PETITION FOR ZONING RE-CLASSIFICATION SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND/OR VARIANCE

TO THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY:

The undersigned, legal owner(s) 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 (1) that the soning status of the herein described property be re-classified, pursuant to the Zoning Law

and (3) for the reasons given in the attached statement, a variance from the following sections of

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND M. 107987

(BA*(_____ Samuel Control e Baltimore County Code.

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City and State

Attorney for Petitioner: S. Eric Differna 6.S. Erte Dinenna, P.A.

406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue

Towson, Maryland 21204

Attorney's Telephone No.: 825-1630

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Special Exception and/or Variance.

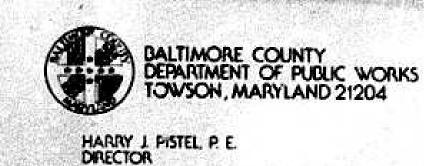
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12 Brecon Place Cockeysville, MD 21030

Name, address and phone number of legal owner, contract purchaser or representative to be contacted

S. Eric DiNenna 406 W. Pennsylvania Ave. 825-1630



October 11, 1982

Mr. William T. Hackett, Chairman Board of Appeals Court House Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Item #5 Zoning Cycle TV (Oct. 1982-Apr. 1983) Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al S/S Brecon Place 498' W. from centerline of York Avenue Existing Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning: R-O Acres: 0.661

Dear Mr. Hackett:

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

District: 8th

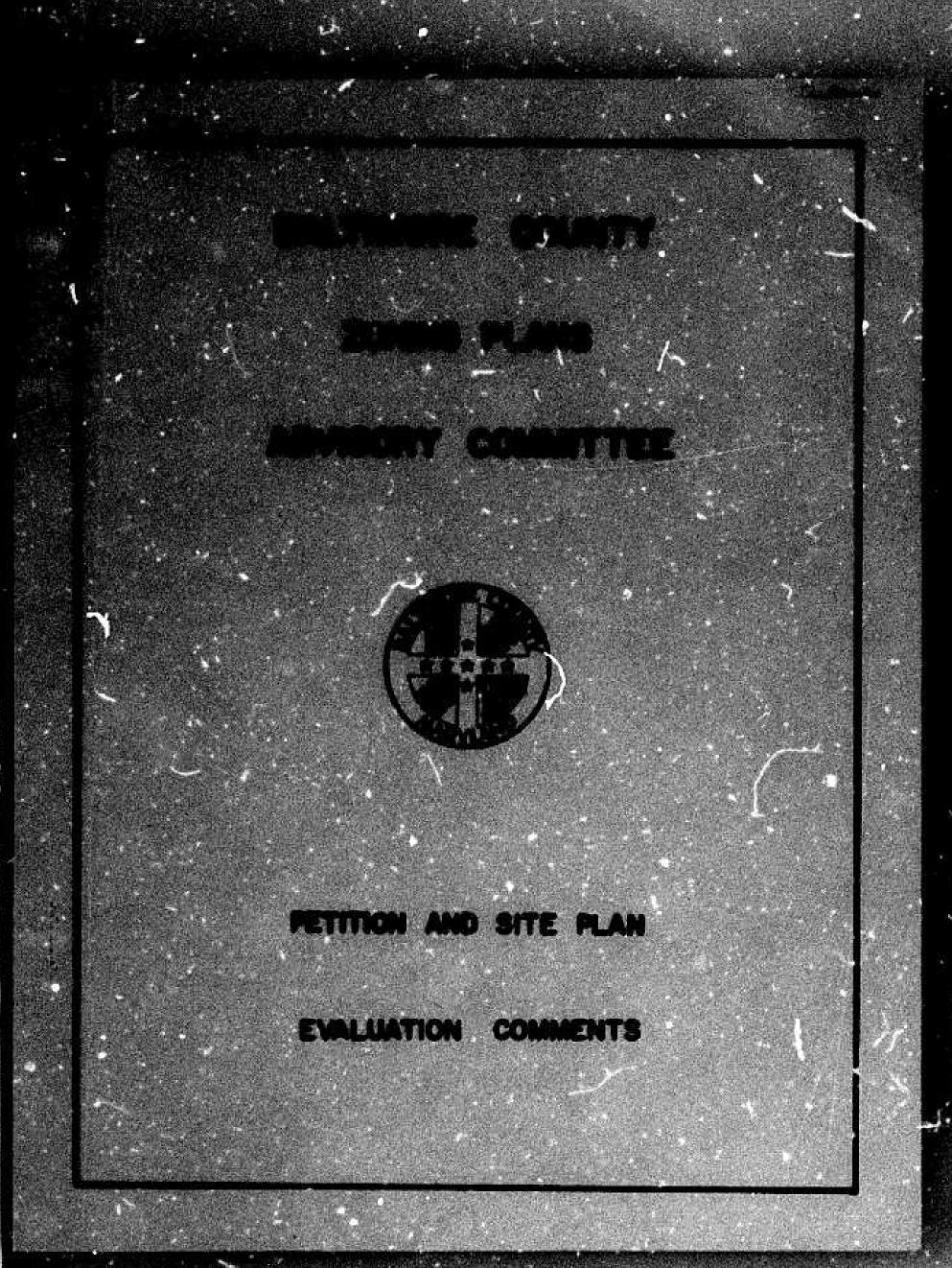
Marren Road (Md. 143) is a State Road; therefore, all improvements, intersections, entrances and drainage requirements as they affect the road come under the jurisdiction of the Maryland State Highway Administration. Any utility construction within the State Road right-of-way will be subject to the standards, specifications and approval of the State in addition to those of Baltimore County.

Brycon Place, an existing public road, is proposed to be further improved in the future as a 30-foot closed section roadway on a 50-foot right-of-way with a standard-type roadway termination.

The entrance locations are subject to approval by the Department of Traffic Engine aring.

Sediment Control:

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 glading, including the stripping of top soil.



BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING PLANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

November 4, 1982

COUNTY OFFICE SLDG. 111 W. Chesapeake Ave. Towson, Maryland 21204

Nicholas B. Commodari Chairman.

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S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> RE: Item No. 5 - Cycle No. IV Petitioner - Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Reclassification Petition

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

This reclassification petition has been timely filed with the Board of Appeals for a public hearing within the October-April reclassification cycle (Cycle IV). It has been reviewed by the zoning office as to form and content and has also been reviewed by the Zoning Plans Advisory Committee. The review and enclosed comments from the Committee are intended to pr vide you and the Board of Appeals with an insight as to possible conflicts or problems that could arise from the requested reclassification or uses and improvements that may be specified as part of the request. They are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested.

If it has been suggested that the petition forms, descriptions, briefs, and/or the site plans be amended so as to reflect better compliance with the zoning regulations and/ or commenting agencies' standards and policies, you are requested to review these comments, make your own judgement as to their accuracy and submit the necessary amendments to this office before Monday, Covember 29, 1982. In the event that any requested amendments are not received prior to this date, the petition will be advertised as originally

Located at the westerly termination of Brecon Place, west of York Avenue in the 8th Election District, the subject property is improved with a detached dwelling. Similar uses exist to the north and east along Brecon Place, while an office building and related parking area exist to the south.

In view of your clients' proposal to convert the existing dwelling to offices, this hearing is required Access to the office building is proposed through the existing parking area to the south. In view of this,

Item No. 5 - Cycle No. IV Petitioner - Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Reclassification Petition

particular attention should be afforded to the comments from the State Highway Administration. In addition, the site plan should be revised to include the type of paving and additional screening for the proposed parking lot, and lighting, if proposed.

Since any development in an R.O. zone is subject to Bill No.56-82, I strongly suggest that you contact Mr. Jack Wimbley at 494-3335 to determine how said Bill will affect your clients' proposal.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed comments, please feel free to contact me at 494-3391. Notice of the specific hearing date which will be between March 1 and June 30, 1983, will be forwarded to you in the future.

> Very truly yours, NICHOLAS B. COMMODARI

Chairman Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

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Enclosures

cc: Paul Lee Engineering, Inc. 304 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Item #5 Zoning Cycle IV (Oct. 1982-Apr. 1983) Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al October 11, 1982

Storm Drains:

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.

Water and Sanitary Sewer:

Public water supply and manitary sewerage are serving the present residence.

Bureau of Public Services

RAM EAM: FWR: 85

cc: Jack Wimbley V-SE Key Sheet

65 & 66 NW 5 Pos. Sheets NW 17 B Topo 51 Tax Map



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Maryland Department of Transportation

State Highway Administration

Mr. William Hackett, Chairman Board of Appeals County Office Building Towson, Maryland 21204

September 22, 1982

Re: RE-CLASSIFICATION PETITIONS CYCLE IV - 1982 MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 14, 1982

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ITEM: #5. Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Location: S/S Brecon Place Route 45, 498' W. from centerline of York Avenue Existing Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning: R-0 Acres: 0,661 District: 3th

Dea: Mr. Hackett:

On review of the site plan of August 25, 1982 and field inspection, the State Highway Administration finds the plan generally acceptable.

With the existing Broadwater Medical Center requiring 75 parking spaces and the plan showing 88 existing parking spaces, the State Highway Administration recommends two (2) additional parking spaces be eliminated with a total of 82 remaining on the Broadwater site.

The elimination of two (2) additional spaces (one on each side of the curb cut) at the north property line would provide an additional safety factor with access to the north site and

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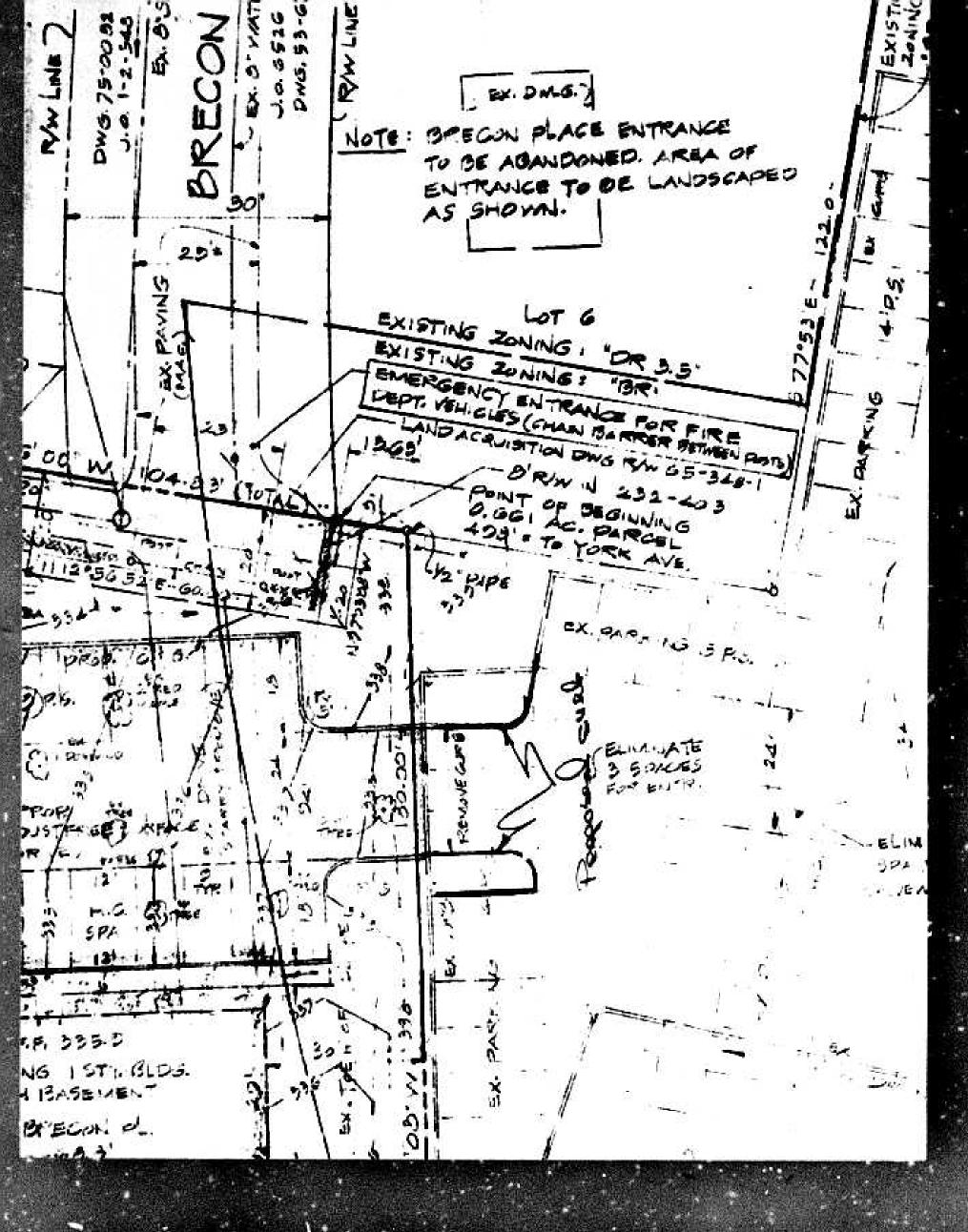
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By: George Wittman

Attachment

cc: Mr. J. Wimbley



BALTIMORE COUNTY
DEPARTMENT OF TRAFFIC ENGINEERING
TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204
494-3550

STEPHEN E. COLLINS DIRECTOR

Movember 1, 1982

Mr. William Backett Chairman, Board of Appeals Office of Law, Courthouse Towson, Maryland 21204

> Cycle TV - Meeting of September 14, 1982 Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et a. Location: S/S Brecon Place 498ft. W. From centerline of York Avenue Existing Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning: R.O. Acres: 0.661 District: 8th

The proposed office building can be expected to generate approximately 40 trips per day as general offices and 220 trips per day as medical offices.

Traffic Engineer II

MSF/ccm

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

September 29, 1982

cc: William Hackett Mr. William Massacou Chairman of doard of Appeals Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Loning Beltimore County Office Building Towns, Maryland 21204

Attention: Wick Commodari, Chairman Soning Plans Advisory Committee

RE: Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Location: 5/8 Brecon Place 498' V. from centerline of York Avenue

Zoning Agenda: Meeting of September 14, 1982 Item No. :

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 hydrents for the referenced property are required and shall be located at intervals or _____feet along an approved road in accordance with Beltimore County Standards as published by the Department of Public Morks.
- !) 2. A second means of vehicle access is required for the site.
- () 3. The vehicle dead end condition shown at

SHCEROS the maximum ellowed by the Fire Department.

- () 4. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Pire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.
- (X) S. The buildings and structures existing or proposed on the site shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Mational Fire Protection Association Standard No. 101 "Life Safety Code", 1976 Edition prior
- () 6. Site plans are approved, as drawn,

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

C/O Nickolas Commodari TO Chairman Balto, Co. Board of Appeals William T. Hackett

Date September 29, 1962

PROMCharles E. Burnham, Plans Review Chief

SUBJECT Cycle Zoning IV, 1982

Item 5. Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al

Any new structures, alterations, additions or changes of use shall require permits from the Baltimore County Department of Permits and License before proceeding. The applicable codes are the 1981 BOGA Basic Building Code as amended by Council Bill #L-82, the 1981 LOCA Basic Mechanical Code, the 1981 BOCA Basic Energy Code and the Maryland State Code for the Handicapped. (Md. Reg. 05.01.07.)

It shall be the owners responsibility to verify if the building can in fact com, ly or be made to comply with table 303.2 of the BOCA Building Code the Mechanical, Fuergy & State Code. Before applying for a change of occupancy alteration and other required permits.

There do appear to be problems with ceiling heights (7'-6 min) for Habitable areas, sprinklers in storage areas, exits, possible fire separations, and compliance to the Handicapped Codes (BOCA Sect-515 as well as the State Code.).

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

NICHOLAS COMMODARI, Chairman TO... Joning Plans Advisory Committee Date..... October 21, 1982..... PAUL J. SOLOMON, Head PROM .. Environmental Planning Sec., OPZ Cycle III, No. 5 and No. 6, Review of SUBJECT submitted environmental impact statements

The environmental impact statements for Item No. 5 and No. 6 meet the requirements of Section 101 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations.

PJS:vh

Environmental Planning Sec

BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Robert Y. Dubel, Superintendent

Towson, Maryland - 21204

Date: 9/17/82

Mr. William E. Hammond Zoning Commissioner Baltimore County Office Building 1111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Z.A.C. Meeting of: 9/14/82

RE: Item No: 5 Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Location: S/S Brecon Place 498' W. from centerline of York Avenue Present Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning: R-0

District: 8th No. Acres: 0.661

Dear Mr. Hammond:

Acreage too small to have effect on student population.

Very truly yours Mm. Nick Petrovich, Assistant Department of Planning

BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 DONALD & ROOP, M.D., M.P.H. DEPUTY STATE & COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER

September 27, 1982

Mr. William Hackett, Chairman Board of Appeals Court House Towson, Maryland 21204

Acres:

Dear Mr. Hackett:

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Comments on Item #5, Cycle IV Meeting, September 14, 1982, are

Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al S/S Brecon Place 498' W. from conterline of

York Avenue Existing Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning:

0.661 District:

The existing building is presently served by metropolitan water and sewer. The proposed conversion of the building to offices should not pose any health hazards.

> Ian J. Forrest, Director BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

RE: PETITION FOR RECLASSIFICATION : BEFORE THE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS from D.R. 3.5 to R.O. Zone OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

S/S Brecon Place 498' W from Centerline of York Avenue. 8th District

ELEANOR V. BROADWATER. : Case No. CR-83-192 (Item 5, Cycle IV, 1982) et al, Petitioners *****

ORDER TO ENTER APPEARANCE

To the Honorable, Members of Said Board:

Pursuant to the authority contained in Section 524, I of the Baltimare 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 therefor, and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order in connection therewith,

Mrs Zonnerman Liter Peter Max Zimmerman Deputy People's Counsel

John 7.). Decree, HI John W. Hessian, III People's Counsel for Boltimore County Rm. 223, Court House Towson, Maryland 21204

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 25th day of January 1183,

a copy of the foregoing Order was mailed to S. Eric DiNerma, Esquire and S. Eric Di Nenna, P.A., 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204, Attorney for Petitioners.

MEMORANDUM OPINION

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This case comes before this Court on appeal by the People's Counsel for Baltimore County from an Opinion and Order of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, under date of May 25, 1983, granting a zening reclassification on the subject property from D.R. 3.5 to R-O zoning. After careful consideration of the case below and applicable Maryland law, this Court is constrained to affirm the holding of the Board of Appeals.

It is well rettled in Maryland that "where a legislative body, or a board... has granted a rezoning of property, the question on judicial review is whether or not such action is arbitrary and discriminatory or fairly debatable. " Boyce v. Sembly, 25 Md. App. 43, 49, 334 A.2d 137 (1975). The Court in Eger v. Stone, 253 Md. 533, 542, 253 A.2d 372 (1969), defined a "fairly debatable" decision as that which involved testimony "from which a reasonable man could come to different conclusions ... " Prince George's County v. Meininger, 264 Md. 148, 152, 285 A.2d 649 (1972). Quoting from Supreme Court Justice Frankfurter's opinion in Universal Camera Corp. v. National Labor Relations Board, 340 U.S. 474, 95 L.Ed. 456, the Court in Board v. Oak Hill Parms, 232 Md. w274, 280, 192 A.2d 761 (1963), stated that "substantial evidence" Thas been held to mean "more than a scintilla" and was such evidence

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M. S. Collebor Administrator

September 22, 1982

Mr. William Mackett, Chairman Board of Appeals County Office Building Tousen, Maryland 21204

Re: RE-CLASSIFICATION PETITIONS CYCLE IV - 1982 MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 14, 1982

ITEM: #5. Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Location: S/S Brecon Place Route 45, 498' W. from centerline of York Avenue Existing Zoning: D.R. 3.5 Proposed Zoning: R-0 Acres: 0.661 District: 8th

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*as a reasonable mind might accept as adequate to support a conclusion * * * and enough to justify, if the trial were to a jury, a refusal to direct a verdict * * *."

To support a zoning reclassification, the property owners must prove "mistake" or "error" in the original zoning. On this question of original mistake, the courts have held that when an assumption upon which a particular use is predicated proves, with the passage of time to be erroneous, this is sufficient to authorize a rezoning. Rockville v. Stone, 271 Md. 655, 662, 319 A.2d 536, 541 (1974).

The evidence submitted by Petitioners, the property owners, to the Goard of Appeals was strong, material and substantial, and sustained their burden of proof that the original zoning was in error. The uncontroverted evidence produced by Petitioners showed that the subject property was bisected in part by B.R. (Business, Roadside) zoning, abutted on two sides by B.R. zoning, and abutted on one side by R-O (Residential, Office) zoning. Neighboring parcels contain a Kimmel Tire Co. store and repair center and a medical offices building, both commercial establishments erected subsequent to Petitioners' purchase of the subject property. In imposing the original zoning, the County Council failed to take into account then-existing facts, projects and trends, such as the ever expanding commercial and business use of the York Road corridor, which were reasonably forseeable of fruition in the future. In addition, the Council ignored the fact that due to the small size of the parcel (approximately .66 acre) and its proximity to the medical office building, the parcel was obviously intended and hoped for use in conjunction with the medical building.

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eliminates pedestrians from entering and leaving their vehicles within the traveled way of vehicles entering the adjoining site.

Very truly yours, 6 hardapie Charles Lee, Chief Bureau of Engineering Access Permits

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The Board of Zoning Appeals had before it substantial evidence of error in the 1980 comprehensive map process with regard to the subject property and the Order of the Board of Zoning Appeals granting the rezoning is affirmed.

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PEOFLE'S COURSEL FOR BALTIMORE COURTY IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ELEANOR V. HROADWATER, ET. AL. FOR REZONING FROM

CIRCUIT COURT FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

D.R. 3.5 to R-0 on property located on the south side of Brecon Place, 498' west from the center line of York Avenue, 8th District

Petitioners - Appelles Zoning File No. R-83-192

COURTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTINURE COUNTY

(1) June 22, 1983 - People's Counsel for Baltimore County's Order for Appeal from the decision of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County & Petition for Appeal fd.

(2) June 30, 1983 - Certificate of Notice fd.

(3) July 18, 1983 - Transcript of Record fd. (4) July 18, 1985 - Notice of Filing of Record fd.

(5) July 18, 1983 - App. of S. Eric Dillerma for Petitioners and Appellee and Some Day Answer to Petition of Appeal fd.

(6) Aug. 4, 1983 Appellant's Memorandum fd.

(7) Aug. 31, 1983 - Putitioners and Appelles Memorandum fd.

Feb. 14, 1984 Won. Austin W. Brizendine, Hearing had. Ruling held sub-curia. Order and Ominion to be filed.

(8) May 9, 1984 - Memorandum Opinion and Order of Court that the Order of the Board of Zoning Appeals Granting the Rezoning is Affirmed fd. (AWB)

CASE NO. 83 - M - 230

Board of Appeals

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ATTORNEYS

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IN THE MATTER OF
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ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL
FOR REZONING FROM
D. R. 3.5 to R-O
on property located on the south
side of Brecan Place, 498' west
from the center line of York Avenue
8th District

BEFORE
COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY No.CR-83-192

OPINION

This case comes before this Board on petition for a zoning reclassification from D.R. 3.5 to R.O. The property contains come 0.661 acres of which 0.551 acres is zoned D.R. 3.5 and 0.11 acres is zoned B.R. Case was heard this day in its entirety.

This petition was presented this Board under a specific plan use and all requirements of Bill 46-79 in this aspect were complied with. Mr. Paul Lee, Registered Professional Engineer, first testified for Petitioner. He prepared all required plats, the environmental impact statement and also described for the Board the subject site and its general relationship to abutting properties. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Broadwater, part owners, (1/2) who reside at the subject site, next testified. I sstimony was that her brother-in-law owns the medical center directly to the south and also part interest in the subject site. Their cumulative testimony indicated that when they took possession in 1979, the medical center was not yet built, although it was proposed. Since its erection, the elevation of the parking lot is detrimental to the normal expected peaceful use of their residence. As an aside at this point, the Board questions that since they are all family involved in the two properties, could not a privacy type fence correct to a great degree this problem. Testimany also noted a large tire repair business erected since their occupancy on property to the west. Dr. Ronald Broadwater, 2222 Springtown Road, Butter, Maryland, a general partner in the firm that owns the medical building, and 1/2 owner of the subject site, testified as to the proposed use of the property for general and medical offices and stated that he was fully aware that if his request was granted, he must fully comply with the submitted specific site plan. He also noted that this property, the

IN THE MATTER OF PETITION FOR RECLASSIFICATION 12 BRECON PLACE

RONALD BROADWATER, SR., et al * Petitioners

MEMORANDUM OF LAW

Ronald Broadwater, Sr., M. D., et al, Petitioners, by S. ERIC Dinenna and S. ERIC Dinenna, P.A., their attorneys, respectfully request a reclassification for the above captioned subject property from a DR3.5 Zone to an RO ?.ne, for the property located and known as 12 Brecon Place, Baltimore County, Maryland.

BEFORE THE

COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

BALTIMORE COUNTY

Pursuant to Bill 46-79 your Petitioners submit a plan, herewith, concerning the proposed use as general and medical offices for property containing 0.661 acres of land, more or less.

The property is sandwiched between a residential area of DR3.5 and the BR Zone and BR used properties along Warren Rord and York Road.

The Petitioner claims error in that a proper buffer was not provided by the Baltimore County Council in its adoption of the 1980 Comprehensive Zoning Map between the BR Zone to the west and south and to the DR3.5 Zone to the east. This makes the property virtually unusable as a residential zone considering that it is sandwiched and surrounded by the BR Zone and uses permitted in the BR Zone.

Secondly, pursuant to Bill 45-79, the specific use of the property as aforementioned is general offices and medical offices and Petitioners will be bound by the plans as submitted. The property is presently improved with a one story family dwelling.

Case No. R-83-192

subject site, was acquired at relatively the same time as the site was purchased for the naw existing medical center. Mr. Frederick Klaus, a real estate appraiser and developer, then testified in support of this petition. He described all surrounding properties in detail, their zonings and present uses. He stated that it was his opinion the property is no larger suitable for a family residence and that R.O. would be the proper zoning. He also testified that the D.R. 16 zoning request that was an issue on the 1980 comprehensive maps, was an error and that R.O. should have been requested at that time. All witnesses testified that the proposed R.O. zoning would have no detrimental effect an any surrounding properties. This concluded Petitioners' case.

In apposition to the granting of this requested reclassification, People's Counsel had five nearby residents testify. Their names and addresses are as follows:

- 1. Dr. Stephen Lane, 10 Brecan Place
- 2. Roberta Myers, 9 Brecan Place
- Mabel DeFanso, 5 Brecan Place
 Nancy Crse, 22 Warren Road
- 5. Phillip Wolker, 6 Brecon Place

All residents testified that their apposition to this request was based on apposition to any commercial use an their street, Brecon Place. There was testimony that such use would be detrimental to their property values, that they had no wish to see increased vehicular use and parking on the site and that the present use was appropriate for the site. All noted the pure residential aspect of Brecon Place, its many years existence, and their desire that it continue in this use. Mr. James Hoswell, Planner for Baltimore County, was the final witness in this case. He testified that he wrote the report entered as Poople's Counsel's Exhibit No. 2. He noted that this property was an issue on the 1980 maps as a request for D.R. 16 zaning, which was denied by the County Council and the D.R. 3.5 retained. He noted the pure residential use of Brecan Place and stated that it was his opinion that the D.R. 3.5 provided a reasonable use for this site and that the zoning maps were correct and that the County Council made no error in so classifying it. On cross examination, he also affirmed that one property, the Gosnell property, directly abutting the medical center to the east, was presently zoned R.O. This canciluded People's Counsel's case.

There will he no entrance to Brecon Place; the entrance to the subject property will be from the office complex adjoining the subject property and fronting Warren Road. Both properties are in common ownership.

furthermore, there is a need in this general vicinity for medical offices.

For the above reasons and further reasons to be presented at the time of hearing, the Petitioners respectfully request a reclassification from the DR3.5 Zone to the RO Zone.

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S. EPIC DINENNA S. ERIC DINENNA, P.A. 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 825-1630 Attorneys for Petitioners

Respectfully submitted

Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al. Case No. R-63-192

After careful and lengthy consideration of all the testimony and especially the exhibits presented this day, the Board will note in our opinion some rather unusual aspects of this case. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Broadwater's contentions that residential use was no langer reasonable can in no way evidence any error by the County Council . They entered into partnership purchase of the property with full knowledge that the abutting property was to be heavily developed as a medical center by their own partner. They should certainly have been aware of all the B.R. zaning abutting this parcel and its possible uses. The Board will however consider the parcel as it now exists and as it existed during the 1980 comprehensive map process. Part of the site is already classified B.R., as the zoning lines bisect the property on the east and an the south. The proposal on the specific site plan closes all access to Brecan Place and screens that side of the property from the Brecon Place residents. This surely removes permanently, any traffic, service or customers, from their neighborhood. An R.O. office use sandwiched between B.R. and D. R. 3.5 does not appear to be particularly objectionable. In Mr. Hosweil's report, People's Counsel's Exhibit No. 3, he states, "Further, the commercial and office uses in the area are oriented to the York and Warren Roads: to extend these type uses to a Brecan Place property would be an unwarranted intrusion into this firmly established residential area." The site plan, as presented, removes this potential from the area. The only access to this site will now be through the medical center anto Warren Road and all access to Brecan Place will be permanently closed so that now there will be even less traffic on Brecon Place. The fact that this property was an issue on the 1980 map process with a specific request for D.R. 16 to allow parking for the medical center should surely have caused the County Council to carefully consider this property. The Board can well see that to grant D.R. 16 to this site would be inappropriate and spot zaning. However, at that time, the R.O. zaning was being considered by the Council for all D.R. 16 properties that might be precluded from office use by special exception as a result of the newly enacted R.O. zoning. Here is a property bisected

IN THE MATTER OF IN THE CIRCUIT COURT THE APPLICATION OF ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY FOR REZONING FROM D.R. 3.5 to R-O AT LAW on property located on the south Misc. Docket No. 15 side of Brecon Place, 493' west from the center line of York Ave... 9th District Folio No. 265 File No. 83-M-230 Zoning File No. R-83-192

ORDER FOR APPEAL

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MR. CLERK:

Please note an appeal to the Circuit Court for Baltimore County from the Opinion and Order of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, under date of May 25, 1983, granting a zoning reclassification on the subject property from D.R. 3.5 to R-O zone.

John W. Hessian, III
Péople's Counsel for Bultimore County

Peter Max Zimmerman
Deputy People's Counsel
Rm. 223, Court House
Towson, Maryland 21204
494-2188

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 22 day of June, 1983, a capy of the aforegoing Order for Appeal was served on the Administrative Secretary of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, Rm. 200, Court House, Towson, MD 21204; and that a copy thereof was mailed to S. Eric Dillenna, Esquire, 406 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Towson, MD 21204.

Received:

Peter Max Zimmerman

Edith T. Eisenhart Date
Administrative Secretary,
Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

Boed , 10: 45 p.m.

Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al.

in part by B.R. zoning, abutted an two sides by B.R. zoning and ci viously intended and hoped for use in conjunction with the medical building, yet the D.R. 3.5 was retained. At the same time the Gosnell parcel abutted on only one side by B.R. zoning and facing and obutting D.R. 3.5 on the other three sides was afforded R.O. zoning. For all these reasons, the Board is of the opinion that the County Council erred in classifying the subject site D.R. 3.5 instead of R.O. that was available at that time and will so order.

ORDER

For the reasons set forth in the aforegoing Opinion, it is this 25th day of May, 1983, by the County Board of Appeals, ORDERED that the petition requesting the reclassification of 12 Brecon Place from D.R. 3.5 to R.O. be and the same is GRANTED with the following restrictions:

- The entrance to Brecon Place be permanently closed and all access to the site be through the medical center anto Warren Road as shown on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 2.
- That adequate and dense screening be provided along the east property line abutting Brecon Place as shown an Petitioners' Exhibit No. 2.
- That al' other aspects of development be as shown on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 2.

Any appeal from this decision must be in accordance with Rules B-1 through B-13 of the Maryland Rules of Procedure.

COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

William R. Evans

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

THE APPLICATION OF
ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL : FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY
FOR REZONING FROM

D.R. 3.5 to R-O : AT LAW

on property located on the south
side of Brecon Place, 498' west : Misc. Docket No. _____

from the center line of York Ave.,
8th District : Folio No. _____

Zerion File No. P-83-192

Zoning File No. R-83-192

IN THE MATTER OF

PETITION ON APPEAL

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The People's Counsel for Baltimore County, Protestant below and Appellant herein, in compliance with Maryland Rule B-2(e), files this Petition on Appeal setting forth the grounds upon which this appeal is taken, viz:

- The decision of the Board of Appeals to reclassify the subject property
 was arbitrary, capricious, and not based on substantial and legally competent evidence.
- The County Council, in the course of the 1980 Comprehensive Rezoning process, placed an appropriate zoning classification on the subject property, and provided for it a reasonable use.
- The Board of Appeals, in its finding of error, wrongfully substituted its judgment for that of the County Council.

WHEREFORE, Patitioner proys that the Order of the Board of Appeals dated

May 25, 1983 be reversed, and the D.R. 3.5 zoning classification enocted by Ingislation
be reinstated.

AND AS IN DUTY BOUND, etc.,

John W. Hessian, III
People's Counsel for Baltimare County

Peter Max Zimmerman Deputy People's Counsel Rm. 223, Court House Towson, Maryland 21204

I HERESY CERTIFY that on this _____day of June, 1983, a copy of the aforegoing Petition on Appeal was served on the Administrative Secretary of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, Rm. 200, Court House, Towson, MD

21204; and that a copy thereof was moiled to S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire, 406 W.

Pennsylvania Ave., Towson, MD 21204.

Administrative Secretary, Board of Appeals a Baltimore County

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Paul Lee Engineering Inc. 304 W. Pennsylvania Acc. Towson, Maryland 21204 824-5951

DESCRIPTION

#12 BRECON PLACE

This Description is for Reclassification of Property from "DR 3.5" to "R-O".

Beginning for the same at a point at the end of the south side of Brecon Place, said point being located at 498' westerly from the centerline of York Avenue thence leaving said south side of Brecon Place the 9 following courses and distances:

(1) 5 12°56'00" W 13.63"

(2) N 88°16'08" W 190.00"

(3) N 12023'52" E 111.00'

(4) N 00°26 33" W 72.59'

(5) S 72°22'00" E 63.00"

(6) N 86°36'00" E 79-20"

(7) 5 20°43'02" E 73.70"

(8) \$ 86°16'37" E 15.90'

(9) 5 12056'00" W 91.20"

Baltimore County, Maryland.

to the point of Reginning. Containing 0.661 acres of land more or less and known as #12 Brecon Place,

Saving and excepting portions of the above described parcel presently

Engineers - Surveyors - Sito Planeers

IN THE IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL CIRCUIT COURT FOR REZONING FROM FOR D.R. 3.5 to R-O on property located on the south BALTIMORE COUNTY side of Brecon Place, 498' west from the centerline of York Avenue 8th District AT LAW

Misc. Docket No. 15 Case No. CR-83-192 Folio No. 265 People's Counsel for

Baltimore County, Appellant File No. 83-M-230

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to the provisions of Rule B-2 (d) of the Maryland Rules of Procedure, William T. Hackett, LeRoy B. Spurrier and William R. Evans, constituting the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, have given n-tice by mail of the filing of the appeal to the representative of every party to the proceeding before it; namely, 5. Eric DiNenna, Esquire 406 West Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204, Coursel for Petitioners, and Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al., 12 Brecon Place, Cockeysville, Maryland 21030, Petitioners, and John W. Hessian, III, Esquire, Courthouse, Towson, Maryland 21204, People's Coursel for Baltimore County, and Mabel Dalfonso, 5 Brecon Place, Cackeysville, Maryland 21030 and Mrs. Nancy Kase, 22 Warren Road, Cacheysville, Maryland 21030, a copy of which Notice is attached hereto and prayed that it may be made a part thereof.

> County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Room 200, Courthouse, Towson, Md. 21204

I hereby certify that a copy of the aforegoing Certificate of Notice has been mailed to S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire, 406 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204, Counsel for Petitioners, and Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al., 12 Brecon Place, Cockeysville, Maryland 21030, Petitioners, and John W. Hessian, III, Esquire, Courthouse, Towson, Maryland 21204, People's Course! for Baltimore County, and Mahel Dalfonso, 5 Brecon Flace, Cockeysville, Maryland 21030 and Mrs. Nancy Kase. 22 Warren Road, Cockeysville, Maryland 21030, on this 30th day of June, 1983.

> Edith T. Eisenhart, Administrative Secretary County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

BALT MODE COUNTY OFFICE OF PLANNING & ZONING TOWSON MARYLAND 21204 494-3353

WILLIAM E HAMMOND ZONING COMMISSIONER

10 Hours

April 7, 1983

S. Eric DiNenna, Laquire 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

> Re: Petition for Conditional Reclassification S/S of Brecon Place, 498' W from the c/bof York Avenue Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al - Petitioners Case No. CR-83-192

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

This is to advise you that \$334.46 is due for advertising and posting of the above property.

Please male the check payable to Baltimore County, Maryland, and remit to Arlene January, Zoning Office, Room 113, County Office Building, Towson,

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND OFFICE OF FINA PREVENUE DIVISION MISCELLANEOUS CASH RECEIPT

DATE 3/23/83

ACCOUNT R-01-615-000

No. 117620 , yours,

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AMOUNT \$334.46 Ronald L. Broadwater, Sr. (\$167.23 paid) Laboratory Account (\$167, 23 (Eleanor V. Broading Case No. CR-81-192 (Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al)

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IN THE MATTER IN THE OF THE APPLICATION OF ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL CIRCUIT COURT FOR REZONING FROM D.R. 3.5 to R-O FOR on property located on the south side of Brecon Place, 498' west BALTIMORE COUNTY from the center line of York Avenue 8th District AT LAW Case No. CR-83-192 Misc. Doc. No. 15 People's Counsel for Folio No. Baltimore County, Appellant File No. 83-M-230 CERTIFIED COPIES OF PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF SAID COURT: And now come William T. Hackett, LeRoy B. Spurrier and William R.

Evans, constituting the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, and in answer to the Order for Appeal directed against them in this case, herewith return the record of proceedings had in the above entitled matter, consisting of the following certified copies or original papers on file in the office of the Board of Appeals of Baltimore County: ENTRIES FROM THE DOCKET OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

No. CR-83-192

March 28, 1983

Petition of Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al, for zaning reclassification August 31, 1982

from a D.R. 3.5 to R-O zone, an property located on the south side of Brecon Place, 498' west from the center line of York Avenue 8th District - riled Order of William 1. Hackett, Chairman, County Board of Appeals,

directing advertisement and posting of property - date of hearing

set for April 12, 1983, at 10 a.m. November 4, 1982 Comments of Bol . County Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Certificate of Posting of property - filed

Certificate of Publication in newspaper - filed

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

Mumber of Signs:

TOWSON, MD. THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE TOWSON TIMES, a weekly newspaper distributed in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once a week for __ / _ successive weeks, the first publication appearing on the 2319 day of march 1983.

THE TOWSON TIMES Merianne Angelella

Cost of Advertisement, \$ 24.75 CR-83 192

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Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Case No. CR-83-192 April 12, 1983 At 10:00 a.m. hearing held an petition May 25, 1983 Order of County Board of Appeals granting the petition for reclassification from D.R. 3.5 to R.O., with restrictions Order for Appeal filed it. the Circuit Ct. for Baltimore County June 22, 1983 by John W. Hessian, Esq., People's Counsel for Baltimore County June 22, 1983 Petition to accompany Order for Appeal filed in Circuit Court Certificate of Norice sent to all interested parties June 30, 1983 July 18, 1983 Tro-script of testimony filed Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1 - 1A thru IM, series of photos " " 2 - Plat, Paul Lee, Aug. 25, 1982 " 3 - Plat (marking in red) " " 4 - Environmental Impact Statement People's Counsel Exhibit No. 1 - IA thru IJ, series of photos " 2 - Planning Board recommendation " " " 3 - Letter from Dr. Broadwater to Councilman Smith, May 21, 1980 July 18, 1983 Record of proceedings filed in the Circuit Court for Bultimore Count Record of proceedings pursuant to which said Order was entered and said Board acted are permanent records of the Board of Appeals of Baltimore County and your respondents respectively suggest that it would be inconvenient and inappropriate to file the same in this proceeding, but your respondents will produce any and all such rules and regulations whenever directed to do so by this Court.

Respectfully submitted

County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

cc: Eric DiNenna Jack Hessian

DUPLICATE

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION TOWSON, MD., March 24, 19.63... THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper printed

and published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., complexes at one time recombe possess before the 12th...... day of _____ April____, 19_83_, the first publication appearing on the ___2hth_____ day of ______March_____ 19__83.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ZONING TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204 NORMAN E. SERBER DIRECTOR

December 3, 1982

Mr. William T. Hackett, Chairman Board of Appeals Room 219 - Court House Towson Maryland 21204

Dear Mr. Hacke.t:

Comments on Item #5, Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting, Zoning Cycle IV -1982, September 14, 1982, are as follows:

Property Owner: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Location: S/S Brecon Place 498' W. from centerline of York Avenue Acres: 0.661 District: 8th

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 bearing on this pet tion.

If the petition is granted, the developer must comply with Bill 56-82 (Baltimore County Development Regulations).

Very truly yours,

John L. Wembley (R.H.) John L. Wimbley Planner !II

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MANDATE

Court of Special Appeals of Maryland

PHC No. 334 , September Term, 19 84

ople's Counsel for Baltimore County

November 23, 1984 - Voluntary Dismissal treated as a Line of Dismissal filed by counsel for appellant. Appeal Dismissed.

eanor V. Broadwater, et al

November 23, 1984 - Mandate Issued.

STATEMENT OF COSTS:

In Circuit Court: Baltimore County

(Law No. 83-M-230)

Record Stenographer's Costs

In Court of Special Appeals: Filing Record on Appeal Printing Brief for Appellant
Reply Brief Printing Brief for Appellee

STATE OF MARYLAND, Set:

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is truly taken from the records and proceedings of the said Court of Special Appeals.

Printing Brief for Cross-Appellant

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Glerk and affixed the seal of the Court of Special Appeals, this twenty-third day November A.D. 19 84.

Clerk on the Court of Special Appeals of Maryland.

Costs shown on this Mandate are to be settled between counsel and NOT THROUGH THIS OFFICE.

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Date September 29, 1982 TO ... Paul Soloman PROM Nicholas Commodari SUBJECT Cycle IV
#5 - Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al S/S Brecon Place 498' W. of centerline of York Avenue #6 - Leroy M. Merritt N/S Joppa Road 71.50' W. of centerline of Drumwood Road

Enclosed is an "environmental impact statement" for Item #5 and an "environmental effects report" for Item #6 in the current Zoning Cycle IV.

Please review these documents and submit written comments indicating whether they comply with the requirements of Section 101 of the zoning regula-

In addition, on July 27, 1982, I submitted an environmental impact statement and a statement in compliance with Section 1403.2 of the zoning regulations for your comments. This pertained to Item #269 D & R Joint Venture, which has also been included in Cycle I7. As of this writing, I have not received any

All comments on these three petitions should be submitted prior to October 14, 1982.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Willa Commoden Chairman Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

HBC:mch

cc: S. Eric Dillenna, P.A. LOG W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Aryland 21204

> Charles F. Obrecht, Jr. 906 Hunsey Building Beltimore, Maryland 21202

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PETITION FOR CONDITIONAL RECLASSIFICATION

8th Election District

ZONING:

Petition for Conditional Reclassification

LOCATION:

South side of Brecon Place, 498 ft. West from the

centerline of York Avenue

DATE & TIME:

S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue

Towson, Maryland 21204

TIME: 10:00 A. M.

cc: People's Counsel

Tuesday, April 12, 1983

PLACE: Room 218, Courthouse, Towson, Maryland

4/12/83 - P. Zimmerman to file Memo in 15 days ---- E. DiNenna 15 days to reply

Tuesday, April 12, 1983 at 10:00 A.M.

PUBLIC HEARING: Room 218, Courthouse, Towson, Maryland

The County Board of Appeals for Baltimore County, by authority of the Baltimore County Charter, will hold a public hearing:

> Petition for Conditional Reclassification from a D. R. 3.5 zone to an R-O zone

All that parcel of land in the Eighth District of Baltimore County

Being the property of Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al. as shown on olat plan filed with the Zoning Department.

NOTICE OF HEARING

c/l of York Avenue

Re: Petition for Conditional Reclassification

5/5 of Brecon Place, 498 ft. W from the

Case #CR-83-192 Cycle IV - Item #5

Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al - Petitioners

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William T. Hackett, Chairman

County Board of Appeals

Hearing Date: Tuesday, April 12, 1983 at 10:00 A.M. Public Hearing: Room 218, Courthouse, Towson, Maryland

> BY ORDER OF WILLIAM T. HACKETT, CHAIRMAN COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

> > March 16, 1983

BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING PLANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

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December 6, 1982

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MEMBERS 406 W. Fennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 Engineering Department of Traffic Engineering State Roads Commission

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> Enclosed please find addendum comments for the above referenced petition.

> > Very truly yours.

RE: Item No. 5 - Cycle No. IV

Reclassification Petition

Tickeles D. Commediere NICHOLAS B. COMMODARI Chairman Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Petitioner - Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al

S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire

Enclosure

NBC:bsc

cc: Paul Lee Engineering, Inc. 304 W. Pennsylvania Avenu. Towson, Maryland 21204

> S Cric Di Xenna, P.A. Attorney at Law

400 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towner Maryl and 21204

307-425-7630

301-296-6520

May 16, 1983

The Honorable William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 200 Courthouse Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al, Fetitioners Case No.: CR-83-192

Dear Mr. Hackett and Members of the Board;

This letter is a substitution for closing argument after evidence was presented to the Board concerning the above cap-

own a house on a parcel of property zoned DR3.5 on Brecon Place, property is surrounded on three sides by commercial uses and/or zoning. To the south a three (3) story office building; to the southwest an automobile tire and battery service company; to the further to the northwest property being operated as a contractors' equipment company. The entrance, at present, to the subject pro-Baltimore County Code, the Petitioners submitted with the Petition

Testimony presented before this Honorable Board indicated that the property, being surrounded as aforesaid, is classified in error in its present DR3.5 Classification. The County Council in its adoption of its 1980 Comprehensive Zoning Map, though the subject property was at issue from the DR3.5 Zone to a DR16 Zone, chose not to change the zoning on the subject property and

tioned matter. The facts of this matter are very simple. The Petitioners

which is a street that deadends into the subject property. The immediate west a property was converted to a restaurant and perty is via Brecon Place. Pursuant to Section 2-58 of the a documented site plan, cutting off access to Brecon Place and making access through the parking lot of the office ouilding immediately to the south, with permission of the owners of the office building.

classified DR3.5. It did not in fact provide an offer for the

All expert testimony before the Board indicated that the present classification of the DR3.5 Zone is in fact in error in that the County Council did not provide a buffer as it did along Warren Road, that the specific development of the office building to the south, the tire, battery and accessory shop on York Road to the rear of the subject property, the commercial activity along York Road to the rear of this property, does not afford the subject property to be residential use any longer and this should have been recognized by the Baltimore County Council in its adoption of the Comprehensive Zoning Map in 1980.

Going a step further, this Petition having been filed under Section 2-58, quarantees not only to Baltimore County, but to the residents of the area, the development of the property in accordance with the plans submitted.

Accordingly, the Petitioners respectfully request that the Request for Reclassification be granted.

> Very truly yours S ERIC DINENNA

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SED: wit

JOHN W. HESSIAN, III People's Counsel PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN Deputy People's Counsel

April 22, 1983

The Honorable William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals Room 200, Court House Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al, Petitioners Zonina Case No. CR 83-192 (Item 5, Cycle IV)

Dear Mr. Hacketi:

Introduction

In about 1979, the Broadwater family acquired interests in two adjoining tracts. One of the parcels fronts on Warren Road, several hundred feet to the east of York Road. Dr. Broadwater purchased this piece, zoned B.R., with the intent to construct a medical center. Separately, his brother, Clyde Broadwater, had purchased the subject property, zoned D.R. 3.5. Dr. Broadwater then purchased a half interest in this property as well, with the intent of using it as a parking lat ancillary to the medical center. The subject property was, however, then occupied by a residence with sole access to Brecon Place, a pleasant residential community.

Dr. Broadwater knew that the fulfillment of his plans would require a zoning change. He specifically requested that the County Council, as part of the 1980 Comprehensive Zoning process, reclassify the subject property from D.R. 3.5 to D.R. 16. The existing zoning precluded the parking lot use secause of the then applicable residential transition area regulations. The D.R. 16 classification would solve this prublem.

The 1980 Comprehensive Zoning Process

Dr. Broadwater made his plans explicit in a letter to County Councilman James Smith and, at the same time, acknowledged a concern for the impact of the commercial development on the residential neighborhood on Brecon Place. As an inducement to securing the cooperation of the neighbors, the Broudwaters made an informal representation

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The Honorable James T. Smith

Thank you for your kind attention to this ratter. If I can be of further assistance in this matter or ansver any additional quantions, please feel free to contact me at 252-8141 usring normal business hours, or you may call my real estate advisor, John Miller, at 252-8438 or 321-5543.

A plat map of the subject property has been enclosed for your conventance.

Many thanks again,

Sincerely,

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Ronald L. Broadwater, Sr., M.D., F.A. pho8 Eastridge Road Timonium, Marylant 21093

Matimore County, Maryland

PEOPLE'S COUNSEL RM. 223, COURT HOUSE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

TEL 494-2188

that their plans for the parking lot would not involve a change in the residence.

The Honorabie William T. Hacketi, Chairman County Board of Appeals

The County Council considered the matter and made its judgment that the D.R. 3.5 zoning should remain, and the residential area along Brecon Place stay intact. There is no evidence that the County Council was unaware of relevant facts or failed adequately to take such facts into account. There was no error.

The Broadwaters Make Even Bigger Plans

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Dr. Broadwater then proceeded with his original undertaking to construct the medical office building on Warren Road. He now wants not only to put a parking lot in the rear, but also, contrary to the representations made to the County Council and to the neighbors in 1980, to convert the residence to an additional medical office. In order to succeed in this speculative venture, the Broadwaters have the narve to claim error and suggest that the subject property should appropriately be rezoned to R-O with a specific plan.

The Reclassification Case: Fact and Fiction

The testimony presented to the Board of Appeals by the Petitioners is remarkable for its distortion of the issues.

The Patitioners opened with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Broadwater to suggest that they suffered a hardship in occupying the dwelling to the rear of the medical center and that they had made a mistake to purchase the property. They were aware, of course, of the plans for the medical center but failed to mention the early plans to rezone to D.R. 16 for a parking lot.

Dr. Broadwater described the plans for the additional office and parking use on Brecon Place and also failed to mention his participation in the 1900 Comprehensive Zoning process. Petitioners then sponsored Frederick Klaus as their real estate expert. He purported to have undertaken a thorough review of the matter and concluded that the D.R. 3.5 zoning was in error. He noted that the Petitioners nod requested D.R. 16 in 1980 and, surprisingly, said that this was ill-advised because of amendments to that zone which eliminated the previously existing special exception for office use. He failed to state that the D.R. 16 could certainly be used for parking, and failed further to state that Dr. Broadwater certainly understood this as shown in his letter to Councilman Smith.

Klaus' critical review of the Broadwater request for D.R. 16 in 1980 was an indispensable premise for his conclusion of error. Even if he had been correct in his assumption, any error of the Broadwaters would certainly not be a basis for claiming error of legislative judgment. But the truth is that the "roadwaters understandably wanted D.R. 16 zoning for a parking lot, and the Council knew it. Therefore, it was Klaus who was unfamiliar with the facts of the 1980 Comprehensive Zoning process, and Klaus whose conclusions were based on a false premise.

April 22, 1983

The Honorable William T. Hackett, Chairman County Board of Appeals

Hoswell and the Neighbors

April 22, 1963

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James Hoswell, the County Planner responsible for evaluation of cycle rezoning petitions, testified that the existing zoning is appropriate and provides for the reasonable residential use along Brecon Place. He clurified that the property had been a specific issue in the 1980 process and produced Dr. Broadwater's letter to Councilman

A number of the neighbors opposed the petition for the understandable reason that a parking lot and office at the end of their community street would destroy the character of their neighborhood and upset their lifestyle. They remained steadfast in their apposition despite Petitioners' suggestion that Brecon Place would be closed from the usual office traffic, excepting emergency vehicles.

Conclusion

The key to this case is Dr. Broadwater's letter to Councilman Smith, which we attach hereto for emphasis. It demonstrates the extent to which the Petitioners have manipulated their factual presentation. It is pure poppycock for the Broadwaters to complain of misfortune and hardship in their present quarters on Brecon Place since the residence was purchased as part of a speculative package deal. It is pure poppycock for Klaus to suggest that Dr. Broadwater was out in left field when he requested D.R. 16 zoning in 1980 when that approach fit perfectly with the plans for a medical center and rear parking lot.

The truth is that the Broadwaters planned from the beginning to take residential property and make it a part of their office complex extending northward from Warren Road. It is understandable that the Broadwaters would have planned such a complex. The objection here is that they disguised these plans in their presentation to the Board of Appeals in order to pretend that some sort of misjudgment was made in 1980.

If there was any misjudgment, it was the apparent failure of the Petitioners to anticipate that the true facts would come out about the plans detailed in Dr. Broadwater's letter. It is obvious from this letter that the County Council was aware of all relevant facts and made the reasonable judgment that the residential character of Brecon Place should be spared the intrusion of an additional office use. Under all of the circumstances, it is vitally important that the Board of Appeals respect the Councils judgment in this particular case.

Enclosure

cc: S. Eric DiNenna, Esquire

Peter Max Zimmerman Deputy People's Counsel

494-3180

County Bourd of Apprels Room 219, Court House Townen, Merylana 21204 June 30, 1983

S. Eric DiNenna, Fenuire 406 W. Penns Ivania Avenue Towson Md. 21204

> Re: Case No. CR-83-192 Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Rules of Procedure of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, that an appeal has been taken to the Circuit Court for Baltimore County from the decision of the County Board of Appeals rendered in the above matter.

Enclosed is a copy of the Certificate of Notice.

Very truly yours,

Encl.

cc: Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al Mabel Dolfonso Mrs. Nancy Kase

RONALD L. BROADWATER, SA. M. D. 2420 EASTRIDGE BOAD TIMONIUM, MARYLAND 21093

TELEPHONE 292-0141

May 21, 1980

The Honorable James T. Smith Third Councilmanic District Baltimore County Council Towson, Maryland 21204

·Dear Jim:

As you have probably heard by now, we are moving steadily forward by the water Road Medical Office Building. The land has been graded and the rolling steel for the foundation has been ordered. DOUNCIS CESION

This letter, however, is directed primarily towneds our collective efforts to rezone the land immediately north of the Warren Road property, situated at 12 Brecon Place. As you may remember from our earlier correspondence on this subject, the land at 12 Brecon Pluce is contin ous to the site where the metical office building will be constructed. It has been, and continues to be, my aspiration to request that this tract (12 Brecon Place) be rezoned from its existing classification of D. R. 3.5 to D. R. 16 so that we may use the property for additions' parking for the medical office building. The only reason that it may not be used in this regard at this time is because the property falls within the transition zone, i.e. it is within 300 feet of an existing residential home. I would like to edd, however, that the property is bounded on the western and southern boundaries by BR zoning, and to its southeast is a tract of D. R. 16 with special exception for office use. To the north of the property 's a stresm; to the northeast, vacant land; and only to the east and acreened off from the rest of the neighborhood, do we find residential homes. The medical office building will be to the south and a shapping center is planned for the property to the west, on the property bounding York Re.1. The erection of these two facilities will diminish the residential value of the subject property.

I fully appreciate the reticence of other homeowners in the area to too such commercial exploitation of property adjacent to them, if such wight be their reaction. I doubt, however, that the property owners would be in too much disagreement with my proposal since it will definitely guarantee against an overspill of parked cars onto Warren Road from the use of the medical facility. Furthermore, I have every intention of improving the screening of this property from the other residential homesteads, as is required by law, to avaid any mulsance effect on their quality of life.

This letter is being directed to you at this time in response to your request carlier in the year that we take this action at this time. I am, therefore, wery hopeful that you will enter this request as an issue on the 1980 Baltimore County Comprehensive Zoning Map.

494-3180

County Board of Appeals Room 219, Court House Towson, Meryland 21204 May 25, 1983

S. Eric DiNenna, Esq. 406 W. Penna. Ave. Towson, Md. 21204

Dear Mr. DiNenna:

Re: Case No.CR-83-192 Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Opinian and Order passed today by the County Board of Appeals in the above entitled case.

Very truly your:

ca: Elizanor V. Broadwater, et al Mabel Dalfanse

Dr. S. A. Lane Nancy Kase J. W. Hessian, Esq.

W. E. Hammond J. E. Dyer

N. E. Gerber

J. G. Horwell Board of Education Room 219, Court House Towson, Maryland 21204 June 30, 1983

John W. Hessian, III, Esquire Courthouse Towson, Md. 21204

> Re: Case No. CR~83+192 Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al

Dear Mr. Hessian:

In accordance with Rule B-7 (a) of the Rules of Procedure of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, the County Board of Appeals is required to submit the record of proceedings of the zoning appeal which you have taken to the Circuit Court for Baltimore County in the above matter within thirty days.

The cost of the transcript of the record must be paid by you.

Certified copies of any other documents recessary for the completion of the record must also be at your expense.

The cost of the transcript, plus any other documents, must be paid in time to transmit the same to the Circuit Court not later than thirty days from the date of any petition you might file in court, in accordance with Rule 3-7 (a).

Enclosed is a copy of the Certificate of Notice; also invoice covering the cost of certified copies of necessary documents.

Very truly yours,

th T. Fisenhart, Adm. Secretary

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SED: Wt 7-15-83 #82-48 IN THE MATTER OF

THE APPLICATION OP
ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, BT AL

FOR RESONING FROM

D.R. 3.5 to R-O

on property located on the south
side of Brecon Place, 489' west

from the center line of York Ave.,
Sth District

Zoning File No. R-83-192

* IN THE

CIRCUIT COURT

FOR

AT LAW

15/265/83M230

ANSWER TO PETITION ON APPEAL

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Now Comes Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al, Petitioners below, and Appellee herein, pursuant to Maryland Rule B-9, files this answer to the Petition on Appeal and says:

- That the decision of the Board of Appeals to classify the subject property was based on substantial and legally competent evidence and was not arbitrary, capricious or illegal.
- 2. That the County Council, in the course of the 1980 Comprehensive Rezoning process, placed an inapplicable and erroneous zoning classification on the subject property.
- 3. That the Board of Appeals in its finding of error corrected the erroneous classification of D.R.3.5 and that the Board of Appeals is correct in substituting its judgment for that of the County Council when error is committed.

WHEREFORE, the Appeller prays that the Order of the Board of Appeals dated May 25, 1983 be affirmed and that the R-O Zoning Classification be allowed to remain on the subject property.

S ERIC DINENNA S. ERIC DINENNA, P.A. 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 825-1630 Attorneys for Appellees

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this / day of July, 1983, a copy of the aforegoing Answer to Patition on Appeal was mailed to John W. Hessian, III, Sequire, People's Counsel for Baltimore County, Room 223, Court House, Towson, Maryland 21204 and the Administrative Secretary of the County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County, Room 200 Court House, Towson, Maryland 21204.

S. ERIC DIMENNA

PEOPLE'S COUNSEL FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Appellant : AT LAW

V: Misc. 83 M 230

ELEANCH V. BROADWATER, et al.,

Appellees : Notice OF APPEAL

MR. CLERK:

Please note an appeal to the Court of Special Appeals of Maryland from the decision of the Circuit Court for Baltimor, county in the above-captioned case, under date of May 8, 1984, and forward all papers in connection with said case to the Clerk of the Crort of Special Appeals of Maryland in accordance with the Maryland Rules.

Phy Mis Cole Friedman
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Peter Max Zimmerman
Deputy People's Counsel
Room 223, Court Bouse
Towson, Maryland 2:204

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this _____ day of June, 1984, a copy of the foregoing Notice of Appeal was mailed to 5. Eric DiNenna, Escuire, 406 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204.

Peter Max 21rmerman

PEOPLE'S COUNSEL FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY; IN THE COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS

Appellant: OF MARYLAND

PHC No. 334, September Term, 1984

ELEANOR V. BROWDWATER, et al.

Appellees:

People's Counsel for Baltimore County, Appellant, hereby voluntarily dismisses the above—entitled appeal. The reason for the voluntary dismissal is that on November 13, 1984, the County Council for Baltimore County enacted Bill 136-84, a comprehensive zoning ordinance, and the said ordinance moots this appeal.

VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

Phylis Cole Friedman
People's Counsel for Baltimere County

Peter Max Zimmerman Deputy People's Counsel Room 223, Court House Towson, Maryland 21:04 494-2188

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 20 day of November, 1984, a

copy of the foregoing Voluntary Dismissal was mailed to S. Eric DiMenna, Esquire, 406 w. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204.

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November 23, 1984

Elmer H. Kehline, Jr., Clerk Circuit Court for Beltimore County Courthouse Towson, Maryland 2120

Re: People's Counsel for Baltimore County v. Eleanor V. Broadwater, et al PHC No. 334, September Term, 1984 Your Law No. 83-M-230

Dear Mr. Kahline:

Enclosed find a Voluntary Dismissal treated as a Line of Dismissal that was filed with this Court on November 23, 1984. We are making a copy for our files and sending the original to you for docketing.

Also, find enclosed the original mandate of this Court, reflecting this dismissal, which together with the Line should be placed in the record.

Very cruly yours,

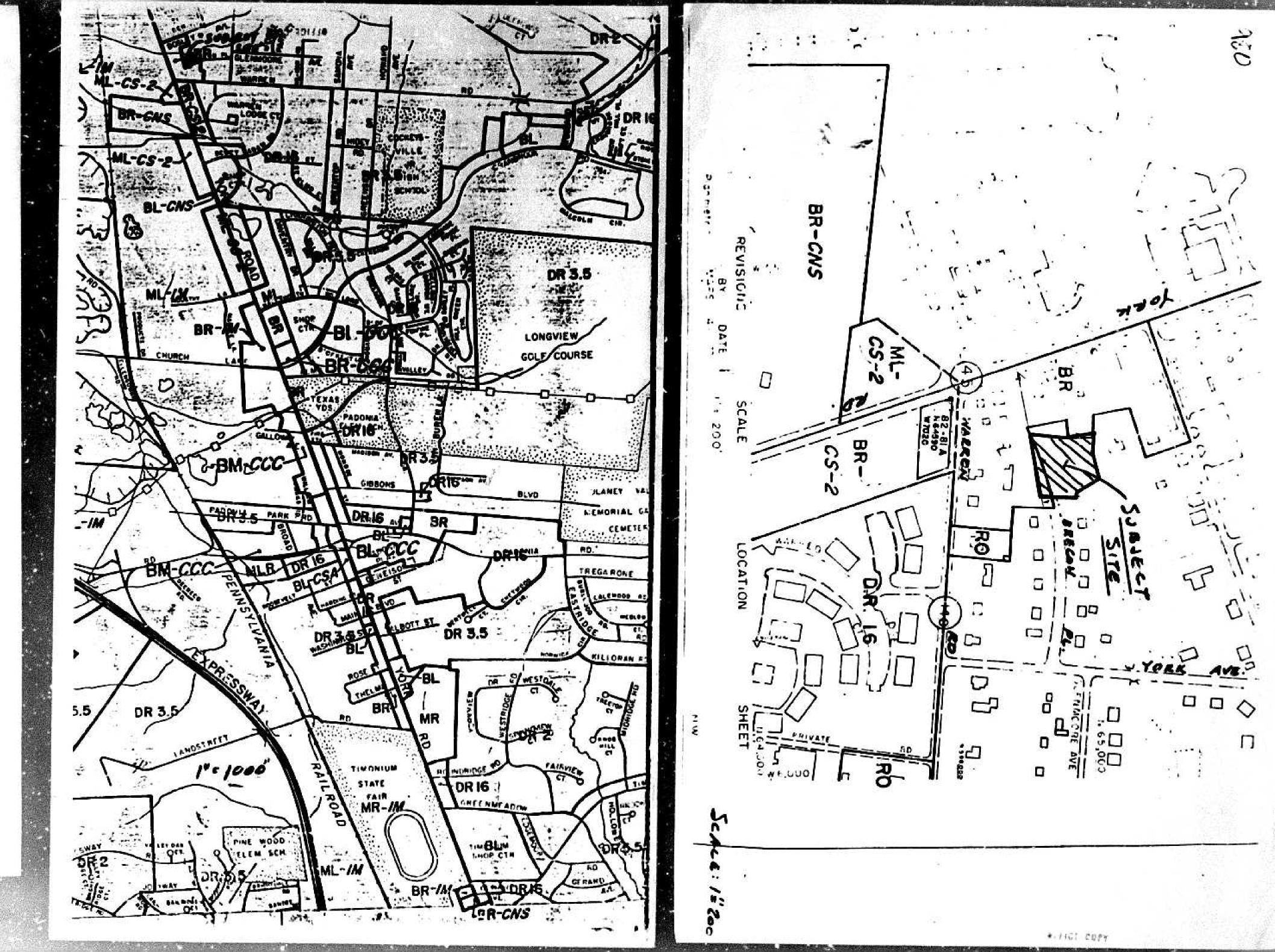
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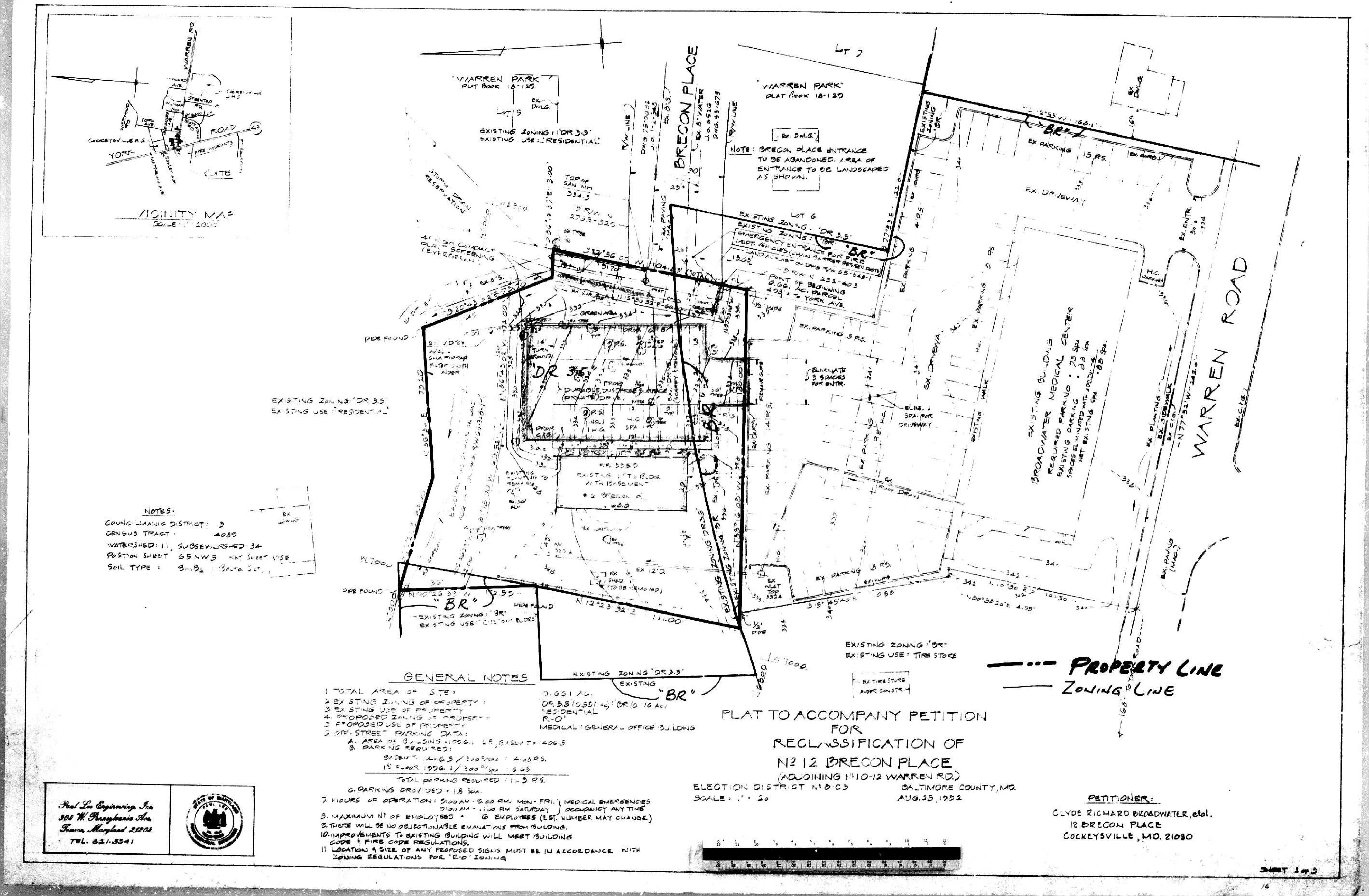
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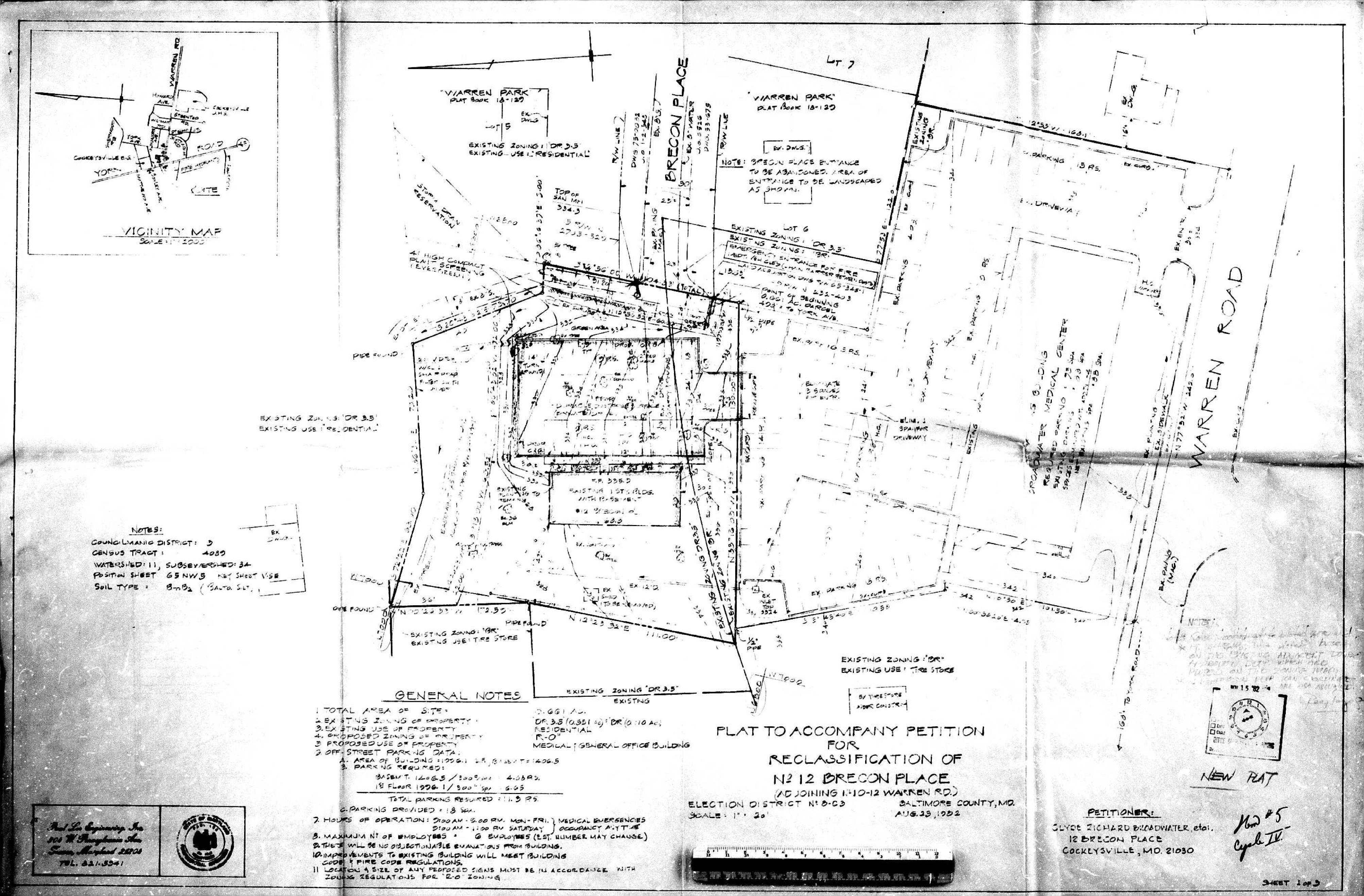
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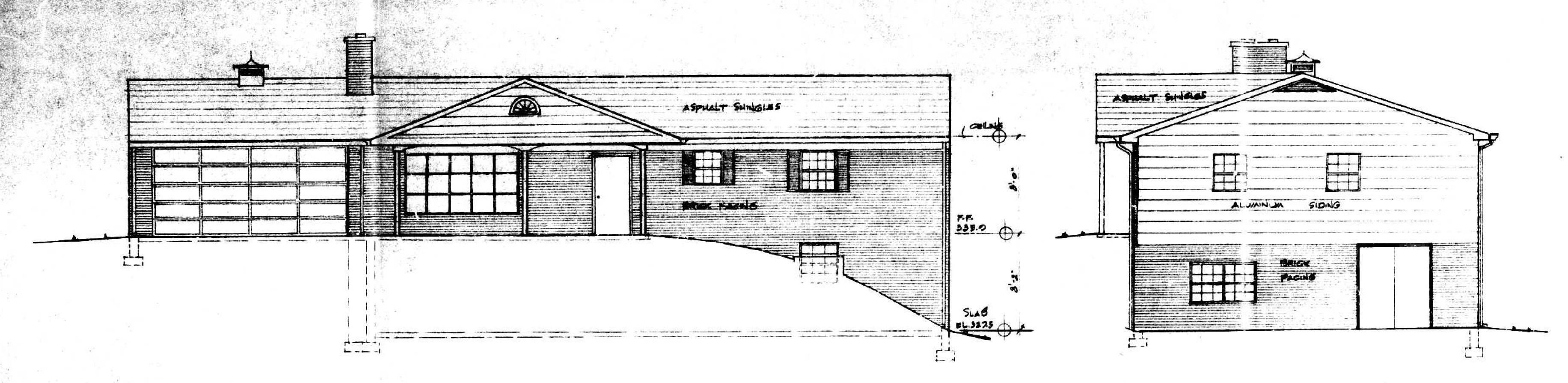
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ELEANOR V. BROADWATER, ET AL S/s Brecon Pl., 498' W from c/l of York Rd. 8th District DR 3.5 to k-O 0.661 acres June 22, " Order for Appeal filed in Cir. Ct. by John Hessian, People's Counsel for Balto. Record of proceedings filed in Cir. Court Board AFFIRMED - Judge Austin W. Br. rendine 5/11/84 - cc: A. Jablon A. January J. Hoswell Order for Appeal filed in the Court of Special Appeals by People's Counsel cc: A. Jablon A. January J. Hoswell Voluntary Dismissal filed by People's Counsel (Case moot due to new maps) Case dismissed in the Court of Special Appeals



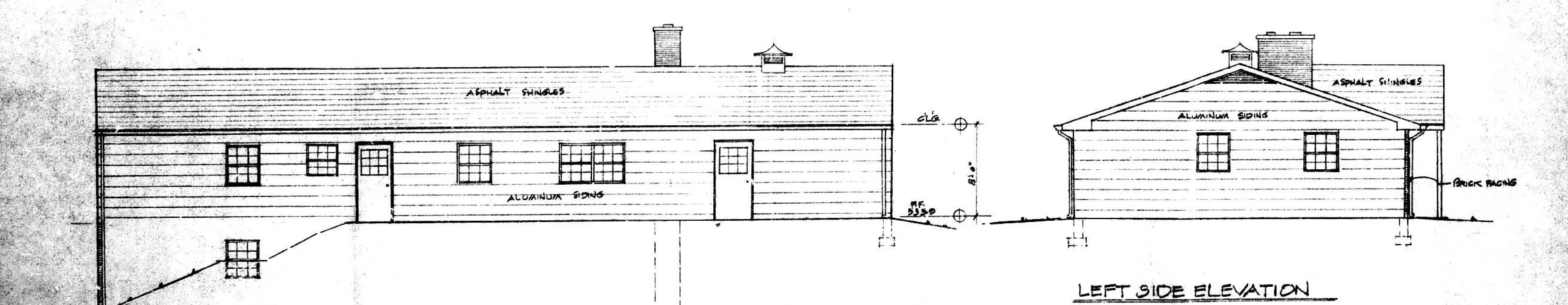






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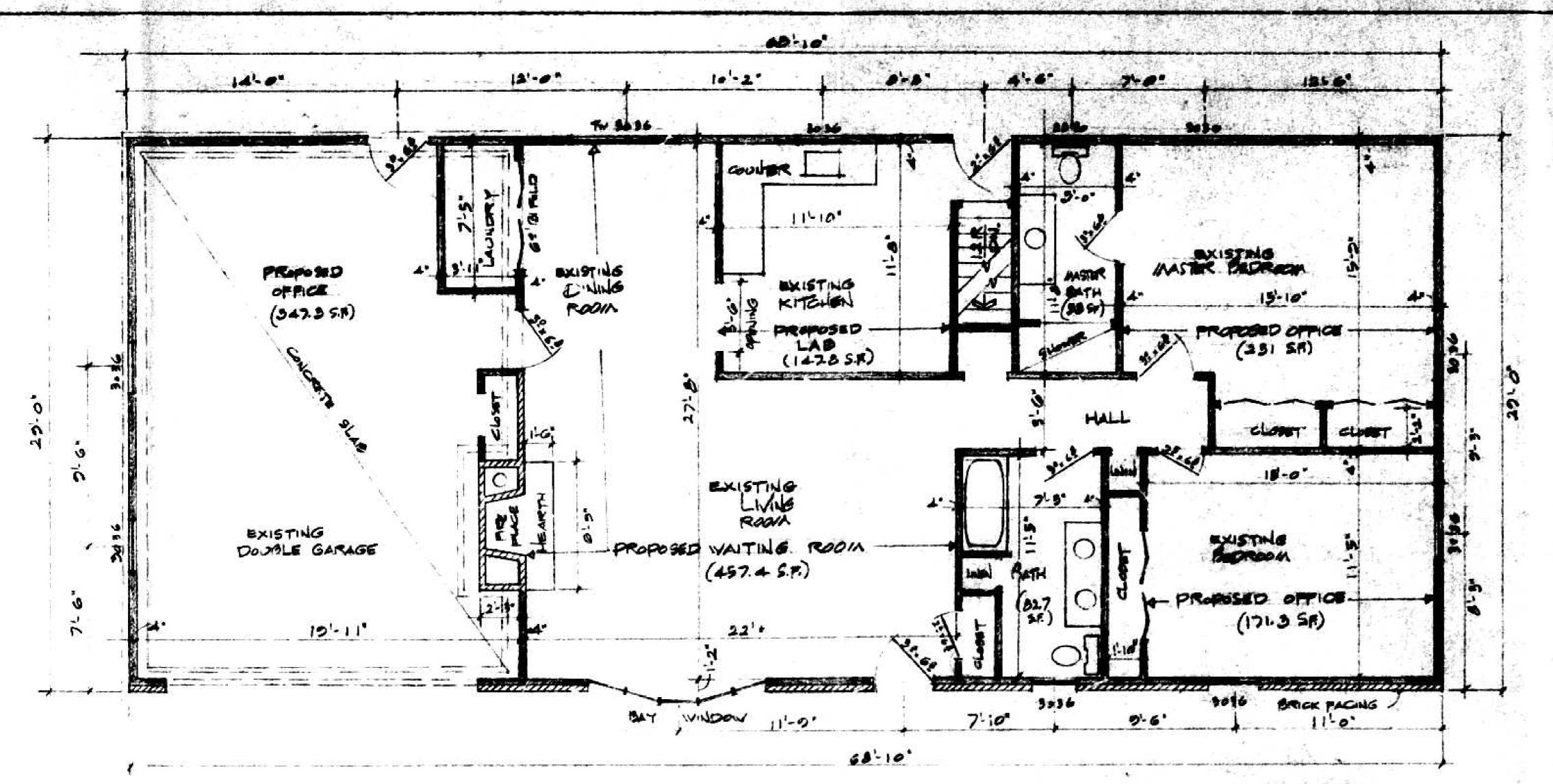
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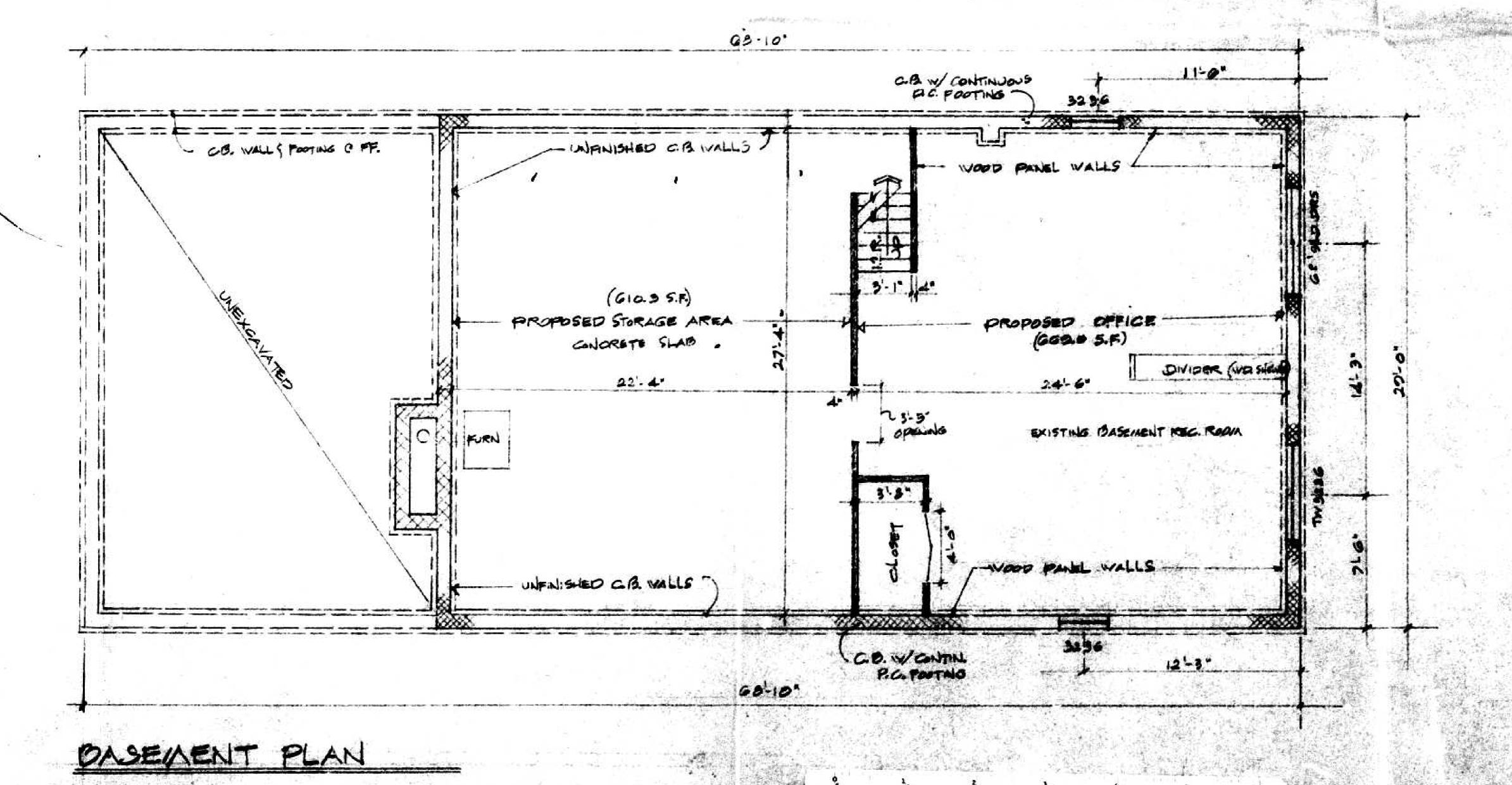
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