IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE W/S Hernwood Road, 2400' N centerline of Offutt Court

2nd Election District

1st Councilmanic District

(3012 A Hernwood Road)

Jason E. Ludwig Petitioner BEFORE THE

* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

* CASE NO. 01-230-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Administrative Variance filed by the legal owner of the subject property, Jason E. Ludwig. The variance request is for property located at 3012 A Hernwood Road in the Granite area of Baltimore County. The Petitioner herein seeks a variance from Section 400.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit an existing shed with a height of 23 ft. in lieu of the permitted 15 ft. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1, the plat to accompany the Petition for Administrative Variance.

The Petitioner 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 Petitioner has 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 information, 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 Petitioner.

13/06 James 1 1 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.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this Z' day of January 2001, that a variance from Section 400.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit an existing shed with a height of 23 ft. in lieu of the permitted 15 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions which are conditions precedent to the relief granted herein:

- 1. The Petitioner may apply for his building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at his 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 Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.
- 2. The Petitioner or subsequent owners shall not allow or cause the shed to be converted to a second dwelling unit and/or apartment. The structure shall contain no living or sleeping quarters, and no kitchen or bathroom facilities. In addition, the accessory structure should not be used for commercial purposes.
- 3. When applying for a building permit, the site plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

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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

January 3, 2001

Mr. Jason E. Ludwig 3012 A Hernwood Road Granite, Maryland 21163

Re: Petition for Administrative Variance

Case No. 01-230-A

Property: 3012 A Hernwood Road

Dear Mr. Ludwig:

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 Department 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,

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Timothy M. Kotroco

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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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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	Petitioner/Developer:
	JASON LUDWIG
	Date of Hearing/Closing: 1/1/01
Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management County Office Building, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204	· .
Attention: Ms. Gwendolyn Stephens	
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DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

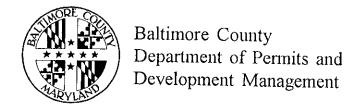
The <u>Baltimore County Zoning Regulations</u> (BCZR) require that notice be given to the general public/neighboring property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions which require a public hearing, this notice is accomplished by posting a sign 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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Contact Person: Phone Number: 410-887-3391				
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Any contact made with this office regarding the status of the administrative variance should be through the contact person (planner) using the case number.				
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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Permits and Licenses
County Office Building
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204
(410) 887-3900

Fax: (410) 887-2824

January 2, 2001

Jason E. Ludwig 3012-A Hernwood Road Granite, MD 21163

Dear Mr. Ludwig:

RE: Case Number: 01-230-A, 3012-A Hernwood Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on December 4, 2000.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from several 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.

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Enclosures

c: People's Counsel

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director

DATE: January 9, 2001

Department of Permits & Development Mgmt.

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For December 18, 2000

Item Nos. 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227,

228, 230, and 232

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

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cc: File



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

December 20, 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 DECEMBER 11, 2000

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:

222, 223, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230, 232,

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 MRBS

DATE:

January 18, 2001

SUBJECT:

Zoning Petitions

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of December 11, 2000

DEPRM has no comments for the following zoning petitions:

Item #	Address
222	3019 Ohio Avenue
223	3017 Ohio Avenue
224	607 Stoney Lane
225	3023 Ohio Avenue
226	3021 Ohio Avenue
227	3507 Hiss Avenue
228	7464 Bradshaw Road
229	6975 Rockfields Road
230	3012A Hernwood Road
232	1807 Sutten Avenue

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

DATE: December 15, 2000

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Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

3012 A Hernwood Rd.

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

01-230

Petitioner:

Jason E. Ludwig

Zoning:

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Requested Action:

Variance

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning does not oppose the petitioner's request provided the shed is not converted into a dwelling unit. For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact Mark A. Cunningham in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Prepared by:

Section Chief:

AFK:MAC:



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

Date: 12.8.00

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

RE:

Baltimore County

Item No. 230

JCM

Dear. Ms. Jackson:

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,

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

Date // Ast // By By Mark

IN RE: PETITION FOR ZONING VARIANCE

W/S Hernwood Rd., 2400 ft. N

of Offutt Court 3012-A Hernwood Road 2nd Election District 1st Councilmanic District Jason Ludwig, Petitioner

Petitioner

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 97-142-A

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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Variance for the property located at 3012 A Hernwood Road in northwestern Baltimore County. The Petition is filed by Jason Eric Ludwig, property owner. Variance relief is requested from Section 1A01.3.B.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR) to allow a 19 ft. setback to a property line (for a proposed dwelling) in lieu of the required 35 ft. The subject property and requested relief is more particularly shown on Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1, the plat to accompany the Petition for Variance.

Appearing at the public hearing held for this case was Jason E. Ludwig, property owner/Petitioner. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence presented was that the subject lot was originally part of a larger tract and has recently been subdivided. The property is known as lot No. 2 of the property formerly known as 3012 Hernwood Road. Apparently, Mr. Ludwig has acquired the site with the intent of improving same with a single family dwelling. As shown on the site plan, the subject property is zoned R.C.2 and is approximately 3 acres in area.

Variance relief is requested in order to allow a 19 ft. setback to a property line in lieu of the required 35 ft. In support of the variance, Mr. Ludwig explained that the lot is irregularly shaped and that the proposed septic system to serve the dwelling need be located on the south

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side of the lot. The proposed location of the dwelling and septic system are clearly shown on the site plan.

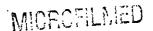
Due to the site constraints, Mr. Ludwig indicated that variance relief was required. He indicated that grant of the variance would not cause any detriment to the surrounding locale. The property is located in a rural area and the nearest house to the proposed building envelope is approximately more than 120 ft. away.

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, all of which is uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Variance. In my judgment, the Petitioner has complied with the provisions of Section 307 of the BCZR as construed by the case law. I am convinced that the unique shape of the property which justifies variance relief is the shape and narrowness of the property. Moreover, to deny variance relief would prohibit an expressly permitted purpose (e.g., a single family dwelling) on the subject property. The relief can be granted without detriment to the surrounding locale. For these reasons, variance relief shall be granted.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 25 day of November, 1996 that a variance from Section 1A01.3.B.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR) to allow a 19 ft. setback to a property line (for a proposed dwelling) in lieu of the required 35 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction:

1. The Petitioner may apply for his building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at his 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 Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

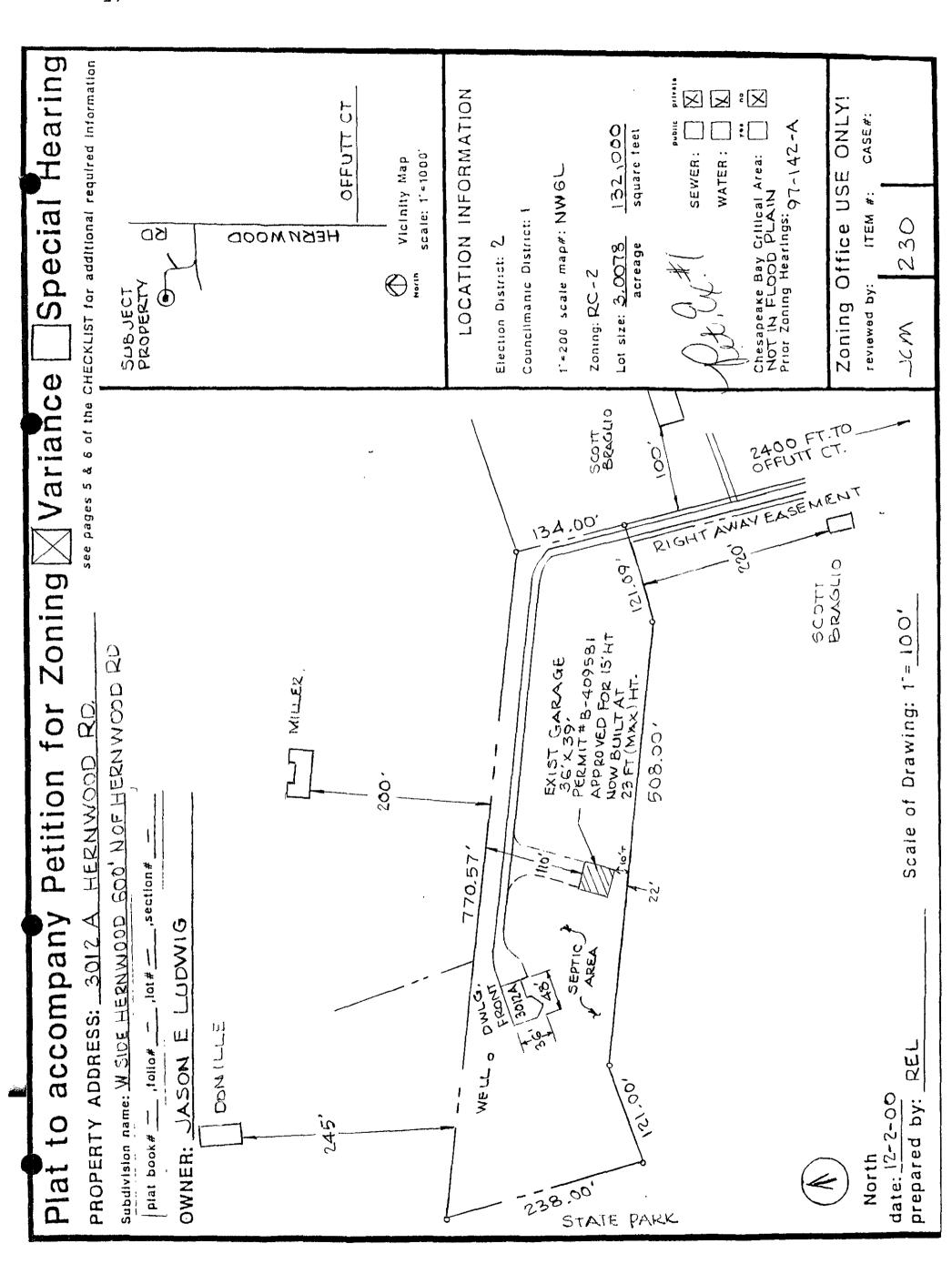
LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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ORDER RECEIVED FOR FILING

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