**HISTORIC PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE PROJECT**  
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**TOWN:** Kingston  
**COUNTY:** Rockingham

**SURVEY NUMBER:** 17

**COMMON NAME:** Newman House

**HISTORIC NAME:** Bunker House

**LOCATION:** East side of Main Street, .06 miles north of inter. of Main & Bartlett

**OWNER:** Gerald Newman

**ADDRESS:** 149 Main Street

**MAP & PARCEL #:** U-9/8

**DATE:** c. 1960

**SOURCE:** Assessors Office

**STYLE:** Vernacular

**UTM:** Z 19 / E 332350 / N 4755225

**USGS QUAD:** Kingston Quad 7.5' series

**FUNCTIONAL TYPE:** Residential

**PRESENT USE:** Residential

**ARCHITECT/BUILDER:** Stanton Bunker (?)

**CONDITION:** Exc. Goody Fair Poor Ruins

**INTEGRITY:** Original Site X Moved (When: )

**Major alterations & date:**

**LEVEL/SIGNIFICANCE:** Natl State Local X

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION: Structural System**

1. **FOUNDATION:** Stone__ Brick__ Concrete__ Concrete Block X

2. **WALL STRUCTURE:** Wood Frame__ Post & Beam__ Ballon Frame__ Other_
   - Load Bearing Masonry__ Stone__ Brick__ Concrete Block__ Other_
   - Metal__ Iron__ Steel__ Other_
   - Other

3. **WALL COVERING:** Clapboard__ Wood Shingle X Board & Batten__ Shiplap__ Aluminum__ Novelty__ Stucco__ Stone__ Brick__ Sheet Metal__ Asphalt Shingles__ Vinyl__ Asphalt Sheeting__ Composite Board__ Other_

4. **ROOF SHEATHING:** Wood Shingle__ Asphalt Shingle X Standing Seam Tim__ Slate__ Pressed Metal__ Sheet Metal__ Rolled Asphalt__ Other_

5. **ENGINEERING STRUCTURE:**

6. **OTHER:**
   - # of Stories 1½__ # of Bays 2x2__ Approx. Dimensions 20' x 20'
   - Roof Style: Gable__ Hip__ Gambrel__ Flat__ Shed__ Mansard__ Jerkinhead__ Monitor__ Sawtooth__ Other
   - Appendages: Porches__ Towers__ Dormers__ Bay Windows__ Els__ Chimneys
   - Wings__ Cupolas__ Sheds__ Garage__ Other
   - Entry Location: Center__ Sidehall X__ Other

**MAP (Indicate North in circle):**

**PHOTO**

**Description of View:** Front-west  
Side-north

**Photographer:** Scott Novak

**Negative with:** S.R.R.C.

**Negative File Number:** K-80-22/7A-8
ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL AND STRUCTURAL DESCRIPTION:

1\frac{1}{2} story colonial influence
2 palladian motif windows with small panes
wooden shutters
raised panel door
simple eaves

RELATED STRUCTURES AND CONTEXT:

BOUNDARY AND ACREAGE DESCRIPTION: .3 acres bounded to the N-Church on the Plains, S-Bake, E-Perkins, W-Carron, W-Main Street.

REFERENCES:

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Evaluation & Historical Associations):

This house is of no architectural importance in the streetscape of the historic district. Is recent (c. 1960). It detracts from the site integrity of the church on the Plains just to the north.

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT: Open Land _ Woodland _ Scattered Bldgs _ Moderately Built Up _ Densely Built Up _ Residential _ Commercial _ Industrial _ Agricultural _ Roadside Strip Development _ Other _

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