IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION **BEFORE THE** AND VARIANCE N/S North Point Boulevard, 30' NW DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER of centerline Rosebank Avenue 15th Election District OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 7th Councilmanic District (3706 North Point Boulevard) CASE NO. 00-416-XA Deborah A. & John T. Derwart, Legal Owners and Tom Warnick, Lessee Petitioners

### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception and Variance filed by the legal owners of the subject property, Deborah and John Derwart. The Petitioners are requesting a Special Exception to allow the storage of inflammable liquids above ground and Variances as follows: (a) from Sections 102.2 and 238.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit a distance of 17.5 ft. between buildings in lieu of the required 60 ft.; (b) from Section 238.2 of the B.C.Z.R., to permit side yard setbacks of 18 ft. and 24.8 ft. in lieu of the required 30 ft. respectively; and from Section 238.4 of the B.C.Z.R., to permit a 0 ft. setback for display of materials in the front yard in lieu of the required 15 ft. The hearing involves property located 3706 North Point Boulevard, which property is zoned BR. The subject property has been owned by Mr. and Mrs. Derwart for the past 25 years. The subject property consists of 0.4 acres, more or less, zoned BR and is located at the intersection of North Point Boulevard and Rosebank Avenue.

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the special exception and variance request were John Derwart, owner of the property and Tom Warnick, the lessee of the site. There were no protestants or other citizens in attendance

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Testimony and evidence indicated that Mr. Derwart purchased the property in 1975 and operated an insurance business from the 1½ story structure located thereon. He operated his business for 13 years up until 1988. In 1989, Mr. Warnick leased the subject property from the owner and has operated his business at the site for the past 11 years. Mr. Warnick is in the business of selling and manufacturing lawn ornaments or statuary from the subject property.

Mr. Warnick testified that he manufactures concrete lawn ornaments in the one-story metal shed located on the property. He has various moulds on hand wherein he pours a concrete solution in order to form the different statues and lawn ornaments which are sold to members of the public. He has been doing this from the subject property for the past 11 years. There has never been any complaints regarding his business during that 11 year period.

Approximately 3 years ago, Mr. Warnick constructed the one-story metal shed building on the subject property. He proceeded through the "Development Review Committee" (DRC) process and was given permission to proceed with the installation of the metal shed. However, no permit was obtained. As a result of now attempting to get the permit for the building, the variances that are being requested, as well as the special exception, are necessary in order for his business to continue from the property.

As to the special exception request, Mr. Warnick testified that he stores approximately 15-20 gallons of a methanol solution that is used in the process of creating this concrete statuary. Apparently, the moulds that are used in creating these statues are coated with this methanol solution prior to the concrete being poured into the mould. This prevents the concrete from sticking to the mould itself, allowing the statute to be formed and the mould removed. The inflammable liquids that are stored on the property are not sold to the general public, but are used in the manufacturing of these statues. Mr. Warnick testified that his business for the past 11 years has been regularly inspected by the Fire Department who are aware of the storage of this methanol solution. The Fire

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Department has no objection to the storage of the inflammable liquids so long as they are stored in a particular location on the property with which Mr. Warnick complies. He has never had a violation with the Fire Department.

In addition to manufacturing these statues, Mr. Warnick also displays various lawn ornaments on the property for sale to the general public. He also sells his statues to retailers in and around the Baltimore area and in southern Pennsylvania. The yard area in front of the subject property is covered with the various lawn ornaments that Mr. Warnick offers for sale, which is very common for this type of sales business. Mr. Warnick indicated that all of his immediate neighbors surrounding his property have never complained about his business during the past 11 years. He simply wishes to continue to operate his business from the subject property and needs the variances as well as the special exception in order to continue to do so.

Given the lack of opposition from any resident of the area, as well as the fact that he has operated from this location for the past 11 years without objection, I find that the variance request, as well as the special exception request should be granted.

It is clear the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) permit the storage of inflammable liquids by special exception. It is equally clear that said storage would not be detrimental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, it must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are satisfied.

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the storage met the prescribed standards and requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment to the neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the storage at this particular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1 would have any adverse impact above and beyond that inherently

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associated with such a special exception use, irrespective of its location within the zone. Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

The storage will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

As to the variance requests, 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:

- 1) 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.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this day of May, 2000, by this Deputy Zoning Commissioner, that the Petitioner's Special Exception Request pursuant to the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to allow the storage of inflammable liquids above ground, be and is hereby APPROVED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petitions for Variance: (a) from Sections 102.2 and 238.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit a distance of 17.5 ft. between buildings in lieu of the required 60 ft.; (b) from Section 238.2 of the B.C.Z.R., to permit side yard setbacks of 18 ft. and 24.8 ft. in lieu of the required 30 ft. respectively; and from Section 238.4 of the B.C.Z.R., to permit a 0 ft. setback for display of materials in the front yard in lieu of the required 15 ft, be and are hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any appeal of this decision must be made within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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

Fax: 410-887-3468

May 25, 2000

Mr. & Mrs. John T. Derwart 9190 Twiford Court Ellicott City, Maryland 21042

RE: Petitions for Special Exception & Variance

Case No. 00-416-XA

Property: 3706 North Point Boulevard

Dear Mr. Derwart:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned case. The Petitions for Special Exception and Variance have 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 Office of Permits and Development Management. 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** 

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c: Ms. Bernadette L. Moskunas M & H Development Engineers, Inc. 200 E. Joppa Road, Room 101 Towson, Maryland 21286

Mr. John Warnick 3706 North Point Boulevard Baltimore, Maryland 21222



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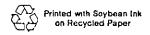


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## Petition for Special Exception

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at #3706 NNH Point Blud

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owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and white made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Exception	its and Development Management. The undersigned, legal ch is described in the description and plat attached hereto and under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the
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	perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.
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## Petition for Variance

# to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at #3706 North Point Blvd

which is presently zoned BP

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 an made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s) 102.2 and 238.1 to permit a distance of 17.5	-
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of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty) 1. Width of property is not wide enough to allow 60' between existing actures. The dimension would still be less than 60' if the one building was razed and relocated The display of the merchandise needs to be displayed in the front yard because of the position

of the parking lot and the existing building on the property.

The location of the principle dwelling does not allow for a parking lot in the front of the property. There would be too much congestion in the area of the entrance if not located in

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 regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County.

Contract Purchaser/Lessee: Name - Type or Print Signature Telephone No. Address Zip Code State Attornev For Petitioner: Name - Type of Print Signature Company Telephone No. Zip Code State 00-416-XA

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.

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## ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR #3706 NORTH POINT BOULEYARD

BEGINNING at a point on the north eide of North Point Boulevard which ie 150 feet wide at the distance of 30' northwest of Rosebank Avenue which is 60 feet wide; thence running N 49 degrees 01 minutes W, 120.12 feet; thence N 39 degrees 10 minutes E, 125.00 feet; thence S 49 degrees 01 minutes E, 150.00 feet; thence S 39 degrees 10 minutes W, 6.30 feet; thence N 49 degrees 01 minutes W, 30.00 feet and thence S 39 degrees 10 minutes W, 118.70 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 16,875 square feet, more or less. As recorded in deed Liber 5277, folio 639.

Also known as #3706 North Point Boulevard and located in the 15th. Election

District, 7th. Councilmanic District.



J. Tilghman Downey, Jr.

M&H Development Engineers, Inc. 200 E. Joppa Road Shell Building, Room 101 Towson, MD 21286 (410)828-9060

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15th Election District - 7th Councilmanic District

Legal Owner(s): Deborah A. & John T. Derwart

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Hearing: Wednesday, May 24, 2000 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosley Avenue.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handicapped Accessible; for special accommodations Please Contact the Zoning Commissioner's Office at (410) 887-4386.
(2) For information concerning the File and/or Hearing,

Contact the Zoning Review Office at (410) 887-3391. JT 5/631 May 9

## **CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION**

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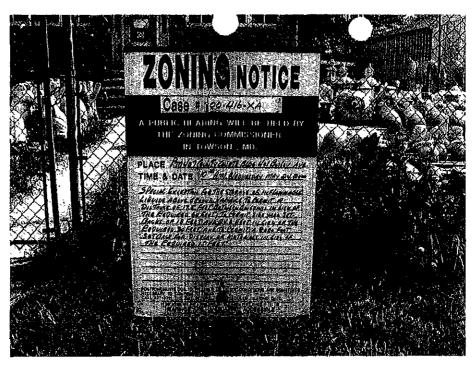
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### **CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

RE: CASE # 00-416-XA
PETITIONER/DEVELOPER
(John T. Derwart)
DATE OF Hearing
( 5-24-00)

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 SIGNS(S) REQUIRED BY LAW WERE POSTED CONSPICUOUSLY ON THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT

3706 North Point Road Baltimore, Maryland 21222		
THE SIGN(S) WERE POSTED ON	5-8-00(MONTH, DAY,YEAR)	
	SINCERELY,	
	(SIGNATURE OF SIGN POSTER & DATE)	
	THOMAS P. OGLE SR	
	325 NICHOLSON ROAD	
	BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21221	
	410-687-8405	

(TELEPHONE NUMBER)



RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION PETITION FOR VARIANCE

3706 North Point Boulevard, N/S North Pt Blvd, 30' NW

of c/l Rosebank Ave

15th Election District, 7th Councilmanic

Legal Owner: John T. & Deborah A. Derwart Petitioner(s)

\* BEFORE THE

\* ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* FOR

\* BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 00-416-XA

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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.

All parties should copy People's Counsel on all correspondence sent/ documentation filed in the case.

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

CAROLE S. DEMILIO

Deputy People's Counsel

Old Courthouse, Room 47

400 Washington Avenue

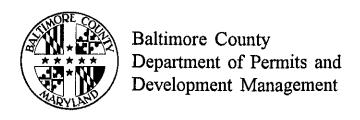
Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-2188

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 26th day of April, 2000 a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Bernadette L. Moskunas, M & H Development Eng., Inc., 200 E. Joppa Road, Room 101, Towson, MD 21286, representative for Petitioners.

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

Fax: 410-887-5708

April 27, 2000

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Arnold Jablon

Director

C: Deborah & John Derwart, 9190 Twiford Court, Ellicott City 21043
M&H Development Engineers, Inc., 200 E. Joppa Rd., Room 101, Towson 21286

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY MAY 9, 2000.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL THE ZONING COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AT 410-887-4386.
- (3) FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THE ZONING REVIEW OFFICE AT 410-887-3391.

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Please forward billing to:

Tom Warnick

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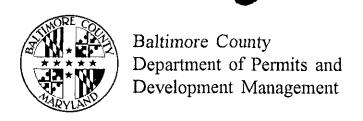
## ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 pdmlandacq@co.ba.md.us

May 19, 2000

Ms. Bernadette L. Moskunas M & H Development Engineers, Inc. 200 E. Joppa Road, #101 Towson MD 21286

Dear Ms. Moskunas:

RE: Case Number 00-416-XA, 3706 North Point Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on April 5, 2000.

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.

Sincerely.

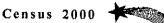
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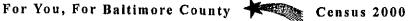
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**Enclosures** 













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

April 18, 2000

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 APRIL 17, 2000

ITEM NO.: (416) 423, 424,

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.

- 4. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.
- 5. The buildings and structures existing or proposed on the site shall comply with all applicable requirements of the National Fire Protection Association Standard No. 101 "Life Safety Code", 1994 edition prior to occupancy.

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

cc: File

## BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

TO:	Arnold Jablon		
FROM:	R. Bruce Seeley		
DATE:	April 25, 2000	RECEIVED MAY 0 8 200	0
SUBJECT:	Zoning Item #416 Turtletown	Gardens and Gifts	
Zonin	g Advisory Committee Me	eting of April 17, 2000	
	epartment of Environments ents on the above-reference	el Protection and Resource Management has no d zoning item.	
an ext	<del></del>	Il Protection and Resource Management requests above-referenced zoning item to determine the gulations apply to the site.	
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Reviewer: Keith Kelley Date: April 20, 2000

## BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

## INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

**DATE:** April 26, 2000

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TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Department of Permits and

Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

3706 North Point Blvd.

**INFORMATION:** 

Item Number:

416

Petitioner:

Deborah A. Derwart

Zoning:

BR.

**Requested Action:** 

Special Exception/Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

A field inspection conducted by the Office of Planning revealed that the subject property suffers from deferred maintenance. Planning staff believes the property should be brought up to an acceptable standard. Furthermore, on October 25, 1999, inspector Jeffrey Perlow (under Violation Notice # 116647) cited the petitioner for various zoning violations. To date, the petitioner has not abated the violations noted in the citation.

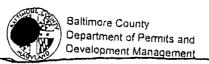
The subject Special Exception/Variance was filed pursuant to the citation mentioned above. The Office Planning does not support the Special Exception/Variance request as this office has determined that such an approval would circumvent the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, and would be detrimental to neighborhood.

If the Special Exception/Variance is approved, it should be contingent upon the abatement of <u>all</u> violations addressed in Violation Notice # 116647 (see attached).

Prepared by:

**Section Chief:** 

AFK:MAC:



ie Inspections and Enforcement County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Code Enforcement: 410-887-3351 Extension 7290 Building Inspection: 410-887-3953

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## BALTIMORE COUNTY UNIFORM CODE VIOLATION NOTICE

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

RE: Baltimore County

Item No. 416

BR

Dear Ms. Jackson:

We have reviewed the referenced item and have no objection to approval, as a field inspection reveals that the existing entrance(s) on to MD/JS (5) are acceptable to the State Highway Administration (SHA) and this development is not affected by any SHA 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,

1. J. Doll

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

# DIVISION OF CODE INSPECTIONS AND ENFORCEMENT ACTIVE VIOLATION CASE DOCUMENTS

DAT	E:	April 14, 2000		
TO:		W. Carl Richards, Jr. Zoning Review Supervisor		
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After the public hearing is held, please send a copy of the Zoning Commissioner's order to Helene Kehring in Room 113 in order that the appropriate action may be taken relative to the violation case.

Complete Chronology of Events, beginning with the first complaint through the

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cc: Jeff Perlow, Code Enforcement Officer & Rodney Larrick, Code Inspections Officer

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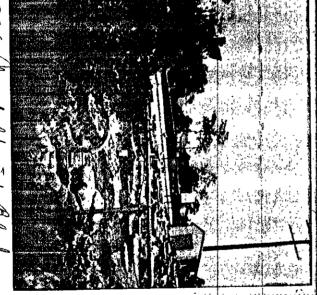
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- 4. You have been ordered on the reverse side to correct the violation(s cited by a date certain. I Failure to comply with the deadline stated is a misdemeanor. A conviction for each violation subjects you to potential fines o \$200, \$500, or \$1000 per day per violation, depending on the violation, or 90 days in jail, or both. \_\_\_\_\_oi spinov.
- 5. It is your responsibility to obtain any required permit(s) to correct the cited violation(s). All repairs must be in accordance with applicable laws, Code of Baltimore County Regulations; and standards.
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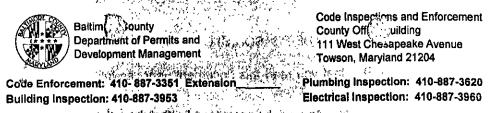
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111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

In the Matter of

Civil Citation No. 99-5364

John T. Derwart Deborah A. Derwart 3706 North Point Blvd.

Respondents

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
FINAL ORDER OF THE CODE ENFORCEMENT HEARING OFFICER

This matter came before the Code Enforcement Hearing Officer for the Department of Permits and Development Management on 10 February 2000, for a hearing on a citation for violations under the Baltimore County Code for failing to obtain a building permit for a structure on property located at 3706 North Point Blvd.

Rodney Larrick, code enforcement inspector, stated that the County inspectors routinely check on all applications for permits after there has been no activity. The property was inspected on or about 26 April 1999 and the inspector found that no permit was issued for a 24' X 24' structure.

On 26 April 1999, the inspector issued a written correction notice pursuant to §1-7(c), Baltimore County Code, which described with particularity the nature of the violation and the manner of correction. The correction notice was marked in evidence as PEx1 and was served on the Respondents.

On 23 August 1999, pursuant to §1-7(d), Baltimore County Code, a code enforcement citation was issued. The citation was marked in evidence as PEx2 and was legally served on the Respondents.

The citation described the violations as follows: Baltimore County Code, BOCA, (1996), §107.1, permit required for 24' X 24' building. Further, the citation proposed a civil penalty of \$1,000 to be assessed. A code enforcement hearing date was scheduled for 7 October 1999.

The Respondent, John T. Derwart appeared and testified. The tenant, Tom Warnick, also appeared and testified.

The Respondent, Mr. Derwart stated that he applied for a building permit in 1996. He was told that the permit would be issued and he assumed it would be all right to erect the structure. See the application for a permit marked in evidence as ResEx1.

The Respondent, Mr. Warnick, at the same time applied for DRC approval and subsequently received a letter from Baltimore County dated 9 December 1996 which included the following sentence, "The DRC has determined that your project meets the requirements of a limited exemption etc." He stated that he read this as an approval of his request without reading the rest of the letter. The letter was marked in evidence as ResEx2. The letter required the Respondent to submit drawings of the plan. The plan he submitted ResEx3 was not approved and therefore the permit has never been issued.

Pursuant to the correction notice and subsequent code enforcement citation issued, and hearing held, and for the reasons set forth above, it is found as a matter of law that code violations existed before 26 April 1999, and the violations are continuing.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Code Enforcement Hearing Officer, this day of February 2000, as follows:

- (1) A civil penalty is imposed in the amount of \$1000;
- (2) The civil penalty in the amount of \$1000 shall be suspended on condition the Respondents obtain a building permit for the 24' X 24' structure on or before 31 March 2000. If the Respondents fail to correct the violation in the time allotted, or any extension granted, then the civil penalty imposed shall be \$1000.

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Towson, Maryland 21204

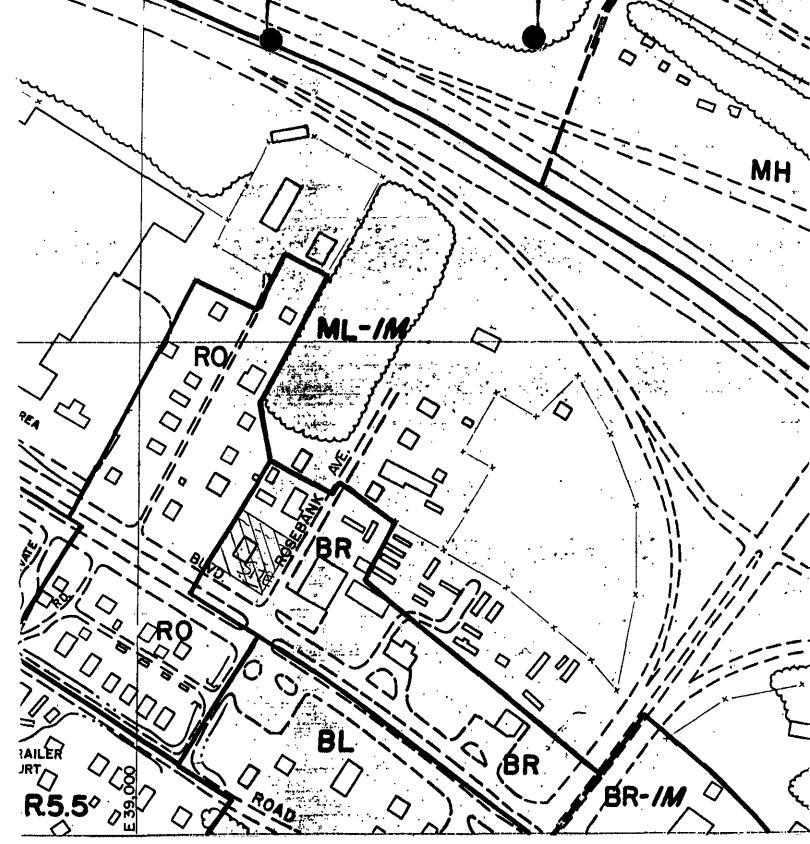
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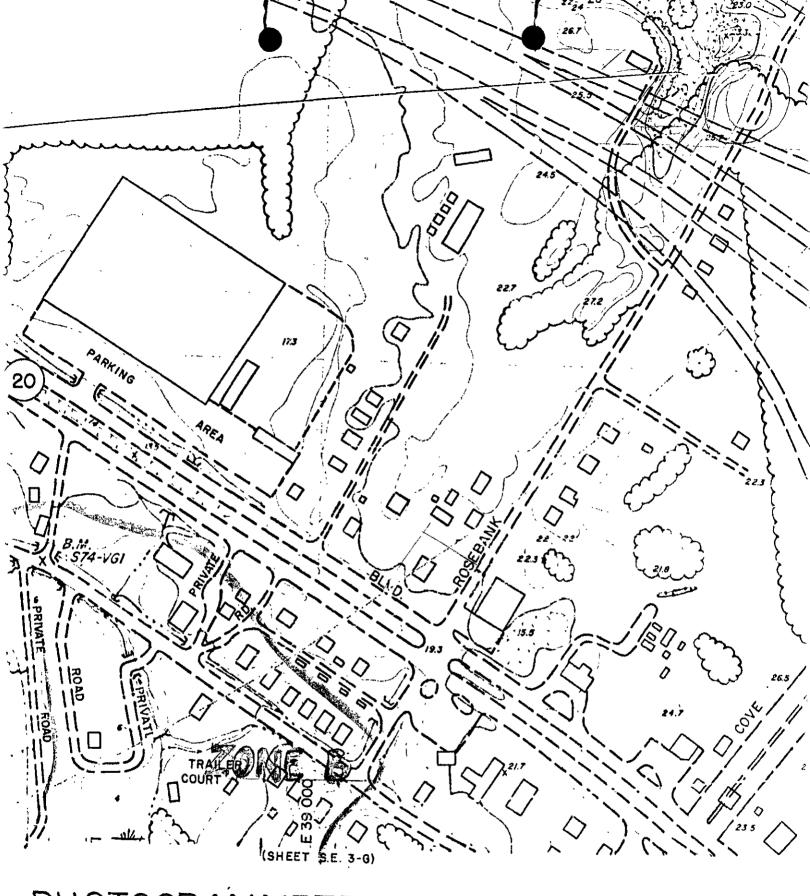
Code Enforcement Hearing Officer

The violator is advised that pursuant to §1-7(g)(1), Baltimore County Code (effective June 6, 1997), an appeal to the Baltimore County Board of Appeals may be taken within fifteen (15) days after the date of a final Order. §1-7(g)(2) requires the filing of a petition setting forth the grounds for appeal and a filing fee of \$150. The appellant is urged to read the requirements for the appeal petition. Security in the amount of the civil penalty must be posted with the Director.



ZONING MAP 200' SCALE #3706 NOPTH POINT BLVD. S.E. 2-G

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