

Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

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Inventory No:	GRN.3
Historic Name:	Robinson, K. C. House
Common Name:	
Address:	768 Beech Hill Rd
City/Town:	Granville
Village/Neighborhood:	
Local No:	
Year Constructed:	c 1830
Architect(s):	
Architectural Style(s):	Greek Revival
Use(s):	Single Family Dwelling House
Significance:	Architecture
Area(s):	GRN.A: Maple Corners
Designation(s):	
Building Materials(s):	Wall: Wood; Wood Clapboard



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FORM B - BUILDING

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80 BOYLSTON STREET
BOSTON, MA 02116

AREA

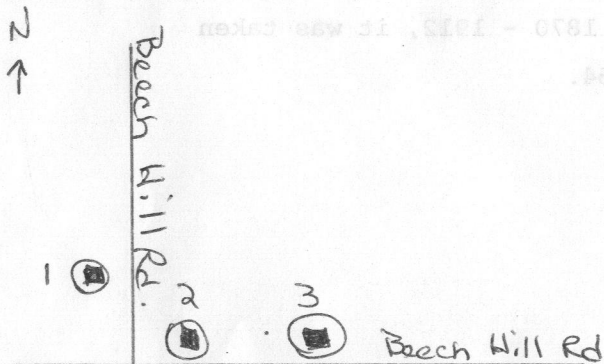
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Granville
 768
 Beech Hill Rd
 Name K. C. Robinson
 House
 Present Residence
 Original Residence
 ION
 C. 1830
 Visual/Maps
 Greek Revival
 t Unknown

Sketch Map: Draw map showing property's location in relation to nearest cross streets and/or geographical features. Indicate all buildings between inventoried property and nearest intersection(s). Indicate north



Exterior Wall Fabric Clapboard

Outbuildings 3 barns

Major Alterations (with dates)

Condition Good

Moved _____ Date _____

Acreeage 7.0 acres

Setting

Rural intact farm complex

UTM REFERENCE _____

USGS QUADRANGLE West Granville

SCALE 1:25,000

Recorded by Joanne Keim, PVPC

Organization Granville Historical Commission

Date August 1987

NATIONAL REGISTER CRITERIA STATEMENT (if applicable)

ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE Describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within the community.

This 2-story, gable-front and wing building is related to buildings #23, #41 and #93 by design. Typically these houses were often expanded from a 1-story wing. Main block features include a door surround consisting of pilasters supporting a full entablature. The wing features a large central chimney and attic story windows mimicking frieze band windows on high style Greek Revival buildings.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE Explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community.

This is another building in the small community that formed at the northern reaches of Granville on the road to Blandford in the Beech Hill area. In 1855, K. C. Robinson owned the property; from 1870 - 1912, it was taken over by J. A. Robinson who was a selectman in 1864.

BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES

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