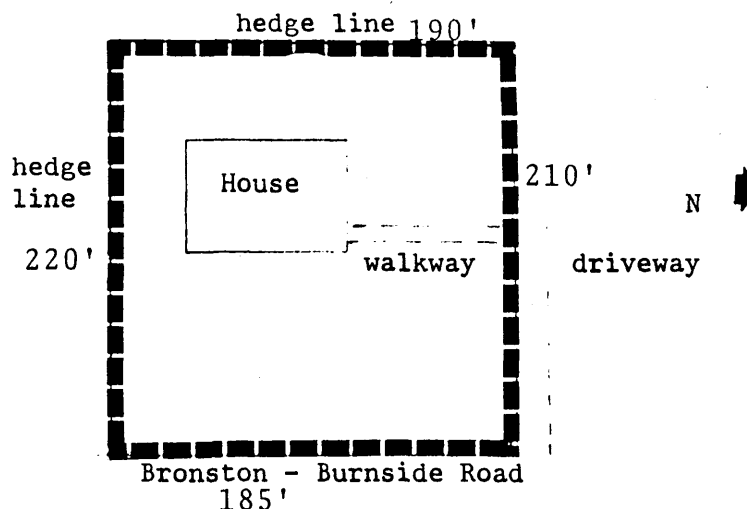
U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTMs if property is ten or more acres.

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B.	_____	_____	_____	E.	_____
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Verbal Boundary Description Acreage .8 acre

The house is sited on a rise overlooking the Cumberland River. The house is bounded by the Bronston - Burnside Road on the east, driveway on the north and hedge lines on the west and south.

Sketch of Site Plan (Showing outbuildings, structures, landscape features and the site boundary as described above.)



Official Courthouse Property Reference: