

The History of Sumner

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The W.C. & A.N. Miller Development Company introduced the community of **Sumner** in Leaves magazine in June 1947.

When the Miller Company purchased the land, great care was given to preserving the natural beauty and to conform to the contours of the land as it was developed.

The Miller Company won a national award for neighborhood development in 1949 for the National Association of Home Builders for originality and soundness of design and construction along with suitability of the project to its location.

There are 470 homes in **Sumner** consisting primarily of Colonial style architecture. Many of these homes have been renovated and/or expanded over time, but the majority retain their classic charm and stately appearance.

The Sumner Citizens Association was founded in 1952. This voluntary neighborhood group organizes many popular community activities today.

