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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE – SE/Cor. Brentwood and Fifth Avenues, N of Holabird Avenue (6701 Brentwood Avenue) 12<sup>th</sup> Election District 7<sup>th</sup> Council District

> Robert E. Rosso Petitioner

- \* BEFORE THE
- \* ZONING COMMISSIONER
- \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
- \* Case No. 02-027-SPHA

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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the owner of the subject property, Robert E. Rosso, through his attorney, Deborah C. Dopkin, Esquire. The Petitioner requests a special hearing to approve business parking in a residential zone, pursuant to Section 409.8.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.). In addition, variance relief is sought from Section 1B01.1.B.1.e(5) of the B.C.Z.R. to permit a Residential Transition Area (RTA) parking setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and an RTA landscape buffer of 10 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on the site plan submitted which was accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the requests were Robert Rosso, property owner, his wife, Janette Rosso, Richard E. Matz, the Professional Engineer who prepared the site plan for this property, and Deborah Dopkin, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioner. Appearing as Protestants in the matter were numerous residents from the surrounding community, all of whom signed the Protestants' Sign In Sheet circulated at the hearing. Serving as spokespersons for the group were Charles H. Creamer and John Heuchan.

The subject property is actually comprised of two parcels located on both sides of the southeast corner of the intersection of Brentwood Avenue and Fifth Avenue, just north of Holabird Avenue in Dundalk. In addition to the fact that the two parcels are separated by Fifth Avenue, the Baltimore County/Baltimore City line runs through the front portion of the site; however, the majority of the property is located in Baltimore County.

The parcel on the north side of Fifth Avenue is triangular in shape and is located at the apex of the angle created by the intersection of Brentwood Avenue and Fifth Avenue. This parcel contains 0.113 acres, more or less, zoned B.L., and is improved with a large, two-story building which occupies nearly the entire site. This building was previously used as a restaurant known as the Brentwood Inn, and more recently, as a hair salon; however, the building is now vacant and in need of repair. In fact, many of the concerns expressed by the Protestants were that Mr. Rosso had not kept up the building since he acquired same approximately one year ago and that the building is an eyesore and causes blight to the neighborhood.

The second parcel is located on the south side of Fifth Avenue, across from the building formerly known as the Brentwood Inn. Apparently this parcel has been used as a parking lot for many years. It contains approximately 0.464 acres, more or less, zoned D.R.5.5 and is unimproved. An alley, which runs along the rear of the site, separates the subject parcel from the rear of a number of commercial parcels which front Holabird Avenue. This alley is paved in part, but is not fully improved.

The location of these parcels is interesting in that they serve as a buffer between the adjacent residential community and the commercial uses along Holabird and Dundalk Avenues. That is, the plan shows that a residence owned by Douglas Baker is located immediately adjacent to the B.L. zoned parcel (formerly the Brentwood Inn). Likewise, the parcel containing the parking lot immediately abuts a residence owned by the Bednarek family. The nature of the properties as a buffer was evident during a site visit I conducted following the hearing. To the east of the properties is a long-established residential community of well-maintained, single family dwellings on modest lots. However, to the west and south, there are a number of businesses and commercial uses along the major thoroughfares, namely Dundalk Avenue and Holabird Avenue.

Testimony indicated that Mr. Rosso purchased the subject property approximately one year ago. He is in the contracting business and has stored some of his trucks and trailers on the parking lot parcel or in the neighborhood, much to the consternation of the neighbors. Mr. Rosso proposes to refurbish and repair the building for use in accordance with the B.L. zoning of the property. However, in that the building occupies the entire B.L.-zoned parcel, there is no on-site

parking available. Thus, the Petitioner requests special hearing and variance relief as set forth above to permit parking on the adjacent parcel zoned D.R.5.5. Apparently, the use of the adjacent parcel for parking is an arrangement that has existed for many years. Nonetheless, the neighbors are concerned about not only the use of the subject site, but Mr. Rosso's construction business.

This case is made difficult because of a number of neighbors' concerns. They have fears regarding the potential use of the old Brentwood Inn building. In addition, they fear the use of the parking lot and adjacent public streets to support Mr. Rosso's business. I have no jurisdiction as to the use of the public streets. If Mr. Rosso parks his vehicles illegally on these streets, that is a matter for enforcement of the traffic laws by the Baltimore County Police Department.

As to the use of the old Brentwood Inn parcel, the record of the case will show that the hearing was suspended when the undersigned Zoning Commissioner required that Mr. Rosso need identify the specific use of that property before consideration of the instant Petitions could be given. After a recess, Mr. Rosso was recalled to the witness stand at which time he testified more specifically about his plans. In this regard, he indicated that he proposes rehabilitating the building and using same as a boarding house for up to six individuals and using a portion of the building as an office for his contracting business. It is to be noted that a boarding house is permitted by right in the B.L. zone, pursuant to Section 230.3 of the B.C.Z.R. Thus, Mr. Rosso has the absolute right to use the parcel containing the building as a boarding house. In this context, a boarding house is defined under Section 101 of the B.C.Z.R. as "a building which is not the owner's residence and which is occupied in its entirety by three or more adult persons not related by blood, marriage or adoption to each other." Again, it is to be emphasized that a boarding house is permitted by right in the B.L. zone.

The question presented under the Petition for Special Hearing is whether relief should be granted to permit parking for the tenants of the boarding house and storage of vehicles used in connection with Mr. Rosso's contracting business on the parking lot across the street. As noted above, this parking lot has apparently been in existence for a number of years. The undisputed testimony and evidence presented was that it is presently being used without the owner's express

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permission, by a number of businesses in the area, including, but not limited to, certain medical offices located nearby on Holabird Avenue. The continued use of the parcel as a parking lot for the proposed use is certainly consistent with its historic use. Properly restricted, it appears that this arrangement should continue.

The variance relief requested relates to Residential Transition Area (RTA) standards. The RTA standards are set out in Section 1B01.1.B of the B.C.Z.R. That Section indicates that the purpose of the RTA is to assure that similar housing types are built adjacent to one another or that adequate buffers and screening are provided between dissimilar housing types. Although the RTA standards are applicable here, the identified purpose is not relevant to the issue.

As noted above, the undersigned Zoning Commissioner visited the site after the hearing and drove the neighborhood. I looked not only at the old Brentwood Inn building, but also drove through the residential neighborhood. I also went onto the parking lot and traveled up the unimproved alley that separates that lot from the businesses that front on Holabird Avenue. It is the responsibility of the Zoning Commissioner to insure that relief can be granted without detrimental impact to the surrounding locale. Nonetheless, it is clear that commercial and business uses exist immediately adjacent to the subject property and indeed, the triangularly shaped parcel on which the building is located is zoned B.L. As such, certain uses are permitted as of right.

Under all of these circumstances, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief. However, in granting the relief, I will impose a number of conditions which are designed to preserve and protect the health, safety and general welfare of the locale. First, the boarding house use will be limited to a maximum of six residents. Second, the office use will be restricted to the Petitioner's construction company, only, and none other. Third, the Petitioner shall comply fully with the requirements set out in Section 408.B of the B.C.Z.R., which regulates boarding houses in the D.R. zone. They require, for example, that the owner keep and preserve accurate tenant occupancy records. Moreover, upon 24-hour notice, County representatives shall be permitted to enter and inspect the premises or property. The Section further provides that the Director of Permits and Development Management (DPDM) may revoke the use and occupancy permit if the Petitioner fails to comply with the livability code, the applicable zoning regulations, or the noise,

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litter, fire, health, or sanitation ordinances of Baltimore County. Fourth, the Petitioner shall be required to improve the parking lot with a durable and dustless surface. It is recognized, from a financial perspective, that the applicant may be limited in the amount of improvements that can be made to the building and parking lot, and it seems appropriate that the building be improved first, and the parking lot thereafter. Thus, the Petitioner shall be given a period of one year from the date of this Order to improve the parking lot. The Petitioner shall also install landscaping on the east and north sides of the parking lot. Landscaping to the south and west of that property is not practical, due to the commercial establishments which abut those sides; however, landscaping should be installed to buffer the lot from the residential community. The landscaping and improvements to the parking lot shall be completed within one year of the date of this Order. Fifth, the Petitioner shall only be allowed to park cars, vans and pick-up trucks on the parking lot. No vehicles over ¾ ton shall be stored or parked on the lot.

It is hoped that the restrictions imposed upon the relief granted will provide a reasonable solution to the contention presently existing between Mr. Rosso and the neighbors. Again, some degree of balance is appropriate between the business zoning of the property and nearby commercial uses, and the residential neighborhood abutting the other side of this property. If the property is cleaned up, and the proposed boarding house and parking lot are used in accordance with all applicable regulations and conditions as set forth above, I believe that the Protestants' concerns can be resolved.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons set forth herein, the relief requested shall be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of October, 2001 that the Petition for Special Hearing to approve business parking in a residential zone, pursuant to Section 409.8.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 1B01.1.B.1.e(5) of the B.C.Z.R. to permit a Residential Transition Area (RTA) parking setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and an RTA landscape buffer of 10 feet in lieu of the

required 50 feet, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

- 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 the 30-day appeal period from the date of this Order has expired. If an appeal is filed and this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.
- 2) The use of the existing building shall be limited to a boarding house for no more than six residents, and office space for the Petitioner's construction business, only, and no other. Moreover, the Petitioner shall comply with all requirements set out in Section 408.B of the B.C.Z.R., which regulates boarding houses in the D.R. zone. These include keeping and maintaining accurate tenant occupancy records and compliance with the livability code, the applicable zoning regulations, and the noise, litter, fire, health, and sanitation ordinances of Baltimore County.
- 3) The Petitioner shall be required to improve the parking lot with a durable and dustless surface. The Petitioner shall also install landscaping on the east and north sides of the parking lot to buffer same from the adjacent residential community. The landscaping and improvements to the parking lot shall be completed within one year of the date of this Order.
- 4) Only cars, vans and pick-up trucks owned by tenants of the boarding house or used by the Petitioner in connection with his construction business shall be parked on the parking lot; however, no vehicles weighing over 3/4 ton shall be stored or parked on the lot.

5) When applying for any permits, the site plan and landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

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

October 18, 2001

Deborah C. Dopkin, Esquire 409 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING & VARIANCE

SE/Corner Brentwood and Fifth Avenues, N of Holabird Avenue

(6701 Brentwood Avenue)

12th Election District – 7th Councilmanic District

Robert E. Rosso - Petitioner Case No. 02-027-SPHA

Dear Ms. Dopkin:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance have been granted, in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact the Department of Permits and Development Management office at 887-3391.

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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cc: Mr. Robert Rosso, 3111 Newton Road, Baltimore, Md. 21219

Mr. Richard E. Matz, Colbert, Matz, Rosenfelt, 2835-G Smith Ave., Baltimore, Md. 21209

Mr. Charles H. Creamer, 6707 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Mr. John Heuchan, 1528 Vesper Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Baker, 6703 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Mr. & Mrs. Marian Bednarek, 6725 Fifth Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Ms. Marianne Kondratenko, 6709 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Ms. Freida Hammonds, 6716 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Ms. Terry L. Godwin, 6814 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Mr. Frank Guido, 6717 Brentwood Avenue, Dundalk, Md. 21222

Mr. Joe Guido, 3101 Dunglow Road, Dundalk, Md. 21222

People's Counsel; Case File



# Petition for Special Hearing

### to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at:	6701 Brentwood A	venue
which is present	tly zoned <u>BL and</u>	1 DR-5.5

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 of thereof, hereby petition for a Special Hearing under 500.7 of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to determine whether or not the Zoning Commission should approve

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Hearing, advertising, posting, etc and further agree to and are to be bounded by the

Business parking in a residential zone, in accordance with Section 409.8.B, BCZR.

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

zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County. 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. Contract Purchaser/Lessee: Legal Owner(s): Robert E. Rosso Name - Type or Print Signature Address. Telephone No. Name - Type or Print City State Zip Code Signature 3111 Newton Road Attorney For Petitioner: 410-388-1462 Address. Telephone No. Deborah C. Dopkin, Esq. **Baltimore** 21219 Type or Print Zip Code Representative to be Contacted: 🚅borah 🕽 Dopkin, P.A. Richard E. Matz, P.E. COLBERT MATZ ROSENFELT, INC (h) 410-484-8757 409 Washington Avenue 410-494-8080 410-653-3838 2835 Smith Avenue, Suite G dres: Telephone No. Address Telephone No. Md. 21204 Baltimore 21209 State Zip Code City State Zip Code OFFICE USE ONLY 02-027-5PHA ESTIMATED LENGTH OF HEARING UNAVAILABLE FOR HEARING

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# Petition for Variance

### to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 6701 Brentwood Avenue which is presently zoned BL and DR-5.5

I/We do solemnly declare and affirm, under the penalties of

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 of thereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s)

1B01.1.B.1.e(5), BCZR, for an RTA setback to parking of 10 feet in lieu of 75 feet required and for an RTA buffer of 10 feet in lieu of 50 feet required

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

The uniqueness and peculiarity of the property causes the zoning provisions to impact disproportionately upon the property. Practical difficulty and unreasonable hardship result from the disproportionate impact of the provisions of the zoning regulations caused by the property's uniqueness.

Property 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.

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		Robert E. Rosso	
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Attorney For Petitioner:		3111 Newton Road	410-388-1462
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Deborah C. Dopkin, Esq.		Baltimore	Md. 21219
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### **ZONING DESCRIPTION**

Beginning at a point on the south side of Fifth Avenue, which is 50 feet wide, at a distance of 270 feet from the centerline of Brentwood Avenue, which is 50 feet wide.

Being Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 in Block A and Lots 17 and 18 in Block H, in the subdivision of Fairlawn, as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book 6, Folio 100, and containing 0.577 acres, more or less. Also known as 6701 Brentwood Avenue, and located in the 12<sup>th</sup> Election District., 7<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District.

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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.

For Newspaper Advertising:
Item Number or Case Number: <u>02-027-SPHA</u> Petitioner: Rosso
Address or Location: 6701 BRENTWOOD AVENUE.
PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:  Name: ROBERT E. ROSS O
Address: 3111 NEWTON ROAD
BATIMORE, MD 21219.
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TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

Thursday, September 6, 2001 Issue – Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:

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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: 02-027-A
6701 Brentwood Avenue
S/S 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 270' E centerline Brentwood Avenue
12<sup>th</sup> Election District – 7<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District
Legal Owner: Robert E Rosso

Special Hearing to allow business parking in a residential zone. <u>Variance</u> to allow an RTA setback to parking of 10 feet in lieu of 75 feet required and for an RTA buffer of 10 feet in lieu of 50 feet required.

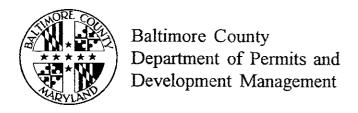
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Building, 401 Bosley Avenue

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT GOZ.
ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

NOTES: (1) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS, 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.



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

Fax: 410-887-5708

August 29, 2001

### **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:

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C: Deborah C Dopkin, Esquire, 409 Washington Avenue, Towson 21204 Robert E Rosso, 3111 Newton Road, Baltimore 21219 Richard E Matz PE, Colbert Matz Rosenfelt Inc, 2835 Smith Avenue, Suite G, Baltimore 21209

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2001.

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

Tuesday, September 25, 2001 Issue – Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:

Robert E Rosso 3111 Newton Road Baltimore MD 21219

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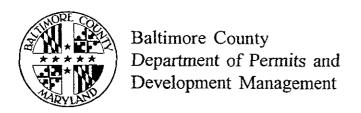
HEARING: Wednesday, October 10, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 407 County Courts

Building, 401 Bosley Avenue

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT GDZ.
ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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Fax: 410-887-5708

September 13, 2001

### 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: 02-027-A 6701 Brentwood Avenue

S/S 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 270 E Centerline Brentwood Avenue 12<sup>th</sup> Election District – 7<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District

Legal Owner: Robert E Rosso

Special Hearing to allow business parking in a residential zone. Variance to allow an RTA setback to parking of 10 feet in lieu of 75 feet required and for an RTA buffer of 10 feet in lieu of 50 feet required.

**HEARING:** Wednesday, October 10, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 407 County Courts

Building, 401 Bosley Avenue

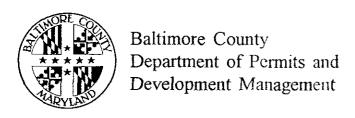
Arnold Jablon GDZ Director

C: Deborah C Dopkin, Esquire, 409 Washington Avenue, Towson 21204 Robert E Rosso, 3111 Newton Road, Baltimore 21219 Richard E Matz PE, Colbert Matz Rosenfelt Inc, 2835 Smith Avenue Suite G, Baltimore 21209

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2001.

(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.



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

October 4, 2001

Deborah C Dopkin, Esquire 409 Washington Avenue Towson MD 21204

Dear Ms. Dopkin:

RE: Case Number: 02-027-SPHA, 6701 Brentwood Avenue

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on July 16, 2001.

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. 6りて Superviso, Zoning Review

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**Enclosures** 

c: Robert E Rosso, 3111 Newton Road, Baltimore 21219 Richard E Matz PE, 2835 Smith Avenue, Suite G, Baltimore 21209 People's Counsel











### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Department of Permits & Development Mgmt.

**DATE:** October 15, 2001

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT.

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For September 4, 2001

Item Nos. 027, 056, 058, 060, 061,

062, 063, 064, 065,068

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

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

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September 4, 2001

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

SEP 13.

ATTENTION: Gwen Stephens

Property Owner: SEE BELOW RE:

Location: DISTRIBUTION MEETING OF August 27, 2001

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 Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time, 8. IN REFERENCE TO THE FOLLOWING ITEM NUMBERS:

027, 056, 058, 060, 061, 062, 065, 068, 069

REVIEWER: LIEUTENANT JIM MEZICK, Fire Marshal's Office

PHONE 887-4881, MS-1102F

cc: File

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### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

DATE: September 19, 2001

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

**SUBJECT:** Zoning Advisory Petition(s). Case(s) 02-027, 02-061, 02-065, & 02-068

The Office of Planning has reviewed the above referenced case(s) and has no comments to offer. 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.

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**Section Chief:** 

AFK/JL:MAC



### Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration

Parris N. Glendening Governor

John D. Porcari Secretary

Parker F. Williams Administrator

Date: 9.5.01

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

RE: Baltimore County

Item No ZDT

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,

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

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING PETITION FOR VARIANCE 6701 Brentwood Avenue, S/S 5th Ave, 270' E of c/l Brentwood Ave 12th Election District, 7th Councilmanic

Legal Owner: Robert E. Rosso Petitioner(s)

- BEFORE THE
- \* ZONING COMMISSIONER
- \* FOR
- \* BALTIMORE COUNTY
- \* Case No. 02-27-SPHA

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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

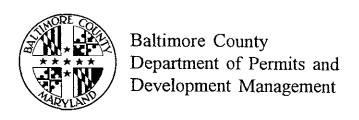
Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-2188

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10th day of September, 2001 a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Deborah C. Dopkin, Esq., 409 Washington Avenue, Suite 920, Towson, MD 21204, attorney for Petitioner(s).

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN



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

September 12, 2001

Richard E Matz PE Colbert Matz Rosenfelt Inc 2835 Smith Avenue Suite G Baltimore MD 21209

Dear Mr. Matz:

RE: Case Number: 02-027-A, 6701 Brentwood Avenue

The above matter previously scheduled for Monday, September 24, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, has been postponed at your request. Once the hearing has been rescheduled you will be notified by mail.

Please be advised that, as the individual requesting and receiving the postponement, the responsibility and costs associated with the appropriate posting of the property now lies with you. The petitioner or his/her agent may not personally post or change a zoning sign. One of the currently approved vendors/posters must be contacted to do so. If the property has been posted with notice of the original hearing date, as quickly as possible a notice of the new hearing date should be affixed to the sign(s).

Very truly yours,

Arnold Jablon 6つて Director

AJ: gdz

C: Deborah C Dopkin, Esquire, 409 Washington Avenue, Towson 21204 Robert E Rosso, 3111 Newton Road, Baltimore 21209



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### DEBORAH C. DOPKIN, P.A.

ATTORNEY AT LAW 409 WASHINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 920 TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

> TELEPHONE 410-494-8080 FACSIMILE 410-494-8082 e-mail dbdop@erols.com

DEBORAH C. DOPKIN

January 15, 2002

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

RE: Case No. 02-027-SPHA

Dear Commissioner Schmidt:

I represent Robert Rosso in connection with the above captioned case. I am enclosing for your reference a copy of the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law which you rendered on October 19, 2001.

As you may recall, this was a special hearing for business parking in a resident zone. The commercial property involved is the old Brentwood Inn, which my client is converting to use for his office and as a boarding house in accordance with your Order.

The testimony at the hearing was that for many years other people who either work or live adjacent to the parking lot have used it without complaint from the community. This includes the neighboring residents and a medical office building located on Holabird Avenue. Though Mr. Rosso has no lease and receives no remuneration from these individuals, he has not forbidden their use. Primarily out of an interest in not creating hostile relations with his neighbors, Mr. Rosso has taken no steps to prohibit these vehicles on parking on the lot, nor has he had such vehicles towed.

Someone has filed a complaint with the Zoning Office because of the motor vehicles being parked on the property that belong to individuals other than those working in Mr. Rosso's office or who would be residing in the boarding house. He wished to seek clarification whether it was your intention to, as of the date of the Order, to forbid parking by the neighbors that was previously acceded to within the community. Mr. Rosso is also contacting the

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Mr. Lawrence E. Schmidt Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County January 15, 2002 Page 2

President of the Community Association to see if has any objection to this parking.

Since this matter is pending for zoning enforcement, I would appreciate your getting back to me with a clarification at your earliest opportunity.

Very truly yours,

Deborah C. Dopkin

DCD/kmc

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Robert E. Rosso

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October 3, 2001

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

Re: Case # 02-27-SPHA (6701 Brentwood Avenue, owned by Mr. Robert Rosso)

This letter is sent to inform you of my concern and lack of approval for case #02-27-SPHA to be approved. Unfortunately, I am unable to attend today's hearing due to a previous scheduled appointment. So, I am writing this letter in support of our community and its many members.

Mr. Rosso has been a consistent problem within our community. He continuously evades the laws when working on his property. I believe he actually tries to evade the law on purpose to see how far he can go before someone stops him. He never follows code enforcement regulations. He consistently puts our community in harms way. This is demonstrated by the various citations Mr. Rosso has received over the past year, through the Code Enforcement Division for Baltimore County. Below is a list of violations that I have kept a track of. I'm sure other community members are maintaining logs of violations as well, should this need further documentation.

Last September he was cited for sand blasting the building without checking for lead paint, while simultaneously not even bothering to clean up the debri left behind when he was forced to stop sand blasting, leaving the community to clean up the mess. (This violation was reported August 2000/to Balto.Co. Code Enforcment/Mr. Bill Clark).

He was cited for dumping hazardous waste in unsealed drums on the parking lot that he owns. Forcing Fire/Police departments to respond. This happened sometime in August of last year. (This violation was reported 2, 2000/to Fire Dept./Police Dept./Officer Scott Caprassi #4249 and Balto. Co. Code Enforcement/Mr. Creed).

He continuously sneaks to get building projects within the building completed during early morning (2:00-4:00 a.m.) and hours where most community members are working (10:00a.m.-2:00p.m.)and can't watch him. Mr. Rosso is in direct violation here, because no building activity is permitted on this property without proper permits. I have pictures supporting this, in that, trucks are at the entrance with the doors opened to the building. One neighbor witnessed him taking a wood framework into the building, by hiding it inside a dumpster. Thinking nobody was watching early in the morning, Mr. Rosso and his crew took the framework for walls out and into the building. Later in the day, myself along with other neighbors heard hammering and sawing. This is in direct violation of the law, because no building projects are supposed to be taking place on this property in question. (This violation was reported to Code Enforcement for Balto. Co./Mr. Mayer, September 2001).

Mr. Rosso has been repeatedly cited for violations of parking dump trucks on the parking lot, when in fact, no parking is permitted here.

Mr. Rosso has been cited with Baltimore City Police Department/ for parking dump trucks on surrounding city streets. In Baltimore City, no parking of commercial vehicles is allowed on residential streets. Mr. Rosso repeatedly took tickets off the vehicles, and we suspect he erased the chalk lines placed on the street by the tires. Finally, after a 2 month battle, he lost. The City impounded his vehicles. (This violation was reported to Baltimore City Police, July 2001).

I could go on and on with the number of violations he has committed regarding this property, its use and his intentions. It seems Mr. Rosso is in the business of creating half-way houses within residential communities. This serves him well. He receives stipends for boarding these people. Then, he employs these individuals to work in his construction company. We currently have 11 half-way houses in a very small radius/high population of children and elderly. I believe it is his intent to place another one in our community.

Having two small children, I don't support this. I see the element these half-way houses are bringing to our community. This is supported by the increase of buglaries, drug trafficking and prostitution within the community. Some of these crimes are committed by members of these half-way houses. As reported by the Balto. Co. 7<sup>th</sup> District Police Dept. at our community meetings.

I will do everything in my power to fight this. Thank you for listening to our thoughts on this proposal for case #02-27-SPHA.

Sincerely,

Mr. & Mrs. Pniewski 6714 Brentwood Avenue

### VIOLATIONS/INFRACTIONS

FOR CASE: 02-027-A

PROPERTY: 6701 Brentwood Avenue

OWNED BY: Robert Rosso

VIOLATION DATE	DESCRIPTION OF VIOLATION	ACTION
Aug. 2000	Sand Blasting Bldg. Concern for lead paint Debri never cleaned up by Rosso Community Clemed up,	Code Enforc.
Oct. 2001	Rosso truck parked on street Loaded with debris remains parked. Parked for 3 months. Rec'd numerous Parking violations on truck. Then, when police threatened to move He parked on Dundalk Ave. for several Weeks. Then, returned to Brentwood again For 3 months, with flat tires before towing	B.C. Police Offer Hadee
Feb. 2001	Dumping Hazardous Materials On Parking Lot	Code Enforc.
April 2001	Cars from Brentwood Med. Ctr. Parking on lot-possible Mr. Rosso Renting lot (illegal)	Police
June 2001	Electrical Wiring hanging from Side of building	Code Enforc.
July 2001	Locks to Doors on Building Broken/Closed with rope	Code Enforc
August 200 <b>₽</b>	Rosso crew move a stove/bed Into the building	Code Enforc
August 200 <b>D</b>	Rosso crew fixing roof to Building	Code Enforc
Sept. 2001	Building Construction suspected Hammering/Sawing daily for Several days	Code Enforce
Sept. 10, 2001	Wood framework for bldg. A wall Is brough into bldg. Via Dumpster	Code Enforce

Sept. 2001

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Prostitutes arrested on parking lot

For illegal activities. Mr. Rosso Has no signs that say "No Parking"

Sept. 21, 2001

Big Dumpster arrives. Rosso crew

Begin cleaning inside of bldg. Throwing

Things into dumpster.

Code Enforce

Police Dept.

July 2001

Mr. Rosso truck is broken into in

Front of his Brentwood Bldg.

Suspected that one of his own crew

Members did it.

Police/ Mr. Rosso

October 2001 -

A tractor-trailer remains parked on this lot in question. Has been there for several weeks.

(pictures included)

## Colbert Matz Rosenfelt, Inc.

Civil Engineers • Surveyors • Planners

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September 11, 2001

Mr. Arnold Jablon Baltimore County Zoning Office 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Md. 21204

Re: Zoning Case No. 02-027-A

6701 Brentwood Avenue

CMR No. 2001080

Dear Mr. Jablon,

We hereby request a postponement of the above-referenced zoning case, due to my illness.

Please reschedule the case at the earliest possible date.

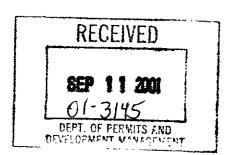
Yours truly

Richard E. Matz, P.E.

COLBERT MATZ ROSENFELT, INC

cc: Deborah Dopkin, Esq.

Robert Rosso



### PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET

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### **PROTESTANT'S SIGN-IN SHEET**

Name	Address	City, State	Zip Code
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Douglas A. Baker	6703 Brentwood Ave.	Dundalk, Md.	21222
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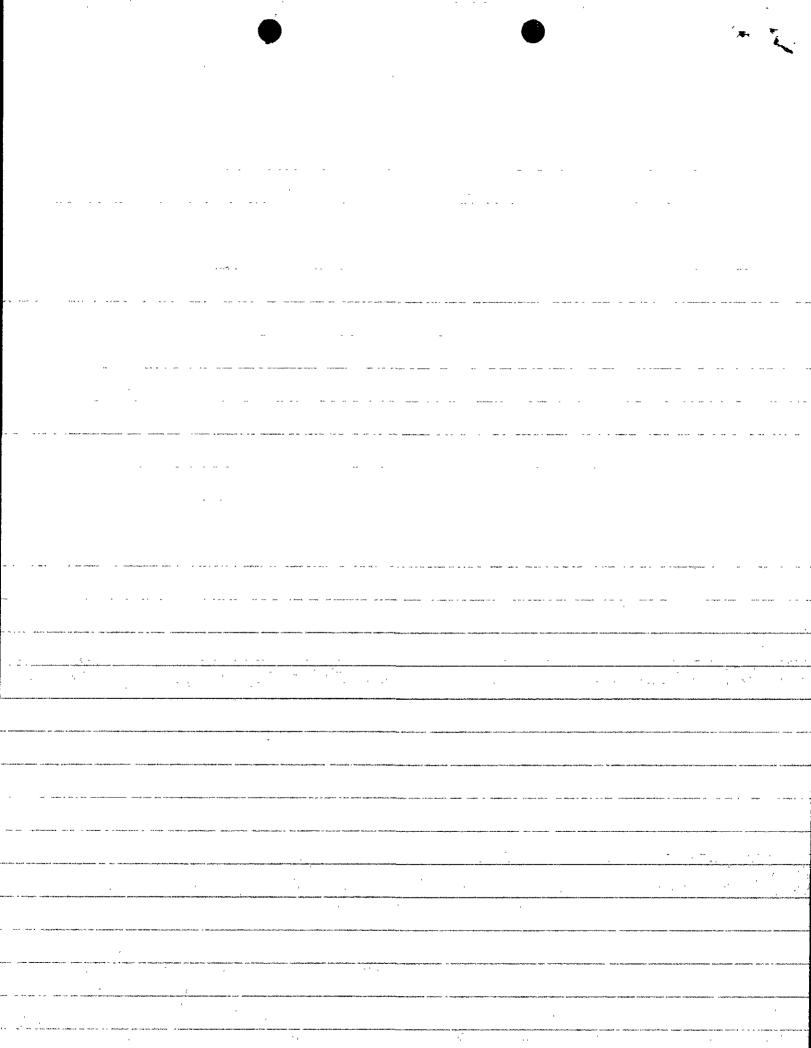
Sept.25,2001 Regarding Property known as: 6701 Brentwood Ave. Petitioning the approval of zoning for 6701 Brentwood Avenue. We do not want this zoning to be approved" (See attached letters).

note: (These are single family homes)

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Petitioning the approval of zoning for 6701 Brentwood Avenue. "We do not want this zoning to be approved" (See attached letters).

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE – SE/Corner

Brentwood and Fifth Avenues (6701 Brentwood Avenue)
12th Election District

12<sup>th</sup> Council District

Robert Rosso, Legal Owner (Allan G. Harris, former Owner)



- \* ZONING COMMISSIONER
- \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
- \* Case No. 01-088-SPHA

ORDER OF DISMISSAL -

This matter came before me at a public hearing held on October 10, 2000 to consider Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the then owner of the property, Allan G. Harris, through his attorney, C. William Clark, Esquire. The Petitioner sought special hearing relief for approval of a use permit for an existing parking lot on the subject property, zoned D.R.5.5, pursuant to Section 409.8.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R). In addition, the Petitioner requested variance relief from Sections 1B01.1.B.1(c)(2) and (e)(2) of the B.C.Z.R. to permit a tract boundary setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 75 feet, and a Residential Transition Area (RTA) setback of 10 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet, for the existing parking lot. Apparently, the Petitions were filed as a result of a complaint registered with the Code Enforcement Division of the Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) relative to the Petitioner's use of the subject property for parking facilities. The subject property and requested relief were more particularly described on the site plan submitted with the Petitions filed and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

At the public hearing held in this case, Mr. Clarke appeared and advised that Mr. Harris had recently sold the property to Mr. Robert Rosso, and that he, Mr. Harris, and the engineer who prepared the site plan for this property, no longer had an interest in this case. Mr. Clarke then left. Mr. Rosso was not in attendance at the start of the hearing. Meanwhile, numerous individuals from the surrounding community appeared in opposition to the requests, and during the course of

this Zoning Commissioner answering their questions, Mr. Rosso arrived. Mr. Rosso indicated that he was not sure that he wanted to proceed with the matter, given the amount of neighborhood opposition. I gave Mr. Rosso 15 days from the date of the hearing to decide whether he wished to proceed and it was agreed that if no word was heard from him by October 25, 2000, the matter would be dismissed without prejudice. This agreement was confirmed in writing by my letter dated October 12, 2000 and the matter was continued, pending a decision by Mr. Rosso.

Inasmuch as the deadline for his response has passed and no word has been heard from Mr. Rosso, it is clear that he does not wish to proceed with this case.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 3/0 day of October, 2000 that the Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed in the above-captioned matter, be and the same are hereby DISMISSED without prejudice; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the use of the subject property as a parking lot must cease immediately; it cannot be used to park or store vehicles or equipment and must be kept free of all trash and debris.

LAWRENCE É. SCHMID

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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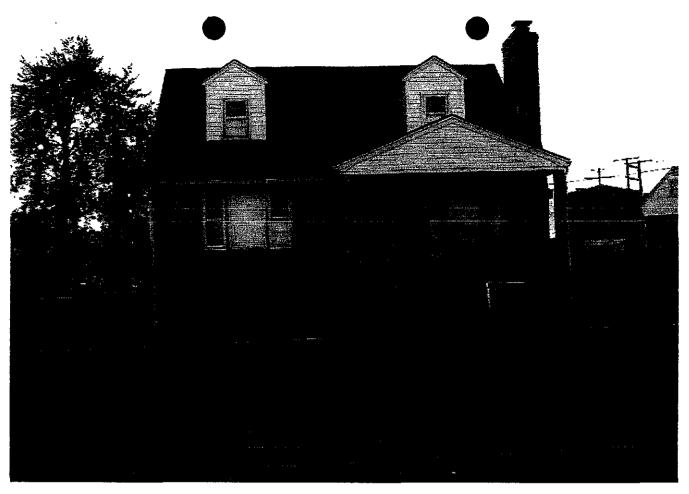
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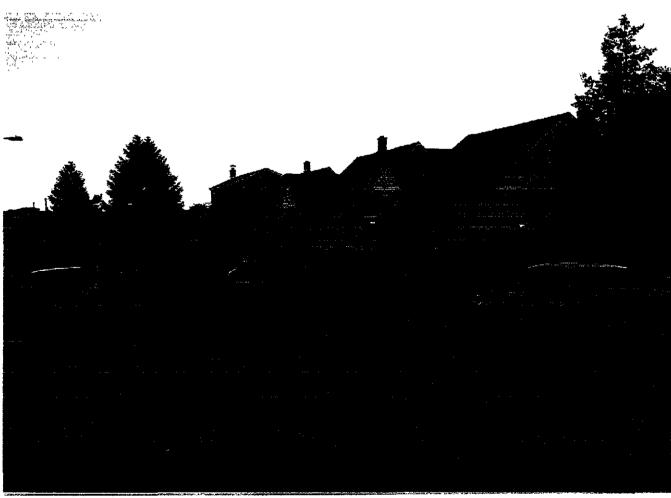
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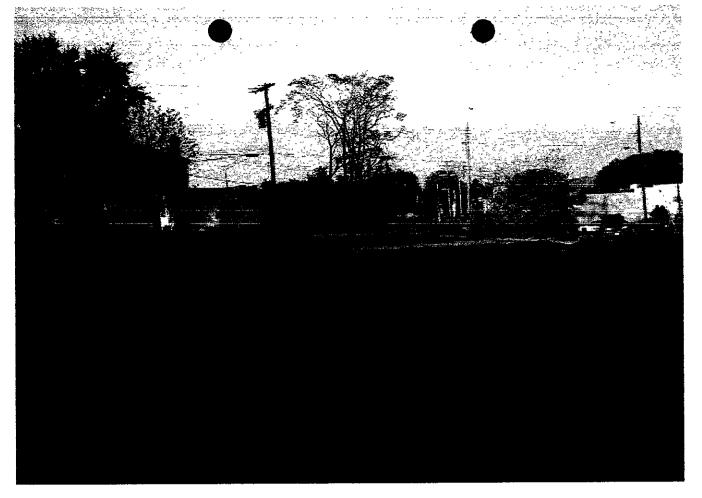
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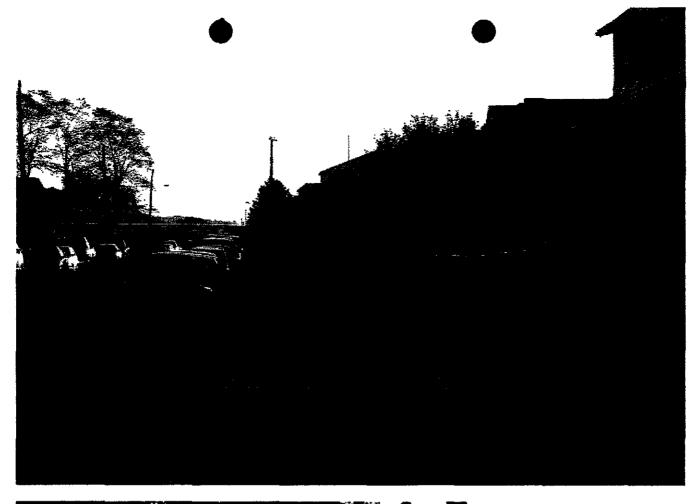
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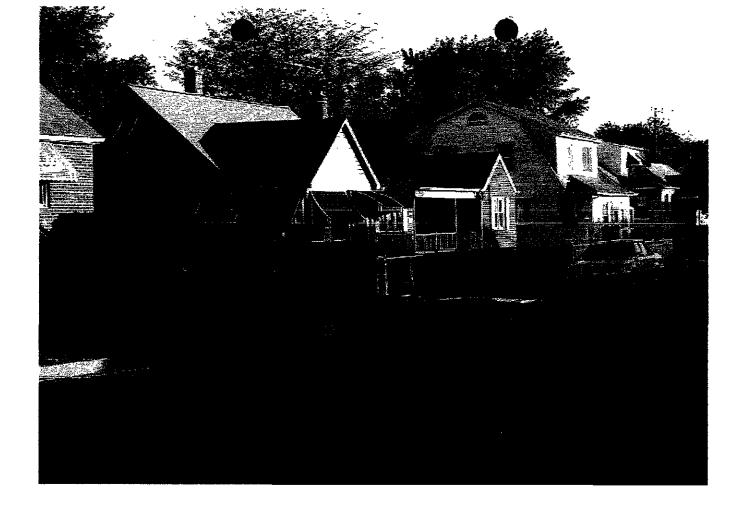














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