

Maryland Historical Trust

Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties number: HO-652

Name: HO 61/Althol Ave. over Deep Run

The bridge referenced herein was inventoried by the Maryland State Highway Administration as part of the Historic Bridge Inventory, and SHA provided the Trust with eligibility determinations in February 2001. The Trust accepted the Historic Bridge Inventory on April 3, 2001. The bridge received the following determination of eligibility.

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Eligibility Recommended _____	Eligibility Not Recommended <u>X</u>
Criteria: <u> </u> A <u> </u> B <u> </u> C <u> </u> D	Considerations: <u> </u> A <u> </u> B <u> </u> C <u> </u> D <u> </u> E <u> </u> F <u> </u> G <u> </u> None
Comments: _____	
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MHT No. HO-652

SHA Bridge No. HO 61 Bridge name Athol Avenue over Deep Run

LOCATION:

Street/Road name and number [facility carried] Athol Avenue

City/town Elkridge Vicinity X

County Howard

This bridge projects over: Road Railway Water Land

Ownership: State County Municipal Other

HISTORIC STATUS:

Is bridge located within a designated historic district? Yes No

National Register-listed district National Register-determined-eligible district

Locally-designated district Other

Name of district _____

BRIDGE TYPE:

Timber Bridge _____:

Beam Bridge _____ Truss -Covered Trestle Timber-And-Concrete

Stone Arch Bridge

Metal Truss Bridge

Movable Bridge _____:

Swing Bascule Single Leaf Bascule Multiple Leaf

Vertical Lift Retractable Pontoon

Metal Girder _____:

Rolled Girder _____ Rolled Girder Concrete Encased _____

Plate Girder _____ Plate Girder Concrete Encased _____

Metal Suspension

Metal Arch

Metal Cantilever

Concrete _____:

Concrete Arch Concrete Slab Concrete Beam Rigid Frame

Other Type Name _____

DESCRIPTION:

Setting: Urban _____ Small town X Rural _____

Describe Setting:

Bridge HO 61 carries Athol Avenue over Deep Run in the vicinity of Elkridge. The setting is residential, with houses on either side of the creek. The road runs in a generally east west direction.

Describe Superstructure and Substructure:

Bridge HO 61 is a single span concrete slab bridge, built in 1945, with a span length of 26 feet and an overall structure length of 28 feet. There is a 21.5-foot clear roadway width between W-beam guardrails. The guardrails have replaced the parapets. The concrete slab is supported by stone masonry abutments. The bridge was rehabilitated in 1983. The overall condition of the superstructure is good. There is an irregular, transverse, 1/4" wide crack in the pavement behind both abutments.

The overall condition of the substructure is satisfactory. The top of the west abutment sounds hollow from the centerline to the north facia. The northwest wingwall exhibits loss of stone and mortar. The remaining walls exhibit minor loss.

Discuss Major Alterations:

Modern guardrails have replaced the parapets. The 1995 County inspection reports states that the superstructure was replaced in 1983.

HISTORY:

WHEN was bridge built 1945

This date is: Actual X Estimated _____

Source of date: Plaque _____ Design plans _____ County bridge files/inspection form X

Other (specify) County inspection files

WHY was bridge built?

The need for a more efficient transportation network and increased load capacity.

WHO was the designer?

Unknown

WHO was the builder?

Unknown

WHY was bridge altered?

Unknown

Was bridge built as part of organized bridge-building campaign?

Unknown

SURVEYOR/HISTORIAN ANALYSIS:

This bridge may have National Register significance for its association with:

- A - Events _____
- B- Person _____
- C- Engineering/architectural character _____

This bridge does not have National Register significance.

Was the bridge constructed in response to significant events in Maryland or local history?

The bridge was not constructed in response to significant events in Maryland of local history.

When the bridge was built and/or given a major alteration, did it have a significant impact on the growth and development of the area?

There is no evidence that the construction of this bridge significantly affected the development and growth of the area.

Is the bridge located in an area which may be eligible for historic designation and would the bridge add to or detract from historic/visual character of the potential district?

No, this bridge is not located in an area which is eligible for historic designation

Is the bridge a significant example of its type?

No, this bridge is not a significant example of a concrete slab.

Does bridge retain integrity of important elements described in Context Addendum?

This bridge does not retain integrity of its character defining elements because the parapets have been replaced with guardrails. Furthermore, inspection reports state that the entire superstructure was replaced in 1983.

Is bridge a significant example of work of manufacturer, designer and/or engineer?

Manufacturer, designer and/or engineer of this bridge is unknown.

Should bridge be given further study before significance analysis is made?

No further evaluation is necessary to determination National Register significance.

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

County inspection/bridge files X SHA inspection/bridge files _____ Other
(list):

SURVEYOR/SURVEY INFORMATION:

Date bridge recorded 8/95

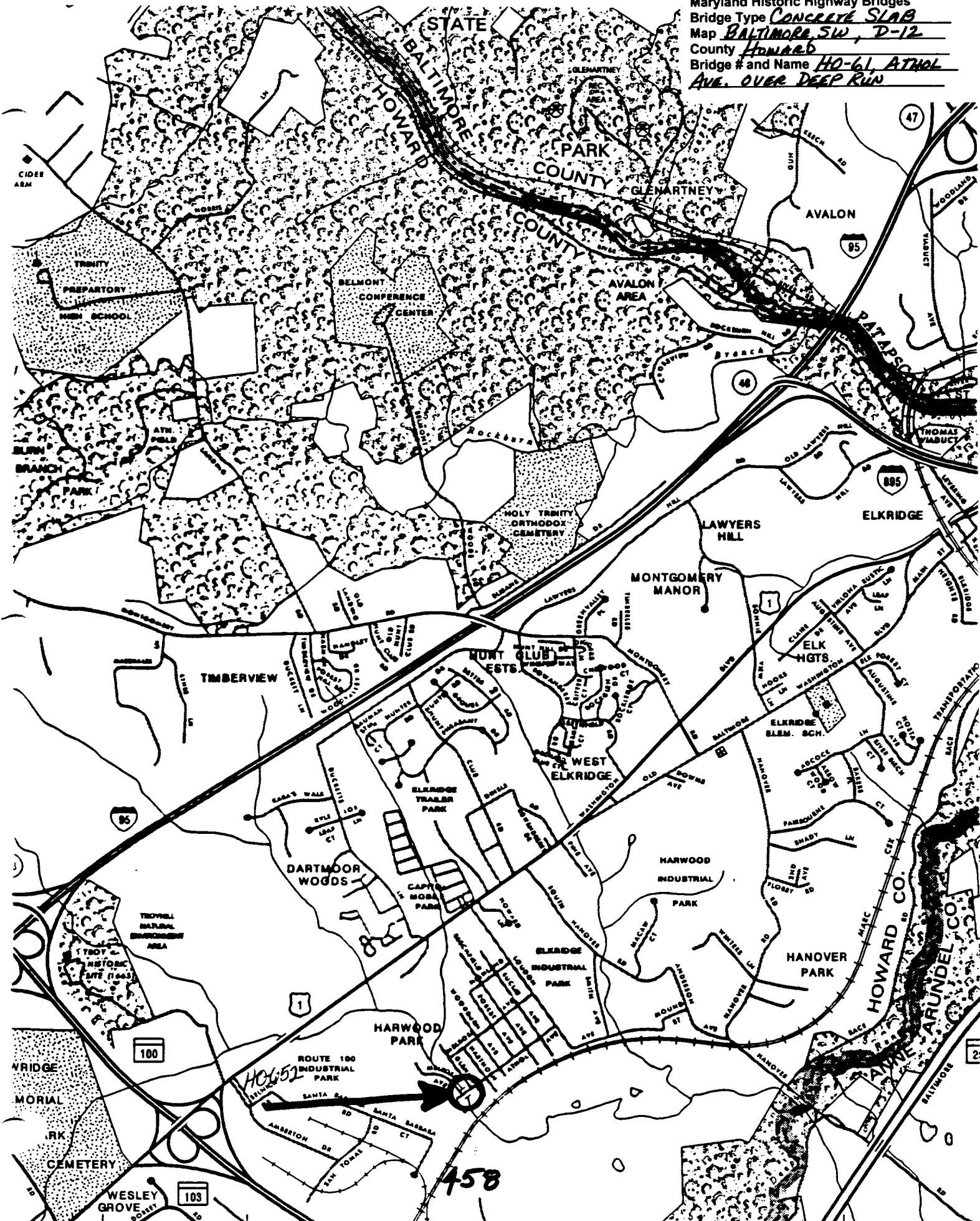
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Maryland Historic Highway Bridges
 Bridge Type CONCRETE SLAB
 Map BALTIMORE SW, D-12
 County HOWARD
 Bridge # and Name HQ-61, AVALON
AVE. OVER DEEP RUN





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EAST ELEVATION, SW VIEW

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