IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE S/S Alston Road, 125' E centerline of Tenbury road

9th Election District

4th Councilmanic District

(3 Alston Road)

Christopher R. L. Blake & Moira R. Blake Petitioners

* BEFORE THE

* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 00-148-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner as an administrative variance filed by Christopher R. L. Blake & Moira R. Blake, property owners, for that property known as 3 Alston Road in the Lutherville area of Baltimore County. The Petitioners herein seek a variance from Section 1B02.3.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), Section 301(211.3, 211.4, 1955 Regs.) to allow an addition (open carport and deck) with a sideyard setback of 30 inches and a rear yard setback of 10 ft. in lieu of the minimum required 6 ft. and 22 ½ ft. respectively. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1, the plat to accompany the Petition for Variance.

The Petitioners having filed a Petition for Administrative Variance and the subject property having been posted, and there being no request for a public hearing, a decision shall be rendered based upon the documentation presented.

The Petitioners have filed the supporting affidavits as required by Section 26-127 (b)(1) of the Baltimore County Code. 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 sinformation, photographs, and affidavits submitted provide sufficient facts that comply with the requirements of Section 307.1 of the B.C.Z.R. Furthermore, strict compliance with the B.C.Z.R. would result in practical difficulty and/or unreasonable hardship upon the Petitioners.

Date 11/5/99

Pursuant to the posting of the property and the provisions of both the Baltimore County Code and the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, and for the reasons given above, the requested variance should be granted.

1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, 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.

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

November 15, 1999

Mr. & Mrs. Christopher Blake 3 Alston Road Lutherville, Maryland 21093

Re: Petition for Administrative Variance

Case No. 00-148-A Property: 3 Alston Road

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Blake:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned case. The Petition for Administrative Variance has been granted in accordance with the enclosed Order.

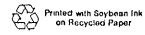
In the event the decision rendered is unfavorable to any party, please be advised that any party may file an appeal within thirty (30) days from the date of the Order to the County Board of Appeals. If you require additional information concerning filing an appeal, please feel free to contact our appeals clerk at 410-887-3391.

Very truly yours,

Timothy M. Kotroco

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

TMK:raj Enclosure





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Petition for Administrative Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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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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Petition for Administrative Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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CASE NO. 00-148-A	Reviewed By	Della Note	10-12-	79

ZONING DESCRIPTION

ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR 3 Alston Road, Lutherville, Maryland 21093-6103.

Beginning at a point on the south side of Alston Road which is 50 feet wide at the distance of 125 feet east of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street Tenbury Road which is 50 feet wide. Being Lot # 17, Section # C in the subdivision of Green Ridge Garden as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book #22, Folio #145, containing 5,310 square feet. Also known as 3 Alston Road and located in the 9th Election District, the Councilmanic District.



BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARY AND OFFICE OF BUDGET & FINANCE MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPT

DATE 10-12-99 ACCOUNT R-001-6150

AMOUNT \$ 50.00

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CERTIFICATE FOSTING

	Petitioner/Developer: BLAKE, ETAL
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	Date of Hearing/Closing: 11/8/99
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:	
This letter is to certify under the penalties of pewere posted conspicuously on the property local	rjury that the necessary sign(s) required by law ated at #3 ALSTON RD-
The sign(s) were posted on 10	120/99
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RE: Case No.: 00-148-A

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

The <u>Baitimore 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.

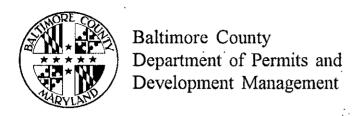
For Newspaper Advertising:
Petitioner: CHRISTOPHER R.L. BLAKE
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PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO: Name:
Address: 3 ALSTON ROAD, LYTHERVILLE, MARYLAND 21093
Telephone Number: (418) 832 5241

Revised 2/20/98 - SCJ

BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE INFORMATION SHEET AND DATES

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Case Number 00- 148 -A Address 3 Alston Rd-
Contact Person: Toke Sullivan Phone Number: 410-887-3391 Planner, Please Print Your Name
Filing Date: 10-12.99 Posting Date: 10-24-99 Closing Date: 11-8-99
Any contact made with this office regarding the status of the administrative variance should be through the contact person (planner) using the case number.
1. POSTING/COST: The petitioner must use one of the sign posters on the approved list (on the reverse side of this form) and the petitioner is responsible for all printing/posting costs. Any reposting must be done only by one of the sign posters on the approved list and the petitioner is again responsible for all associated costs. The zoning notice sign must be visible on the property on or before the posting date noted above. It should remain there through the closing date.
2. DEADLINE: The closing date is the deadline for an occupant or owner within 1,000 feet to file a formal request for a public hearing. Please understand that even if there is no formal request for a public hearing, the process is not complete on the closing date.
ORDER: After the closing date, the file will be reviewed by the zoning or deputy zoning commissioner. He 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 of the closing date) as to whether the petition has been granted, denied, or will go to public hearing. The order will be mailed to you by First Class mail.
4. POSSIBLE PUBLIC HEARING AND REPOSTING: In cases that must go to a public hearing (whether due to a neighbor's formal request or by order of the zoning or deputy zoning commissioner), notification will be forwarded to you. The sign on the property must be changed giving notice of the hearing 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.
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Petitioner: This Part of the Form is for the Sign Poster Only
USE THE ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE SIGN FORMAT
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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 pdmlandacq@co.ba.md.us

November 9, 1999

Mr. Christopher Blake 3 Alston Road Lutherville, MD 21093

Dear Mr. Blake:

RE: 00-148-A, 3 Alston Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on .

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from several Baltimore County approval agencies, has reviewed the plans that were submitted with your petition. All comments submitted thus far from the members of the ZAC are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to ensure 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. All comments will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency.

Very truly yours,

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Supervisor

Zoning Review

WCR:rsj

Enclosures











BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

UCT 2.9

Date: October 25, 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): 148 and 150

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



Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration

Parris N. Glendening Governor John D. Porcari Secretary Parker F. Williams Administrator

Date: 8.25.99

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

RE: **Baltimore County**

Item No. 148

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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.

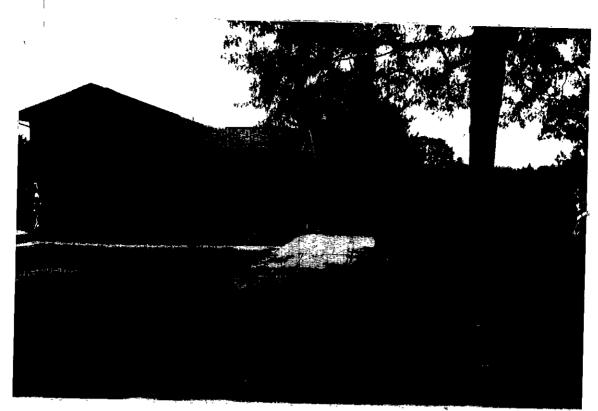
Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Larry Gredlein at 410-545-5606 or by E-mail at (lgredlein@sha.state.md.us).

Very truly yours,

Le Kenneth A. McDonald Jr., Chief **Engineering Access Permits Division**

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My telephone number is _



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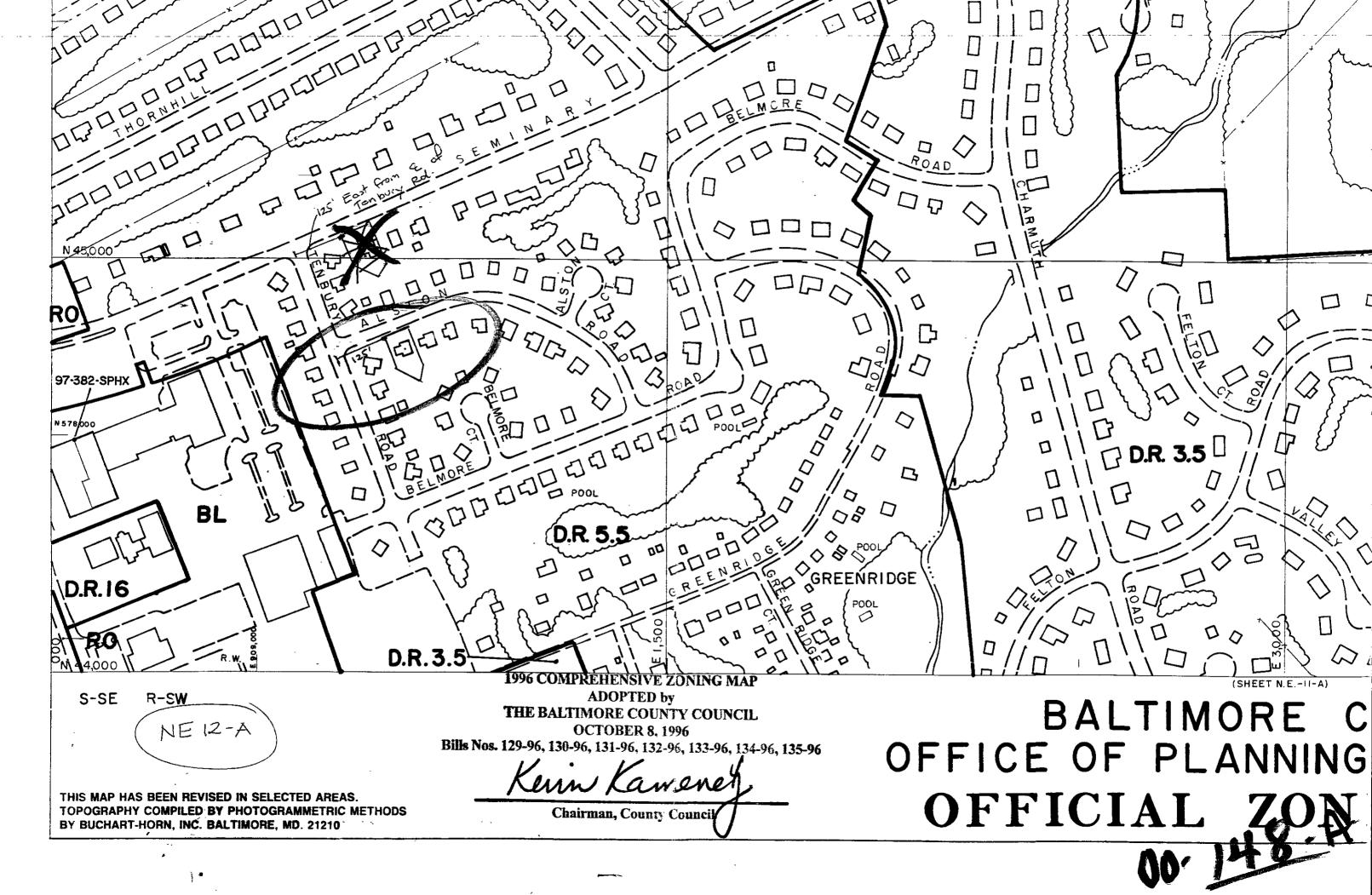
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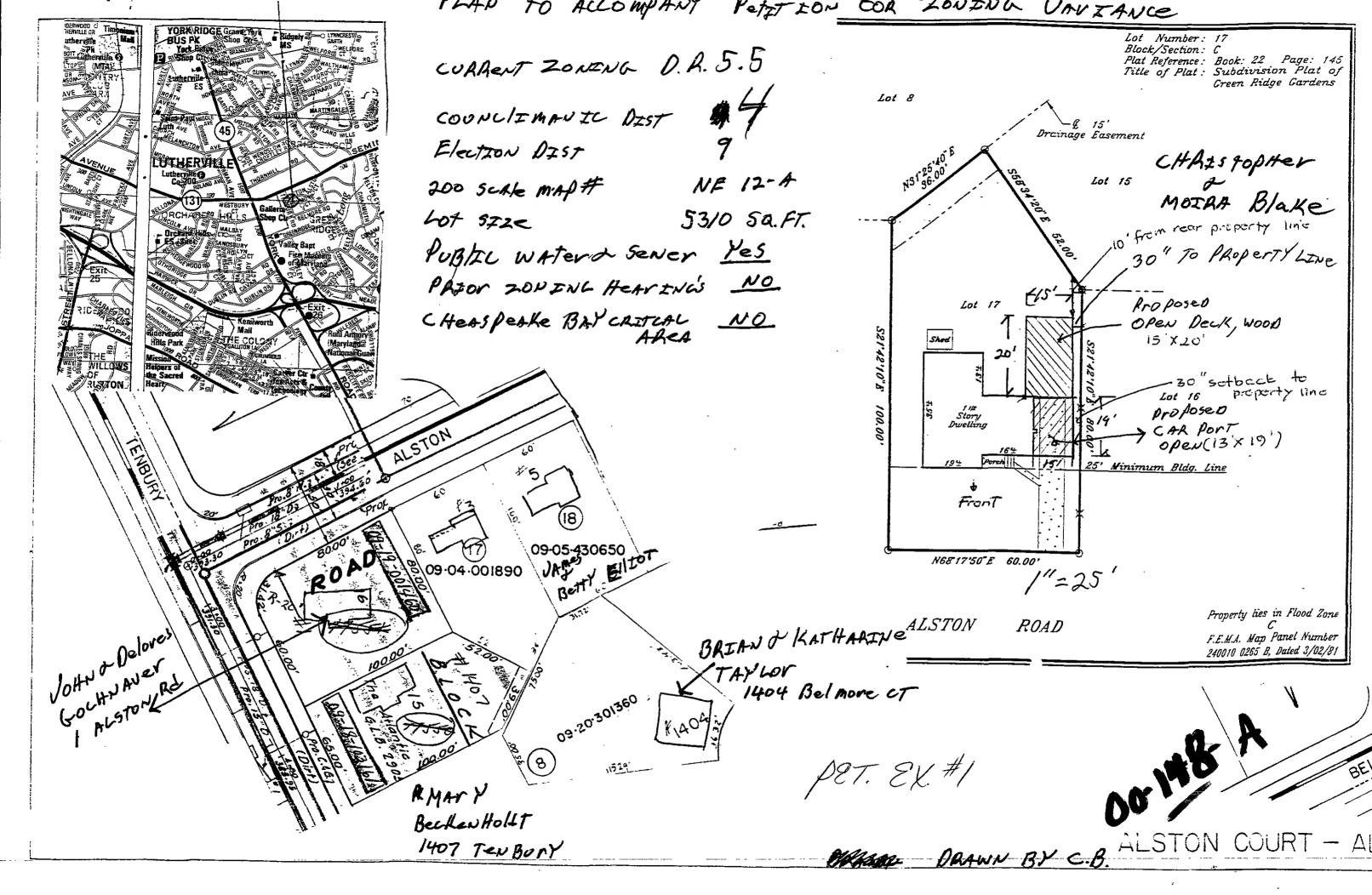


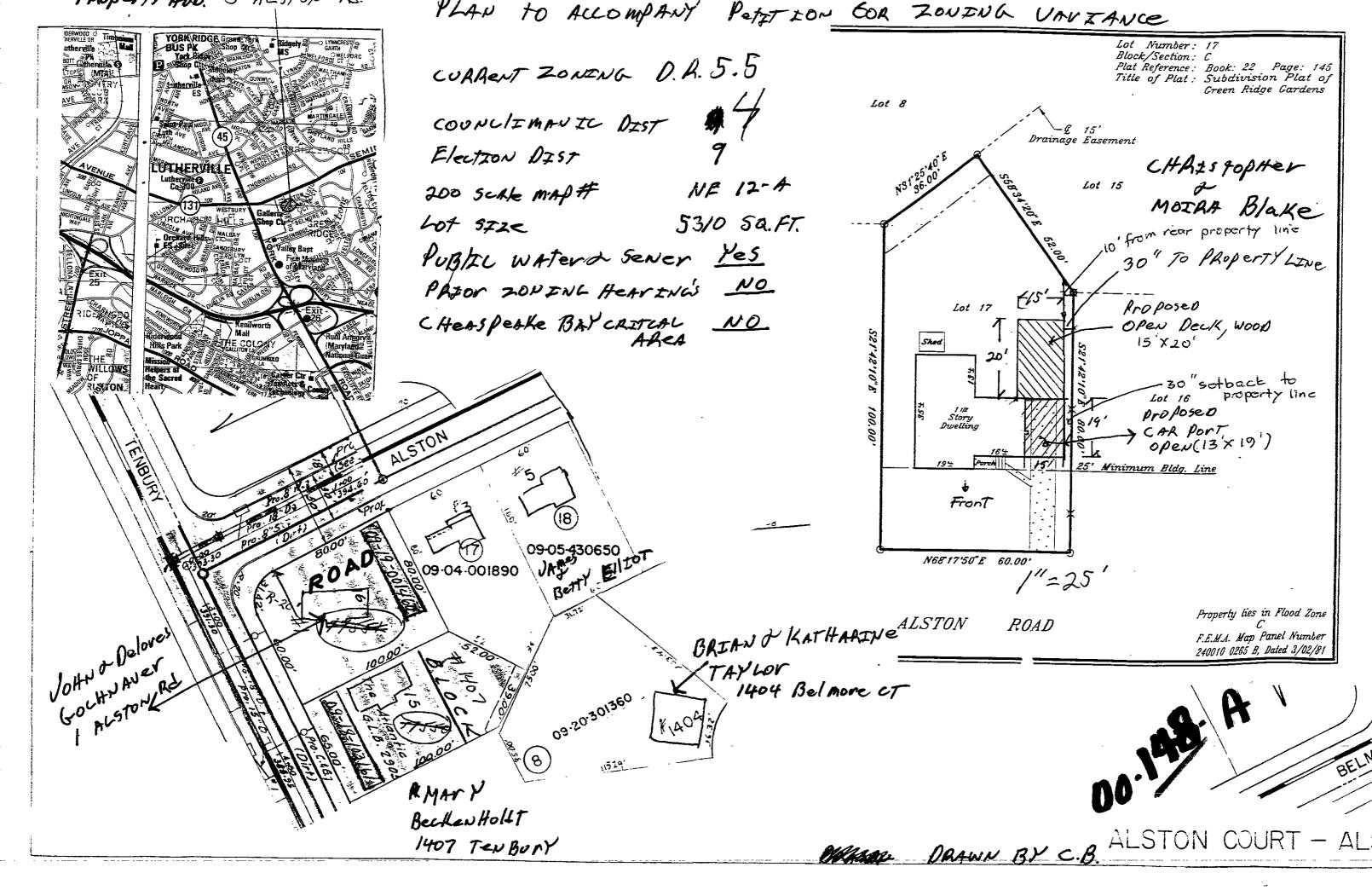
SIDE-YARD. PROPOSED LOCATION OF CARPORT AND DECK.



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GREENRIDGE



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

November 29, 1999

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Department of Permits and
Development Management (PDM)
County Office Building, Room 111
Mail Stop #1105
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

ATTENTION: Gwen Stephens

RE: Property Owner: SEE BELOW

Location: DISTRIBUTION MEETING OF OCTOBER 25, 1999

Item No.: See Below

Dear Ms. Stephens:

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:

130, 131, 133, 134, 135, 137, 140, 142, 143, 144 149, 150, 151, 152,

REVIEWER: LIEUTENANT HERB TAYLOR, Fire Marshal's Office PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

cc: File