

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES INVENTORY

MD-B-9

Site No.

1. Historic Name(s) Jones-Willis House
 Original Owner Jones

2. Present Name _____

3. Location 321 Main Street

4. Owner's Name Jane Marlowe Willis

5. Owner's Address 321 Main Street

6. Open to Public Yes No 7. Ownership Private Local State Federal

8. Site Plan with North Arrow _____

9. Architect/Builder Jones

10. Date ca. 1920 A. B.

11. Style A. Vernacular B.

12. Original Use Dwelling A

13. Present Use Dwelling

14. Condition Good B

15. Stories, No. of One A

16. Description
 One story, three bay concrete block dwelling. One-story, three-bay porch supported by six columns. Facade windows are 1/1 pane with concrete lintels and sills (not original panes). Two metal rectangular ventilators below facade cornice. Facade resembles storefront and concrete molded to resemble rough-faced limestone blocks. Upper level of facade molded with ornate pattern. Side windows also 1/1 pane.

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17. Single Pile _____ NA _____
 Double Pile

18. Floor Plan Center Passage K

19. Structural Fabric Concrete A. B.

20. Decorative Fabric A. B.

21. Roof Form & Material Flat; Asbestos Shingle

22. Foundation Material Concrete H

23. Outbuildings None D

24. Alterations Additions
 Moved Wall Treatment

25. History
 Concrete block manufactured by Jones family who operated a concrete plant which was situated next to the dwelling. House was the residence of the Jones family, and it was the

Significance
 The Jones-Willis House is architecturally significant as the best representation of a concrete dwelling in Brandenburg. The dwelling exhibits qualities of excellent workmanship and design.

27. Source of Information
Manfred Ripperton, 915 High Street
Mrs. J. M. Willis

28. ADD/County Lincoln Trail/Meade 082

29. U.S.G.S. Quadrant (15'/75') Mauckport

30. UTM Reference
16 572900 4206140
 Zone Easting Northing

31. Coordinate Accuracy

32. Prehistoric Site _____ Object _____
 Historic Site _____ Structure _____
 (Building) _____ Other _____

33. National Register District Name: Historic Resources of Brandenburg

34. Significance of Evaluation National Register D

35. Status _____ Date _____
 National Landmark
 National Register
 Landmark Certificate
 Kentucky Survey
 Local Landmark
 HABS/HAER

36. Historic Theme
 Primary Architecture C
 Secondary _____
 Other _____

37. Endangered Yes No

38. ATTACH PHOTO _____
 Roll No. 6
 Picture No. 1 - 19
 Direction _____

39. Prepared by: William G. Johnson
Senior Historian

40. Organization Kentucky Heritage Council

41. Date Fall 1983

42. Revision Dates _____ 43. Staff Review _____

25. first concrete building constructed in Brandenburg. In 1934 the dwelling was acquired by Mr. J. M. Willis, owner and publisher of the Meade County Messenger, the county newspaper, from January 1934 to May 1983.

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCE INVENTORY SUPPLEMENT
BOUNDARY AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Historic Property Name Jones-Willis House Site # MD-B-9
Multiple Resource/Thematic Nomination Title Historic Resources of Brandenburg

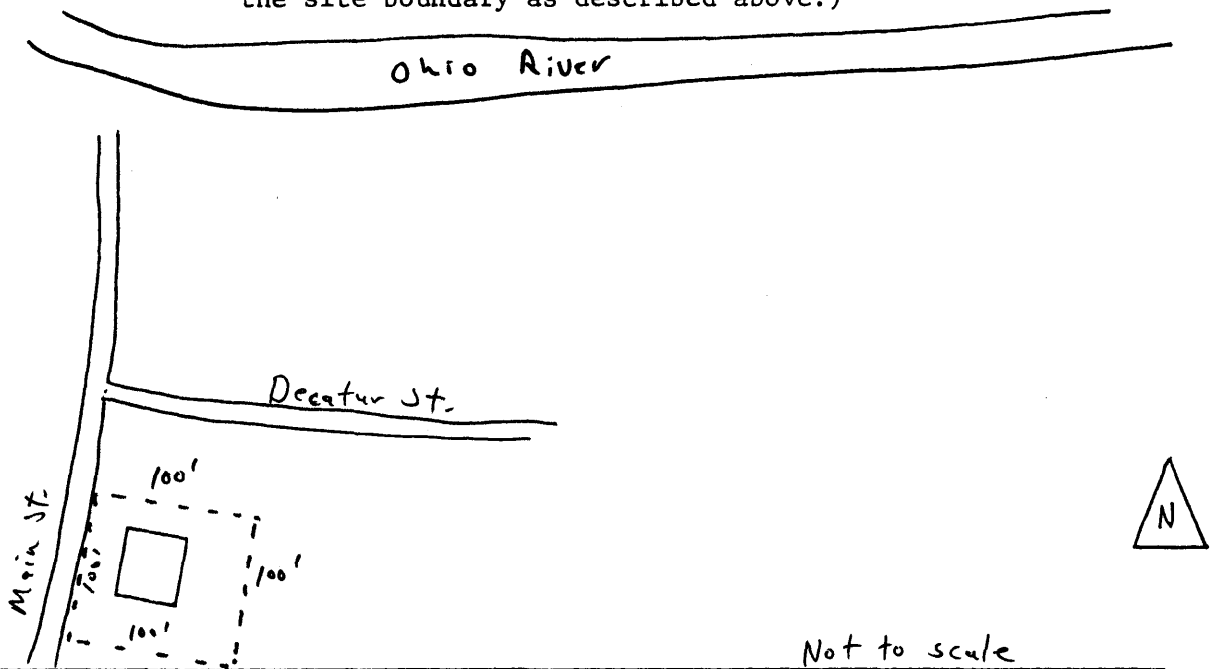
U.T.M. Coordinates - List multiple UTM's if property is ten or more acres.

A. 16 572900 4206140 D. _____
B. _____ E. _____
C. _____ F. _____

Verbal Boundary Description _____ Acreage .5

Beginning at a point on the east side of Main Street, approximately 50 feet from the center of the house, proceed 100 feet in a southeastward direction; thence 100 feet in a southwestward direction; thence 100 feet in a northwestward direction; thence 100 feet in a northeastward direction to the point of origin.

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



Official Courthouse Property Reference: