

# MSU Campus Archaeology Program Project Summary Sheet



**Report No. 27**

**Date of Survey: 7/20/2010**

**Site Name: Administrative Building**

**Principal Investigator: Christopher Stawski**

**Physical Plant Project Name: N/A**

**Project Justification: N/A**

**Location: Near Administrative Building.**



**Campus Zone: West Circle**

**Survey Type: Shovel Testing**

**Methodology:** No specifics provided in field notes.

**Summary/Conclusions:** Six STPs were recorded, but nine were excavated in total. No STPs were expanded into excavation units.

**Recommendations and Priority:** High priority due to the abundance of artifacts found. Any future construction project impact areas should be surveyed before construction begins and the construction should be actively monitored. Area was surveyed extensively in the 2011 field school as that "Gunson/Admin Site", report #57.

**Field Notes:**

7/20/2010:

- Crew: Christopher Stawski
- Weather: 81 F and partly sunny
- STP # 1-2-2:
  - Depth: 76 cm
    - 0-48 – 10 year 2/2 loam
    - 48-59 – 10 year 4/3 sandy clay
    - 59-76 – 10 year 2/1 clay
  - Artifacts: Cultural material scattered throughout
    - Brick, glass, drain tile
- STP # 1-2-3:
  - Depth: 39 cm
    - 0-39 – 10 year 4/2 mottled loam
  - Artifacts: Cultural material throughout
    - Glass, ceramic, brick, coal
    - Stopped due to concrete/asphalt
- STP # 1-2-4:
  - Depth: 66 cm
    - 0-66 – mottled compact soil; 10 year 4/2
  - Artifacts: some artifacts and some modern
    - "caution" tape at bottom
- STP # 1-2-6:
  - Depth: 57 cm
    - 0-17 – topsoil (compact)
    - 17-57 – compact mottled soil
  - Artifacts: Brick, ceramic
- STP # 1-2-8:
  - Depth: 49 cm
    - 0-49 – mottled compact soil
  - Artifacts: Brick, glass
- STP # 1-2-9:
  - Depth: 40 cm
    - 0-40 – mottled compact soil; 10 year 4/2
  - Artifacts: Ceramic, abundance of coal (not sampled), brick

- Some clay pockets