

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY -- NOMINATION FORM

SEE INSTRUCTIONS IN HOW TO COMPLETE NATIONAL REGISTER FORMS
TYPE ALL ENTRIES -- COMPLETE APPLICABLE SECTIONS

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Mutter Gottes Historic District, ~~Boundary Change~~

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Roughly bounded by Madison Ave., 4th,
Harvey and Johnson Sts.
Multiple (see continuation sheet)

— NOT FOR PUBLICATION

CITY, TOWN

Covington

— VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Kentucky

CODE

021

COUNTY

Kenton

CODE

117

3 CLASSIFICATION**CATEGORY**

DISTRICT
 BUILDING(S)
 STRUCTURE
 SITE
 OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

PUBLIC
 PRIVATE
 BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

IN PROCESS
 BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

OCCUPIED
 UNOCCUPIED
 WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

YES: RESTRICTED
 YES: UNRESTRICTED
 NO

PRESENT USE

AGRICULTURE
 COMMERCIAL
 EDUCATIONAL
 ENTERTAINMENT
 GOVERNMENT
 INDUSTRIAL
 MILITARY

MUSEUM
 PARK
 PRIVATE RESIDENCE
 RELIGIOUS
 SCIENTIFIC
 TRANSPORTATION
 OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Multiple (see continuation sheet)

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

— VICINITY OF

STATE

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

STATE

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

FEDERAL STATE COUNTY LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION

- EXCELLENT
- GOOD
- FAIR
- DETERIORATED
- RUINS
- UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

- UNALTERED
- ALTERED

CHECK ONE

- ORIGINAL SITE
- MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

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List of Owners:

202-08 Athey	Jim Parrott 515A Kent-o-Boo Drive Florence, Kentucky 41042
210 Athey	Theresa Young 19 W. Sixth Street Covington, Kentucky 41011
211-13 Athey	Sam Burns 231 W. Robbins Covington, Kentucky 41011
215-17 Athey	Montgomery Area Renovation Corp. 215-17 Athey Covington, Kentucky 41011
218 Athey	Mrs. Lucille P. Muse 218 Athey Covington, Kentucky 41011
222-24 Athey	Ralph and Villa Tankersley 84 Linet Place Highland Heights, Kentucky 41076
226-28 Athey	Montgomery Area Renovation Corp. 226-28 Athey Covington, Kentucky 41011

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DESCRIPTION

The Athey Street addition to the Mutter Gottes Historic District, located in downtown Covington, Kentucky, abuts the rear property lines of the structures on the south side of the 200 block of Sixth Street. Athey is a short, brick-paved street running east to west between Russell and the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad line with access to Craig Street at the western end of the block.

Like those structures within the original Mutter Gottes district boundaries, the seven buildings on Athey are mid-to late-nineteenth century residences that housed the German immigrant population who settled this neighborhood and much of Covington in the latter half of the 1800s (see photo 1). Characteristic of the modest, middle-class domestic architecture of the neighborhood is the two-story brick duplex on the south side of Athey which displays plain stone lintels and a bracketed cornice (see photo 2). A similar structure is situated at the northwest end of the street. East of this are two one-story frame dwellings (see photo 3). On the northwest corner of Athey and Russell is a two-story brick structure displaying paired and triple windows, stone lintels, and a bracketed cornice (see photo 4).

The boundaries are being altered to incorporate these buildings which both historically and architecturally contribute to the overall fabric of the neighborhood. With the exception of a parking lot on the southwest corner of Athey and Russell Streets and a lot on the north side of Athey, there are no intrusions.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

See Continuation Sheet

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

ACREAGE NOT VERIFIED

UTM NOT VERIFIED

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

See Continuation Sheet

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

QUADRANGLE NAME _____

QUADRANGLE SCALE _____

UTM REFERENCES

A	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

B	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

C	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

D	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

E	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

F	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

G	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

H	_____	_____	_____
ZONE	EASTING	NORTHING	

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION _____

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	CODE

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Charlotte Schneider/Architectural Historian

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Kentucky Heritage Commission

June 1980

STREET & NUMBER

TELEPHONE

104 Bridge Street

(502) 564-3741

CITY OR TOWN

STATE

Frankfort

Kentucky

12 STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER CERTIFICATION

THE EVALUATED SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS PROPERTY WITHIN THE STATE IS:

NATIONAL

STATE

LOCAL

As the designated State Historic Preservation Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service.

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER SIGNATURE

Donna C. Hopkins

TITLE

Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer 6-20-80

DATE

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PROPERTY IS INCLUDED IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE

ATTEST: **KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER**

DATE

CHIEF OF REGISTRATION

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SIGNIFICANCE

The boundaries of the Mutter G~~ottes~~ Historic District are being amended to include the seven buildings on Athey Street, a one block street just south of Sixth Street in downtown Covington. Immediately south of Athey, the character of the neighborhood abruptly shifts to reflect the commercial nature of the buildings on Pike Street, an extension of the Madison Street commercial corridor to the east. Thus, this cluster of houses forms a buffer on the extreme southern edge of the residential neighborhood which centers around the Mother of God Church.

The residences on Athey reflect the same stylistic development and features as those within the present district boundaries, resembling the mid-to late-nineteenth century brick and frame structures on Craig and Kentucky streets as well as some of the brick buildings just to the north on Sixth Street.

Residents view Athey as a viable segment of the Mutter G~~ottes~~ neighborhood. This is evidenced by the work of a local corporation which has purchased and is in the process of renovating some of the buildings on Athey. It is this same community spirit, reflected throughout the Mutter G~~ottes~~ Historic District, that has brought about the revitalization of the entire neighborhood.

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Acreage of Nominated Property: Approximately 1 1/2 acres

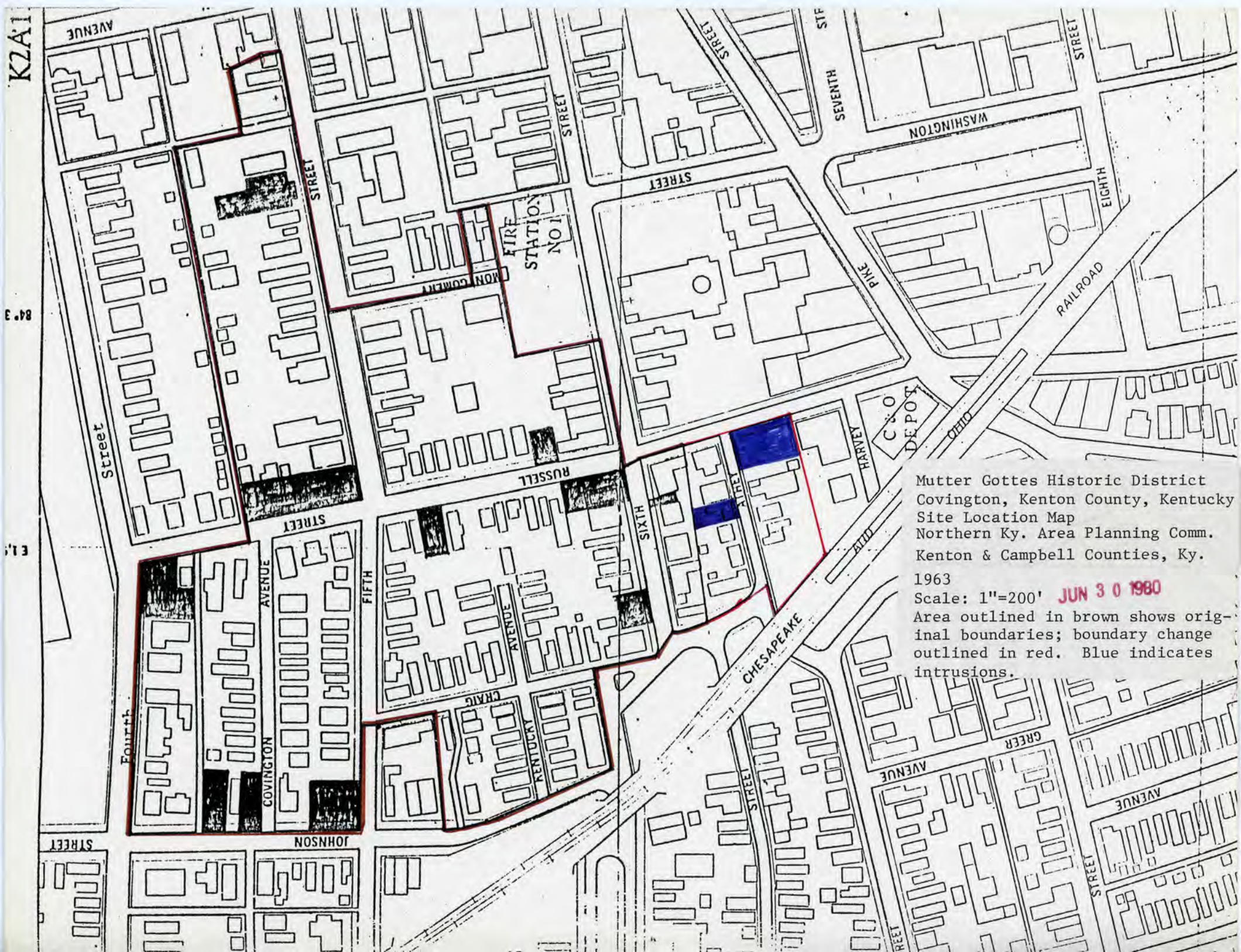
Quadrangle Name: Covington Quadrangle Kentucky-Ohio

Quadrangle Scale: 1:24,000

UTM References: Change: E. 16/715090/4328760
F. 16/715000/4328740

Boundary Change shown in red; original UTM References E & F have been shifted south to encompass boundary change. Other reference points remain as in original form.

Verbal Boundary Description: Following the Mutter Gottes Historic District Boundaries to the intersection of the rear property line of West Sixth & Russell Streets, thence south along the west side of Russell to the rear property line of Athey Street, west along said line to the east side of the C. & O. Railroad property line, northwest along said line to the south side of Athey, north across Athey to the east side of Craig, proceeding north until rejoining the original boundary.



Mutter Gottes Historic District
 Covington, Kenton County, Kentucky
 Site Location Map
 Northern Ky. Area Planning Comm.
 Kenton & Campbell Counties, Ky.

1963
 Scale: 1"=200' JUN 30 1980

Area outlined in brown shows original boundaries; boundary change outlined in red. Blue indicates intrusions.

Property Mutter Gottes Historic District

BOUNDARY REVISION
INCREASE _____
DECREASE _____
MOVE _____

State Ky, Kenton Working Number 6,30,80

TECHNICAL

Photos 4
Maps 1/1

CONTROL

HISTORIAN

Boundary of this mid-nineteenth century urban residential neighborhood are being extended southward to encompass one block of modest brick row-houses and frame shotgun; character is consistent w/ fabric of district. 2 vacant lots are only intrusions.

ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIAN

Accept O'Connell
8/8/80

ARCHEOLOGIST

OTHER

REVIEW UNIT CHIEF

BRANCH CHIEF

KEEPER

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS BOUNDARY REVISION IS ACCEPTED

W. Ray
KEEPER OF THE NATIONAL REGISTER

DATE 8/18/80

ATTEST: Kristin J. O'Connell
CHIEF, BRANCH OF REGISTRATION

DATE 8/8/80

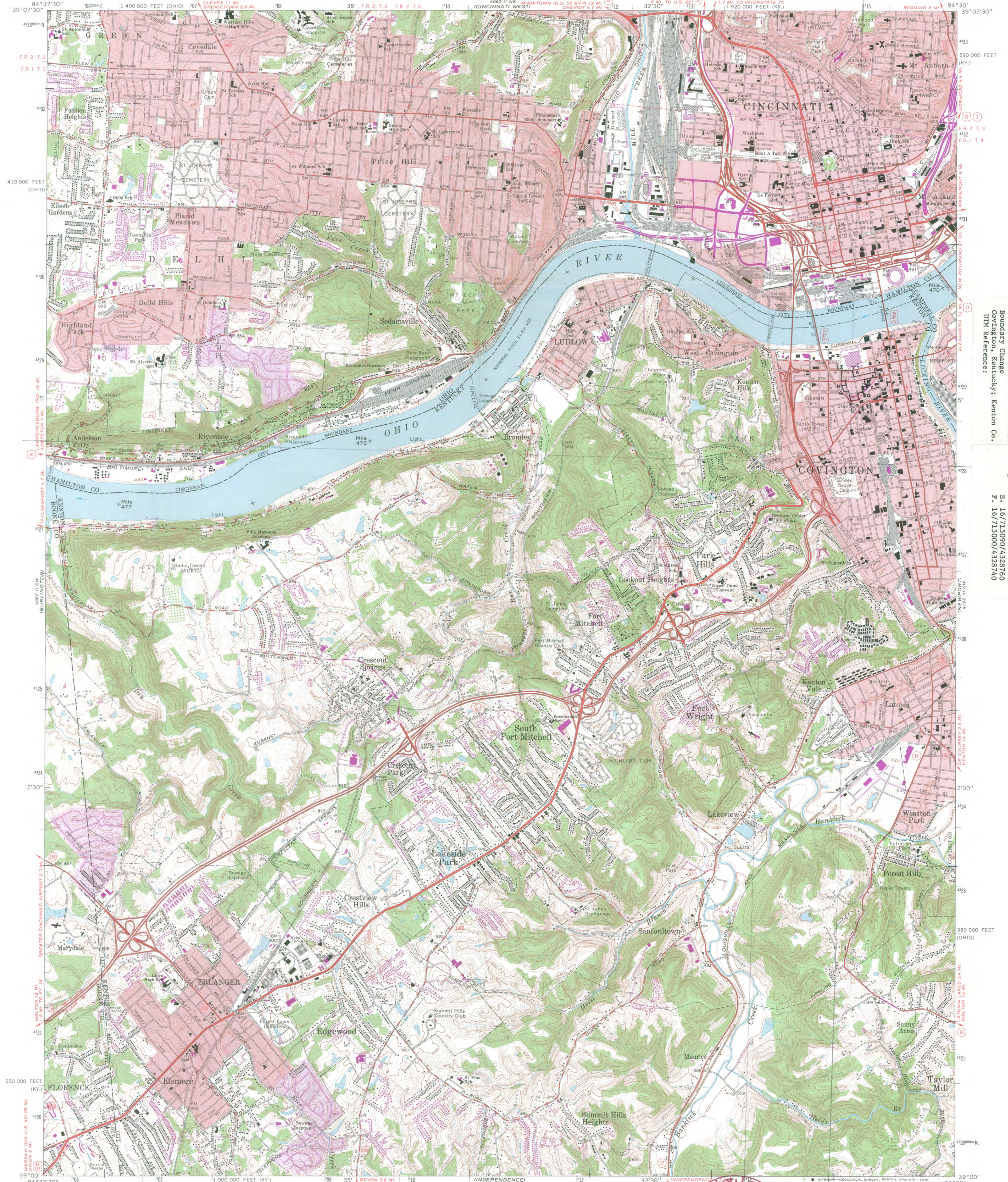
THIS FORM IS TO BE FILED WITH THE NATIONAL REGISTER NOMINATION.
State notified _____ Federal Register _____ Control Cards _____ ADP _____



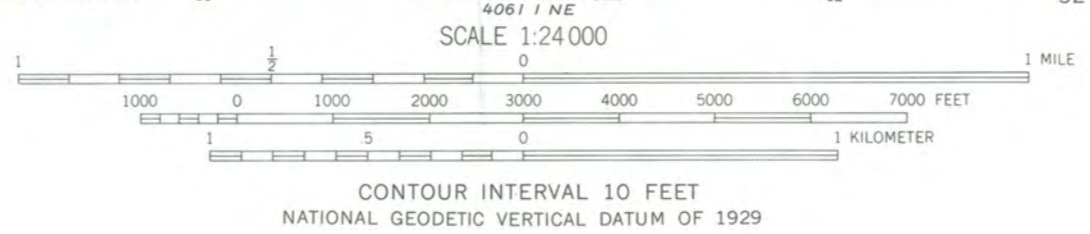








This map was prepared, edited, and published by the Geological Survey Control by USGS, USC&GS, USCE, and the City of Cincinnati. Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1949, and in part by the City of Cincinnati Field checked 1950 and 1953. Revised 1961. Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum. 10,000-foot grids based on Kentucky coordinate system, north zone, and Ohio coordinate system, south zone. 100-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks, zone 16, shown in blue. Fine red dashed lines indicate selected fence and field lines where generally visible on aerial photographs. This information is unchecked. The state boundary as shown represents the approximate position of the low water line as determined from U.S. Corps of Engineers Ohio River charts, surveyed 1913 and 1914, and supplementary information. Red tint indicates areas in which only landmark buildings are shown. Ohio area lies within the Between the Miamis. Land lines based on the Great Miami River Base. Dotted land lines established by private subdivision of the Symmes Purchase.



THIS MAP COMPLIES WITH NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARDS FOR SALE BY U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, RESTON, VIRGINIA 22092, KENTUCKY GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40506, AND KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY 40601. A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST.



ROAD CLASSIFICATION

Heavy-duty	Light-duty
Medium-duty	Unimproved dirt
Interstate Route	U.S. Route
	State Route

COVINGTON, KY.-OHIO
SE 1/4 WEST, CINCINNATI 15' QUADRANGLE
N3900-W8430/7.5
1961
PHOTOREVISED 1969
AMS 4062 II SE-SERIES V853

Matter: Covington Historic District
Boundary Change
Covington, Kentucky; Kenton Co.
UTM Reference:
Change: E. 16/715090/4328760
F. 16/715000/4328740



*Kentucky Heritage Commission
104 Bridge Street
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601*

May 19, 1980

Mrs. Carol Shull, Acting Keeper
National Register of Historic Places
Heritage Conservation & Recreation Service
United States Department of the Interior
440 G. Street, N. W.
Washington, D.C. 20243

Dear Mrs. Shull:

Enclosed are the corrected verbal boundary descriptions for the Mutter Gotes Historic District and the Seminary Square Historic District in Covington, Kenton County, Kentucky as requested by Ms. Kristin O'Connell of your staff. Also included is the USGS map for the Samuel E. Hill House in Hartford, Ohio County with the nominated area delineated. As stated in the verbal boundary description, the area is 200' deep (the width being 120').

If you have further questions regarding these nominations, please let me know as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Eldred W. Melton
Executive Director and
State Historic Preservation Officer

Enclosures





*Kentucky Heritage Commission
101 Bridge Street
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601*

June 20, 1980

Mrs. Carol Shull, Acting Keeper
National Register of Historic Places
Heritage Conservation & Recreation Service
United States Department of the Interior
440 G. Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20243



Dear Mrs. Shull:

The following nominations to the National Register of Historic Places were approved at the State level by the Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Board on the dates indicated. As State Historic Preservation Officer, I recommend they be entered on the National Register. Additional comments on the status of the sites may be attached to the appropriate forms.

<u>Name and Location of Site(s)</u>	<u>Date Approved at State level</u>
Hayfield, Jefferson County	June 10, 1980
Baker-Hawkins House, Jefferson County	June 10, 1980
The Bray Place, Jefferson County	June 10, 1980
Mutter Gottes Historic District, Boundary Change, Jefferson County	June 10, 1980
Fayette Safety Vault and Trust Co. Building, Fayette County	June 10, 1980

Your early consideration of these nominations will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Donna C. Hopkins
Deputy Executive Director and
Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer

Enclosures (see List of Attachments)

Mrs. Carol Shull

June 20, 1980

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LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

National Register of Historic Places Nomination Form

4 Continuation Sheets

4 Photos

2 Maps



ENTRIES IN THE NATIONAL REGISTER

STATE KENTUCKY

Date Entered AUG 18 1980

Name

Location

Mutter Gattas Historic District

Covington
Kenton County

Boundary increase approved: August 18, 1980

Also Notified

State Historic Preservation Officer
Mrs. Eldred W. Melton
Director
Kentucky Heritage Commission
104 Bridge Street
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

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Byers/arb

8/27/80

For further information, please call the National Register at (202)343-6401.