IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE

N/S Davis Avenue, 2800' W of the

c/l of Wrights Mill Road

(10218 Davis Avenue) 2nd Election District

1st Councilmanic District

Jeffrey E. Mathena, Sr., et ux

Petitioners

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BEFORE THE

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 97-349-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Administrative Variance for that property known as 10218 Davis Avenue, located in the vicinity of Old Court Road in The Petition was filed by the owners of the property, Jeffrey Woodstock. The Petitioners seek E. Mathena, Sr., and his wife, Linda M. Mathena. relief from Section 100.6 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit three horses on a lot size of 1.54 acres in lieu of the minimum required lot size of 3 acres. The subject property and relief sought are more particularly described on the site plan submitted which was accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

The Petitioners have filed the supporting affidavits as required by Section 26-127 (b)(1) of the Baltimore County Code. The subject property having been posted and there being no requests for public hearing, a decision shall be rendered based upon the documentation contained within the case file. Based upon the information available, there is no evidence in the file to indicate that the requested variance would adversely affect the health, safety or general welfare of the public and should therefore be granted. In the opinion of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner, the information, pictures, and affidavits submitted provide sufficient facts that comply with the requirements of Section 307.1 of the B.C.Z.R. Furthermore,

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strict compliance with the B.C.Z.R. would result in practical difficulty and/or unreasonable hardship upon the Petitioners.

Pursuant to the posting of the property and the provisions of both the Baltimore County Code and the B.C.Z.R. having been met, and for the reasons set forth above, the relief requested should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 19% day of March, 1997 that the Petition for Administrative Variance seeking relief from Section 100.6 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit three horses on a lot size of 1.54 acres in lieu of the minimum required lot size of 3 acres, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions:

1) The Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their 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 relief granted herein shall be rescinded.

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County

TMK:bjs

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Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner Office of Planning and Zoning

Suite 112, Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 (410) 887-4386

March 19, 1997

Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey E. Mathena, Sr. 10218 Davis Avenue Woodstock, Maryland 21163

RE: PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE

N/S Davis Avenue, 2800' W of the c/l of Wrights Mill Road

(10218 Davis Avenue)

2nd Election District - 1st Councilmanic District

Jeffrey E. Mathena, Sr., et ux - Petitioners

Case No. 97-349-A

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Mathena:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petition for Administrative Variance has been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, 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 on filing an appeal, please contact the Permits and Development Management Office at 887-3391.

Very truly yours,

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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for Baltimore County

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cc: People's Counsel

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Affidavit in support of Administrative Variance

The undersigned hereby affirms under the penalties of perjury to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, as follows:

That the information herein given is within the personal knowledge of the Affiant(s) and that Affiant(s) is/are competent to testify thereto in the event that a public hearing is scheduled in the future with regard thereto.

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That the Afflant(s) does/do presently reside at 10218 DOUIS AUCNUC,
Wordstock Md. 21163
City State Zip Code
That based upon personal knowledge, the following are the facts upon which I/we base the request for an Administrative Variance at the above address: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty)
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That Affiant(s) acknowledge(s) that if a protest is filed, Affiant(s) will be required to pay a reposting and advertising fee and
may be required to provide additional information.
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(signature)
JEFFRENS: Mathena, SR. Linda M. Mathena
(type or print name) (type or print name)
STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE, to wit:
I HEREBY CERTIFY, this 18 day of February, 19 97, before me, a Notary Public of the State
of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared
JEFFREY MATHENA - Linda Mathena
the Affiants(s) herein, personally known or satisfactorily identified to me as such Affiantt(s), and made oath in due form of law that the matters and facts hereinabove set forth are true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.
AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal.
2-18-97 Howard Eugene Namutha
date NOTARY PUBLIC
My Commission Expires: /-/- 0 /

PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE

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That permission is given to have horses or ponies reside on the premises at 10218 Davis Avenue. Our property has been in the family for years where horses, ponies and livestock have been for generations. Our property is adjoined in the back by my sister who owns 2+ acres, which is adjoined in the back of her by my parents who own 13+ acres. The northwest side of our property is owned by the Baltimore Gas and Electric which is approximately 15 acres and is currently maintained by myself. Adjoining the BG&E property is my parents property and dwelling of 1+ acres. The adjoining three properties next to my parents are family members which contain approximately 8 - 10 acres. On the east side of our property is an 130 acre Christmas Tree Farm. In addition to the above, there are three horse boarding facilities on the opposite side of Davis Avenue. On the same side as the horse boarding facilities is access through BG&E to the Patapsco State Park which contains miles of horse backriding trails.

Your cooperation regarding this matter would be appreciated.

THANK YOU,

JEFFREY E. & LINDA M.

Linda M. Mathera

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ZONING DESCRIPTION

Zoning description for 10218 Davis Avenue

Beginning at a point on the 1004h side of Davis Ave which is

60 wide at the distance of 2800 west of the centerline of the nearest improved street wrights Mill kil which is 60 wide.

As recorded in Deed Liber 46, Folio # 129, containing 1.54 ac.

Also known as 10218 Davis Ave and located in the 2 Election District,

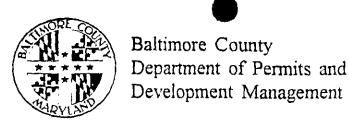
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	RE: Case No.: 97-349-A
	Petitioner/Developer:
N	JEFFREY MATHENA
•	Date of Hearing/Closing: 3-17-97
Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management County Office Building, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204	
Attention: Ms. Gwendolyn Stephens	
Ladies and Gentlemen:	
were posted conspicuously on the property	of perjury that the necessary sign(s) required by law located at
The sign(s) were posted on	FEB 27, 1997 (Month, Day, Year)
	(Month, Day, Year)
	Sincerely,

97-349-A





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

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 (responsibility of which, lies with the petitioner/applicant) 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 advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with this requirement.

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	
For newspaper advertising:	
Item No.: 349	
Petitioner: Teffrey E. Mathema, Sr.	
Location: 10218 Davis Avenue	
PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:	
NAME: Oelfrey E. Mathena, Sr.	
ADDRESS: 10218 Davis Ovenul	
2 Doorbolock, M.D. 21163 (Glanite)	
PHONE NUMBER: 410-461-5579	

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(Revised 09/24/96)

Plat to accompany Petition for Zoning Variance	e Special Hearing
PROPERTY ADDRESS:	see pages 5 & 6 of the CHECKLIST for additional required information
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	LOCATION INFORMATION
	Election District:
	Councilmanic District:
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Exhibit A

Request for Zoning: Administrative Variance

Date to be Posted: Anytime before but no later than $\frac{3/2/97}{}$

Format for Sign Printing, Black Letters on a White Background:

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Case No.: 97-349

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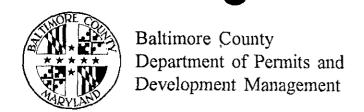
PUBLIC HEARING?

PURSUANT TO SECTION 26-127(b) (1), <u>BALTIMORE COUNTY CODE</u>, AN ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP MAY REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE PROPOSED VARIANCE, PROVIDED THE REQUEST IS RECEIVED IN THE ZONING REVIEW BUREAU BEFORE 5:00 P.M. ON

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT THE DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT, COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING, 111 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVE., TOWSON, MD 21204, (410) 887-3391

DO NOT REMOVE THIS SIGN AND POST UNTIL AFTER ABOVE DATE UNDER PENALTY OF LAW

HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE



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

February 28, 1997

ABOUT YOUR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE

CASE NUMBER: 97-349-A
10218 Davis Avenue
N/S Davis Avenue, 2800' W of c/l Wrights Mill Road
2nd Election District - 1st Councilmanic
Legal Owner(s): Jeffrey W. Mathena, Sr. and Linda M. Mathena
Post by Date: 3/2/97
Closing Date: 3/17/97

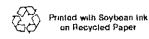
Contact made with this office regarding the status of this case should reference the case number and be directed to 887-3391. This notice serves as a refresher regarding the administrative process.

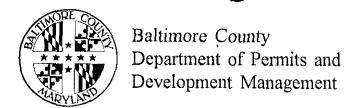
- The Zoning Notice sign must be visible on the property under petition on or before the "Post by Date" noted above. It should remain there until after the closing date.
- 2) The "Closing Date" noted above, is the deadline for a neighbor to file a formal request for a public hearing.
- 3) After the closing date, the file will be reviewed by the Zoning or Deputy Zoning Commissioner. He/She may (a) grant the requested relief, (b) deny the requested relief, or (c) Order that the matter be set in for a public hearing. You will receive written notification (typically within 7 to 10 days) as to whether or not your petition has been granted, denied, or will go to public hearing.
- 4) In cases that must go to a public hearing (whether due to a neighbor's formal request or by Order of the Commissioner), notification of same will be forwarded to you. The sign on the property must be changed giving notice of the hearing's date, time and location. As when the sign was originally posted, certification of this change and a photograph of the altered sign, must be forwarded to this office.

DATE, THE **PROCESS** IS NOT PLEASE UNDERSTAND THAT ON THE CLOSING COMPLETE. THE FILE MUST GO THROUGH FINAL REVIEW. ORDERS AVAILABLE FOR DISTRIBUTION VIA PICK-UP. WHEN READY, THE ORDER WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL.

Arnold Jablon Director

cc: Jeffrey and Linda Mathena





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

March 12, 1997

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Mathena, Sr. 10218 Davis Avenue Woodstock, MD 21163

RE: Item No.: 349

Case No.: 97-349-A

Petitioner: Jeffrey Mathena, et ux

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Mathena:

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 February 20, 1997.

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 Roslyn Eubanks in the zoning office (887-3391).

Sincerely,

W. Carl Richards, Jr.

Zoning Supervisor

WCR/re
Attachment(s)





David L. Winstead Secretary Parker F. Williams Administrator

Ms. Roslyn Eubanks
Baltimore County Office of
Permits and Development Management
County Office Building, Room 109
Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Baltimore County 3 · 4 · 9 7

Item No. 349 (MJK)

Dear Ms. Eubanks:

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 affected by any State Highway Administration projects.

Please contact Larry Gredlein at 410-545-5606 if you have any questions.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this item.

Very truly yours,

for

Ponald Burns, Chief

Engineering Access Permits

Division

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My telephone number is _____

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: February 28, 1997

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Permits and Development

Management

FROM:

Pat Keller, Director

Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

Petitions from Zoning Advisory Committee

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

Item Nos. 346, $348 \left(349\right)$ 350 and 351

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 887-3495.

Effry M. Kerns

PK/JL

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Date: March 10, 1997

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Chief Development Plans Review Division

SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

for March 10, 1997

Item Nos. 348, 349, 350, & 351

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

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cc: File

Baltimore County Government Fire Department



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

(410) 887-4500

DATE: March 4, 1997

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 MEETING OF MARCH 3, 1997

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:

344, 345, 346, 348, 349, 350, 351, and 352

REVIEWER: LT. ROBERT P. SAUERWALD

Fire Marshal Office, PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

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97-349-A

This Deed, Made this 2		day of October, by and between VERNON
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MATHENA, JR. and VIRGINIA	ANNE MATHENA,	his wife

day of October , by and between VERNON WALLACE

----in the State of Maryland, of the first part, and ofBaltimore County-----WEFFREY EDWARD MATHENA, SR. AND LINDA MARIE MATHENA, his wife, of Baltimore County, State of Maryland----of the second part.

Witnesseth, King in gonsiduration of the sum of That for no actual monetary consideration, but for other good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

the said VERNON WALLACE MATHENA, JR. and VIRGINIA ANNE MATHENA, his wife ----

grant and convey unto the said JEFFREY EDWARD MATHENA, SR. and LINDA MARIE MATHENA, his wife, as tenants-by-the-entireties, their assigns, the survivor of them, his or her

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heirs and assigns, in fee simple, all

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Baltimore County, State of Maryland --- , aforesaid, and described as follows, that is to say:-

Beginning for the first thereof and being known and designated as Lot No.1 (One) as shown on the plat of MATHENA PROPERTY-DAVIS AVE which plat is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr. No. 46, folio 129.

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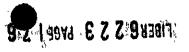
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heirs and assigns, in fee simple.

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VIMCINIA ANNE MATHENA

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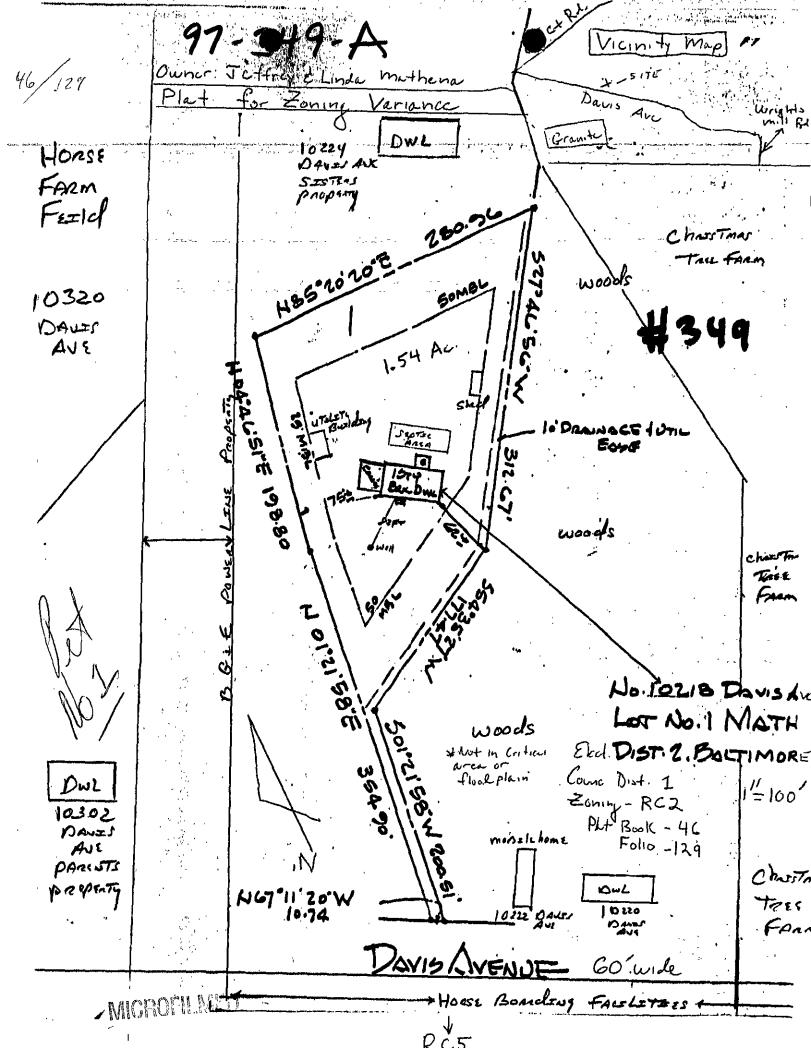
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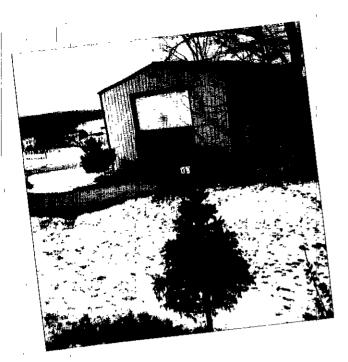
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Backyard



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Front of Driveway of Bariston



House - 10218 Davis Ave. Front

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Baltimore County
Department of Permits and
Development Management
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

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Petition for Administrative Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at

10218 DAVIS AVENUE

7-349-A

which is presently zoned

Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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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 Variance from Section(s)

100.6 to permit a miximum of 3 horses on 1.54 acres in lice of the minimum 3 acres of grazing lamb.

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be bound by the zoning regulations and restriction of Sammer	, and the second
	. 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 Purchaser/Lessee:	Legal Owner(s):
	MR. JEFFrey E. Mothena, SR.
Type or Print Name)	(Type or Print Name)
	Jeny E. Man
Signature	Signature
	mrs. Linda M. Mathena
Address	(Type or Print Name)
	Kinda M. Marrina
City State Zipcode	Signature W-410-461-526
Attorney for Petitioner:	10218 DAUIS AUE. 410-461-55
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•	Woodstork, Md. 21163
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