

Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

March 19, 1997

Mr. Kevin L. Mason Entel Technologies, Inc. 1110 North Glebe Road, Suite 850 Arlington, VA 22201

> RE: Spirit and Intent 8415 Bellona Avenue 8th Election District

Dear Mr. Mason:

Upon review of your correspondence dated March 6, 1997 regarding the above referenced matter, please be advised that it is the opinion of this office that your request to upgrade and expand the subject facility with: Six (6) panel antennas measuring 48 inches in height x 6.1 inches in width x 2.8 inches in depth; and, three (3) equipment cabinets measuring approximately 6.0 inches in height x 30 inches in width x 30 inches, is within the spirit and intent of zoning case #96-8-X.

I trust that the information set forth in this letter is sufficiently detailed and responsive to the request. If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 887-3391.

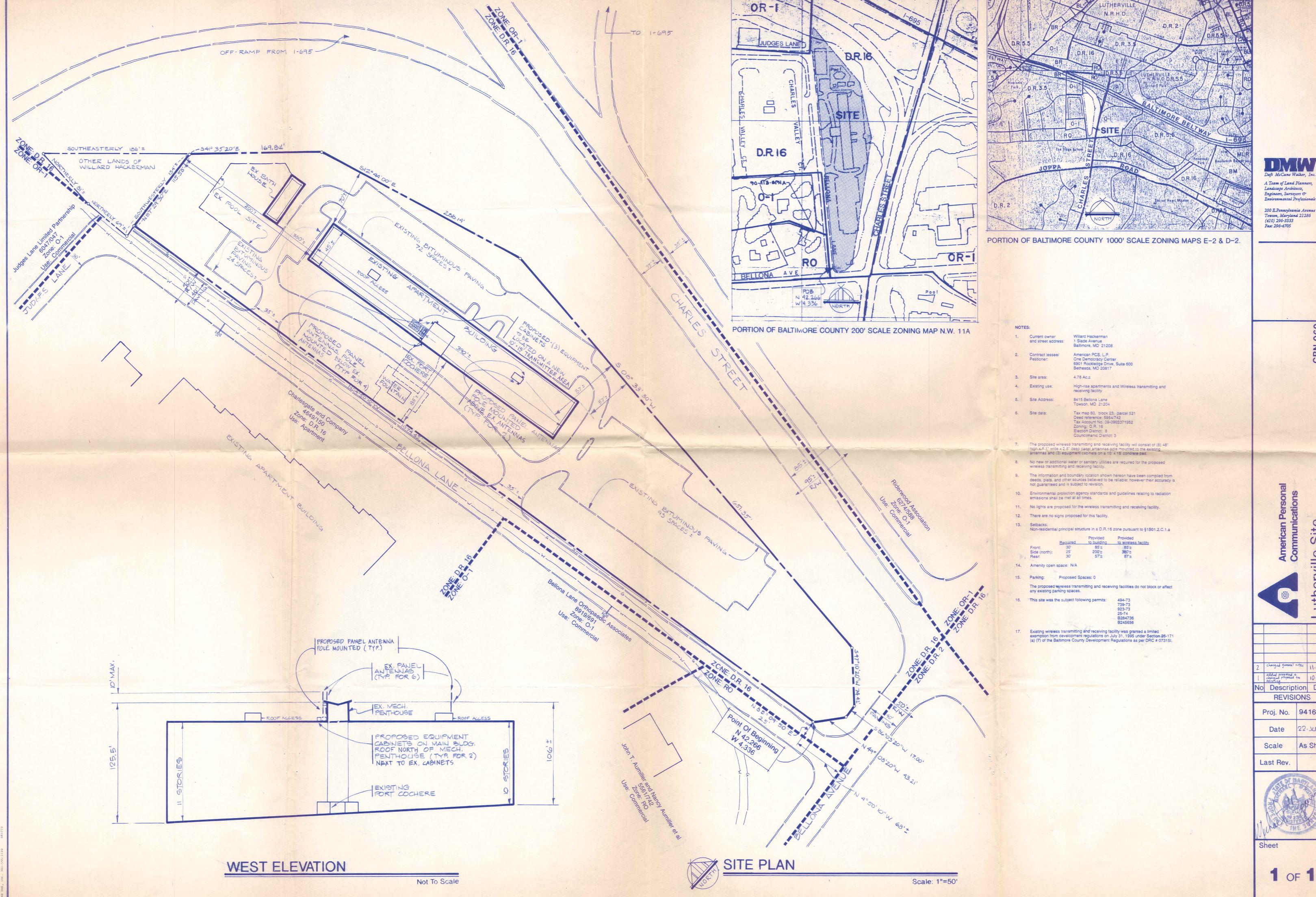
Very truly yours,

Joseph C. Merrey

Planner I Zoning Review

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Enclosure



Daft McCune Walker, Inc.

Landscape Architects, Engineers, Surveyors & Environmental Professionals 200 E.Pennsylvania Avenue

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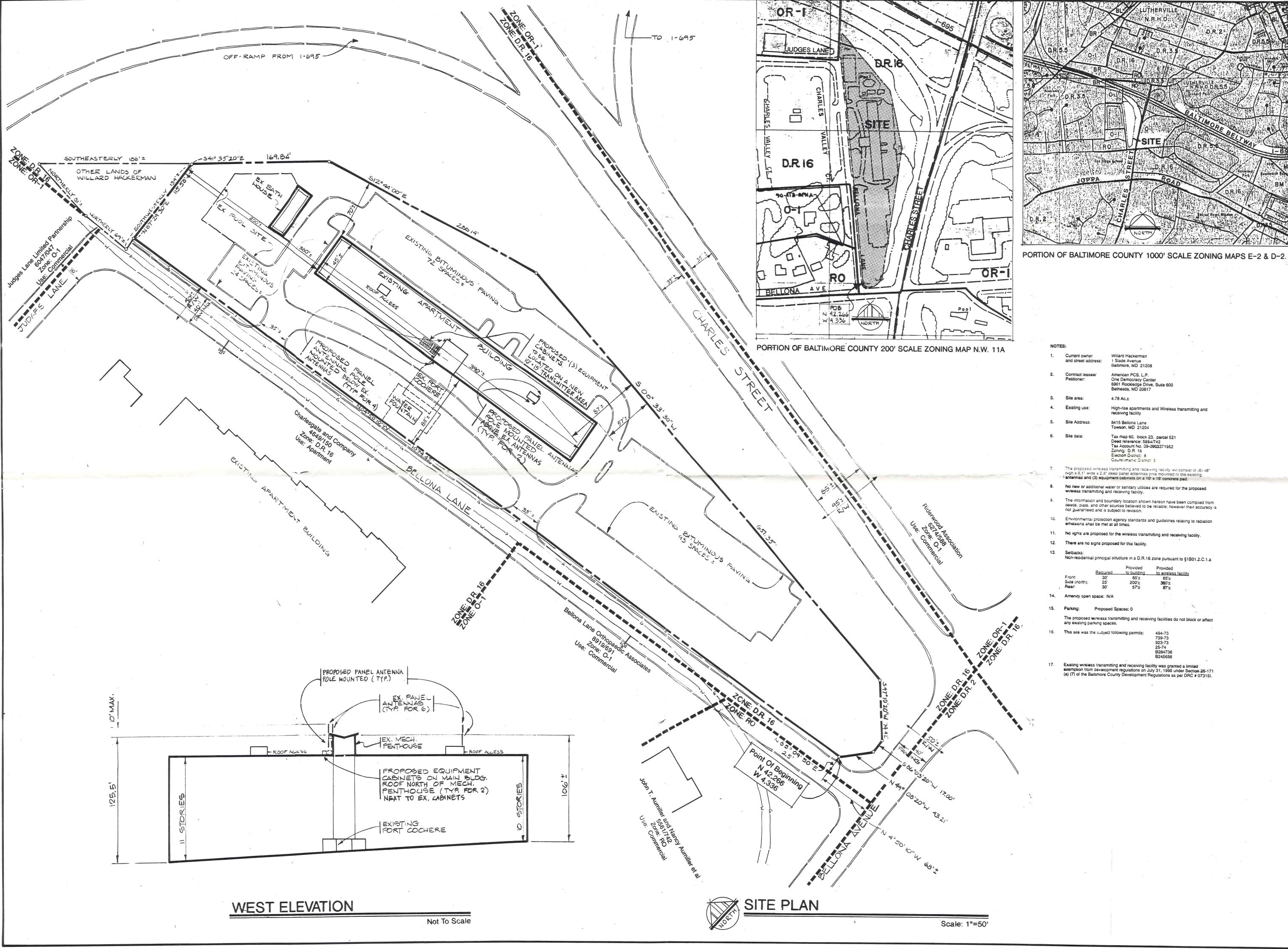
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IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION

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8415 Bellona Lane

8th Election District

3rd Councilmanic District

Williard Hackerman, Legal Owner

American PCS, L.P., Lessee

Petitioner

BEFORE THE

\* ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 96-8-X

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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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Proffered testimony and evidence presented is that the subject site is located at 8415 Bellona Lane, not far from Charles Street and the Baltimore Beltway (I-695). The property is improved with a large apartment building, known as the Ruxton Towers. This is a familiar landmark in the Towson area and is well known to this Zoning Commissioner. The Ruxton Towers apartment

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is visible from the Beltway and from points both east and west. APC is in the business of wireless communication. This is yet another in a series of cases that have come before this Zoning Commissioner for consideration. Those cases have all involved Petitions for Special Exception and/or Variance related to the construction of wireless transmitting facilities. In some cases, APC has requested approval to construct a monopole. More often requests have been made for the installation of antenna on existing structures, such as is the case here.

As is the case with all cellular providers, the company proposes constructing an interconnected grid of antennas to establish a cellular communication network. These antennas will be strategically placed to cover an established geographic area. A mobile user of the network will then be handed off from one cell grid to another to ensure continuous communication capability. APC not only offers mobile telephone service but also fax and other data transmission. Exhibits were shown which shows that antennas were necessary in this location to primarily serve that portion of the Baltimore Beltway which is located nearby.

The Petitioner also submitted an environmental impact statement in support of the Petition. (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 2) This statement concludes that there will be no detrimental affect of the surrounding locale of the proposed use. Another exhibit submitted (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 3) contains most of the details relating to the project, including a discussion of the antennas and their impacts and effects.

Based on the testimony and evidence presented, all of which is uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Special Exception. It is clear that the proposed use will not have any adverse impact to the surrounding locale and meets the standards set forth in both Sec-

tions 502.1 and 502.7 of the BCZR. Thus, the Petition for Special Exception shall be granted.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 1995 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Exception, approval to allow a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in a D.R.16 zone, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

1. The Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for

Baltimore County

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#### Baltimore County Government Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning



Suite 112 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-4386

August 14, 1995

Margaret Ruggieri, Esquire American PCS, L.P. One Democracy Center 6901 Rockledge Dr., Suite 600 Bethesda, Maryland 20817

RE: Case No. 95-482-X
Petition for Special Exception
American PCS, L.P., Lessee
TABCO Towers Associates, L.P., Legal Owner

Dear Ms. Ruggieri:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above captioned case. The Petition for Special Exception has been granted, with restrictions, in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event the decision rendered is unfavorable to any party, please be advised that any party may file an appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of the Order to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our Appeals Clerk at 887-3353.

Very truly yours

Lawrence E. Schmidt Zoning Commissioner

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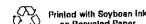
att.

cc: Ms. Debbie Meaney/Mr. Michael Burke

cc: David Gildea, Esquire

cc: Robert Morelock, Daft, McCune and Walker

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# Petition for Special Exception

### to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 8415 Bellona Lane

which is presently zoned DR 16

This Patition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management.

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 for a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the herein described property for

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

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to

a wireless transmitting and receiving facility pursuant to 1B01.1.C.20

be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County ado	ppted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.
	I/We do solemnly declare and affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.
Contract designed/Lessee;	Legal Owner(s):
MARGARET RUGGIER! FOR American PCS, L.P. (Type of Pelnt Name) Signature One Democracy Center	Willard Hackerman (Type or Print Name) Signature
6901 Rockledge Drive, Suite 600	(Type or Print Name)
Bethesda, MD 20817 City State Zipcode Attorney for Petitioner: G. Scott Barhight, Esq.	Signature
Whiteford Taylor & Preston (Type or Print Name)	1 Slade Avenue 484-2818 Address Phone No.
SIGNATURE STENDANCE STENDA	State Zipcode Name, Address and phone number of representative to be contacted.
500 Court Towers	Robert E. Morelock
210 W. Pennsylvania Ave. 832-2000 Address Phone No.	Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc.
Towson, MD 21204 City State Zipcode	200 E. Pennsylvania Ave, Towson 296-3333 Address Phone No.
Applies Administrator	OFFICE USE ONLY  ESTIMATED LENGTH OF HEARING  unavailable for Hearing  the following dates  OTHER  REVIEWED BY:
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#### Description

## To Accompany Petition for Special Exception 4.78 Acre Parcel

Part of the Willard Hackerman Property

Northeast Side of Bellona Lane

Northwest Side of Bellona Avenue

Eighth Election District, Baltimore County, Maryland

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Daft·MCune·Walker, Inc.

200 East Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21286 410 296 3333 Fax 296 4705

A Team of Land Planners,

Landscape Architects,

Engineers, Surveyors &

Environmental Professionals

Beginning for the same on the northeast side of Bellona Lane, 50 feet wide, at the end of the second of the two following courses and distances measured from the point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Bellona Lane with the centerline of Bellona Avenue (1) North 04 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds West along said centerline of Bellona Lane 68 feet, more or less, and thence (2) North 85 degrees 09 minutes 50 seconds East 25 feet to the point of beginning, thence leaving said beginning point and binding on said northeast side of Bellona Lane (1) North 04 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds West 1074.45 feet, thence leaving said lane (2) North 87 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds East 115.58 feet to the southwest side of the Baltimore Beltway - Charles Street Interchange, thence binding on the southwest and northwest sides of the said interchange, the four following courses and distances, viz: (3) South 41 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds East 169,84 feet, thence (4) South 12 degrees 44 minutes 00 seconds East 288.14 feet, thence (5) South 08 degrees 33 minutes 30 seconds West 651.35 feet, and thence (6) South 47 degrees 10 minutes 20 seconds West 74.42 feet to intersect the northwest side of Bellona Avenue, thence binding thereon the two following courses and distances viz: (7) South 86 degrees 03 minutes 20

seconds West 17.00 feet, and thence (8) North 49 degrees 08 minutes 20 seconds West 43.21 feet to the point of beginning; containing 4.78 acres of land, more or less.

THIS DESCRIPTION HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR ZONING PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE USED FOR CONVEYANCE.

July 5, 1995

Project No. 94161.36 (L94161.36)





111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

## ZONING HEARING ADVERTISING AND POSTING REQUIREMENTS & PROCEDURES

Baltimore County Zoning Regulations require that notice be given to the general public/neighboring property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions which require a public hearing, this notice is accomplished by posting a sign on the property and placement of a notice in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the County.

This office will ensure that the legal requirements for posting and advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements.

#### PAYMENT WILL BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1) Posting fees will be accessed and paid to this office at the time of filing.
- 2) Billing for legal advertising, due upon receipt, will come from and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

NON-PAYMENT OF ADVERTISING FEES WILL STAY ISSUANCE OF ZONING ORDER.

ARNOLD JABLON, DIRECTOR

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NAME: AMERICAN PCS L.P. ATTN: MARGARE ADDRESS: G901 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE, SUITE GOO	<u> </u>
BETHESDA, MD 20817	
PHONE NUMBER: (301) 214-9283	
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The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimpre County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimpre County will hold at public hearing on the property Identified herein in Room 106 of the Gounty Office Building, 11 W. Cheapeake Avenus in Toweon, Maryland 21204, or Room 118 Gld

Case: #88-8-X
(item 5)

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Bellona Lane
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Legal Owner(a):
Williard Hackerman
Lessee:
American PCS, L.P.
Hearing: Tuesday,
August 5, 1995 at 2:00
no. in Rm: 106, County Oftice Building.

Special Exception for a wireless transmitting and re-ceiving facility.

LAWRENCE B. SORMIDT Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handl-capped Accessible; for special ac-commodations: Please Call 887-3363; (2) For Information concern-ing the File and/or Hearing, Please Call 887-3391, 7/196 July 20.

## CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

TOWSON, MD... THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published successive in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of 20, 192 T. weeks, the first publication appearing on

TO: PUTUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY
July 20, 1995 Issue - Jeffersonian

Please foward billing to:

American PCS, L.P.
Margaret Ruggieri
One Democracy Center
6901 Rockledge Drive, Suite 600
Bethesda, MD 20817
301-214-9283

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or

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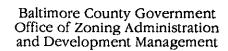
HEARING: TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1995 at 2:00 p.m. in Room 106, County Office Building.

Special Exception for a wireless transmitting and receiving facility.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT
ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

NOTES: (1) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

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111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

July 17, 1995

(410) 887-3353

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Arnold Jablon

Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

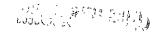
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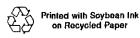
Robert E. Morelock/Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc.

American PCS, L.P. G. Scott Barhight, Esq.

NOTES: (1) ZONING SIGN & POST MUST BE RETURNED TO RM. 104, 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE ON THE HEARING DATE.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.
- (3) FOR INFORMATION CONCERING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THIS OFFICE AT 887-3391.







111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

August 1, 1995

G. Scott Barhight, Esquire Whiteford, Taylor & Preston 210 W. Pennsylvania Ave. Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Item No.: 05

Case No.: 96-8-X

Petitioner: W. Hackerman

Dear Mr. Barhight:

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from Baltimore County approval agencies, has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition, which was accepted for processing by Permits and Development Management (PDM), Zoning Review, on July 6, 1995.

Any comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties (zoning commissioner, attorney, petitioner, etc.) are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case. Only those comments that are informative will be forwarded to you; those that are not informative will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency or Joyce Watson in the zoning office (887-3391).

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

WCR/jw
Attachment(s)

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#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

### DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

T0:

Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director

July 19, 1995

Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM:

J. Lawrence Pilson

Development Coordinator, DEPRM

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item #005 - Wireless T/R Facility

8415 Bellona Lang

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of July 17, 1995

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above-referenced zoning item.

#### <u>Air Quality</u>

The site must comply with ANSI Standard C95.1-1982 at all times, including during reasonable roof access for maintenance/custodial personnel. We recommend that Caution/Warning signs be placed at all roof access doors.

JLP:SR:sp

c: D. Filbert

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#### Baltimore County Government Fire Department



700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21286-5500

(410) 887-4500

DATE: 07/17/95

Arnold Jablon
Director
Zoning Administration and
Development Management
Baltimore County Office Building
Towson, MD 21204
MAIL STOP-1105

RE: Property Owner: SEE BELOW

LOCATION: DISTRIBUTION OF JULY 17, 1995.

Item No.: SEE BELOW Zoning Agenda:

#### Gentlemen:

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

B. The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time, IN REFERENCE TO THE FOLLOWING ITEM NUMBERS:01,03,04,05,06 & 08.5

REVIEWER: LT. ROBERT P. SAUERWALD
Fire Marshal Office, PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

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Re:

Baltimore County Item No.: 005 (JLL)

Ms. Joyce Watson Zoning Administration and Development Management County Office Building Room 109 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Ms. Watson:

This office has reviewed the referenced item and we have no objection to approval as it does not access a State roadway and is not effected by any State Highway Administration project.

Please contact Bob Small at 410-333-1350 if you have any questions.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this item.

Very truly yours,

Ronald Burns, Chief Engineering Access Permits

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Division

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## BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: July 24, 1995 Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM: Robert W. Bowling, P.E., Chief Development Plans Review

RE: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

for July 24 1995 Items 004 005, 006 and 008 $^3$ 

The Development Plans Review Division has reviewed the subject zoning items and we have no comments.

RWB:sw

#### MARYLAND COUNTY, BALTIMORE

DATE: July 26, 1995

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM:

Pat Keller, Director

Office of Planning and Zoning

Petitions from Zoning Advisory Committee SUBJECT:

The Office of Planning and Zoning has no comments on the following petition(s):

Item Nos. 483, 485, 5 and 7

If there should be any further questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at 887-3480.

Prepared by: Offry W Long

Division Chief: Caryl-Klens

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## **BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND** Inter-Office Memorandum

DATE:

July 6, 1995

TO:

**Hearing Officer** 

FROM:

John L. Lewis Planner II, PDM

SUBJECT:

Item #5 8415 Bellona Lane

Advised of DRC requirement for development status. Applicant advised me that Environmental Impact Statement to be provided at hearing.

JLL:scj

### **PETITION PROBLEMS AGENDA OF**

#### #1 --- JLL

1. No sign fee paid (see receipt).

#### #2 --- RT

- Receipt is for special exception (\$300); petition is for special hearing (\$250) 1. -- Which one is correct?
- Special hearing petition says to amend special exception case. Case number given (82-52-SPHA) is for special hearing and variance. What are 2. they amending -- special hearing or a special exception?
- Need authorization for person signing for legal owner. 3.
- Zoning on petition says B.R.-A.S.; folder says B.R.-C.N.S. Which one is 4. correct?
- 5. Who signed for attorney? Do they have authorization?

#### #3 --- JJS

1. No zoning on petition form.

#### #5 --- JLL:

Need authorization for person signing for lessee.
 Who signed for attorney? Do they have authorization?



RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION
8415 Bellona Lane, NEC Bellona Avenue and
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Legal Owner: Williard Hackerman

Petitioners

Lessee: American PCS, L.P.

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 96-8-X

#### ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or final Order.

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

CAROLE S. DEMILIO

Deputy People's Counsel Room 47, Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-2188

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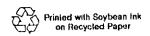
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 1995, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to G. Scott Barhight, Esquire, Whiteford, Taylor & Preston, 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, attorney for Petitioners.

DETER MAY TIMMERMAN

#### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

#### PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET

NAME	ADDRESS
MICHAEL BURKE	1110 N. GLEBE RD. STE 800, ARLINGTO
POB MORELOCK	DMW, 200 E. PENNA. AVE. TONSON
Debbic Meaney	1110 N Glebe Rd, Suite 800 Arlington
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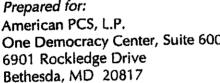
## **Environmental Impact Statement**

American PCS, L.P./Lutherville Site

August 1995

Project No. 94161.36

Prepared for: American PCS, L.P. One Democracy Center, Suite 600 6901 Rockledge Drive





Prepared by: Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc. 200 East Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21286





# AMERICAN PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS (APC) HEARING BEFORE THE BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING COMMISSIONER August 8, 1995

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is visible from the Beltway and from points both east and west. APC is in the business of wireless communication. This is yet another in a series of cases that have come before this Zoning Commissioner for consideration. Those cases have all involved Petitions for Special Exception and/or Variance related to the construction of wireless transmitting facilities. In some cases, APC has requested approval to construct a monopole. More often requests have been made for the installation of antenna on existing structures, such as is the case here.

As is the case with all cellular providers, the company proposes constructing an interconnected grid of antennas to establish a cellular communication network. These antennas will be strategically placed to cover an established geographic area. A mobile user of the network will then be handed off from one cell grid to another to ensure continuous communication capability. APC not only offers mobile telephone service but also fax and other data transmission. Exhibits were shown which shows that antennas were necessary in this location to primarily serve that portion of the Baltimore Beltway which is located nearby.

The Petitioner also submitted an environmental impact statement in support of the Petition. (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 2) This statement concludes that there will be no detrimental affect of the surrounding locale of the proposed use. Another exhibit submitted (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 3) contains most of the details relating to the project, including a discussion of the antennas and their impacts and effects.

Based on the testimony and evidence presented, all of which is uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Special Exception. It is clear that the proposed use will not have any adverse impact to the surrounding locale and meets the standards set forth in both Sec-

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tions 502.1 and 502.7 of the BCZR. Thus, the Petition for Special Exception shall be granted.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this /6 day of August, 1995 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Exception, approval to allow a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in a D.R.16 zone, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

> 1. The Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

> > Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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seconds West 17.00 feet, and thence (8) North 49 degrees 08 minutes 20 seconds

West 43.21 feet to the point of beginning; containing 4.78 acres of land, more or

**Baltimore County Government** Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning

Suite 112 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-4386

August 14, 1995

Margaret Ruggieri, Esquire American PCS, L.P. One Democracy Center 6901 Rockledge Dr., Suite 600 Bethesda, Maryland 20817

> RE: Case No. 95-482-X Petition for Special Exception American PCS, L.P., Lessee TABCO Towers Associates, L.P., Legal Owner

#### Dear Ms. Ruggieri:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above captioned case. The Petition for Special Exception has been granted, with restrictions, in accordance with the attached Order.

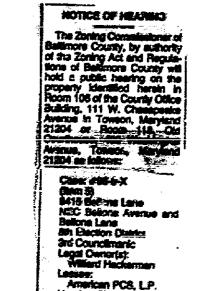
In the event the decision rendered is unfavorable to any party, please be advised that any party may file an appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of the Order to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our Appeals Clerk at 887-3353.

> Very truly yours Lawrence E. Schmidt Zoning Commissioner

cc: Ms. Debbie Meaney/Mr. Michael Burke cc: David Gildea, Esquire

cc: Robert Morelock, Daft, McCune and Walker

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CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of \_\_\_\_ successive 

THIS DESCRIPTION HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR ZONING PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE USED FOR CONVEYANCE.

July 5, 1995 Project No. 94161.36 (L94161.36)

Petition for Special Exception to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 8415 Bellona Lane which is presently zoned DR 16

This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management 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 for a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Soltimore County, to use the

a wireless transmitting and receiving facility pursuant to 1B01.1.C.20

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

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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	I/We do solemnly declare and affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that I/we are legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.
Construct Lessee:	Legal Owner(s):
MARGARET RUGGIER! FOR American PCS, L.P. (Type of Print Name)	Willard Hackerman
One Democracy Center 6901 Rockledge Drive, Suite 600	Signature 9
Bethesda, MD 20817 City State Zipcode Attorney for Petitioner:	(Type or Print Name)
G. Scott Barhight, Esq.	1 Slade Avenue 484-2818
Whiteford Taylor & Preston (Type or Print Name)	Address Phone No.
5-504 Bornightomes	Baltimore, MD 21208  City State Zepcode  Name, Address and phone mamber of representative to be contacted.
500 Court Towers 210 W. Pennsylvania Ave. 832-2000 Address Phone No. Towson, MD 21204 City State Zipcode	Robert E. Morelock <u>Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc.</u> Name  200 E. Pennsylvania Ave, Towson 296-333  Address Phone No.

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Daft-Mcune-Walker, Inc.

200 Eus Pennsylvania Avenue

Teuson, Maryland, 21236

A Team of Land Planners.

Beginning for the same on the northeast side of Bellona Lane, 50 feet wide, at the end of the second of the two following courses and distances measured from the point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Bellona Lane with the centerline of Bellona Avenue (1) North 04 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds West along said centerline of Bellona Lane 68 feet, more or less, and thence (2) North 85 degrees 09 minutes 50 seconds East 25 feet to the point of beginning, thence leaving said beginning point and binding on said northeast side of Bellona Lane (1) North 04 degrees 50 minutes 10 seconds West 1074.45 feet, thence leaving said lane (2) North 87 degrees 29 minutes 30 seconds East 115.58 feet to the southwest side of the Baltimore Beltway - Charles Street Interchange, thence binding on the southwest and northwest sides of the said interchange, the four following courses and distances, viz: (3) South 41 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds East 169.84 feet, thence (4) South 12 degrees 44 minutes 00 seconds East 288.14 feet, thence (5) South 08 degrees 33 minutes 30 seconds West 651.35 feet, and thence (6) South 47 degrees 10 minutes 20 seconds West 74.42 feet to intersect the northwest side of Bellona Avenue, thence binding thereon the two following courses and distances viz: (7) South 86 degrees 03 minutes 20

Description

To Accompany Petition for Special Exception

4.78 Acre Parcel

Part of the Willard Hackerman Property

Northeast Side of Bellona Lane

Northwest Side of Bellona Avenue

Eighth Election District, Baltimore County, Maryland

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

(410) 887-3353

ZONING HEARING ADVERTISING AND POSTING REQUIREMENTS & PROCEDURES

Baltimore County Zoning Regulations require that notice be given to the general public/neighboring property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions which require a public hearing, this notice is accomplished by posting a sign on the property and placement of a notice in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the County.

This office will ensure that the legal requirements for posting and advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements.

PAYMENT WILL BE HADE AS FOLLOWS:

- Posting fees will be accessed and paid to this office at the time of filing.
- Billing for legal advertising, due upon receipt, will come from and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

NON-PAYMENT OF ADVERTISING FEES WILL STAY ISSUANCE OF ZONING ORDER.

For newspaper advertising:

Petitioner: AMERICAN PCS, L.P

Totalion: 8415 BELLONA LANE, TOWSON MD 21204 PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:

NAME: AMERICAN PCS L.P. ATTN: MARGARET RUGGIERI ONE DEMOCRACY CENTER ADDRESS: 6901 ROCKLEDGE DRIVE, SUITE 600

BETHESDA, MD 20817 PHONE NUMBER: (301) 214-9283

(Revised 04/09/93)

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TO: PUTUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

Please foward billing to:

American PCS, L.P. Margaret Ruggieri One Democracy Center 6901 Rockledge Drive, Suite 600 Bethesda, MD 20817 301-214-9283

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County, will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Towson, Maryland 21204

Room 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 96-8-X (Item 5) 8415 Bellona Lane NEC Bellona Avenue and Rellona Lane 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Legal Owner(s): Williard Hackerson

HEARING: TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1995 at 2:00 p.m. in Room 106, County Office Building.

Special Exception for a wireless transmitting and receiving facility.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

HOTES: (1) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMPODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management



111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204 July 17, 1995

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Special Exception for a wireless transmitting and receiving facility.

Ms. Joyce Watson

Dear Ms. Watson:

Room 109

Zoning Administration and

Development Management County Office Building

111 W. Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, Maryland 21204

Administration project.

Department of Permits and Development Management

cc: Willard Hackergan Robert E. Morelock/Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc. American PCS, L.P. 6. Scott Barhight, Esq.

NOTES: (1) ZONING SIGN & POST MUST BE RETURNED TO RM. 104, 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE ON THE HEARING DATE. (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCORDUNATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353. (3) FOR INFORMATION CONCERING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THIS OFFICE AT 887-3391.

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(410) 887-3353

August 1, 1995

G. Scott Barhight, Esquire Whiteford, Taylor & Preston 210 W. Pennsylvania Ave. Towson, Maryland 21204

> RE: Item No.: 05 Case No.: 96-8-X Petitioner: W. Hackerman

Dear Mr. Barhight:

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from Baltimore County approval agencies, has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition, which was accepted for processing by Permits and Development Management (PDM), Zoning Review, on July 6, 1995.

Any comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties (zoning commissioner, attorney, petitioner, etc.) are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case. Only those comments that are informative will be forwarded to you; those that are not informative will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions regarding these comments, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency or Joyce Watson in the zoning office (887-3391).

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W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

Attachment(s)

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and

Development Management

July 19, 1995

J. Lawrence Pilson Development Coordinator, DEPRM

SUBJECT: Zoning Item #005 - Wireless T/R Facility

8415 Bellona Lane Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of July 17, 1995

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above-referenced zoning item.

Air Quality

The site must comply with ANSI Standard C95.1-1982 at all times, including during reasonable roof access for maintenance/custodial personnel. We recommend that Caution/Warning signs be placed at all roof access doors.

c: D. Filbert S. Reekie

WIRELESS/DEPRM/TXTSBP

Baltimore County Government Fire Department

700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21286-5500

(410) 887-4500

DATE: 07/17/95

Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204 MAIL STOP-1105

RE: Property Owner: SEE BELOW LOCATION: DISTRIBUTION OF JULY 17, 1995.

Item No.: SEE BELOW

Zoning Agenda:

Gentlemen:

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

8. The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time, IN REFERENCE TO THE FOLLOWING ITEM NUMBERS:01,03,04,05,06 & 08.2

REVIEWER: LT. ROBERT P. SAUERWALD Fire Marshal Office, PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

THE WAY

Re: Baltimore County

Item No.: 005 (JLL)

This office has reviewed the referenced item and we have no objection to

approval as it does not access a State roadway and is not effected by any State Highway

Please contact Bob Small at 410-333-1350 if you have any questions.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this item.

Hal Kassoll

Administrator

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INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: July 24, 1995 Zoning Administration and Development Management FROM: Robert W. Bowling, P.E., Chief Development Plans Review

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting for July 24, 1995 Items 004 005, 006 and 0083

The Development Plans Review Division has reviewed the subject zoning items and we have no comments.

RWB:sw

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management

DATE: July 26, 1995

Pat Keller, Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Petitions from Zoning Advisory Committee

The Office of Planning and Zoning has no comments on the following petition(s):

Item Nos. 483, 485, 5 and 7

If there should be any further questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at 887-3480.

Prepared by: Offry M rains

Division Chief: Odyl-Klyns

ZONING COMMISSIONER

Legal Owner: Williard Hackerman Lessee: American PCS, L.P. Petitioners

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION

3rd Councilmanic

final Order.

Bellona Lane, 8th Election District,

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY CASE NO. 96-8-X

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the People's Counsel in the abovecaptioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and of the passage of any preliminary or

> Peter Max Time PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
> People's Counsel for Baltimore County aule S Semilio CAROLE S. DEMILIO Deputy People's Counsel Room 47, Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2188

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 1995, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to G. Scott Barhight Esquire, Whiteford, Taylor & Preston, 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, attorney for Petitioners.

> Peter May Zimmen PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

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## **Environmental Impact** Statement

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Memorandum

Advised of DRC requirement for development status. Applicant advised me that Environmental Impact Statement to be provided at hearing.

July 6, 1995

Hearing Officer

John L. Lewis

Item #5

JLL:sci

Planner II, PDM

8415 Bellona Lane

American PCS, L.P./Lutherville Site

August 1995

Project No. 94161.36

Prepared for: American PCS, LP. One Democracy Center, Suite 600 6901 Rockledge Drive Bethesda, MD 20817

Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc. 200 East Pennsylvania Avenue Towson, Maryland 21286

**PETITION PROBLEMS AGENDA OF** 

#1 --- JLL

No sign fee paid (see receipt).

#2 -- RT

Receipt is for special exception (\$300); petition is for special hearing (\$250) — Which one is correct?

Special hearing petition says to amend special exception case. Case number given (82-52-SPHA) is for special hearing and variance. What are they amending – special hearing or a special exception?

3. Need authorization for person signing for legal owner.

4. Zoning on petition says B.R.-A.S.; folder says B.R.-C.N.S. Which one is correct?

5. Who signed for attorney? Do they have authorization?

#3 -- JJS

1. No zoning on petition form.

#5 -- JLL

Need authorization for person signing for lessee. Who signed for attorney? Do they have authorization?

American Personal Communications

AMERICAN PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS (APC)
HEARING BEFORE THE BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING COMMISSIONER August 8, 1995

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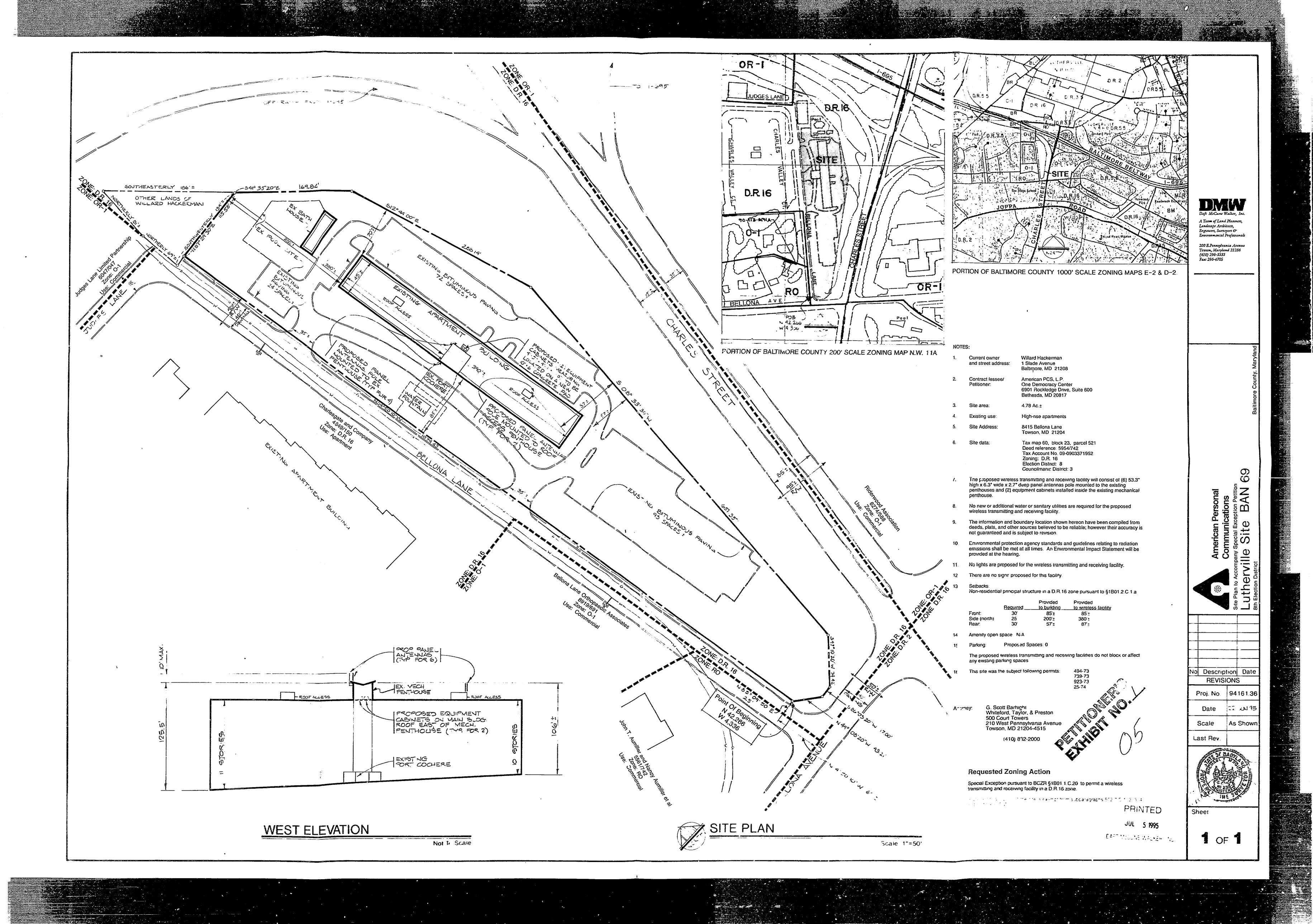
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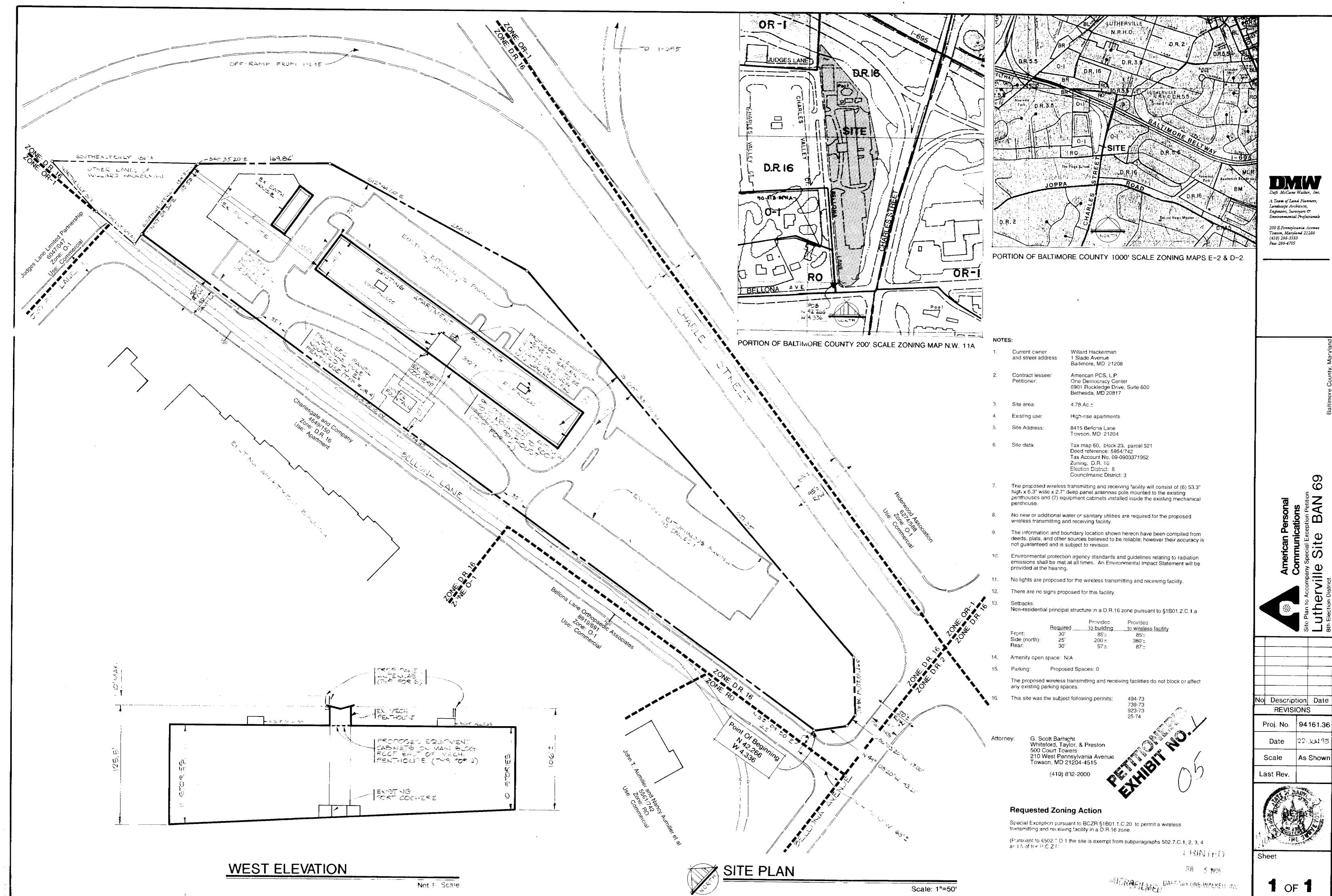
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