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IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE N/S New Forge Road, 50' E of centerline Forge View Road 11th Election District 5th Councilmanic District (5002 & 5004 New Forge Road)

> Josephine T. Mattingly Revocable Trust Petitioner

- BEFORE THE
- DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER
- OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
- CASE NO. 00-040-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Variance filed by the legal owners of the subject property, the Josephine T. Mattingly Revocable Trust. The variance request is for property located at 5002 and 5004 New Forge Road, located in the Perry Hall area of Baltimore County. The variance request is from Section 303.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a front yard setback of 40 ft. in lieu of the required 60 ft. The subject property and relief sought are more particularly described on the site plan submitted which was accepted and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1.

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the variance request were Alonzo Childress, registered professional engineer, Josephine T. Mattingly, on behalf of the revocable trust, and Adriene Ry. Mr. Dennis Eckard, appearing on behalf of the Perry Hall Improvement Association appeared in opposition to the Petitioner's request.

Testimony and evidence indicated that the property, which is the subject of this variance request, consists of 0.933 acres, more or less, zoned DR.2.H. The subject property has been subdivided into two separate lots consisting of approximately 20,000 sq. ft. each. The Petitioner is requesting a front yard setback variance for each of these lots which are unimproved at this time. The purpose of the variance is to locate the houses closer to New Forge Road which will provide

better access to the public sewer which was recently extended in this area. The setback required for these lots is 60 ft. The 60 ft. setback is determined by averaging the front yard setbacks of the other houses surrounding the subject lots. Most of the houses along New Forge Road are set back a fair distance from the street, which provide rather large front yards in this neighborhood. The objection raised to the granting of a variance by Mr. Eckard was that the adjacent property owners, David and Nellie Slater, would be detrimentally affected due to the fact that the house to be constructed on Lot No. 2 (with a front yard setback of only 40 ft.) would be situated basically in the front yard of the Slater's property. Therefore, Mr. Eckard, on behalf of the Perry Hall Improvement Association, opposes any variance granted for Lot No. 2 for that reason. He further believes that the diminished front yard setback would be out of character with the other houses in the neighborhood which are set back quite a distance from New Forge Road.

Testimony from the developer indicated that Mrs. Mattingly has owned the subject property for the past 40 years. It has remained unimproved that entire time. Recently, as a result of the extension of sewer to the area, the property has become developable. It has proceeded through the minor subdivision process and has been approved for two separate lots. There is a builder interested in purchasing one of the lots from Mrs. Mattingly and building a house thereon.

After considering the testimony and evidence offered at the hearing, I find that the requested front yard setback of 40 ft. for Lot No. 1 should be granted. Lot No. 1 is a narrow lot with a small building envelope, due to the fact that it is sandwiched between the intersection of New Forge Road and Forge Road. A variance is appropriate for Lot No. 1 in order for a house to be built thereon. However, as to Lot No. 2, the variance to allow that house to be situated 40 ft. from New Forge Road should be denied. Allowing that house to be situated just 40 ft. from New Forge Road would cause that house to be constructed virtually in the front yard of Mr. & Mrs. Slater. Therefore, that

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variance should be denied. In addition, there is ample room on that lot, which is much deeper than Lot No. 1, in order to construct the house further back on the lot without the need for any variance being granted. Therefore, the relief requested herein shall be granted in part and denied in part.

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

- whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;
- 2) whether a grant of the variance would do a substantial justice to the applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give sufficient relief; and,
- 3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Bd. Of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28 (1974).

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship will result if the variance is not granted. It has been established that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the property which is the subject of this request and that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief will unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the relief requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare, and meets the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

As stated previously, a variance is appropriate for Lot No. 1, to allow a front yard setback of the first the first throughout throu

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THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this ______ day of October, 1999, by this Deputy Zoning Commissioner, that the Petitioner's request for variance for Lot No. 1, be and is here GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petitioner's request for variance for Lot No. 2, be and is hereby DENIED and that the Petitioner shall be required to maintain a 60 ft. front yard setback for any house to be constructed on Lot No. 2.

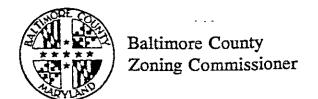
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any party has the right to file an appeal within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

TMK:raj



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

Fax: 410-887-3468

October 7, 1999

Ms. Josephine T. Mattingly, 952 Bermuda Lane Annapolis, Maryland 21401-6840

> Re: Petition for Variance Case No. 00-040-A

> > Property: 5002 & 5004 New Forge Road

Dear Ms. Mattingly:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned case.

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 from 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 410-887-3391.

Very truly yours,
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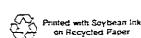
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TMK:raj Enclosure

c: Mr. Alonzo Childress 713 Pheasant Drive Forest Hill, Maryland 21050

Mr. Dennis Eckard 39 Bangert Avenue Perry Hall, Maryland 21128

Ms. Adriene Ry 9105 Belair Road Baltimore, Maryland 21236





Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 5002 & 5004 New Forge Road, Baltimore, MD 21128 which is presently zoned ______ DR 2 H

This Petition shall be filed with the Department of Permits and 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)

303.1 of the BCZR to permit a front yard setback of 40 feet in lieu of the required 60 feet.

of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty)

New houses were recently constructed on three neighboring properties with front yard setbacks that vary from 69 feet to 82 feet from the front property line. These large front yard setbacks place an undue hardship and practical difficulty to the owner / petitioner for the following reasons:

#5002:

The size and shape of the property is such that the lot is un-buildable with the required

60° front yard setback; thereby creating an undue hardship.

#5004:

The existing ground slopes away from New Forge Road and the house must be located near the New Forge Road to connect into the existing public sewer system with a gravity

house connection. Also several large trees in the middle of the property will be

impacted by the required 60' front yard setback; thereby creating a practical difficulty.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by the zoning regulations.

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning II.

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ZONING DESCRIPTIONS FOR 5002 NEW FORGE ROAD (LOT 1)

Beginning at a point on the North side of New Forge Road, which is 70 feet wide, at the distance of 50 feet East of the centerline of Forge View Road (formerly known as Butt Road) which is 50 feet wide. As recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland in Deed 12441 Folio 027 (and as subdivided by the approved Minor Subdivision No. 98-133-M, Lot 1, containing 20,057 square feet). Also known as 5002 New Forge Road and located in the 11th Election District, 5th Councilmanic District. Said property leaving the north side of New Forge Road for the following 6 courses and distances:

1.	Curve: R = 20.01 feet, Arc = 33.95 feet, Tangent	= 22.69 feet
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3.	North 79 degrees 04 minutes 20 seconds East	152.98 feet
4.	South 13 degrees 44 minutes 34 seconds West	108.87 feet
5.	South 04 degrees 54 minutes 08 seconds East	85.00 feet
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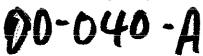
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1.	North 04 degrees 54 minutes 08 seconds West	85.00 feet
2.	North 13 degrees 44 minutes 34 seconds East	108.87 feet
3.	North 79 degrees 04 minutes 20 seconds East	65.56 feet
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This description is for zoning purposes only and is not for the conveyance of title.

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R Alonzo Childress Professional Engineer Maryland P.E. No. 10227



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RE: CASE #00-040-A
PETITIONER/DEVELOPER:
[Josephine Mattingly]
DATE OF Hearing
[Sept. 15, 1999]

Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management County Office Building, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Ave. Towson, Maryland 21204

ATTENTION: MS. GWENDOLYN STEPHENS

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

This letter is to certify under the penalties of perjury that the necessary sign(s) required by law were posted conspicuously on the property located at 5002 & 5004 New Forge Road Baltimore, Maryland 21128_____

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* BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

* FOR

* 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

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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Deputy People's Counsel Old Courthouse, Room 47

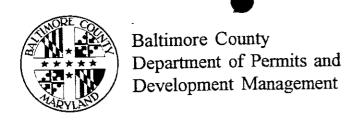
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 194 day of August, 1999 a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Alonzo Childress, 713 Pheasant Drive, Forest Hill, MD 21050, representative for Petitioners.

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN



Director's Office
County Office Building
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204
410-887-3353
Fax: 410-887-5708

August 12, 1999

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: 00-040-A 5002 & 5004 New Forge Road N/S New Forge Road, 50' E of centerline Forge View Road 11th Election District — 5th Councilmanic District Legal Owner: Josephine T. Mattingly Revocable Trust

Variance to permit a front yard setback of 40 feet in lieu of the required 60 feet.

HEARING: Wednesday, September 15, 1999 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 106, County

Office Building, 111 West Chesapeake Avenue

Arnold Jablon Director

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c: Josephine T. Mattingly Revocable Trust, 952 Bermuda Lane, Annapolis 21401 Alonzo Childress, 713 Pheasant Drive, Forest Hill 21050

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY AUGUST 31, 1999.

(2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL THE ZONING COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AT 410-887-4386.

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DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

The <u>Baltimore County Zoning Regulations</u> (BCZR) 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 the petitioner) and placement of a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the County, both at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing.

Zoning Review will ensure that the legal requirements for advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements. The newspaper will bill the person listed below for the advertising. This advertising is due upon receipt and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

OPINIONS MAY NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL ALL ADVERTISING COSTS ARE PAID.

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Petitioner: Josephine T Mattinaly					
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Baltimore Md 21128					
PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:					
Name: Josephine T. Mattingly					
Address: 952 Bermuda Lane					
Annapolis, MD 21491-6840					
Telephone Number: 410 974 6211					

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700 East Joppa Road Towson, Maryland 21286-5500 410-887-4500

August 26, 1999

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 AUGUST 9, 1999

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:

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028, 029, 030, 031, 032, 033, 034, 035, 036, 038,

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REVIEWER: LT. HERB TAYLOR

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

cc: File

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Date: August 13, 1999

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director

Department of Permits

and Development Management

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

Office of Planning

SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Petitions

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

Item No(s): 17 and 40

If there should be any questions or this office can provide additional information, please contact Jeffrey Long in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Section Chief:

AFK/JL

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Date: August 16, 1999

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

for August 16, 1999

Item No. 040

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject zoning item. The variance request should be denied because the adjusted front yard setback would be located within the 10-foot-wide revertible slope easement.

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

RE:

Baltimore County

Item No.

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Dear. Ms Stephens:

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.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Larry Gredlein at 410-545-5606 or by E-mail at (lgredlein@sha.state.md.us).

Very truly yours,

✓ Michael M. Lenhart, Chief

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CITIZEN SIGN-IN SHEET

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P.O. Box 63, Perry Hall, MD 21128

September 13, 1999

Mr. Lawrence Schmidt Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Dear Mr. Schmidt:

The Perry Hall Improvement Association's Board of Directors has voted to oppose Case Number 00-040-A, a variance request to permit a front-yard setback of 40 feet in lieu of the required 60 feet.

Perry Hall Improvement Association Vice President Dennis Eckard will represent the Association at the hearing.

Through the Honeygo Plan and subsequent zoning legislation, the Baltimore County Council has shown its support for large lots and reduced building density in Honeygo. We believe that supporting this variance request would be contrary to the spirit of the Honeygo Plan.

Cordially:

David Marks President

Perry Hall Improvement Association

