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COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

OF

BALTIMORE COUNTY

### OPINION

This is a petition for reclassification from an R-40 zone to an R-A zone, and a special exception to allow the construction of elevator apartment buildings on a tract of \$\times \text{und}\$, approximately thirty-eight (38) acres in size, situated on the east and south sides of Old Pinlico Road in the Third Election District of Baltimare County. Both the reclassification and the special exception were granted by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimare County, and this appeal was taken by the protestants.

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The petitioner alleges both error in placing R-40 zoning on this property by Ballimore County on the Third District map which was adopted January 16, 1957, and a change in the character of the neighborhood since the adoption of the map.

The developer proposes to erect ten - eight stary elevator apartment buildings containing 760 apartment units on the subject property with parking space for 780
vehicles. There is also proposed a community recreation building for use by the residents.
The developer's plan, which was introduced in evidence as Exhibit #2, proposes that two
and three quarter acres of the subject tract be covered by buildings, six acres for parking,
and the remaining thirty acres to be left as open space.

The Board conducted six full days of hearings, heard the testimony of twenty witnesses, and received into evidence thisty-three exhibits. It will be impossible in this opinion to review the testimony of each and every witness, however, needless to say, the Board has carefully considered the testimony of each witness and has studied all of the exhibits introduced.

The tract of ground is irregular in shape and has frontage on both the cost side and the south side of Old Pimitos Road. Old Pimitos Road from Smith Avenue travels in a north to slightly northeasterly direction, and hums to almost a due casterly direction along the wast edge of the subject tract of ground. The zoning and land uses around the property are as follows: Across Old Pimitos Road, in a westerly direction, the zoning is R-10 and is presently undeveloped, the majority of this land is sowed by Waitman Zinn, one of the protestants in this case. To the north, across Old Pimitos Road, the land is zoned R-20 and is presently undeveloped. To the south of the property, there is a snall

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R-A in October, 1964; Case \*\*f64-14, the Zinn property, directly across Old Pinlico Road, which was reclassified from R-40 and R-20 to R-10 in January, 1964; and Case \*f63-38 which was a special exception granted at the northeast acover of the Jenes Falls Expressway and Pinlico Road for a research loboratory. He further stated that, in his opinion, the reclassification here would not have any adverse affect on the surrounding properties and that the only property that could possibly be affected by this petition is the Geary property which adjoins the subject property to the north.

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The protestants, in the main, objected to the proposed apartment develop ment on the basis of possible traffic congestion and, in their opinion, the invasion of the residential neighborhood by eight story elevator apartment buildings. Based on the testimany hereinbefore referred to, given by the various traffic experts, the Board does not feel that the protestants' fears as to possible traffic congestion are justified. One of the protestants, Waitman B. Zinn, who testified in opposition to the reclassification, stated that he did not think that apartments were in keeping with the neighborhood, and that he thought the value of his land would be depreciated. However, he admitted that since 1957 he has sold twenty-one gares of his property to Baltimore County for a school site: that in 1963 he had a portion of his property rezoned from R-40 to R-10 (Case #64-14-R); and that in March of 1964 he filed a petition with Baltimore County (Case #64-136-R) to rezone a large portion of his property to R-A, the plat filed by Mr. Zinn with his petition for R-A zoning (Petitioner's Exhibit #15) shows apartment buildings directly in back of his present home (the plat indicates that the nearest apartment building would be approximately 400 fect from his house). Mr. Geary, another protestant, felt the project would "overwhelm him, however, the Board does not feel this will be true if the development is limited to

George E. Gevrelis, Director of Planning for Baltimore County, testified in opposition to the proposed reclassification and special exception, the main thrust of his testimony seemed to the Board to be in opposition to the requested special exception which would allow ten – eight story elevator apartment buildings on the subject tract. He also stated that, in his opinion, the access to the property war substandard. He did state that the topography of the site would make any residential lot development of the tract "difficult". In view of the Board's decision to der, the special exception regressed in this case, we feel that the main objections by the Director of Planning are overcome.

From the testimony produced before the Board, the Board is of the opinion that the present R-40 zoning on the property is erroneous. The County outhorities apparently placed the R-40 zoning on this property overlooking the fact that the property is surrounded or three sides by different zoning, or in the event the County placed the R-40 classification on the subject property as a "reservoir zone", then the present availability

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strip of ground, some tew hundred feet wide, zoned R-40. All of the property south of this strip of R-40 is zoned R-10, from the subject property to the Boltimore City Line. The bulk of the property south of the subject tract is awared by the Bonnie View Country Club and is used by it for golf and country club purposes. Across Pinitico Road, to the southwest, is a large tract of R-6 land which is developed with a cattage house development known as Summit Park. Approximately 520 feet southeast of the eastern edge of the property is a formation or the south of Summit Park. Approximately 520 feet southeast of the eastern edge of the property is a formation or the south of Summit Park. Approximately 520 feet southeast of the eastern edge of the property is a formation or subsequently offitmed by the Court of Appeals of Maryland in Bonnie View Country Club, Inc. vs. Louis J. Glass, 242 Md. 46.

The petitioner produced voluminous testimony from an architect, an engineer, and a land planner as to the unsuitability of the subject tract for development in its present R.-40 classification. The Board will not go into detail as to the sestimony of each witness, however, the testimony produced by the petitioner indicates that it would be economically unfeasible to attempt to develop the property in its present classification. The property is a very "mough" piece of ground being extremely hilly and densely wooded. Patitioner's chilbit \$8 shows that the greater partition of the tract fronting on Pimilico Road Inz. greates from tempty-five to thirty percent, the grades on the reor helf of the tract reach a maximum of thirty-five percent, and that the entire reor portion of the tract has grades in excess of ine percent. The petitioner contends that this topography, tagether with the expense of bringing sontinery sewer to the subject tract, makes it entirely unfeasible to develop as R-40. The petitioner further contends that the only reasonable use of the property is for opertments with a special exception for elevator buildings so that the buildings could be placed on the plateous with a minimum amount of grading required.

There was testimony in great detail by John Hacheder, a professional engineer appearing an behalf of the petitioner, as to the development cost of the tract and he stated that, in his opinion, from an engineering standpoint, the excessive development cost of this tract makes it economically unfeasible to attempt to use the property in its arcsent R-40 classification, but that the higher dessity apartment zoning could support these costs. Indeed, his contention was, in some respects, supported by a witness for the protestants, Jerome Wolff. Mr. Wolff had prepared a possible R-20 layout of the property which indicated a prospective layout of sixty R-20 lats. Dividing his estimated development cost by sixty, the development cost would apparently be over \$5,000 per lat. The witness further stated that he felt that a reasonable R-20 lat development cost would be in the \$2,500 to \$3,000 price range, and that \$4,500 per lat would be "very high". He further stated that it was foolish to even suggest R-10 zoning because of the severe grades on the propectry.

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of utilities, which were not available in 1957, makes the zaning presently araneous. We have also referred, earlier in this opinion, to substantial changes that have taken place in the neighborhood since she adoption of the map. On the basis of the testimony heard by the Board and the exhibits filled with the Board, the Board concludes that because of the severe topographical features of the tract it is neither feasible nor practical to attempt to develop this parcel in single family dwelling units. The Board is persuaded, however, that garden opartments within the contex's of the R-A classification can and should be constructed on this tract in that they would be more in keeping with the surrounding property than the eight stary elevator buildings requested and also, on the basis of the engineering testim any in the case, provide for the development of the tract for law density apartment use by placing the buildings on the plateaus removed from the perimeter of the property and at a lesser density than is allowed under the zoning regulations.

### ORDER

For the reasons set forth in the aforegoing Opinion, it is this <u>7th</u> day of October, 1966 by the County Board of Appeals, OR DERED that the reclassification petitioned for, is and the same is hereby GRANTED, and that the special exception petitioned for, be and the same is hereby DENIED.

Any appeal from this decision must be in accordance with Chapter 1100, subtitle B of Maryland Rules of Procedure, 1961 edition.

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The main difference between Mr. Walti's testisrony and that of Mr. Hocheder is that Mr. Waltif felt that the property could feasibly be developed for garden opartments without the special exception for elevator buildings. He did, however, appear to agree with Mr. Nocheder that it would be extremely difficult, due to the topography, to obtain the maximum allowable density under the zoning regulations of sixteen units per acre. The patitioner proposes to erect 780 units on the property, which is the allowable density under R-A zoning without the special exception would be approximately 590 units. However, the testimony of Eugene Delmar, an archirect testifying on behalf of the petitioner, indicated that because of this severity of the grades on the troot, the maximum density that would be feasible would be in the neighborhood of 350 to 400 units.

The Board finds, from the evidence produced, that there are public utilities (water and sewer) available to the property in sufficient capacity to serve the proposed apartment project.

Three witnesses gave testimony as to traffic on the roads in the vicinity and the possible effect of apartment construction here on traffic in the vicinity. All of the vitnesses were mainly concerned with traffic on Old Pimlico Road. Old Pimlico Road varies greatly in width and alignment from Smith Avenue to the Falis Road; from Smith Avenue to the Summit Club it is reasonably straight and varies in width from 28 to 40 feet. Along the frontage of the Summit Club the road is 40 feet wide with curb and gutter on both sides. North and east of the Summit Club the road narrows to an 18 to 20 foot width, and is curving and hilly. Testimony indicated that the developer would be required, under a public works agreement, to improve and widen Old Pimlico Road on his side along the frontage of the subject tract. The distance from the north entrance to the subject tract to the newly reconstructed Old Pimlice Read, near Falls Road, is approximately 2,200 feet. Baltimore County plans to reconstruct and realign this section of the road, however, there are apparently no funds available at this time to do so. Old Pimlico Road had been scheduled for reconstruction for the year 1966-67 at County expense, however, it was removed from the Capital Program and there are no funds presently available for the improvement. Mr. Gavrelis, Director of Planning for Baltimore County, stated that one of the reasons for the withdrawal of the proposed reconstruction project may be that the land on both sides of the road is presently undeveloped.

All of the witnesses who testified regarding troffic agreed that Old Fimilico Road in its present state is something less than desirable. Joseph D. Thompson, a traffic ang.neer testifying on behalf of the partitioner, described it as a "pleasant country soad". Wr. Ewell, for the protestants, described it as "completely disma", however, both Mr. Ewell and Mr. Thomson agreed that the road is presently operating for below its practical

RE: PEILION FOR RECLASSIFIC TION

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Apartments - NE/Cor. Uld Pimlice

Traymore Roads, 3rd District L. Peynolds, Virginia B. : BEFORE
: ZONING COMMINSIONER
: OF
: BALTIMORE COUNTY
: No. 6616-RX

Petitioners have requested a reclassification from 8.40 Jone to 8.4 Jone with a Special Exception for elevator apartments on 3% acres of land, where the second of land, where the second of land, where the second of land, which is second of land, and the second of land is second on the second of land is second of land, and unded with a fairly flat cleared mesons in the cuter. Continuing on Old Finition Road to Falls Road all the land is hilly.

This section is oriented toward the Jones Fail's Expressway and the Falls Road.

The subject property is not so close to the subdivision on Old Pimlico Road or Smith Asenue so as to border, buffer or be a part of those communities. It does border the rear of the Bonnic View Golf Club.

Most apartment zoning sites are either large or small spots on a zoning map, but such spots, whether placed on a map by the planners, or as in this case by perfition cannot truly be called "spot zoning". This is a rather large complex and should be considered as similar to a small sub-division.

Criteria presently under study by the Office of Planning and Zoning cannot be considered at this time since they have not been presented as yet and may or may not ewer be approved by the proper authorities.

Water and sewer requirements may be not without difficulty.

Old Pimilco Road is inadequate from a point near Traymore Road to State improved portion of Uld Pimilco Road, extending from Falls Road and under Jones Falls Expressway.

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capucity, and further agreed that while the construction of the proposed 760 unit apariment project here would bring the traffic volume to near the practical capacity of the road as it presently exists, it would not exceed it. The main disagreement by the experts seemed to be the direction of travel that the opariment residents would take to reach Boltimore City, Mr. Ewell and Mr. Thompso: "Ang that the majority of the apariment residents would travel northerly and easterly along Old Pinilico Road to Falls Road, while Mr. Clifford, the traffic angineer for Boltimere County, felt that the majority would travel southward toward shift Avenue. The Board feels that the more logical route of travel would be northerly and easterly toward the Falls Road. The only conclusion that can be reached by the Board board on the testimony, is that the construction of gerden apartments here would not unduly concest the roads in the immediate vicinity.

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Bernard Willemain, a recognized expert in the field of land planning, testified that, in his opinion, the present K-40 zoning is erroneous and also that there have been numercus changes in the character of the neighborhood to justify the requested reclassifica tion. He stated that he felt the R-40 was incongresus with the character of the rest of the area, and inconsistent with the zening on the adjaining tracts of around. The only development of any size in the immediate neighborhood, known as Summit Park. is located southwest of the subject property and is zoned R-v. He further thought that it was incon gruous to place R-40 next to the Summit Club which, in his opinion, is a commercial operation. He also testified that there was a basic error made by Baltimore County in the adoption of the Third District map in that the County had placed on the map little, if any, useable goartment zoning at the time of its adoption, and that now this error must be corrected by individual petitions. He testified to various utility changes in the area since 1957, and referred to the testimony of other witnesses regarding these changes, the major change being that sewer is now available to the property which was not available in 1957. Without going into great detail as to the various utility changes in the area since the adop tion of the map, it should be noted that these are the sump utility changes referred to in both Both Tfilish Congregation of Baltimore City vs. Sidney Blum, et al - 242 Md. 84 and George G. Finney, et al vs. Milton L. Halle, et ux - 241 Md. 224. The witness also noted numerous road changes including but not limited to the Jones Falls Expressway which was designed in 1961; the Baltimore County Beltway which was opened in July, 1962; the reconstruction of Pimlico Road; and the widening and improving of Green Spring Avenue which is now underway. He also testified to various reclassifications in the immediate vicinity since the adoption of the map, and particularly Case 64-41, the Glass property, which has been referred to earlier in this opinion, which is a forty acre tract rect assified from R-20 and R-10 to R-A; Case #65-92, the Dichiara property, which consists of twenty-two acres on the south side of Smith Avenue which was reclassified from R-6 to

For the above reasons the requested rezenting frem R-MD done to R-A Zone is granted but no site plan thall be approved or a building permit approved until Old Pinlico Road is relocated and a 2h foot spen section is constructed from the existing M2 foot curb and gutter section could of the subject site to the Jones Pail's Expressive as well expressive to the control of the subject site to the Jones Pail's Expressive as well as further shown on Exhibit. "M9" attached heretor.

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Any use of the subject property for aportment zoning shall be subject to an approved site plan by the Office or "lanning and Zoning, approval u" all entrances by the County Traffic Engineer and the Bureau of Public Jervices, and the Bureau of Public Services shall also approve or disapprove the site plan.

The petition for the Special Exception for the elevator apprisents satisfies the requirements of section 502.1 of the Baltioner County foning Regulations and "marted, but no site plan shall be appror a builteling pentit approved unt. "Old Pfalico Road is relocated and 2% foot open section is constructed from the existing %2 foot curb and gutter section south of the subject site to the Jones Fall Expressive as as forth in the County Traffic Engineer's report of Jame 15, 1965, and as shown on Exhibit "We attached hereits."

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It is this Joff day of July, 1965, by the coning Commissioner of Baltimore County, Follows that the herein described proper or area should be and the same is hereby reclassified; from an R-Mone to an R-Mone and a Special Exception for elevator apartments should be and the same is greated from and after the date of this Cornel.

The granting of the petition for reclassification and Special Exception is subject to compliance with the aforegoing provisions set forth in this Order, and, further, subject to the plan for reconstruction of Old Plaitco Road marked tabibit "M" attached hereto, and Exhibit "M-1".

> Abning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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Date June 15, 1965

Mr. James E. Dyer Eugene J. Clifford SUBJECT: Item 5 - ZAC - June 8, 1965 Old Pimlico Road

Review of the plat dated May 25, 1965 results in the ng comments.

The proposed site of 760 apartment units can be expected to generate 5300 trips per day. If existing zoning remains, the site will generate approximately 300 trips per day.

Old Pimlico Road now exists in a substandard condition as to sight distance and alignment. This road is to be relocated and a 24 root open section constructed for the existing 42 foot cutb and gutter section about of the subject site to the Jones Falls Expressway. This construction is planned for the 1908 - 1909 fiscal ver.

In the event the subject zoning is granted, it is requested that the entrances be made subject to the approval of this Bureau.

Eugene Oliford Eugene Jac Clifford County Traffic Engineer

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RE: PETITION FOR RECLASSIFICATION From an R-40 Zone to R-A Zone Special Exception for Elevator Apartments - NE/Cor. Old Pinlice and Traymore Roads, 3rd District Mm. L. Reymolds, Virginia D. Especials, Austin L. Reymolds, in the Reymolds of the Reymolds, in the Reymolds, and the Reymolds, buttle and Dorothy R. Hottle, Petitioners.

BEFORF ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

No. 6616-RX

August 27th, 1965

John C. Rose, Equire Zoning Commissioner County Office Building 111 West Chesapeaks Avenue wson, Maryland 2120

Please enter hereby an Appeal, on behalf of Maitman B. Zinn, an aggrieved property owner opposing the Petition in the above captioned matter, to the Ealthorse County Board of Appeals from the Order and Decision of the Zoning Commissioner dated July 39, 1965, granting the Petition for reclassification outlined above.

This Appeal is taken pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Statutes, Code and Laws and Revulations pertaining to Appeals to said Board of Appeals New Orders and Besideson of the Zoning Commissioner or Deputy Zoning Localisioner of Baltimore County (in part Identified or referred to as Sections 23-79, Illie 23, of the Baltimore County Code now in existence and now in effect and

A check for \$70.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the cost of this Appeal, cordance with the established procedures.

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MP:ms (Enclosure as noted) James H. Cook, Esquire 22 West Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Haryland 21204

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August 30, 1965

Hon, John G. Rose Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

ZONING DEPARTMENT

Re: Petition for Reclassification from R-40 to R-A. Special Exception for Elevator Apts. N F /Cor. - Old Pimlico and N.E., Cor., Old Planted and Traymore Roads, 3rd, District William L. Reynolds, et al., Petitioners Case No. 6616- RX Our File No. 65-8

On behalf of the Petitioners in the above entitled case, we here-with note an Jupez to the County Board of Appeals from such portion of your order spicious content up on July 30, 1985 in the above case as im-posed continuous and the reclassification granted from R-40 to R-A zone, such conditions the reclassification, as granted, upon the rebuilding of Phulica Road from Jones Falls Expressway, sesteral past the subject country.

LEE KLAVANS Attorney At Low

August 23, 1965

ZONING DEP

John G. Rose, Zoning Commissioner Baltimore County Office of Planning and Zoning County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Baltimore, Md. 21204

Re: Petition for Reclassification from R-40 to R-A Zone - Special Exception for Elevator Apartments -NC Cor. Or Pimilico and Traymore Roads, 3rd District - Wm. L. Reynolds, et al., Putitioners - No. 66-16-R-X

Please enter the Appeal of the Summit Country Club, Inc., Old Pimlico Road, Baltimore County, Naryland, from the Order passed in the above captioned matter or July 30, 1965.

Enclosed please find the necessary \$70 check for costs of the Appeal.

As counsel for the Summit Country Club, Inc., please enter my appearance in this matter and forward any corraspondence concerning the case to my office.

Very truly yours,

withlas ? Lee Klavans

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BALTIMORE COUNTY OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ZONING COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

#66-16 RX

James H. Cook, Esq. 22 H. Pennsylvania Aver Towson, Haryland 2120h

Dear Sire

SUBJECT: Replassification from R.hO to R.A., and a Special Exception for Elevator Apartments for William L. Beynolds, et al, located on the Northeast corner of Old Finlice Road and Praymore Road

The Zening Advisory Cosmittee has reviewed the subject petition and

BUREAU OF TRAFFIC ENGINEERING: The Bureau of Traffic Engineering will review

FIRE BUREAU: See attached comments.

EMERAU OF ENGINEERING:

Utilities: Sewer - Sewer state in Talico Road about 2500 feet east of this site.

Mater - A 12" water main exists in Cld Finite Road approximately 500 south of the molynet property. However, preserves in this come of service are not adequate to supply water to the upper flower.

Road - Old Finite Road to be developed as a minimum 10° curb and gutter road on a 60° right of way.

The above community are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the soning action respected, but to assure that all parties are note as are of plane or problems that any have a bearing on that case. The Director and/or the Deputy are the Office of Flanning and Soning will sobust recommendations on the appropriates of the Appropriate Soning two (10) days before the Zoning Goodington hearing.

A check in the amount of \$75,00 is enclosed.

Very truly yours,

Gorald H. Cooper

Attorneys for Appellants

Harry Goldman, Jr.

June Bloom

The following members had no comment to offer:

Office of Planning and Zoning Board of Education State Boads Commission

Health Department Buildings Department Industrial Development Commission

ours wery truly.

August 27, 1965

ec: Mr. R. Moore, Traffic Eng. Lieut. Norris, Fire Burcau Mr. Brown, Bureau of Eng.

John C. Rose, Esq.

cc: Lee Klavans, Esq. 1360 West North Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21217

cc: Joseph Harlan, Esq. 717 Title Building Baltimore, Maryland 21202

COOPER AND BECKMAN

SUITE BUS ONE NORTH CHARLES PALTIMORE, MARYLAND 212

August 27, 1965

John C. Rose, Esq. Zoning Commissioner County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Ave Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Petition for Reclassificat on and Special Exception for Elevator Apartments - N/E Cor. Old Punlico Koad and Traymore Road, 3rd Dist., Wm. L. Reyno'ds, et al, Petitioners No. 66-16-RX

Dear Mr. Rose:

Please enter an appeal on behalf of Charles Jules Please enter an appeal on behalf of Charles Julies and Marjoric Julies, his wife, 6000 Pinilico Drive, Paul Kernan and Sasan Kernan, his wife, 2404 Hunt Drive, Mrs. Anna Julies, 6700 Pinilico Road, and Peter Isner and Horriet Isner, 2402 Bare Road, individually and jointly to the Biltimore County Board of Appeals from the Order and decision of the Zoning Commissioner dated July 30, 1065, granting the Petition for Reclassification in the above exploined matter.

Also enter the appearance of Harry Goldman, Jr., 44 Central Savings Bank Building, Robert S. Rody, 711 Equitable Building, and Gerald H. Coc er. 205 Blaustein Building, as atturneys for the appellants.

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MAPS

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The present water supply is received from one direction and is a dead and. The proposed 60' height of the elevator spartners buildings will require a minimum of 65 P.S.I. on the upper fivor of the standard plop system.

Prior to approval of this rezoning it would be beneficial for all concerned to indicate alleviating

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Date

Please contact Paul H. Reinder, Capt. at WA.5-7310 for any additional information or assistance.

A field inspection conducted on 6/8/65 charact F, Naisel and this criter indicates a cerious deficiency of water supply for the fire fighting purposes. Large amounts of water supply through adequate water mains and fire hydrants located properly will be necessary.

PM:jis

Hr. Je and Dyer, Chairman Zoning advisory Committee Paul H. Reinoso, Captain Plans Review - Fire Preve

William L. Reynolds HE/Cow Old Pinlice & Traymere Rend Proposed Zoning : Elevator Apts.

FROM.

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Dies 539-0300

SULLIVAN & PITTLER BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21200

August 24, 1965



Hon, John G. Rose, Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Petition for Reclasification from R-40 to R-A, Special Exception for Elevator Apts. N.E./Cor. - Old Finite and Traymore Roads, Jrd Dist. -William L. Reynolds, et al. Petitioners Case NO. 6616-8X Our File No. 7901

Dear Mr. Rose:

This office represents Bonnie View Country Club, Inc., owner of substantial property in one immediate area of the subject property of the above captions are sention. On behalf of our client and pursuant to describe the subject of the Baltimore County Poning Regulations, and provide the Appeal to the County Board of Appeals, are your Order dated the DOCH day of July, 1955, granting \*eclaims\* of the County Board of Appeals classification from R-40 to R-A, with a Special Exception for slevator apartments.

We enclose herewith our check, in the amount of \$70.00, to cover the costs of the within Appeal.

very truly yours. alla nalesto

Allan J. Malester

IN THE

CIRCUIT COURT

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Misc. Docket

BALTIMORE COUNTY

AJM:emi Enclosure cc: James H. Cook, Esquire 22 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

WILLIAM L. REYNOLDS, VIRGINIA B. REYNOLDS, AUSTIN L. REYNOLDS, DORIS HILL REYNOLDS, SAMUEL C. HOTTLE, and DOROTHY R. HOTTLE

WILLIAM S. BALDWIN,
W. GILES PARKER and
R. BRUCE ALDERMAN,
CONSTITUTING THE COUNTY
BOARD OF APPEALS OF
BALTIMORE COUNTY

ORDER FOR APPEAL

Please enter an arneal on behalf of William L. Reynolds, Virginia B. Reynolds, Austin L. Reynolds, Doris HID Reynolds, Samuel C. Hottle, and Dorothy R. Hottle from the County Board of Appeals of County to the Circuit Court for Baltimore County in the matter of a Petition for Reclassification from an R-40 to a R-A zone, with a special exception for an elevator spartment building, for property located on the east and south sides of Old Pimlice Road in the Third Election District of Baltimore County between Smith Avenue and Falls Road. This appeal is from the decision of Case No. 68-16-RX of the County Board of nore County dated October 7, 1965 which dealed the ception petitioned for. This appeal is being filed pure provisions of Chapter 1100, sub-title B, of the Maryland Rules of Procedure

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August 24, 1965

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John C. Rose, Esquire Zoning Commissioner County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland - 21204

Re, Petition for Reclassification and Special Exception for Elevator Apertments - N/E cor. Old Pimlico Road and Traymore Road, 3rd Dist., Nn. L. Reymolds, et al, Petitioners No. 66-16-EX

Please ontor hereby an Appeal on botalf of the apprises property owners appealing the Patition in the above carticold matter, H. Willess Geary and Virginia Heary, individually and jointly, to the Baltimore County Board of Appeals from the Grear and Decision of the Zoning Commissioner dated July 30, 1869, granting the Patition for reclassification outlined above.

A check for \$80.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the cost of this appeal in accordance with the established procedures.

Respectfully yours,

H. Wilmer Geary

Joseph Harlan 717 Title Building Baltimore, Faryland - 21202 Attorney for Protestants.

Virginia Ceary

JH/hm Enclosere as noted

cc: Gerald H. Cooper, Esquire

I HEREBY CERTIFY that copy of the aforegoing Order of Appeal was mailed this 7th day of November, 1966 to Joseph Harlan, Esquire, 717 Title Building, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, Allan J. Malester, Esquire, 1410 Court Square Building, Paltimore, Maryland 21202, Nathar Patz, Esquire, 10 Light Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, Lee Klavans, Esquire, 1550 W. North Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21217, Harry Goldman, Jr., Esquire, 44 Central Savings Bank Building, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, Robert S. Rody, Esquire, 711 Equitable Building, Baltimere, Maryland 21202, and Gerald H. Cooper, Esquire, 905 Blaustein Building, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, attorneys of record for Protestants in the above entitled case; and a copy of this appeal has been delivered on the same date to the office of the County Board of Appeals of Batelmore County.

SUMMIT COUNTRY CLUB, INC. Old Pimlico Road Baltimore County, Maryland 21209

vs. COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS County Office Building 111 W. Chesaptake Avenue Towenn, Maryland 21204

IN THE

BALTINORE COUNTY

Appellee

ORDER FOR APPEAL

MR. CLERK:

Please enter an Appeal to the Circuit Court for Saltimore County on behalf of the Summit Country Club, Inc., by their attorney, Lee Klavans, from the Order, decision and reclassification, granted by the County Board of Appeals on October 7, 1966 in the matter of Petition for Reclassification from R-40 Zone to a R-A Zone, at the northeast corner of Old Piplico Road and Traymore Road, 3rd District, William L. Reynolds, et al, Petitioners, Case No. 56-16-RX.

> Lekhan & LEE KLAVANS LEE KLAVANS
> Attorney for Appellant
> North Associates Building
> 1360 W. North Avenue
> Baltimore, Maryland 21917
> 669-3333

I HERBLY CERTIFY that on this 4 day of November, 1966, a of the aforegoing Order for Appeal was served at the office of the County Board of Appeals, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Averue, Towson, Maryland 21204, and was mailed to James H. Cook, Esq., 22 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, Maryland, 21204, counsel for Petitioners.

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WILLIAM L. REYNOLDS, VIRGINIA B. REYNOLDS, AUSTIN L. REYNOLDS, DORIS HILL REYNOLDS, SAMUEL C. HOTTLE and DOROTHY R. HOTTLE

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> WILLIAM S. BALDWIN, W. GILES PARKER and 3. BRUCE ALDERMAN CONSTITUTING THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR

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BALTIMORE COUNTY Misc. Docket 8/144/363 3

GRDER OF DISMISSAL

Will you kindly dismiss the appeal taken on behalf of William L. Reynolds, Virginia B. Reynolds, Austin L. Reynolds, Doris Hill Reynolds. Samuel C. Hottle and Dorothy R. Hottle from the Order of the County Board of Appeals is the above entitled matter

James H. Cook Attorney for Appellants

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INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

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SUBJECT 7/14/05 - Dist. )
Petition #66-16-80
Reymolds Property
Pinlico & Trancre Roads

Revised site plan was submitted to our human by Sr. Freie manoclint engineer from the George W. Stephens Corpany, exerting water supply and fire logicant locations for the above object. subject.

This new site plan indicates a satisfactory actual to say by vater for this proposed disclorest. The fire hyuran locations do not our standards of species, therefore, we have approved this plan.

In view of these facts we were not asked to appear at this soning hearing held this date to testify for the protestants.

PMR: Jis



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INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO. Mr. John G. Rose, Zoning Commissioner	Date June 30, 1965

FROM George E. Gavrelis, Director

SUBJECT Petition 666-16-RX. "R-40 Zone to R-A Zone. Northeast corner of Old Pimlico and Traymore Roads. Being the property of Wm. L. Reynolds, Virginic B. Reynolds, Austin L. Reynolds, Daris Hill Reynolds, Samuel C. Hottle and Darothy R. Hottle."

Wednesday, JULY 14, 1965 (10:00 A.M.)

The planning staff of the Office of Planning and Zoning has reviewed the subject petition and

- Once again we face the possibility of a major assoult upon the integrity of an established comprehensive zoning plan. And, once again, we have a proposal for a reclastification that can be summed up briefly only by engagine, we have a proposal for a reclastification that can be summed up briefly only by engagine nat only in that land-use potentials that the subject of the subject period in the property, but doo in their as special exception for not just one but ten all undoor apartment buildings it seling requestly. Adjocent zoning is R-10, R-20, and R-40, Existing uses of adjacent land fall either into the residential or open-load careaories.
- From a planning-policy viewpoint, access to the subject property is entirely substandard for the kind of sevelapment proposed. Although a realignment and relocation of Old Pinilico Road had been scheduled for fiscal 1986-1997 (as indicated in the County Traffic Enjineers comments issued by the Zoning Advisory Committee), the scheduling was never official and was, in fact, removed from the Five Year Capital Program before it was approved by the County Carucili. Thus, no improvement to Old Finilico Road is presently in sight, and access will remain substandard for the foreseeable future.
- Aside from access considerations, the subject proposal also fails to meet any of the ather criteria which are being considered by this office as locational standards for the placement of elevator apartment buildings. The site is not within an orban center, it is not close to any community shopping area of admunter size, and it is not adequately served by public transit facilities.

	<ol> <li>Topography on this site could be termed difficultacould topography, in itself be considered a justified density than that to which it should otherwise be like.</li> </ol>	ation for development at a higher
	<ol> <li>Taking all things into account, we are of the firm should be denied.</li> </ol>	opinion that the subject petition
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PETITION FOR ZONING RE-CLASSIFICATION 66-168 AND/OR SPECIAL EXCEPTION MAY TO THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY: TO THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF MALIBOORS COURT OF THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF THE REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF THE hereby petition (1) that the zening status of the herein described property be re-classified, pur zone to an w-8-C .....zone; for the following reasons: 6/28/61 BRD DIS. 1. There has been a change in the neighborhood, and 2. There was an error in the original zoning of the land, and SFC 2-C NW-8C 3. For other reasons to be assigned at the time of hearing Sek attacheu description and (2) for a Special Exception, under the said Zoning Law and Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the herein described property, for \_\_\_elevator\_apartments\_\_\_\_\_ Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above re-classification and/or Special Exception advertising posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning ctions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimor Contract purchaser whitela James H. CooPetitioner's Attorney Protestant's Attor Les H.K.a Address .22.W. Pennsylvania Aveaux. ORDERED By The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, this .... 8th .... ..., 196.5., that the subject matter of this petition be advertised, as required by the Zoning Law of Beltimore County, in two newspapers of general circulation through out Battimore County, that property be posted, and that the public hearing be had before the Zoning Countsistener of Battimore County in Room 106, County Office Building in Towson, Battimore County, on the day of July hast Fre A. MN 8 BANIMORE COUNTY, MAYLAND No.32093 OFFICE OF FINANCE Division of Collection and Receipt COURT HOUSE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 \$5.00 66-16 5.00 9-760 1+0+ \* 32093 DP-IMPORTANT: MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND MAIL TO DIVISION OF COLLECTION & RECEIPTS, COURT HOUSE, YOWSON 4, MARYLAND PLEASE RETURN UPPER SECTION OF THIS BILL WITH YOUR REMITTANCE. BANIMORE COUNTY, MAYLAND TELEPHONE 823-3000 No.32986 OFFICE OF FINANCE COURT HOUSE TOWSON, MARYLAND 2120-Office of Planning & Suring 119 County Office Bidg., Tourse, Harriand 21206 8-3160 1116 . 32086 TKP-0007

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DATE TIME: WEDNESDAY,
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LOCATION: Northeast corner
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PUBLIC HEARING: Room
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The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by author

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