TO THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY:

Catonsville Congregation of
I, or we. Jehovah's Witnesses legal owner of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

hereby petition for a Variance from Sections 504. 2 and V. B. 2 to permit a front yard

setback for an existing church building of 39 feet, instead of the required 50 feet.

of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the Zoning Law of Baltimore County; for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty)

Hardship and practical difficulty in that the building is existing and cannot be moved nor can the entrance from the porch be relocated. The porch is to be enclosed to make a better facility for the congregation.

See attached description

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

1, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this tion, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions, of knore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law For Raltimore County.

John D Catonsville Congregation of Contract purchase maville, Md. - 2122

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DATE.

ORDERED By The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, this 204. of December 196, 16, that the subject matter of this petition be advertised, as required by the Zoning-Law of Baltimore County, in two newspapers of general circulation throughout Baltimore County, that property be posted, and that the public hearing be had before the Zonminssioner of Baltimore County in Room 106, County Office Building in Towson, Baltimore

....day of January 19876, at 11:00 o'clock 12th County, on the.

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Legal Owner

1928 Powers Lane Catonsviller 28d.

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 ALBERT B. KALTENBACH, P.E. DIRECTOR

January 14, 1976

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna Mr. S. Eric DiNenna Zoning Commissioner County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

ment of public works

RE: Item #106 (1975-1976) Item #106 (1975-1976)
Property Owner: Catonaville Congregation of Johovah's Mitnesses
N/S of Powers Lane 594.2' W of Rolling Road Existing Zening; DR 3.5
Proposed Zoning; Wariance from Secs. 504.2 & V.B. 2 to permit a front yard setback for an existing church building of 39' instead of the required 50'. No. of acres: 0.79 District: 1st

The following comments are furnished in regard to the plat submitted to this office for review by the Zoning Advisory Committee in connection with the subject

Powers Lane, an existing public road, is proposed to be improved in the future as 40-foot closed section roadway on a 60-foot right-of-way. Highway improvements including highway right-of-way widening and any necessary revertible easements for slopes will be required in connection with any grading or building permit applications. (Sec 80 70-199-3 and Drawing 70-0516, File 5 per job Order 5-1-2792).

The entrance locations are subject to approval by the Department of Traffic Engineering and shall be constructed in accordance with Baltimore County

Development of this property through stripping, grading and stabilization could result in a sediment pollution problem, damaging private and public holdings downstream of the property. A grading permit is, therefore, necessary for all grading, including the stripping of top soil.

Provisions for accommodating storm water or drainage have not been indicated on the submitted plan.

RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

BEFORE THE ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALLTHORE COUNTY

CATONSVILLE CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, Petitioners

Case No. 76-141-A

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ORDER TO ENTER APPEARANCE

Mr. Commissioners

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Pursuant to the authority contained in Section 524.1 of the Baltimore County Charter, I hereby enter my appearance in this proceeding. You are requested to notify me of any hearing date or dates which may be now or hereafter designated therefore, and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order in connection therewith.

Charles E. Kountz, Gr./ Deputy People's Counsel

John W. Hessian, III People's Counsel County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204 494-2188

I hereby certify that on this 9th day of January, 1976, a copy of the foregoing Order was mailed to Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Petitioners, 1928 Powers Lane, Catonsvile, Maryland .

John W. Hessin, III



Item #106 (1975-1976) erty Owner: Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses January 14, 1976

Storm Drains: continued

The petitioner must provide necessary drainage facilities (temporary or permanent) to prevent creating any nuisances or damages to adjacent properties, especially by the concentration of surface waters. Correction of any problem which may result, due to improper grading or improper installation of drainage facilities, would be the full responsibility of the petitioner.

The submitted plan must be revised to indicate the private onsite means of water supply being utilized by the Petitioner. The 30-inch Catonaville Water Pumping Station Discharge Main exists in Powers Lane from which no direct service connections can be made. However, public water main extension can be made from the reduced diameter main or appurtnances provided, see drawing 59-1047. File 3 and revision thereto.

ELLSWORTH N. DIVER, P.E. Chief, Bureau of Engineering

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H- N.E. - Key Sheet 4 S.W. 27 - Position Sheet S.W. 2-G - Topo 94 - Tax Map

H. W. Shalowitz - Fairlanes - Rolling Road Plaza Shopping Center

January 16, 1976

Mr. John D. LaVinka Mr. John D. Lavanna Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses 1928 Powers Lane Catonsville, Maryland 21228

> RE: Petition for Variance N/S of Powers Lane, 594.2' W of Rolling Road - 1st Election Dis-Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses - Petitioner NO. 76-141-A (Item No. 106)

I have this date passed my Order in the above referenced matter. Copy of said Order is attached.

Very truly yours,

S. ERIC DI NENNA

SED/eA

cc: Mr. Lawrence F. Williams 45 Edmendson Ridge Road Catonsville, Maryland 21228

John W. Hessian, III, Esquire

MCA DOD CONSULTING ENGINEERS

DESCRIPTION

0.79 ACRE PARCEL, NORTH SIDE OF POWERS LANE, WEST OF ROLLING ROAD, LAND OF THE CATONSVILLE CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES, FIRST ELECTION DISTRICT, BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND.

This Description is for Front Yard Variance.

Beginning for the same at a point on the north side of Powers Lane, at the distance of 594.2 feet, more or less, as measured westerly along said north side of Powers Lane from its intersection with the west side of Rolling Road, said beginning point being the beginning of the land conveyed to the Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses by deed recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber G. L. B. 2685, page 217, running thence binding on said north side of Powers Lane, (1) N 63° 27' W 200 feet, thence along the outlines of the land herein referred to, three courses: (2) N 26° 10' E 169 feet, (3) S 64° 38' E 200 feet, and (4) S 26° 10' W 173 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing 0.79 of an acre of land, more or less.

HGW:mp

J.O. #01-75172 November 17, 1975 W.O. 11845-G

BALTIMORE COUNTY

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ZONING PLANS

ADVISORY COMMITTEE



PETITION AND SITE PLAN

EVALUATION COMMENTS

BALTIMORE COUNTY OFFICE OF PLANNING & ZONING

County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenu-Towson, Maryland 21204

Cotenoville Congregation of Petitioner Johnvehs Witnesses

Reviewed by Franklin T. Hogans Chairman,

APR 0 7 1976

the above Variance should NOT RE GRANTED

department of traffic engineering

TOWSON MARYLAND 21204

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna Zoning Commissioner County Office Building

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

NO. of Acres: 0.79 District: 1st

IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, this

196 that the above Variance be and the same is hereby DENIED

December 10, 1975

Re: Item 106 - ZAC - December 2, 1975
Property Owner: Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses
Location: N/5 of Powers Lane 594.2' W of Rolling Road
Existing Zoning:
DR. 3.5
Proposed Zoning:
Variance from Secs. 504.2 & V.B. 2 to permit a front
yard setback for an existing church bldg. of 39' instead
of the required 50'.

No traffic engineering problems are anticipated by the requested

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Michael S. Flanigan Traffic Engineering Associate

and it appearing that by reason of the following finding of facts that strict compliance with the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations would result in practical difficulty and

Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING PLANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Tryson, Maryland 21204

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MENU ADMINISTRATIO NUTEAU OF FIRE PREVENTION DEPARTMENT OF STATE HIGHWAY

OFFICE OF THE

January 8, 1975

Catonsville Congregation of Jehovahs Witnesses 1928 Powers Lane Catonsville, Maryland 21228

> RE: Variance Petition Item 106 Item 106 Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses - Petitioner

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition and has made an on site field inspection of the property. The following comments are a result of this review and inspection.

These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties are made ware of plans or problems with regard to the development plans that may have a bearing on this case. The Director of Planning may file a written report with the Zoning Commissioner with recommendations as to the appropriateness of the requested zoning.

The subject property is located on the north side of Powers Lane, 594.2 feet west of Rolling Road, and is currently improved with a religious meeting hall and parking area. The building has an open front porch which is proposed to be enclosed, and the resulting setback of 39 feet is the subject of this Variance petition.

This property abuts on the east the rear of a shopping center, on the west and north residential uses, and across Powers Lane to the south a wooded area.

Catonsville Congregation of Re: Item 106 Page 2 January 8, 1975

This petition is accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate. Notice of the hearing date and time, which will be held not less than 30, nor more than 90 days after the date on the filing certificate, will be forwarded to you in the near future.

Very truly yours,

Franklin T. Hoggerf Chairman, Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

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cc: MCA 1020 Cromwell Bridge Road

TOWSON MARYLAND 21204

DONALD J. ROOP, M.D., M.P.H. DEPUTY STATE AND COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER

December 15, 1975

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna, Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Mr. DiNeana:

Comments on Item #106, Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting, December 2, 1975, are as follows:

Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses
Location: N/S of Powers Lane 594.2' W of Rolling Road Existing Zoning: DR 3.5
Proposed Zoning: Variance from Secs. 504.2 & V.B. 2 to permit a front yard setback for an existing church bldg. of 39' instead of the required 50'.
No. of Acres: 0.79
District: 1st

 \boldsymbol{A} revised plot plan is required indicating method of sewage disposal and water supply.

Very truly yours,

Thomas H. Devlin, Director BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

RJW:dls

December 9, 1975

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna, Zoning Commissi Zoning Advisory Committee
Office of Planning and Zoning
Baltimore County Office Building
Towson, Maryland 21234

Dear Mr. DiNenno:

Comments on Item \$106, Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting, December 2, 1975, are as follows:

Property Owner: Catonsville Congrection of Jehovah's Witnesses
Location: N/S of Powers Lane 594.2' W. of RollingRoad
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an existing church bldg of 39° instead of the required 50°
No. of Acres: 0.79
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This office has reviewed the subject petition and offers the following comments. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning in question, but are to assure that all parties are made aware of plans or problems with regard to development plans that may have a

This plan has been reviewed and there are no site-planning factors requiring comment.

Very truly yours, John ZWmbly

John L. Wimbley Planning Specialist II BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Baltimore County Fire Department

825-7310

Zoning Agenda December 2, 1975

Re: Property Owner: Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below marked with an "x" are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property

() 1. Fire hydrants for the referenced property are required and shall be located at intervals of feet along an approved read in accordance with Baltimore County Standards as published by the Department of Public Works.

ECCEDS the maximum allowed by the Fire Department,

() h. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the
Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operations,

() 5. The buildings and structures eduting or proposed on the site shall
comply with all applicable requirements of the Hational Fire Protection
Association Standard No. 101 "The Life Safety Code", 1970 Edition prior
to occurance.

() 2. A second means of vehicle access is required for the site.
() 3. The vehicle dead-end condition shown at

EXCEEDS the maximum allowed by the Fire Department

7. The Fire Prevention Bureau has no comments at this time.

Location: N/S of Powers Lane 594.2' W of Rolling Road

TOWSON, MARYLAND - 21204

Date: December 8, 1975

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna Zoning Commissioner Baltimore County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

() 6. Site plans are approved as drawn.

Planning Group Special Inspection Division

Z.A.C. Meeting of: December 2, 1975

Deputy Chief
Fire Prevention Bureau

J. Austin Deitz

Attention: Mr. Jack Dillon, Chairman Zoning Advisory Committee

Item No. 106

Gentlemen:

Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses Property Owner:

N/S of Powers Lane 594.2' W. of Rolling Road

D.R. 3.5 Present Zoning:

Variance from Secs. $504.2 \ \xi \ V.B.\ 2$ to permit a front yard setback for an existing church building of 39' instead of the required 50'.

District:

No. Acres:

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

No bearing on student population

Very truly years, Which Vetword W. Nick Petrovich., Field Representative.

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INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO_S. Eric DiNenna, Zoning Commissioner	Date January 9, 1976
FROM William D. Fromm, Director of Planning	

Pelition 76-141-A. Petition for a Variance for a Front Yard.

SUBJECT.—North side of Powen Lone 594.2 feet, more or less, West of Rolling Road. Petitioner - Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses

1st District

HEARING: Monday, January 12, 1976 at 11:00 A.M.

There are no comprehensive planning factors requiring comment on this petition at this time.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ZONING

County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Your Petition has been received * this 2/ day of 1972. Item

Petitioner's Attorney

* This is not to be interpreted as acceptance of the Petition for assignment of a hearing date.

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MCA ENGINEERING CORPORATION

CONSULTING ENGINEERS

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111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Re: POWERS LANE Our Job Order No. 01-75172

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

Baltimore, Maryland 21204

Mr. S. Eric DiNenna

Baltimore County Planning & Zoning

Zoning Commissioner

At the request of our client, Mr. Lawrence Williams, who represents the Catonsville Md. Congregation of Jehoval's Witnesses, we wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the courtesy which you displayed at the Variance Hearing relative to the above mentioned site,

It is our client's desire to request from your office at this time permission to continue the processing of the building permit to enclose the porch relative to the Variance Hearing. My client is aware that there is a 30-day waiting period for the appeal but would like to process the permit in order that if there is no appeal at the end of this waiting period, the permit would be in order so that the work could commence.

We would appreciate anything your office can do to permit this request.

Very truly yours,

MCA ENGINEERING CORPORATION

Paul Lee, Senior Vice-President

PL:mpl

cc: Mr. Lawrence Williams

Acknowledged and approved Joseph J. Williams Feb. 3, 1976

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement of

Petition for a Variance- Catonsville Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses

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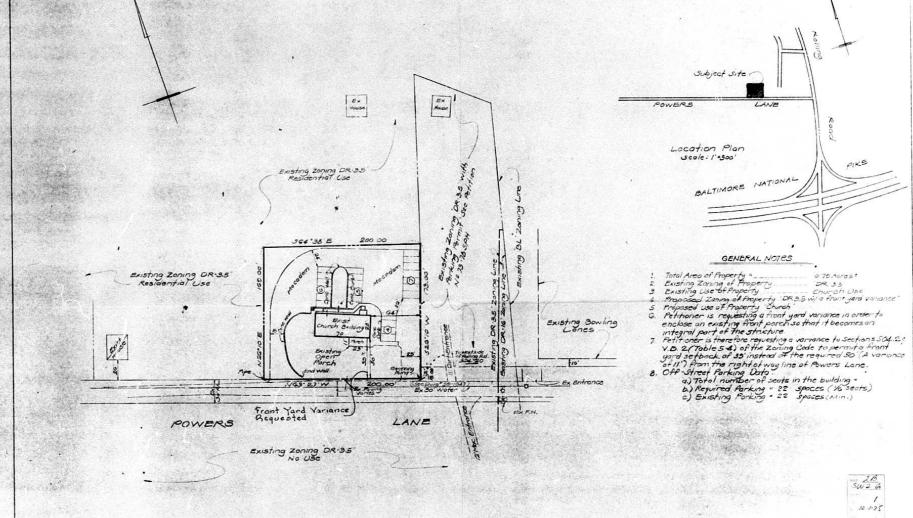
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