

STRAFFORD ROCKINGHAM REGIONAL COUNCIL

1 Water Street, Exeter, New Hampshire

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TOWN: Rochester	COUNTY: Strafford	UTM: 719 /E 339 700 /N 4796 425
SURVEY NUMBER: 29		USGS QUAD: Berwick Quad 15' series
COMMON NAME: The Granite Mutual Insur. Bldg.		FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Commercial
HISTORIC NAME: The Granite Mutual Ins. Bldg.		PRESENT USE: Commercial
LOCATION: 1 Wakefield Street		ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown
OWNER: Grange Insurance, Inc.		CONDITION: Exc. ☐ Good ☒ Fair ☐ Poor ☐ Ruins
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1102, Rochester, NH 03867		INTEGRITY: Original Site ☒ Moved ☐ (When:)
MAP & PARCEL #: 42/318 120-406		Major alterations & date:
DATE: C. 1960		
SOURCE: Inspection		
STYLE: Modern		LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl State Local

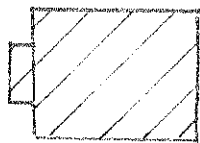
GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

- FOUNDATION: Stone ☐ Brick ☐ Concrete ☒ Concrete Block ☐
- WALL STRUCTURE: Wood Frame ☐ Post & Beam ☐ Ballon Frame ☐ Other ☐
Load Bearing Masonry ☐ Stone ☐ Brick ☐ Concrete Block ☐ Other ☐
Metal ☐ Iron ☐ Steel ☐ Other ☒ Aluminum/Glass ☐
Other ☐
- WALL COVERING: Clapboard ☐ Wood Shingle ☐ Board & Batten ☐ Shiplap ☐ Aluminum ☐
Novelty ☐ Stucco ☐ Stone ☐ Brick ☐ Sheet Metal ☐ Asphalt Shingles ☐ Vinyl ☐
Asphalt Sheeting ☐ Composite Board ☒ Other ☒ glass ☐
- ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle ☐ Asphalt Shingle ☐ Standing Seam Tin ☐ Slate ☐
Pressed Metal ☐ Sheet Metal ☐ Rolled Asphalt ☐ Other ☒ composition ☐
- ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:
- OTHER:
of Stories 1 # of Bays Approx. Dimensions 40' X 40'
Roof Style: Gable ☐ Hip ☐ Gambrel ☐ Flat ☒ Shed ☐ Mansard ☐ Jerkinhead ☐
Monitor ☐ Sawtooth ☐ Other ☐
Appendages: Porches ☐ Towers ☐ Dormers ☐ Bay Windows ☐ Ells ☐ Chimneys ☐
Wings ☐ Cupolas ☐ Sheds ☐ Garage ☐ Other ☐
Entry Location: Center ☒ Sidehall ☐ Other ☐

MAP (Indicate North in circle):

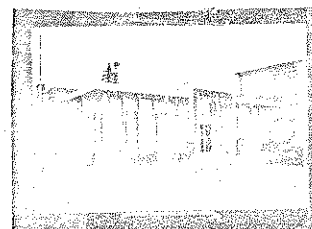


WAKEFIELD STREET



Autumn Street

PHOTO



Description of View: Facade East

Photographer: Roger Brevoort
Negative with: S.R.R.C.
Negative File Number: R-80-A3-19

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

This building characterizes functional commercial architecture of the 1960's , identified by the aluminum and glass wall construction of the facade. The projecting entry is also typical of contemporary modern design.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION:

REFERENCES:

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land__ Woodland__ Scattered Bldgs__ Moderately Built Up__
Densely Built Up__ Residential__ Commercial X Industrial__ Agricultural__
Roadside Strip Development__ Other__

Recorded By: Roger Brevoort

11/16/80

Date: