

HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM - STRAFFORD ROCKINGHAM REGIONAL COUNCIL
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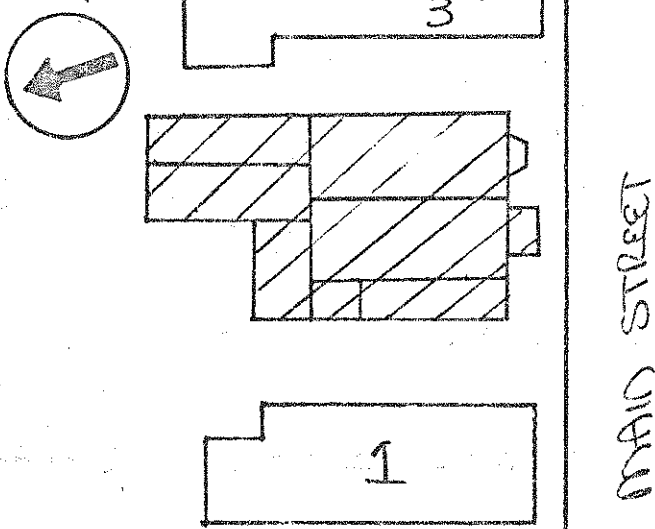
TOWN: Rochester	COUNTY: Strafford
SURVEY NUMBER: 2	
COMMON NAME: The Calef House	
HISTORIC NAME: The Horne House	
LOCATION: 107 N. Main Street	
OWNER: Alan & Donna Calef	
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 351 Barrington, NH	
MAP & PARCEL #: 42/250	121-362
DATE: C.1845	
SOURCE: Inspection	
STYLE: Greek Revival/Italianate	

UTM: Z 19 /E 339395 /N 4796445
USGS QUAD: Berwick Quad 15' series
FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential
PRESENT USE: Residential
ARCHITECT/BUILDER: Unknown
CONDITION: Exc. ___ Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair ___ Poor ___ Ruins ___
INTEGRITY: Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moved ___ Date: ___
Major Alterations & Date: ___
LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl. ___ State ___ Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

- # Stories 2 # Bays 3X3 Approx. Dimensions 20' X 35' Window Sash ___
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 ___
- FOUNDATION: Random Rubble ___ Cut Granite ___ Brick ___ Concrete ___ Concrete Block ___
Other ☒ stone
- WALL STRUCTURE:
Wood Frame: Post & Beam ☒ Balloon Frame ___ Other ___
Load Bearing Masonry: Stone ___ Brick ___ Concrete Block ___ Other ___
Metal: Iron ___ Steel ___ Other ___
- WALL COVERING: Clapboard ___ Wood Shingle ___ Board & Batten ___ Shiplap ___
Aluminum ☒ Novelty ___ Stucco ___ Stone ___ Brick ___ Sheet Metal ___ Asphalt Shingles ___
Vinyl ___ Asphalt Sheeting ___ Composite Board ___ Other ___
- ROOF SHEATHING: Wood Shingle ___ Asphalt Shingle ☒ Standing Seam Tin ___ Slate ___
Pressed Metal ___ Sheet Metal ___ Rolled Asphalt ___ Gravel ___ Other ___
- ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:

MAP (Indicate North in circle):



PHOTO



Description of View: Three Quarter looking
north east
Negative File Number: R-80-A2-5
Photographer: Roger Brevoort
Negative on file with: SRRC

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

A basic Greek Revival style, sidehall-plan house, it is enhanced by Italianate details which indicate its C.1850 construction during the transition between these two styles.

Characteristic of the Greek style, it has a recessed sidehall entry flanked by full sidelights and topped by a wide architrave. The facade is framed by paneled pilasters supporting an architrave and projecting box cornice.

The bracketed entry hood, slight window caps and bay window on the facade are Italianate features. Of particular note is the rope molding above the sash on the bay window.

Along the west elevation a 2X1 bay Stick Style porch was added C.1880, identified by its chamfered piers.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

Part of a residential streetscape along the north side of North Main Street.

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

Illustrating a basic mid-nineteenth century vernacular house type, this simple Greek Revival/Italianate dwelling dates C.1850. It is one of a pair of stylistically similar dwellings anchoring the end of the residential streetscape of North Main Street.

REFERENCES:

MAP DATA: 1871- V. Horne 1892- V. Horne

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land ☐ Woodland ☐ Scattered Bldgs ☐ Moderately Built Up ☐
Densely Built Up ☐ Residential ☒ Commercial ☐ Industrial ☐ Agricultural ☐
Roadside Strip Development ☐ Other ☐

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: 39 X 174

Recorded By: Roger Brevoort

Date: 11/13/80