

Ralph Richterkessing Farm, Secondary Barn  
4600 I-70 North Service Road  
St. Peters  
St. Charles County  
Missouri

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Location: Ralph Richterkessing Farm, 4600 I-70 North Service Road, St. Peters, St. Charles County, Missouri.

Significance: The secondary barn is one of several outbuildings that contributes to the agrarian setting and purpose of the Ralph Richterkessing farmstead.

Description: A secondary barn that measures approximately 40' x 35' is located about 160' north of the house. The barn stands on a concrete foundation, has vertical board siding, and a gabled, metal roof. Entrance into the barn is on the south facade. A shed roof with wood post supports was added to the west side. A smaller corrugated metal addition is located on the east side.

History: This ancillary structure, like others at the site, was constructed by the Richterkessing family. It was built during the early twentieth century in response to typical farm operation requirements.

Sources: Previous fieldwork by David Crampton, Archaeologist, Missouri Highway Transportation Department; Site visits by Prawl and Sone.

Historians: Stacy Sone and Toni Prawl, Architectural Historians, Missouri Highway and Transportation Department.