

West Virginia Cemetery Inventory Form

NR rating: _____

(Revised 26 September 2014)

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1. Trinomial Number (OFFICE USE ONLY): _46-HM-251_____ F.S.120 _____
2. Cemetery Name, Historic: _Bloomery Presbyterian Church Cemetery_____
Cemetery Name, Common: _____
3. County: _____Hampshire_____ 4. 7.5' Quadrangle Name: _Ridge__
5. UTM Zone: _____17_____ NAD: _____83_____
Easting: _____0726163_____ Northing: _____4363045_____
- NW Corner: E0726139 N4363063 NE Corner: E0726177 N4363071
SW Corner: E0726167 N4363033 SE Corner: E0726198 N4363034
6. Location: is located next to State Route 127 in the Community of Bloomery
7. Ownership: Public: Municipal _____ County _____ State _____ Federal _____
Private: Family _____ Church _x_ Denomination _____
Fraternal _____ Other _____
8. Burial Population: _____ca.114_____
9. Predominant Surnames: _Kerns, Leith, Alexander_____
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 _____ Wall _x_ 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): _245 feet N-S by 150 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. 90+__ Number of burials __ca. 114__ Footstones?
Yes __x__ No _____

Number of gravestones with burial dates from the 18th century _____ 19th century __x__
20th century __x__ 21th century _____

Please list the earliest headstone date __1825__ Most recent date __1972__

Number of gravestones of each material: Slate _____ Marble __x__ Granite __x__
Sandstone _____ Fieldstone _____
Other _____ Limestone __x__

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

Restoration efforts, if any:

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__

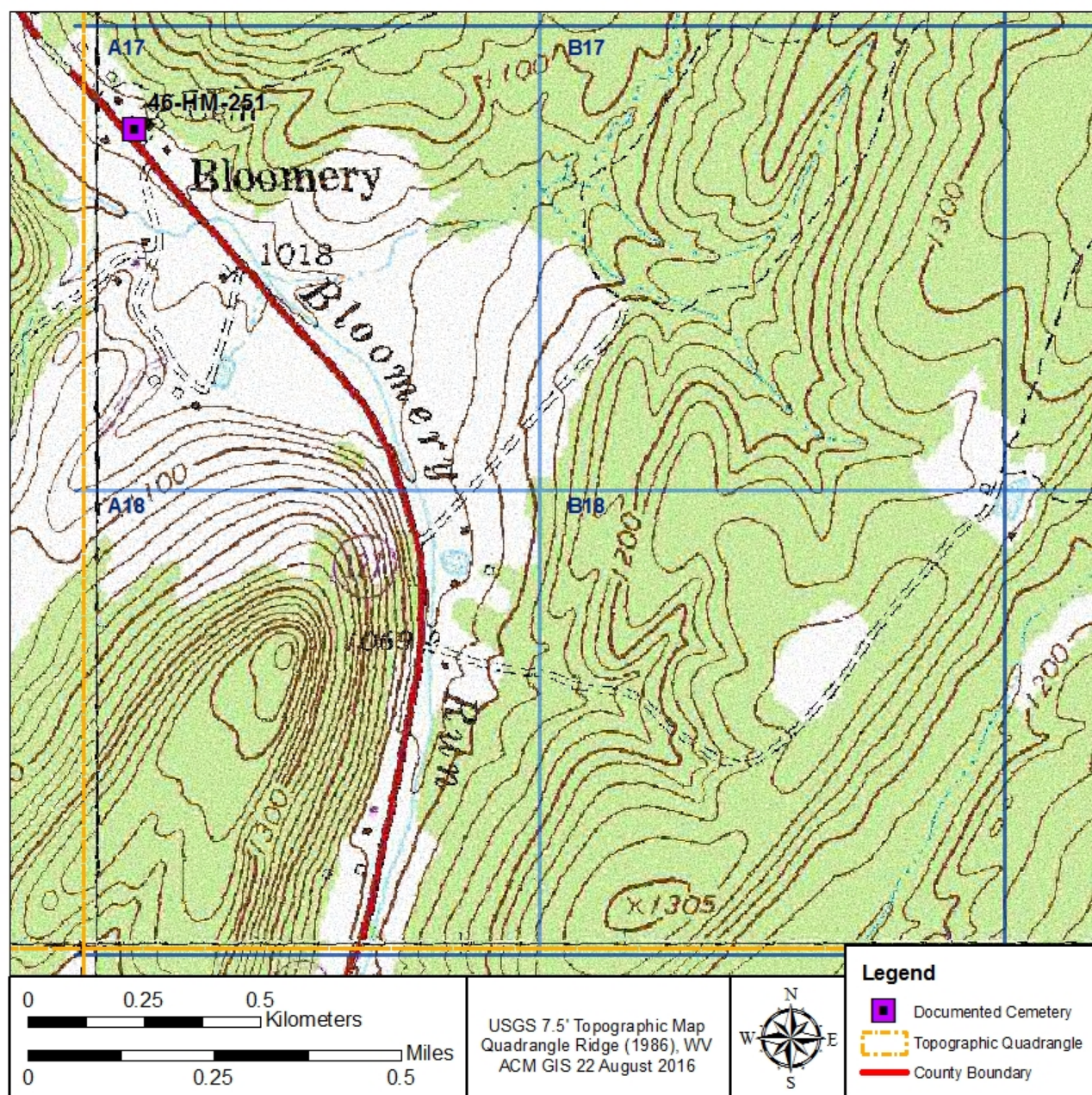
__Archaeological Consultants of the Midwest
P.O. Box 6005
Wheeling, WV 26003

Please return form to:

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

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Photograph of 46-HM-251, looking east.



Photograph of 46-HM-251, looking northeast.



Photograph of the monument to George Throop documented at 46-HM-251.



Photograph of a recent government issued headstone for a Confederate veteran documented at 46-HM-251.



Photograph of a monument encountered at 46-HM-251.