

# West Virginia Cemetery Inventory Form

NR rating: \_\_\_\_\_

(Revised 26 September 2014)

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1. Trinomial Number (OFFICE USE ONLY): \_46-HM-229\_\_\_\_\_ F.S.98 \_\_\_\_\_
2. Cemetery Name, Historic: \_ Hotts Chapel Cemetery Cemetery Name, Common: \_\_\_\_\_
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_ Hampshire \_\_\_\_\_ 4. 7.5' Quadrangle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Rio \_\_\_\_\_
5. UTM Zone: \_\_\_\_\_ 17 \_\_\_\_\_ NAD: \_\_\_\_\_ 83 \_\_\_\_\_  
Easting: \_\_\_\_\_ 0695637 \_\_\_\_\_ Northing: \_\_\_\_\_ 4342506 \_\_\_\_\_
- NW Corner: E0695622 N4342543 NE Corner: E0695676 N4342517  
SW Corner: E0695595 N4342408 SE Corner: E0695619 N4342389
6. Location: is situated on a moderate slope at the junction of County Route 10 (Grassy Lick Road) and County Route 12
7. Ownership: Public: Municipal \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Federal \_\_\_\_\_  
Private: Family \_\_\_\_\_ Church \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ Denomination \_\_\_\_\_  
Fraternal \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_
8. Burial Population: \_\_\_\_\_ ca. 372 \_\_\_\_\_
9. Predominant Surnames: \_ Hott, Saville, Poland \_\_\_\_\_
10. Mass Grave: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ Explain: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Public Accessibility: Unrestricted \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_  
Restricted \_\_\_\_\_  
For permission to visit, contact \_\_\_\_\_
12. Access into cemetery: By foot \_\_\_\_\_ By car \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_
13. Terrain: \_\_\_\_\_ Moderate slope \_\_\_\_\_
14. Bounded by: Fence \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ Wall \_\_\_\_\_ Hedge \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_
15. Condition: Well-maintained \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ Poorly maintained \_\_\_\_\_ Overgrown, easily identifiable \_\_\_\_\_  
Overgrown, unidentifiable \_\_\_\_\_ Unidentifiable, but known to exist through tradition or other means (identify source) \_\_\_\_\_
16. Disturbances: \_\_\_\_\_
17. Cemetery Size and Orientation (please give dimensions in feet, and indicate compass direction for long and short axis): \_\_\_\_\_ 600 feet N-S by 450 feet. \_\_\_\_\_

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18. Historical Background (use continuation sheet if necessary): \_\_Please see report for this section.

19. Gravestones (Please list the number of gravestones that fit in the categories below. If this is guess or an approximation, put "circa" before the number. Include photographs and/or sketches of representative decorative carvings.):

Number of headstones \_\_ca. 350+\_\_ Number of burials \_\_ca.372\_\_ Footstones?  
Yes \_\_x\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Number of gravestones with burial dates from the 18<sup>th</sup> century \_\_\_\_\_ 19<sup>th</sup> century \_\_x\_\_  
20<sup>th</sup> century \_\_x\_\_ 21<sup>th</sup> century \_\_x\_\_

Please list the earliest headstone date \_\_1861\_\_\_\_\_ Most recent date \_\_2015\_\_\_\_\_

Number of gravestones of each material: Slate \_\_\_\_\_ Marble \_\_x\_\_ Granite \_\_x\_\_  
Sandstone \_\_x\_\_ Fieldstone \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_ Limestone \_\_x\_\_

Number of gravestones that are: Readable \_\_x\_\_ Eroded \_\_x\_\_ Badly Tilted \_\_\_\_\_  
Cracked/Broken \_\_\_\_\_ Broken but standing \_\_x\_\_ Broken, no longer standing \_\_\_\_\_  
Location of stones no longer standing \_\_\_\_\_

Restoration efforts, if any: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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20. Attachments: 1) a copy of the topographic quadrangle map indicating the cemetery's location, 2) general photograph(s) of the cemetery showing its setting and/or location, and 3) a list or copies of any reference information about the cemetery (books, personal communication, etc.).

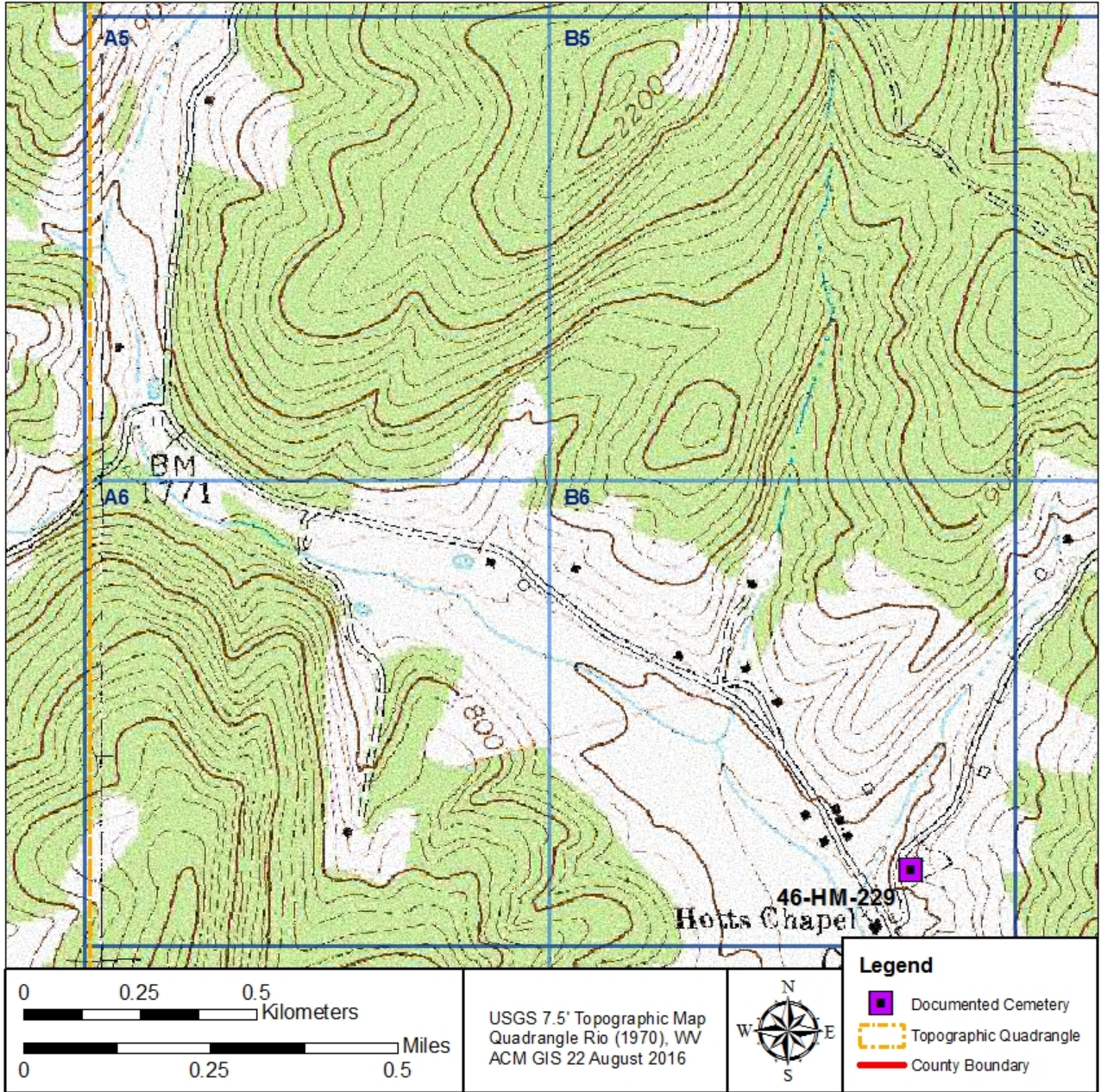
21. Recorder: \_\_James Vosvick\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_5/25/16\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_304-242-3155\_\_\_\_\_

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Wheeling, WV 26003

**Please return form to:**

WV State Historic Preservation Office  
The Cultural Center  
1900 Kanawha Boulevard, East  
Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0300







Photograph of 46-HM-229, looking northeast.



Photograph of the newer section of 46-HM-229, looking southwest.





Photograph of a headstone documented at 46-HM-229.



Photograph of a headstone of a Confederate veteran encountered at 46-HM-229.





Photograph of a monument documented at 46-HM-229.