

HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM - STRAFFORD ROCKINGHAM REGIONAL COUNCIL
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TOWN:	Rochester	COUNTY:	Strafford
SURVEY NUMBER:	15		
COMMON NAME:	The Adams Building		
HISTORIC NAME:	The Adams Building		
LOCATION:	31-43 North Main Street		
OWNER:	Peter H. and Catherine Adams		
ADDRESS:	6 Concord Way Dover, NH		
MAP & PARCEL # :	42/286	121-374	
DATE:	C.1960		
SOURCE:	Inspection		
STYLE:	Utilitarian Commercial		

UTM:	Z 19 /E 339550 /N 4796320
USGS QUAD:	Berwick Quad 15' series
FUNCTIONAL TYPE:	Commercial
PRESENT USE:	Commercial
ARCHITECT/BUILDER:	Unknown
CONDITION:	Exc. ___ Good ☒ Fair ___ Poor ___ Ruins ___
INTEGRITY:	Original Site ☒ Moved ___ Date ___
Major Alterations & Date:	
LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE: Natl. ___ State ___ Local ___	

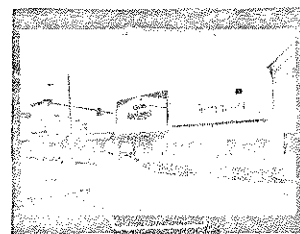
GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System

- # Stories 1 # Bays ___ Approx. Dimensions 150 X 75 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 ☒ storefronts
- FOUNDATION: Random Rubble ___ Cut Granite ___ Brick ___ Concrete ___ Concrete Block ☒ ___
Other ___
- 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 ☒ composition
- ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:

MAP (Indicate North in circle):



PHOTO



Description of View: Facade looking north

Negative File Number: R080/A2/20

Photographer: Roger Brevoort

Negative on file with: SRRC

ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

This is a one story commercial building containing five individual stores.

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

This building occupies the former site of the Cocheco Block.

REFERENCES:

Rochester History Advisory Committee

MAP DATA:

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land___Woodland___Scattered Bldgs___Moderately Built Up___
Densely Built Up___Residential___Commercial___X___Industrial___Agricultural___
Roadside Strip Development___Other___

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION:

Recorded By: Roger Brevoort

Date: 11/13/80