

A PETITION FOR SOCIAL EXCEPTION TO DERVIT A LANDSCAPE SERVICE OPERATION ON RC-2 20100 PROPERTY AND A PETITION FOR VARIFICE FROM SECTION 404.1 A OF THE BCZR TO DERVIT AN INTERNAL ROAD-WAY SETBACK OF 10 FEET IN DEU OF THE REQUIRED 25 FEET WELL ADPROVED BY THE ZOWING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY IN CASE No. 94-357 XA, MAY 4, 1994.

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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAN

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as Petitions for Special Exception and Variance for that property known as 15516 Ensor Hill Road, located in the Parkton area of northern Baltimore County. The Petitions were filed by the owners of the property, Donald K. and Evelyn M. Taylor. The Petitioners seek a special exception to permit a landscape service operation on R.C. 2 zoned property, pursuant to Sections 404.3, 401.1.C and 404.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.). In addition to the special exception relief sought, the Petitioners seek a variance from Section 404.1.A of the B.C.Z.R. to permit an internal roadway setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet. The subject property and relief sought are more particularly described on the plan'submitted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing on behalf of the Petitions were Donald K. Taylor, property owner, and T. Rogers Harrison, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioners.

Testinony presented revealed that the subject property consists of 6.525 acres, more or less, zoned R.C. 2, and is located on Ensor Mill Fond, near the intersection of I-B3 and Belfast Road. The property is improved with a one-story shed and various nursery stock used in the Petitioners' landscape business. The Petitioners are desirous of establishing

a landscape service operation on the subject property in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibits 1 and 2. The Petitioners propose to construct a one-story barn for vehicle equipment and supply storage and either expand the existing one-story shed or replace same with a larger shed for storage purposes. Mr. Donald Taylor testified that the property is ideally suited for this type of use and that the relief requested meets the special exception requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. Mr. Taylor then offered three affidavits from adjoining property owners demonstrating their support of the special exception relief requested herein. Purther testimony indicated that the Datitioners met with the Spanks-Classes Commnity Association who indicated they have no objections to their plans. In addition, there were no adverse comments submitted by any reviewing agency of Baltimore County.

It is clear that the B.C.Z.R. permits the use proposed in an R.C.2 zone by special exception. It is equally clear that the proposed use would not be detrimental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, it must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the proposed use met the prescribed standards and requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the proposed use at the paricular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit 1 would have any adrse impact above and beyond that inherently associated with such a spe

cial exception use, irrespective of its location within the zone Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

The proposed use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's goning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

After reviewing all of the testimony and evidence presented. It money that the enecial exception should be granted with certain restrictions as wore fully described below.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

- whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the propercy for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily
- whether the grant would do substantial injustice to applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give substantial relief; and
- whether relief can be granted in such fast that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed public rafety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Sú. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 20 (1974).

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted sed, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in any injury to the public good

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it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship will result if the variance is not granted. It has been established that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of this variance request and that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief will unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the variance requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare. Purther, the granting of the Petitioner's request is in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the 8 . 7 .

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented,

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the special exception and variance requests should be granted.

THEREPORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 4 day of May, 1994 that the Petition for Special Exception to permit a landscape service operation on R.C. 2 zoned property, pursuant to Sections 404.3, 401.1.C and 404.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 404.1A of the B.C.Z.R. to permit an internal roadway setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRAMTED, subject to the following

The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made swere that pro-ceeding at this time is at their own risk until such

ORDER Date

time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.

Prior to the installation of any signage on the subject property as to the proposed landscape service or reation, the Petitioners shall obtain the approval

When applying for any permits, the site plan filed must reference this case and set forth and ad-

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TINOTHY M. KOTROCO
Deputy Soning Come 'ssioner
for Baltimore County

Baltimore County Governmen Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning

Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204 May 4, 1994

(410) 887-4386

T. Rogers Harrison, Esquire 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 300 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND VARIANCE
W/S Ensor Hill RG., 465 "N of Belfast Rd., E of 1-83
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Donald K. Taylor, et us - Petitioners
Case No. 34-357-XB.

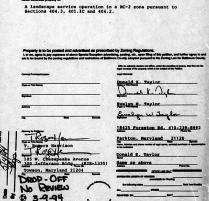
Dear Mr. Harrison

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Exception and Variance een granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavor-able, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information of filing an appeal, please contact the Zoning Administration and Development Management Office at 867-391.

Very truly yours, lustly 16 troco TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO Deputy Zoning Commission for Baltimore County

Mr. & Mrs. Donald K. Taylor 18425 Foreston Road, Parkton, Md. 21120



Petition for Special Exception 94-357-XA to the Zoning Commis sted at 15516 Ensor Mill Road -

Section 502.1 - Proposed special exception uses:

Property Location:

a. Will, in no way, be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the Sparks-Glencoe area,

b. Will create no traffic congestion or hazards, Vehicles entering property from the Intereste and Belfast Road will not pass a single residence.

c. Will create no potential hazard from fire, panic, or other dangers

PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION

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d. Will have no effect on population density which will remain at zero.

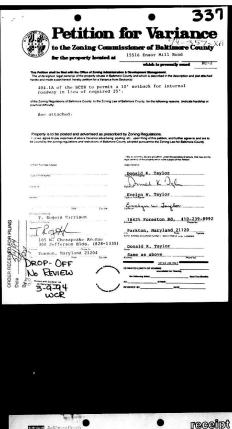
e. Will not interfere with adequate provisions for schools, parks, water, sewerage, transportation, or other public requirements, conveniences, or improvements.

f. Will not interfere with adequate light or air.

q. Will be consistant with the purposes of the properties RC-2 classification and consistant with the spirit and intent of those soning regulations. The property will remain in agricultural use as a tree nursery.

h. Will be consistent with the impermeable surface and vegetative retention provisions of the Soning Regulations.

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#020 - VARTANCE ---

#050 - SPECIAL EXCEPTION ---- 300.00 6080 - STON POSTING ----

Legal Owner: Donald E. Taylor & Evelyn W. Taylor Address: 15516 Ensor Hill Road Acresge: 6.5 +/- acres District: 8c3 Attorney: T. Rogers Harrison

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Requested variance would allow internal driveway within 10 feet of property line adjoining State of Maryland Interstate I-83.

Justification - Undue hardship

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Regulation 401.1 h was obviously written to prevent the effects of vehicular traffic from being detrimental to adjoining properties. In this particular case, the planned use of the adjoining property is as an inter-change for interstate \$3. The regulation is hardly

Subject driveway existed prior to Regulation 401.1 A.
 Its current location in no way affects the spirit or intent of the regulation nor does it have any effect on the general welfare of the public.

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TELEPHONE (410) 453-9511 94-357-XA DESCRIPTION FOR ZONING MR. & MRS. DOWALD K. TAYLOR 15516 ENSOR MILL ROAD BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Beginning for the same at a point on the west side on Engor Hill Road as shown on State Roads Commission of Haryland Plat No. 9844, said point of beginning being 484 feet neceured metherly from north side of Balfast Road, thence leaving said Ensor Hill Road and running the three (3) following courses and distances:

(1) North 34° 38° 07° West 41°,12 feet; (2) North 32° 17' 41° Mest 370,38 feet; (3) North 48° 54° 00° East 540.76 feet to intersect the west side of Ensor Hill Road, 30 feet wide, thence binding on said road! (4) South 13° 55' 54' East 206.25 feet to the beginning of the widened right of way line of Enser Mill Road as shown on said Plat No. 4846, there continuing to bind on Enser Mill Road the three (3) following courses and distances:

(5) South OP Of 07 East 100.52 feet; (6) South 13° 55' 56' East 78.50 feet and (7) By a curve to right hith a radius of 477.75 feet, an arc length of 526.01 feet and a chord bearing and distance of South 17° 53' 53' West 478.46 (east to the place of beginning.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Bultimore County, by setherity of the Zoning Act and Regulations
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Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 M. Chemposine Rooms in Tourne, Maryland 21204

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Herbert Helaud Registered Land Surveyor Heryland No 7558

March 25, 1993

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TOWSON, MD. March 24, 1994 THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was

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published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towner, Baltimore County Md. once in each of weeks, the first publication appearing on Mach 24. 19 74.

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Anril 8, 1994

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (EC) has reviewed the plans and the Committee of the Co

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*Amount Due waived upon return of the COMPLETE sign and post set(s).

When you return same, bring this form with you.

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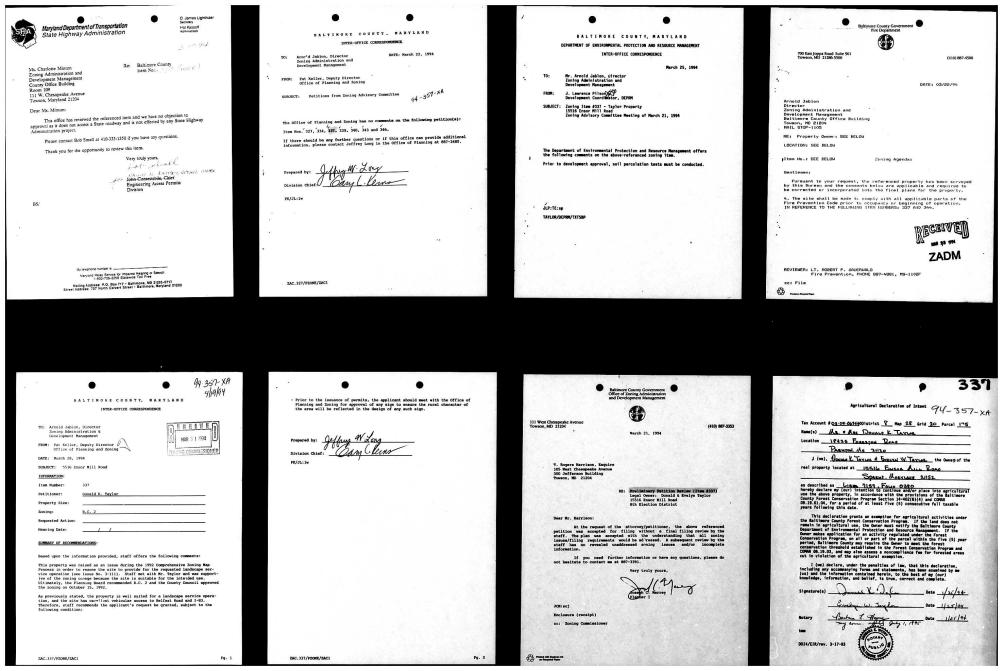
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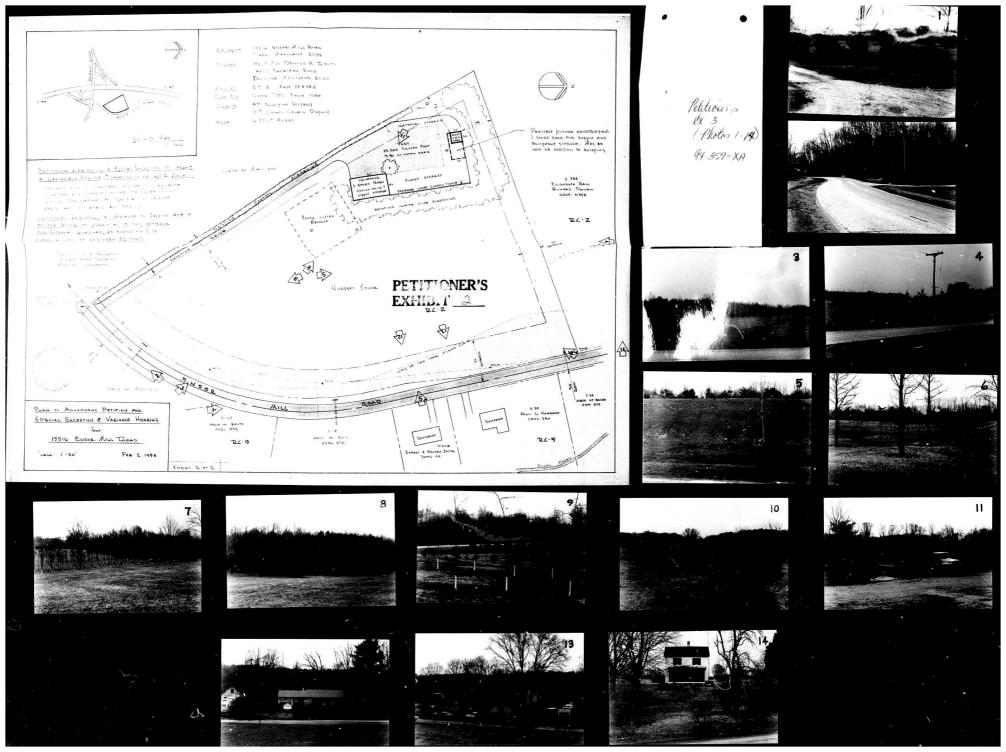
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That I support the requested Special Exception for a Landscape Service Operation, as presented.

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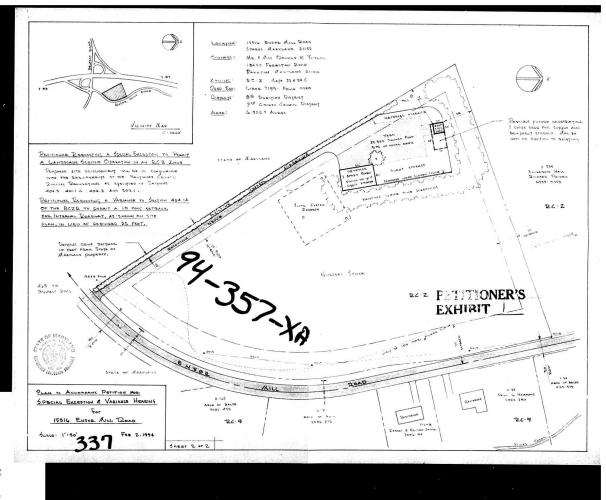
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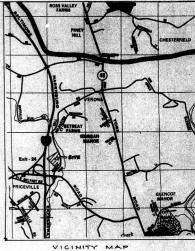
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PLAT TO ACCOMPANY SPECIAL EXCEPTION & VARIANCE HEARING for PROPERTY of

MR & MRS. DONALD K. TAYLOR 1551G ENSOR MILL RD. COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT Nº 3

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