IN RR: PETITIONS/SPEC.HEARING & VARIANCE \* BEFORE THE

S/S Holly Neck Road, 200 ft. E

of Goff Road \* ZONING COMMISSIONER

2205 Holly Neck Road
15th Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

5th Councilmanic District
Harold Weidow, et ux \* Case No. 97-289-SPHA

Petitioners

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#### ZONING COMMISSIONER'S RULING ON MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

This matter again comes before the Zoning Commissioner on a request for reconsideration of the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and Order issued on May 20, 1998, for the property known as 2205 Holly Neck Road in eastern Baltimore County. Previously, this Zoning Commissioner considered a Petition for Special Hearing and Petition for Variance filed by Harold Weidow and Estelle Weidow, his wife, property owners. Special Hearing relief was requested to approve utilization of a lot created in an R.C.20 ZONE to support the density necessary for a three lot subdivision in an R.C.5 zone. Variance relief was requested from Section 1A04.3.B.3 of the BCZR to permit side yard setbacks of 10 ft. in lieu of the required 50 ft. for proposed lots 1, 2 and 3.

Following the required public advertising and posting of the property, a hearing on this case was conducted on March 10, 1998. At that time, Harold A. Weidow, Petitioner, appeared as did his surveyor, Thomas Phelps. A site plan was offered at that time and received as Petitioner's Ex. No.1.

The site plan originally submitted indicated that the subject property is an irregularly shaped parcel, approximately 5 acres in area. The property is adjacent to Holly Neck Road in eastern Baltimore County, within the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area. The property is split zoned R.C.5 and R.C.20. The R.C.5 portion of the tract occupies the front part of the property and contains 3.043 acres. The rear of the property is zoned R.C.20 and is 1.772 acres in area. The balance of the area of the property (.15



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acres) is within the right of way for Holly Neck Road. The property is presently improved with an existing single family detached house, known as 2205 Holly Neck Road. Additionally, the property contains three storage sheds.

The original site plan submitted requested approval of the subdivision of the property into three lots. As more particularly shown on that plan, the Petitioner essentially proposed placement of two parallel internal property lines which bisected the property into thirds. Those internal property lines, in addition to the two existing side property lines ran in a parallel fashion and were perpendicular to the front property line created by the property's border to Holly Neck Road.

For reasons fully set forth in my prior Order, I denied the relief I first noted that the R.C.5 regulations require that any R.C.5 requested. lot must be greater than one acre in area. As shown on the previously submitted plan, two of the lots created (lots 2 & 3) contained less than one acre of R.C.5 land. Although they were cumulatively in excess of one acre (i.e., the total area adding both the R.C.5 and R.C.20 portions exceeded one acre) these lots contained less than one acre of R.C.5 land. Second. I observed that the Petitioner's attempt to subdivide the R.C.20 portion of the property was illegal. As stated in the prior Order, the BCZR provides that no lot zoned R.C.20 less than 20 acres in area may be subdivided. Under the prior plan, the Petitioner proposed subdividing the R.C.20 acreage into three parcels, to piggy back onto the backs of the R.C.5 acreage. Third, I pointed out that the density regulations of the R.C.5 (.667 units permitted per acre) would not allow three R.C.5 units. That is, the acreage of the land zoned R.C.5 permits only two (2) houses.

The Petitioner has requested reconsideration of my decision and submitted an amended plan. That plan has been marked as Petitioner's Exhibit No.1A and is now in the case file. Under the amended plan, the Petitioner

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has reconfigured the internal lot lines. Lot No. 1, as now drawn, contains all of the R.C.20 acreage (1.772 acres) and an area of R.C.5 land just over one acre. The total area of lot 1 as now drawn is 2.282 acres. Lot 2 as presently drawn consists entirely of R.C.5 acreage and is one acre in area. Lot 3 is likewise comprised of all R.C.5 acreage and is also one acre in area.

Clearly, the Petitioner's plan has removed some of the impediments to development previously identified. All of the three lots now contain more than one acre in area of R.C.5 zoned land, thereby meeting the minimum size requirement of one acre for R.C.5 lots. Second, by piggybacking all of the R.C.20 acreage onto the back of lot 1, there is no subdivision of the R.C.20 portion of the property, thereby avoiding that prohibition as set out in the B.C.Z.R.

The third impediment identified in my original Order is more difficult. As noted above, the R.C.5 regulations allow density at a rate of .6667 units per acre. Note 3 on the revised plan shows "Number of lots equal 5.00 - (sic) 0.67 = 3.35 allowed, 3.0 proposed." That note is inaccurate for several reasons. First, the density is determined not by dividing the acreage by the units permitted per acre. (Indeed 5.00 divided by .67 is 7.46) Rather, the proper formula is to multiply the acreage times the dwelling units per acre. More importantly, however, it is not five acres which is under consideration. The .667 calculation applies to the R.C.5 acreage, not the total acreage, which includes the R.C.20 acreage. As noted in my prior Order, the correct calculation is .667 units per acre times 3.072 acres (the area of the R.C.5 acreage). Under that calculation, only two units would be allowed. (3.072 x .667 = 2.049)

Arguably, the Petitioner could attempt to avoid this density limitation by somehow transferring "density" or "rights of subdivision" from the R.C.20

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acreage. That request can be tacitly inferred in the wording the Petition for Special Hearing as shown on the amended the site plan.

However, for any such density to be transferred, there must be a compelling justification to support the transfer of density. Transfers of density or rights of subdivision in the R.C. zones are permitted when such actions would further the goals and the spirit and intent of the zoning regulations.

In this case, there has been no such showing. The motive behind the Petitioner's plan is plain and simple; to wit, to subdivide the property in as many parcels as possible so as to enjoy a better economic return. I can find no compelling reason in the record of this case which would support some type of density transfer from the R.C.20 portion to the R.C.5 portion which is based upon the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

Moreover, the case as originally filed included a Petition for Variance. That variance sought relief from setback requirements, to allow 10 ft. side yard setbacks in lieu of the required 50' allowed. Variances may be granted only if the requirements of Section 307, as construed by the case law, are satisfied. (See Cromwell v. Ward, 102 Md. App. 691, 1995) well settled, variance relief should not be granted merely for the convenience of a property owner or to allow a better economic return. The reasons must be more compelling. Moreover, the hardship alleged to support the variance, as it applies to lots 2 and 3, is entirely self created. lines for which the setback relief is requested are being created at this time by the Petitioner. As noted in my prior Order, a variance for the existing dwelling should be granted. However, to allow variance relief for the proposed lots is not simply justified.

For these reasons, the Petition for Special Hearing must be denied in its entirety and the Petition for Variance must also be denied, in part. I appreciate the ingenuity of the Petitioner and his surveyor. However, I feel that the request is contrary to the express intent of the BCZR and

cannot be granted. Relief would be proper to allow a two lot subdivision, as more fully set out in my prior Order. Also, a variance would be appropriate to allow the existing house to remain at its location. However, there are simply too many legitimate impediments under the law to the proposed three lots subdivision so as to prohibit same.

Finally, it should also be noted that the Office of Planning has recommended denial of the applicant's request for an entirely different reason. Their comment states that, although public sewers have been installed in the lower Back River Neck Peninsula, such installation is intended to serve the existing dwellings with failing septic systems and is not meant to facilitate additional development. This comment generates yet another issue which would support a denial of the plan.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be denied.

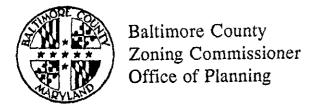
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Special Hearing be and is hereby denied; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance (as submitted) be and is hereby DENIED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law dated May 20, 1998 are incorporated herein, except as expressly modified hereinabove. Any appeal from this decision must be taken in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

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Suite 405, County Courts Bldg. 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 410-887-4386

August 18, 1998

Thomas E. Phelps & Associates, Inc. 945 Barron Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21221-5202

Mr. Harold Weidow 2205 Holly Neck Road Baltimore, Maryland 21221

RE: Ruling on Motion for Reconsideration

Case No. 98-289-SPHA

Property: 2205 Holly Neck Road

#### Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find a copy of my Ruling on Motion rendered in the above captioned matter. The Motion has been denied.

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 Ruling to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our Appeals Clerk at 887-3391.

Very truly yours

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND ZONING VARIANCE S/S Holly Neck Road, 200 ft. E of Goff Road 2205 Holly Neck Road 15th Election District

5th Councilmanic District Harold Weidow, et ux

Petitioners

\* BEFORE THE

\* ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

\* Case No. 98-289-SPHA

#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Hearing and Petition for Variance for the property known as 2205 Holly Neck Road in eastern Baltimore County. The Petitions were filed by Harold Weidow and Estella Weidow, his wife, property owners. Special hearing relief is requested to approve utilization of a lot created in an R.C.20 zone to support the density for a three lot subdivision in an R.C.5 zone. Variance relief is requested from Section 1A04.3.B.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR) to permit side yard setbacks of 10 ft. in lieu of the required 50 ft. for proposed lots 1, 2 and 3. the requested relief and subject property are more particularly shown on the site plan, marked as Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing held for this case were Harold A. Weidow, property owner/Petitioner, and Thomas Phelps, the surveyor who prepared the site plan. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

An examination of the site plan shows that the subject property is an irregularly shaped parcel, approximately 5 acres in area. The property is located adjacent to Holly Neck Road in eastern Baltimore County, within the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area. The property is split zoned R.C.5 and R.C.20. The R.C.5 portion of the tract occupies the front portion of the property and contains 3.043 acres in area. The rear of the property is zoned R.C.20 and is 1.772 acres in area. The balance of the area of the

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property is within the right of way for Holly Neck Road. The property is presently improved with an existing single family detached house known as 2205 Holly Neck Road. Additionally, the property contains three storage sheds. Mr. Weidow indicated that he has owned the site since approximately 1964 and resides in the dwelling thereon.

The Petitioner comes before me to obtain zoning relief for a proposed subdivision of the property. As more particularly shown on the site plan, the Petitioner proposes subdividing the overall tract into three lots. Lot No. 1 will be approximately 130 ft. wide at the front property line and run to a depth of 531 ft. to 614 ft. Lot No. 1 will contain the existing single family dwelling and one of the sheds. Lot No. 2 will 101 ft. wide at the front property line and range in depth to 614 to 679 ft. Lot No. 3 will also be 101 ft. in width and range in a depth from 679 ft. to 743 ft. In essence, the Petitioner proposes subdivision of the property by creating two new internal property lines which bisect the property into thirds. Both of the these internal property lines, in addition to the two existing side property lines run, in a parallel fashion from the property's frontage at Holly Neck Road to the rear of the site.

As a result of the proposed subdivision, lot No. 1 will be 1.698 acres in area, composed of 1.184 acres of land zoned R.C.5 and .514 acres zoned R.C.20. Lot No. 2 will be 1.484 acres in total; composed of .925 acres zoned R.C.5 and .559 zoned R.C.20. Lot No. 3 will be 1.633 acres in total area; composed of .934 acres zoned R.C.5 and .699 zoned R.C.20.

The R.C.5 zoning regulations are codified in Section 1A04 of the BCZR. Section 1A04.3.B.1 provides that a lot having an area of less than one acre may not be <u>created</u> in the R.C.5 zone. The section further provides that the gross residential density available to a lot of record in the R.C.5 zone is .667 dwellings per acre.

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The R.C.20 zone is even more restrictive. The R.C.20 zone was created to provide a buffer for the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries. Section 1A05.4.B provides that no R.C.20 zoned lot of record having a gross area of less than 20 acres may be subdivided.

It is clear that these regulations prohibit the subdivision proposed by the Petitioner. The Petitioner's plan is contrary to the requirements of the BCZR for several reasons. First, the area of the R.C.5 zoned land (3.072 acres) would permit, from a density standpoint, only two dwellings (i.e. 3.072 acres x .667 units per acre). Second, lots 2 and 3, as proposed, are insufficiently sized, as they fail to meet the one acre minimum. Third, the R.C.20 regulations clearly provide that a lot of less than 20 acres in area cannot be subdivided.

The Petitioner seeks to avoid these requirements by its Petition for Special Hearing. Essentially, the Petitioner seeks to subdivide the R.C.20 acreage into three parcels and piggyback these parcels to the rear of the R.C.5 lots. The Petitioner's plan attempts to create three lots which are all over one acre in area and each lot contains a mixture of R.C.5 and R.C.20 land.

I am appreciative of the Petitioner's ingenuity and the fact that the property was downzoned in 1979. The downzoning of the parcel has, indeed, made development of this site more difficult.

However, in this case, I feel constrained to abide by the strict requirements of the BCZR. I find that no real hardship will be suffered by the Petitioner if strict adherence to the regulations were required. Economic hardship is not a compelling factor. Moreover, I am aware of no precedent which would allow the special hearing relief to be granted.

Under the circumstances, the Petition for Special Hearing will, therefore, be denied. However, in the alternative, the Petitioner can

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subdivide its land so as to create two lots. This subdivision would include a parcel combining lot No. 1 and all of the R.C.20 land. A second lot could be created by combining lots 2 and 3. Such a two lot subdivision would meet the R.C.5 density requirements, provide for two lots which would both be sufficiently sized to meet the minimum area requirements and would not subdivide the R.C.20 portion of the parcel. Such a two lot subdivision as outlined above, would be, in my judgment, fully in compliance with the BCZR. There may be other means to subdivide the property which would meet the intent of the regulations.

As to the zoning variance, same shall be granted for the existing house. Variance relief for that dwelling appears necessary for any subdivision, in that a 50 ft. side yard setback cannot be maintained due to the narrowness of the parcel. In my judgment, the testimony and evidence presented supports a finding that relief from the 50 ft. side yard setback requirement for the entire dwelling should be granted. I believe that the Petitioner has produced sufficient testimony and evidence to comply with the requirements of Section 307 of the BCZR and the case law.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be granted, in part, and denied, in part.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this 20 day of May 1998 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Hearing, approval for the utilization of a lot created in an R.C.20 zone to support the density for a three lot subdivision in an R.C.5 zone, be and is hereby DENIED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a variance from Section 1A04.3.B.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR) to permit a side yard setback of 10 ft., in lieu of the required 50 ft. for the existing dwelling known

as 2205 Holly Neck Road, 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 Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.
- 2. The Petitioners may, at their election, submit an alternate plan, consistent with the findings set forth above. The alternate plan would permit the subdivision of the subject property into two lots, one of which would be proposed lot 1 and the R.C.20 acreage. Lot No. 2 would be a combination of proposed lots 2 and 3.
- 3. Compliance with the ZAC comments submitted by the Baltimore County Zoning Plans Advisory Committee, namely, The Dept. of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM), dated Feb. 20, 1998, are adopted in their entirety and made a part of this Order.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County





Suite 405, County Courts Bldg. 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 410-887-4386

May 14, 1998

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Weidow 2205 Holly Neck Road Baltimore, Maryland 21221

> RE: Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance Property: 2205 Holly Neck Road Case No. 98-289-SPHA

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Weidow:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above captioned case. The Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance have been granted, in part and denied, in part, 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 887-3391.

very truly yours,

Lawrence E. Schmidt Zoning Commissioner

LES:mmn att.

c: Thomas E. Phelps and Assoc., Inc. 945 Barron Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21221



# Petition for Special Hearing

## to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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#### 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

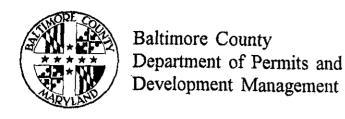
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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

February 13, 1998

#### NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County, will hold a public hearing in Towson, Maryland on the property identified herein as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 98-289-SPHA 2205 Holly Neck Road S/S Holly Neck Road, 200' E of Goff Road 15th Election District - 5th Councilmanic District Legal Owner: Harold A. Weidow & Estella Weidow

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**HEARING:** 

Tuesday, March 10, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building.

401 Bosley Avenue

Arnold Jabion Director

c: Thomas E. Phelps & Associates Harold & Estella Weidow

NOTES: (1) YOU MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED ON THE PROPERTY BY FEBRUARY 23, 1998.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL 410-887-3353.
- (3) FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THIS OFFICE AT 410-887-3391.



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Please forward billing to:

Richard Weidow

410-682-3732

2205 Holly Neck Road Baltimore, MD 21221

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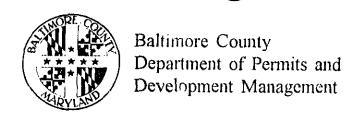
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LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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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 and placement of a notice in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the County.

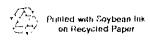
This office will ensure that the legal requirements for posting and advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements.

#### 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			
For newspaper advertising:				
Item No.: 289 Petitioner:	Harold Wridow			
Location: 2205 Holly Neck R	oad Baltimore, Md 21221 ((Lots1)213			
PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BIL	TO:			
NAME: Richard Weidow				
ADDRESS: 2205 Holly Neck Ro	ad			
Baltimore, Marylan	d, 21221			
PHONE NUMBER: 410-682-3735				



Request for Zoning: Variance, Special Exception, or Special Hearing

Date to be Posted: Anytime before but no later than \_\_\_ 2/15/98\_.

Format for Sign Printing, Black Letters on White Background:

Item # 289

### **ZONING** NOTICE

Case No.: 98-289-5 PH A

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD BY THE ZONING COMMISSIONER IN TOWSON, MD

PLACE:
DATE AND TIME:
REQUEST: Variance to permit side yard set bucks of 10
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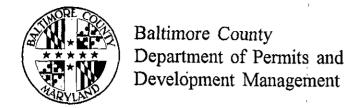
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TO CONFIRM HEARING CALL 887-3391.

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

March 5, 1998

Harold and Estella Weidow 2205 Holly Neck Road Baltimore MD 21221

RE: Item No.: 289

Case No.: 98-289-A

Petitioner: Harold and Estella Weidow

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Weidow:

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 4, 1998.

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 Gwendolyn Stephens in the zoning office (410-887-3391).

Sincerely,

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

WCR/ggs Attachment(s)



Office of the Fire Marshal 700 East Joppa Road Towson, Maryland 21286-5500 410-887-4880

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

RE: Property Owner: SEE BELOW

Location: DISTRIBUTION MEETING OF <u>FEBRUARY 17, 1998</u>

Item No.: SEE BELOW

Zoning Agenda:

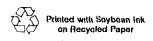
Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your reducts, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and reduired 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:

286, 289, 292, 293, 295, 296, AND 297

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



BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Date: February 24, 1998

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Chief Bureau of Developer's Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

for February 23, 1998

Item Nos. 287, 289, 292, 293, 294,

296, 297, and 298

The Bureau of Developer's Plans Review has reviewed the subject zoning items, and we have no comments.

RWB:HJO:jrb

cc: File

# BALTIMORE COUNTY MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE:

February 20, 1998

То:	Arnold	L. Jablo	n
From:	Bruce	Seeley	155/4/
Subject:	Zoning		#289
			Weidow Property, 2205 Holly Neck Road
	Z	oning Ac	dvisory Committee Meeting of February 17, 1998
			Environmental Protection and Resource Management has no above-referenced zoning item.
	extension	for the re	Environmental Protection and Resource Management requests an eview of the above-referenced zoning item to determine the extent to all regulations apply to the site.
X	•		FEnvironmental Protection and Resource Management offers the ts on the above-referenced zoning item:
	Ī	Protection	ment of the <u>property</u> must comply with the Regulations for the n of Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains (Sections 14-ugh 14-350 of the Baltimore County Code.)
		Regulation	ment of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation ons (Sections 14-401 through 14-422 of the Baltimore County Code), it erty is being subdivided according to the Development Regulations.
		_	ment of this property must comply with the Chesapeake Bay Critical gulations (Sections 26-436 through 26-461, and other Sections, of the

Baltimore County Code).

GP:KK:sp



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 Item No. こそ9

1/13/98

BR/RT

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,

Ronald Burns, Chief

Engineering Access Permits

Division

LG

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director

Date: March 5, 1998

and Development Management

FROM: Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III, Director

Office of Planning

SUBJECT: 2205 Holly Neck Road

INFORMATION

Item Number:

289

Petitioner:

Weidow Property

Zoning:

RC 5 & RC 20

Requested Action:

Special Hearing and Variance

Summary of Recommendations:

Staff does not support the applicant's request because the installation of public sewer in the Lower Back River Neck peninsula is intended to serve existing dwellings with failing septic systems, and is not meant to facilitate additional development that could not occur without public sewer.

Prepared by:

Eary Verns Division Chief:

AFK/JL

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director Department of Permits and Development Management DATE: February 23, 1998

FROM: Arnold F. "Pat" Keller, III, Director

Office of Planning

**SUBJECT**: Zoning Advisory Petitions

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

Item No. 287, 292, and 293

If there should be any questions or if this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at (401) 887-3495.

Prepared by: Jeffry W. J. on Division Chief: Cary L. Kerns

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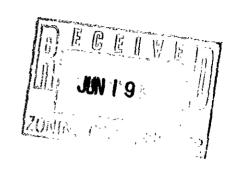
945 Barron Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21221-5202 (301) 574-6744

LAND PLANNING

June 10,1998

Lawrence E Schmidt Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Suite 405, County Courts Bldg. 401 Bosley Avenue Towson. Maryland 21204

RE Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance Property; 2205 Holly Neck Road Case No 98-289-SPHA



Dear Sir;

We are writing to you reference the above case and as per our conversation of June 9,1998 in your office regarding your decision on this property. You stated that if we redesigned the lots that we could ask and receive a rereview of said project. We have consolidated Lot 1 and the RC20 parcel to make one lot and rearranged Lots 2 & 3 so that each has an area of 1 Acre. We still need the use of the RC20 area to allow us 3 lots in the RC5 area, or we need these lots to be considered as undersized lots. Also we still need the side yard set back to be10' in lieu of the 50' as required by the site zoning. The RC20 area is to be used for forest buffer and wetlands and will not be built in. We appreciate your kind consideration of this project.

Very truly yours

Thomas E Phelps

Surveyor for Mr. & Mrs. Weidow

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

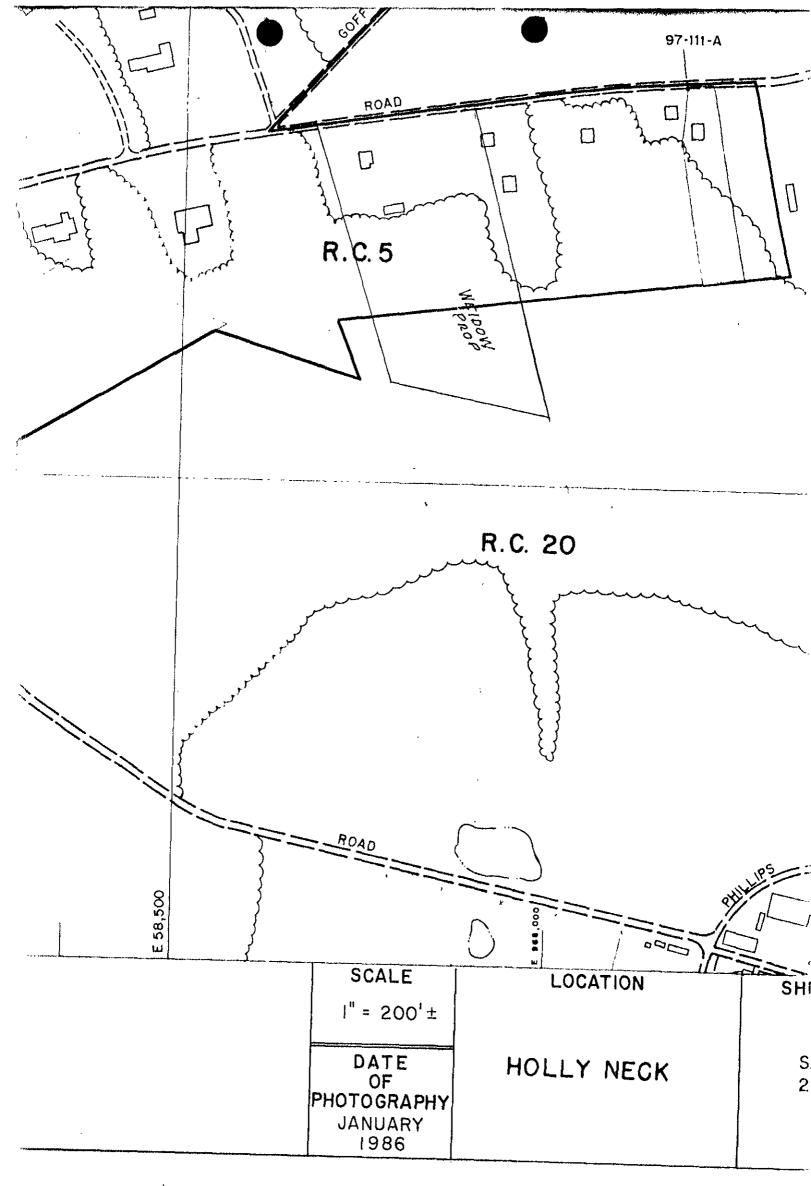
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### Note to Zoning Commissioner

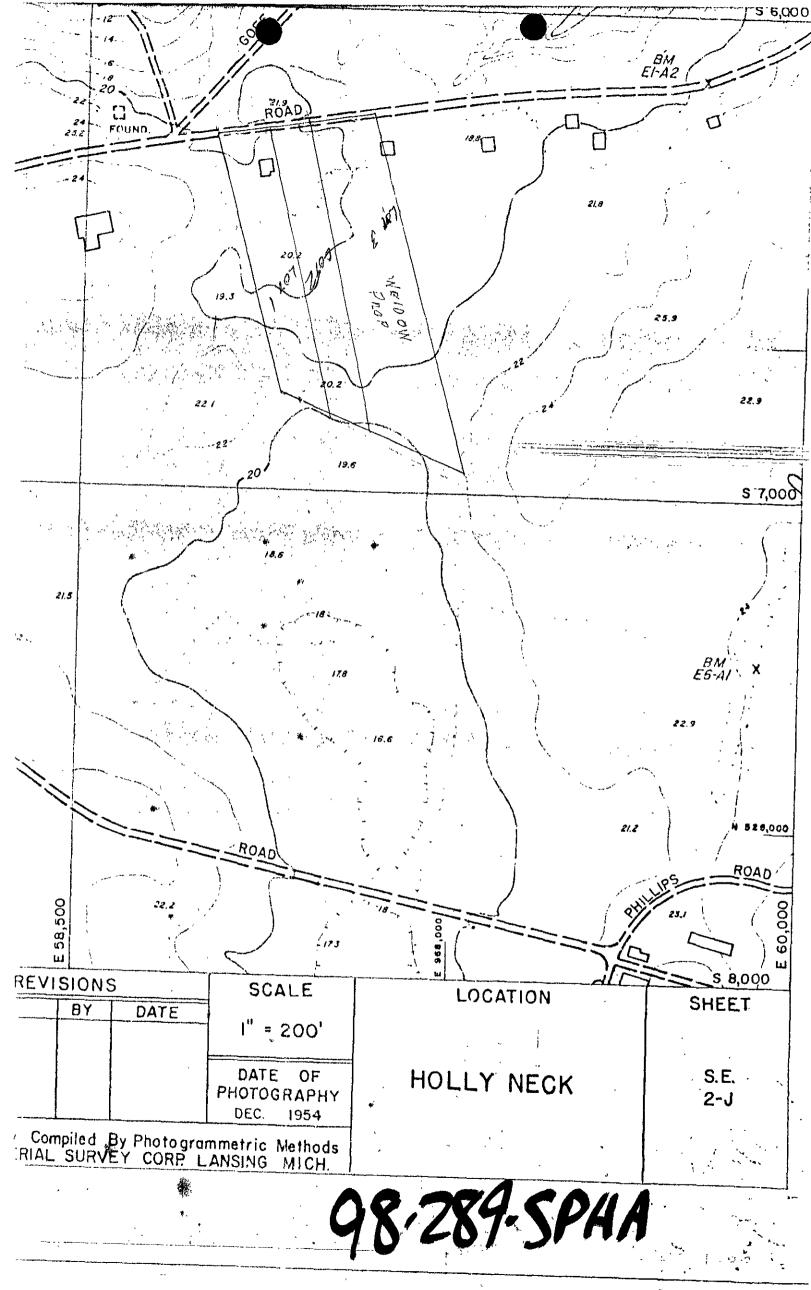
Applicant insisted on filing for a SPHA against my advice. Subject property has a split zoning classification - R.C. 5 and R.C. 20. Applicant has to prove first by Special Hearing that the lot created in R.C. 20 is a buildable lot per Section 1. A.O. 5.4. C BCZR before it could be utilized to support the creation of three lots in R.C. 5. Subject property will be submitted simultaneously for minor subdivision process as per applicant.

Reg T. / Bruno R.

98-289-5PHA



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