IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE \* BEFORE THE

NE/corner Wade Avenue & Fairview Avenue,

790.5' E of the c/I Frederick Road \* ZONING COMMISSIONER

(27 Wade Avenue)

1<sup>st</sup> Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

1<sup>st</sup> Council District

Case No. 02-035-A

James L. Scannell, et ux

Petitioners

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#### ORDER ON MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

WHEREAS, this matter came before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Administrative Variance filed by the owners of the subject property, James L. and Mary N. Scannell, on behalf of their son, Dennis Scannell, who actually resides on the property. The Petitioners sought relief from Section 101 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit an accessory structure (garage) to have a building footprint larger than the existing principal structure (residence). The Petition was filed through the administrative variance process, pursuant to Section 26-127 of the Baltimore County Code, which allows an individual to seek variance relief for an owner-occupied residential property without the need for a public hearing. However, at the request of several of the Petitioners' neighbors, the matter was scheduled for a hearing on September 27, 2001.

Mr. & Mrs. Scannell appeared at the hearing, as did their son, Dennis Scannell and Madeline Heflin, who also resides on the property, and Eva May Busse, the adjacent property owner. Appearing as Protestants in the matter were Robert A. Patterson and Elizabeth A. Brady who reside across Fairview Avenue from the subject property.

At the hearing, the Protestants objected to the overall size of the proposed structure and expressed concern over its potential use. In response to those concerns, the Petitioner reduced the size of the garage and agreed to limit its use to the storage of personal vehicles and household items.

By Order dated October 11, 2001, I granted the requested relief, as modified, subject to certain terms and conditions. To the extent applicable, the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained therein are adopted herein.

Subsequent to the issuance of said Order, Dennis Scannell attempted to obtain the building permit for the garage; however, was denied same due to a discrepancy between the site plan filed with the Petition and the site plan filed with the permit application. Specifically, the permit application indicated a proposed height for the garage of 21 feet, which exceeds that allowed by the B.C.Z.R. Section 400.3 of the B.C.Z.R. limits the height of an accessory structure to a maximum 15 feet. Moreover, in that there was no request for variance from the height limitations under the Petition filed in the instant case, Mr. Scannell requested assistance from the undersigned Zoning Commissioner to resolve this issue.

Under the circumstances, I considered Mr. Scannell's request as a Motion for Reconsideration and by letter dated October 22, 2001, notified the Protestants of the Petitioner's Motion. Moreover, I requested that the Protestants advise me in writing as to whether they had any objections to Mr. Scannell's proposal after which I would make a ruling on his request.

By letter dated October 26, 2001, Mr. Patterson and Ms. Brady indicated their consent to permit the proposed accessory building to have a height of 21 feet, provided there is strict compliance with the provisions of my prior Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all of the terms and conditions imposed in the Order issued on October 11, 2001 shall remain in full force effect. Additionally, the Petitioner shall be required to permit, upon reasonable notice, inspection of the accessory structure by a

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representative of the Code Enforcement Division of the Department of Permits and Development Management, to insure compliance with the terms and conditions of this Order.

> LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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cc: Mr. Dennis Scannell, 27 Wade Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
 Mr. & Mrs. James L. Scannell, 116½ Smithwood Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
 Mr. Robert Patterson & Ms. Elizabeth Brady, 3 Fairview Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
 People's Counsel; Case File



October 22, 2001

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

Fax: 410-887-3468

Mr. Dennis Scannell 27 Wade Avenue Catonsville, Md. 21228

RE: PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE

(27 Wade Avenue) Case No. 02-035-A

Dear Mr. Scannell:

Reference is made to your recent telephone inquiry concerning the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to the Petition for Variance filed in this case, relief was requested to allow the proposed garage to have a building footprint larger than the existing dwelling. The site plan submitted showed a one-story garage, 34' x 60' in dimension, was proposed. Due to the concerns expressed at the hearing by some of your neighbors that the garage was too large, you reduced the size of the structure to 30' x 56' in dimension. By Order issued October 11, 2001, I granted the amended relief, subject to certain terms and conditions.

I understand that you recently applied for a building permit and that you were denied same in that the site plan submitted shows a proposed building height of 21 feet, which exceeds the 15-foot height limitations set forth in Section 400.3 of the B.C.Z.R. You have therefore requested that I amend my decision to include variance relief for a height of 21 feet in lieu of the 15 feet allowed.

Rule 2K of the Zoning Commissioner's Rules of Policy and Procedure allows the Zoning Commissioner to reconsider any decision within thirty (30) days of the date of such decision. Thus, I shall consider your request as a Motion for Reconsideration. However, prior to making a ruling on your request, I am forwarding a copy of this letter to the Protestants, with the request that they advise me, in writing, within ten (10) days of the date hereof, if they have any objections. Upon receipt of their written comment, I will issue a decision on the Motion. Any relief granted will remain subject to the terms and conditions imposed by the original Order.

In the meantime, please contact me should you have any further questions in this regard.

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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cc: Mr. & Mrs. James L. Scannell, 116½ Smithwood Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Administrative Variance filed by the owners of the subject property, James L. and Mary N. Scannell. The Petitioners seek relief from Section 101 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit an accessory structure (garage) to have a building footprint larger than the existing principal structure (residence). 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.

The Petition was filed through the administrative variance process, pursuant to Section 26-127 of the Baltimore County Code. That Section allows an individual to seek variance relief for an owner-occupied residential property without the need for a public hearing. In this case, the Petitioners applied for an administrative variance on or about July 19, 2001. On July 29, 2001, the property was duly posted and advertised giving public notice of the requested relief. Under the Code, any property owner residing within 1,000 feet of the property in question can request a public hearing within 15 days of the sign posting, if that person objects to the relief requested. Additionally, the Zoning Commissioner/Deputy Zoning Commissioner, upon review of the case file, can schedule the matter for a hearing. By letter dated August 8, 2001, a number of individuals who reside in the area, including Robert A. Patterson and Elizabeth A. Brady, submitted a formal request for public hearing and the matter was scheduled for a hearing on September 27, 2001.

Appearing at the hearing in support of the request were James L. and Mary N. Scannell, property owners, their son, Dennis Scannell, who resides on the subject property, Madeline Heflin, who also resides on the subject property, and Eva May Busse, the adjacent, most affected property owner. Appearing as Protestants in the matter were Robert A. Patterson and Elizabeth A. Brady who reside across Fairview Avenue from the subject property.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property is located on the northeast corner of Fairview Avenue and Wade Avenue, just south of Frederick Road in Catonsville. The property consists of a gross area of 1.25 acres, zoned D.R.5.5, and is improved with a two-story single family dwelling, which fronts on Wade Avenue. Testimony indicated that the Petitioners have owned the property for 20 years and although they no longer reside on the property, their son, Dennis, has resided thereon for the past 18 years. Apparently, Dennis Scannell recently made efforts to rehabilitate and improve the property. Testimony indicated that two dilapidated buildings, described as a garage and chicken coop, were recently razed. Photographs submitted at the hearing show that those buildings were in disrepair and unsightly. Mr. Scannell proposes constructing a 34' x 60' garage to the rear of the dwelling, with access proposed via a driveway from Fairview Avenue. Mr. Scannell indicated that the garage is necessary to store tractors and mowers used to maintain the property and that he was made aware of the fact that the building cannot be used for business purposes. Although he works in construction, he indicated that he does not keep construction equipment on the property and that the garage will not be used for those purposes. Mr. Scannell further indicated that the house is small and that more storage space is needed for household items. He also stated that the garage would not be any bigger than the combined area of the old garage and chicken coop, which used to exist on the property.

Ms. Busse, who resides on the adjacent property, appeared in support of the request. She indicated that Mr. Scannell has recently made a number of improvements that have upgraded the appearance of the property. Moreover, she believes that the proposed garage is appropriate.

Mr. Patterson and Ms. Brady have resided across from the subject property for the past 9 years. They believe that the proposed garage is too large. They also expressed concern about the

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location of the driveway that will serve the garage. As shown on the plan, the driveway will access the interior of the property from Fairview Avenue; however, at the hearing, Mr. Scannell indicated that the driveway could be relocated to access Wade Avenue. This satisfied one of the concerns of Mr. Patterson and Ms. Brady. The Petitioner also indicated at the hearing that the size of the proposed garage could be reduced to 30' x 56', slightly smaller than originally proposed.

Based upon the testimony and evidence presented, I am persuaded that the Petition for Variance should be granted with certain restrictions. The dwelling does have a small footprint and limited capacity for storage. Additionally, the proposed garage will not be larger than the two buildings that have been razed. Certainly, the garage will be aesthetically more pleasing than those buildings. Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, I am persuaded that the Petitioners have met the requirements of Section 307 of the B.C.Z.R. and that relief should be granted. However, in granting the relief, I will impose certain conditions and restrictions. First, the building cannot be used as a second dwelling unit or for apartments. Secondly, as noted at the hearing, the property is zoned D.R.5.5. Thus, the garage can only be used as an accessory to the existing dwelling and not for any business purposes, either storage or active business operations. Third, the garage will be limited to a footprint of 30' x 56' which the Petitioner indicated would be of sufficient size for his purposes. Finally, driveway access to the garage will be by way of Wade Avenue, not Fairview Avenue. Thus, there will be no entrance to the site from Fairview Avenue.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property and public hearing on this Petition held, and for the reasons set forth above, 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 Administrative Variance seeking relief from Section 101 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit an accessory structure (garage) to have a building footprint larger than the existing principal structure (residence), 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 relief granted herein is limited to a 30' x 56' garage, with access thereto via a driveway entrance from Wade Avenue. There shall be no access to the site from Fairview Avenue. The Petitioner shall submit a revised site plan reflecting the reduced size of the proposed structure and relocated driveway entrance, for inclusion in the case file, prior to the issuance of any permits.
- 3) The Petitioner shall not allow or cause the accessory structure to be converted to a second dwelling unit and/or apartments. The garage shall contain no living or sleeping quarters, and no kitchen or bathroom facilities.
- 4) The garage can only be used as an accessory structure to the existing dwelling. It cannot be used for any business purposes, either storage or active business operations.
- 5) When applying for a building permit, the site 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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October 9, 2001

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James L. Scannell, et ux - Petitioners

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Scannell:

Case No. 02-035-A

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petition for Administrative Variance has 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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Mr. Dennis Scannell, 27 Wade Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
 Mr. Robert A. Patterson/3 Fairview Avenue, Catonsville, Md. 21228
 People's Counsel: Case/File



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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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#### NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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Case #02-035-A 27 Wade Avenue E/S Wade Avenue, 790' SE Frederick Road 1st Election District 1st Councilmanic District Legal Owner(s): Mary N. & James L. Scannell Administrative Variance: to Administrative Variance: to permit an accessory building footprint larger than the existing principal structure (residence). Hearing: Thurstay, September 13, 2001 at 11:08 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosiev Avenue. ley Avenue.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

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Zoning Commissioner for
Baltimore County
NOTES: (1) Hearings are
Handicapped Accessible; for
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Please Contact the Zoning
Commissioner's Office at
(410) 887-4386.
(2) For information concerning the File and/or
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### **CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION**

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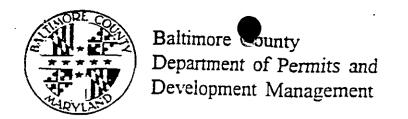
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RE: Case No.: 02-035-A

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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Av Towson, Maryland 21204

#### ZONING HEARING ADVERTISING AND POSTING REQUIREMENTS & PROCEDURES

Baltimore County zoning regulations 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 which, lies with the petitioner/applicant) and placement of a notice in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the County.

This office will ensure that the legal requirements for advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with this requirement.

Billing for legal advertising, due upon receipt, will come from and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

NON-PAYMENT OF ADVERTISING FEES WILL STAY ISSUANCE OF ZONING ORDER.

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**ZONING REVIEW** 

# ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE INFORMATION SHEET AND DATES

Case Number 02- 035 -A Address Z7 NIADE AUE
Contact Person: COYD T. MOXLEY Phone Number: 410-887-3391
Filing Date: <u>7/19/01</u> Posting Date: <u>7/29/01</u> Closing Date: <u>8/13/0</u> 1
Any contact made with this office regarding the status of the administrative variance should be through the contact person (planner) using the case number.
1. POSTING/COST: The petitioner must use one of the sign posters on the approved list (on the reverse side of this form) and the petitioner is responsible for all printing/posting costs. Any reposting must be done only by one of the sign posters on the approved list and the petitioner is again responsible for all associated costs. The zoning notice sign must be visible on the property on or before the posting date noted above. It should remain there through the closing date.
2. <b>DEADLINE:</b> 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.
(Detach Along Dotted Line)
Petitioner: This Part of the Form is for the Sign Poster Only
USE THE ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE SIGN FORMAT
Case Number 02-035 -A Address 27 WADE AVE.
Petitioner's Name <u>JAMES C. SCANNECL</u> Telephone <u>410 744 - 155</u> 5
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Wording for Sign: To Permit AN ACCESSORY BUILDING (GARAGE)
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TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

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Please forward billing to:

Madeline Heflin 27 Wade Avenue Catonsville MD 21228

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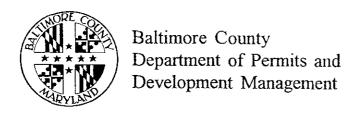
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Building, 401 Bosley Avenue

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT SDZ ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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

Fax: 410-887-5708

August 17, 2001

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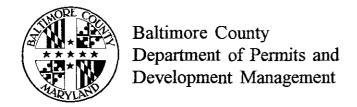
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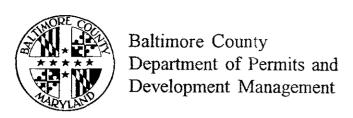
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Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 pdmlandacq@co.ba.md.us

September 21, 2001

Mary N & James L Scannell 116 ½ Smithwood Avenue Catonsville MD 21228

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Scannell:

RE: Case Number: 02-035-A, 27 Wade Avenue

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on July 29, 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

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. Gワン Supervisor, Zoning Review

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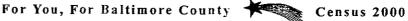
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**Enclosures** 

c: Robert Patterson Jr, 3 Fairview Avenue, Catonsville 21228 Bessie Flood, 4 Fairview Avenue, Catonsville 21228 Darlene & Eva Holmes, 2 Fairview Avenue, Catonsville 21228 People's Counsel













#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Department of Permits & Development Mgmt.

DATE: September 6, 2001

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For August 13, 2001

Item Nos. 018, 019, 021, 022, 023, 025,

026, 028, 029, 030, 031, 032, 033,

035 and 057

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

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cc: File



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

August 14, 2001

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 August 6, 2001

Item No.:

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.

The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments regarding the item numbers:

018, 022, 023, 025, 026, 028, 029, 030, 033, 034, and 035

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

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

Department of Permits and **Development Management** 

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

27 Wade Avenue

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**DATE:** August 24, 2001

INFORMATION:

**Item Number:** 

02-035

**Petitioner:** 

James L. Scannell

Zoning:

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**Requested Action:** 

Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning supports the petitioner's request providing the proposed garage is not used for dwelling purposes.

Prepared by: Mack - Cumulan

Section Chief: Offin W L

Section Chief:



Parris N. Glendening Governor

John D. Porcari Secretary

Parker F. Williams Administrator

Date: 8.10.01

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

RE: Baltimore County

Item No. 035

LTM

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., Chief Engineering Access Permits Division

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3 Fairview Avenue Catonsville, MD 21228 (410) 788-1753 28 August 2001

George Zahner
Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management
Director's Office
County Office Building
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, MD 21204

Re: Case Number 02-035-A

Dear Mr. Zahner,

I received a notice of the hearing date of 13 September 2001 at 1100 on the subject case. I can not make that date due to a conflict at work. If possible, I would like to change the hearing date. Other dates NOT open on my calendar include:

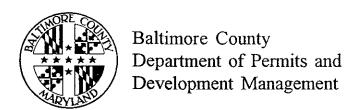
August 20-25 September 29 - October 8 October 15 - 20

I spoke with your administrative specialist regarding the fee for changing the date and she indicated there is no fee.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

R. A. (Rob) Patterson, Jr.



Development Processing County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

August 16, 2001

Mary N & James L Scannell 116 ½ Smithwood Avenue Catonsville MD 21228

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Scannell

RE: Demand for Public Hearing, Administrative Variance, Case Number: 02-035-A

The purpose of this letter is to officially notify you that the posting of the subject property has resulted in a timely demand on August 10, 2001 for a public hearing concerning the above proposed administrative procedure.

As soon as the hearing has been scheduled, you will receive a notice of public hearing indicating the date, time and location of the hearing. This notice will also contain the date that the sign must be reposted with the hearing information.

As a result of the above, the property must be reposted with the hearing date, time and location. This notification will be published in the Jeffersonian and you will be billed directly by Patuxent Publishing for this.

If you need any further explanation or additional information, please feel free to contact me at 410-887-3391.

Very truly yours,

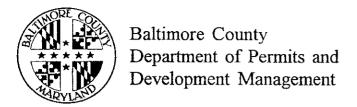
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Director's Office County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 410-887-3353

Fax: 410-887-5708

August 30, 2001

Robert A Patterson Jr 3 Fairview Avenue Catonsville MD 21228

Dear Mr. Patterson:

RE: Case Number: 02-035-A, 27 Wade Avenue

The above matter, previously scheduled for Thursday, September 13, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, has been postponed at your request. The hearing has been rescheduled for Thursday, September 27, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. in room 407, County Courts Building.

If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact George Zahner at 410-887-3391.

Very truly yours,

Arnold Jablon 60 Z Director

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C: Mary N & James L Scannell, 116 ½ Smithwood Avenue, Catonsville 21228

November 2, 2001

Mr. Lawrence Schmidt Suite 405 County Courts Bldg. 401 Bosley Avenue Towson Maryland 21204

Dear Mr. Schmidt.

Who peralied, Upon receiving your letter of Oct. 22, 2001 Case #02-035-A I felt compelled to respond stating the reasons for the six foot height difference between the 15 ft. that is allowed and the 21ft. That I am asking for.

- 1. The 6ft difference is not to expand the size of the building it is only for aesthetic reasons. The building has to have a 14ft door height to allow me to get a fishing boat on a trailer in and out of the building to winterize it, scrap the bottom etc. With a 15ft height limit I would not be able to put a A Framed roof on the building, I would be forced to put a flat roof on it.
- 2. The reasons for a A Framed roof is to trim the building out to match the house. Shingles Rain Spouts, soffit fascia ect. Blending it into a residential setting, as opposed to a flat roof which would make the building look commercial which I am trying not to do.
- 3. In a neighborhood with a average roof peak of 40+ feet a 21 foot roof peak would not look out of place or obstruct anyone's view in anyway. Even though it will cost more to put a pitched roof on the building, in fairness to the 99% of my neighbors who supported the variance I feel that it is my responsibility to make the building look as good as possible.

In closing I would like to apologize for any inconvience this height issue has caused, for some reason at the procedures and at the beginning a 15ft limitation was never brought up. If it had I would have included the 21ft in the original request for variance. In fact the only time the height issue came up was at the variance hearing at which time it was thought that the limit was 25ft. I would also like to state that after I received your letter I tried to contact the Patterson's (the one neighbor who complained) to explain the six for difference, but they would not answer the door. I do not know if they are going to object to the six for difference or not but I felt that they should know that although six foot is not that much it will make a big difference on how the building will look.

Again I thank you for your time and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Dennis Scannell

# To the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County:

We appreciate the opportunity to address you regarding the proposed accessory building (referred to below as "garage") proposed for construction and existing residence at 27 Wade Avenue 21228. Several important relevant points include:

- The proposed garage is aesthetically too large relative to the residence;
- The proposed garage location is up high and will stand out relative to surrounding residences;
  - There is no apparent need for such a large garage; W 4 V V V
- The male resident (who has worked in construction and tree/limb removal) stated that once the garage is up he can use it for any purpose he desires;
- Several times since (at least) September 1992, commercial/business vehicles, equipment, and property were stored at 27 Wade in violation of zoning codes;
  - Some of those commercial vehicles left the property each morning at approximately 6 am producing noise levels sufficient to wake nearby neighbors;
    - Recently, business vehicles (three from Underground Inc., Ellicott City, for the past three months) were stored on the property;

Based on the above exterior evidence that a business is currently being operated from the property and the previous behavior of the residents of 27 Wade, we believe that the proposed garage will be used for profit-producing commercial purposes regardless of zoning regulations or the publicly stated purpose of the existing residents. Several important relevant facts regarding the residence at 27 Wade Avenue include:

Existing residence at 27 Wade not maintained; its condition since (at least) September 1992 has only degenerated, is in violation of maintenance codes, and includes: faded, peeling, and chipping paint, siding off, broken windows, and exterior doors off hinges;

the residents are considering the additional structure given the poor condition of the existing residence. If funds are available for a garage for personal use, those funds should We are concerned that both the condition of the existing residence and the existence of the proposed accessory building will reduce local property values. It is unclear why first be used to bring the residence up to legal standards. We recommend that the proposed zoning variance be refused on those grounds. We do support a residential-sized garage for residential purposes (such as storing lawn care and other residential-use items presently left out in the open).

- However, if the proposed accessory structure is allowed the conditions of building should be:
- it should be restricted from any and all commercial use, including storage / parking of a commercial vehicle or equipment, a service garage, kennel, and other applicable portions of Sections 101 and 431 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations relating to commercial or business use;
  - it should meet all applicable building codes and be well-maintained;
- the driveway should enter/exit via Wade Avenue to reduce the visual and noise impact on residents of Fairview Avenue;
- the A-weighted noise level should not exceed 60 dBA (light traffic at 30 m) at the property line between the hours of 8 am and 8 pm;
- the A-weighted noise level should not exceed 50 dBA (quiet residential -- nighttime) at the property line between the hours of 8 pm and 8 am; 13 日日日
  - it should be blend in with surroundings, possibly by extensive landscaping around building.

Name	Signature	Date	Address
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TO: Mr. Arnold Jablow (zoning commission) Director - Dept PDM 111 West Chesapeake avenue **Room 111** Towson, MD 21204

Dear Mr Jablow,

This is a formal request for a hearing on Zoning case # 02-035A . Mr. James L. Scannell (owner) of property at 27 wade avenue Catonsville MD 21228 who wants to build an approximately 1680 square foot accessory structure next to his approximately 900 square foot house. We feel it is necessary to have a hearing and will present reasons at the hearing for objecting that the accessory structure be built.

Sincerely,

Mr. Robert Patterson Jr.

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HOLMES 8/8/01 2 FAIRVIEW AVE. CATONSVILLE

Eva Holmes 8/8/01 2 fairview Ave. Consville, Ind.

## THIS IS A NOTE FOR GEORGE Zahner 8/9/01

Dear George, The following dates are NOT good for a hearing because of vacation and business out of town. Also could you please make ut for 9am in the marning.

The weeks of: August 20 thru August 25 2001 September 29 thru October 8th October 15 thru October 20

Thank you very much

Sincerely,

Robert Patterson

P.S. Will you please send me a receipt for the \$40.00

Fax: 40887 3468

Elizabeth Brady & Robert Patterson 3 Fairview Avenue Catonsville, MD 21228

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

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RE: PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE (27 Wade Avenue, Catonsville MD) Case No. 02-035-A

Dear Mr. Schmidt,

Robert Patterson and myself do agree to allow Dennis Scannell (James L. and Mary Scannell) to have the accessory building to be 21 feet in height.

Sincerely,

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Elizabeth Brady

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TO JT

Mr. Arnold Jablon Director of Permits 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Mr. Jablon:

The purpose of this letter is to outline possible zoning violations on Fairview Avenue near the corner with Wade Avenue in Catonsville. My neighbors and I are regularly awakened at 6:30 am by loud, industrial-sized commercial trucks leaving the makeshift parking lot on the residential plot at 27 Wade Avenue, across from our homes. This has been occurring for over a year.

The commercial trucks are part of the ASPLUNDH tree-cutting fleet. They completely obscure the view of the resident at 4 Fairview and are an eyesore to all of Fairview. The trucks are also often parked on Wade Avenue, impeding traffic flow beyond the level that residential vehicles normally would. Various undesirable activities occur due to the presence of these commercial vehicles on our streets. Rocks have been transferred loudly between trucks early in the morning. Various persons from outside our neighborhood wander in early in the morning to meet and go to work in the vehicles, as if this residential location is a satellite of the parent company. The trucks present a number of dangers to our neighborhood residents. The trucks are not fenced in, allowing any of the number of under-supervised children in the area to play on and around these large industrial vehicles. The narrow street compounds the passage of these wide and heavy vehicles, presenting a danger to the cars parked on Fairview.

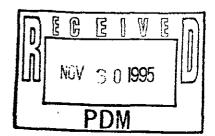
We would like to have the trucks removed and the parking lot and street cleaned up to return the neighborhood's residential character. I have enclosed a photograph of the ASPLUNDH trucks for your reference. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Concerned Residents

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8-7-01

I Have No objection to Dennis. Scannell building a 30x 56 garage at 27 wade Ave. Catonsville mode 21228

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I reside at 25 wade Aue Catonsville mo 21228 410-788-4992

Case # 02-035

Baltimore County Department of Permits & Development Management 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 (410) 887-3351

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Joseph T. O'Melia

Administrative Clerk

February 23, 1996

FROM:

Baltimore County, Maryland

RE:

Request for Trial

CASE NO.

96-211

LOCATION OF VIOLATION:

27 Wade Avenue

Baltimore, Maryland 21228

DEFENDANT:

James L. Scannell and Mary N. Scannell

Tenants By Entireties

ADDRESS:

116 1/2 Smithwood Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21228

In accordance with the established procedures, enclosed please find the Citation referenced above with the specified zoning violation(s).

As you will note, the witnesses and counsel in the above referenced case are listed below:

#### COUNTY WITNESSES

#### COUNSEL

Craig McGraw

Code Enforcement Section

Code Enforcement Inspector

Lee S. Thomson, Esquire

Office of Law

Council for Baltimore County

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Enclosure

c: Virginia W. Barnhart, Esquire County Attorney Office of Law

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**Baltimore County** Department of Permits and Development Management Code Inspections and Enforcement County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Code Enforcement:

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**Building Inspection:** 

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**AGENCY** 

BALTIMORE COUNTY UNIFORM CODE ENFORCEMENT CORRECTION NOTICE
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Baltimore County
Department of Permits and Development Management
Bureau of Code Enforcement
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

## **CODE VIOLATION NOTICE**

NAME: JAME: M. SCHWELL	DATE: 12-15 05
CITY-ZIP: BALTO MD 21229 - 4946	
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RE: Case No. 36 36 71 LOCATION:	27 WARE AVE
Dear PROVERY DWAER	<del>:</del>
	le IV, Section 402. (d), an inspection was conducted of violation(s) according to the following code(s):
Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR), Section	on 102.1.
Building Code of Baltimore County, Maryland, Section	n 102.1.
Livability Code, Baltimore County, Section 18-68.	
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The following correction(s) is/are required:	EXCIPE VEHICLES
The above violation(s) must be corrected on or before	or further legal action will ald you need further clarification, please contact
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# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND CITATION FOR CIVIL ZONING VIOLATION 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

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CITATION NO. 91 $O(-\frac{1}{2})$	
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NAME OF PERSON(S) CHARGED: JAMES L & MARY N SCANNELL CURRENT ADDRESS IN FULL: 116 SMITHWOOD AVE RELATED CITATIONS : OWNER 🚫 OR OCCUPANT ( ) IT IS FORMALLY CHARGED BY THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED PERSON(S) DID VIOLATE THE PROVISIONS OF THE BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS AS FOLLOWS: SECTION NUMBER(S) VIOLATED: RI CEMMERCIAL DEHICLE " 102; IBCIIA 43) NATURE OF VIOLATION: USE OF PROPERTY ZONED TO COMMIT THE FOLLOWING: DR 5.5 1. STORAGE OF A COMMERCIAL VEHICLE CI A RESIDENTIAL LET LOCATION AND DATE(S) OF VIOLATION: 12-14-95 1-18-96 27 WARE ALT BALTE 2127E TO RESPOND TO THE ABOVE CHARGE(S) LODGED AGAINST YOU, YOU HUST CHOOSE ONE OF THE OPTIONS BELOW: 1) YOU MAY PAY A FINE OF \$ (\$ FOR EACH ADDITIONAL DAY) BY CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, BY RETURNING A COPY OF THIS FORM ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO: DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, 1ST FLOOR, COURT HOUSE, TOWSON, MD 21204. THE PENALTY MUST BE PAID ON OR BEFORE THE DAY OF , 1991. 7000) 400 2). YOU MAY ELECT TO STAND TRIAL IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND. TO DO THIS, YOU MUST NOTIFY THE BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING COMMISSIONER BY FILLING IN THE ATTACHED PORTION OF THIS CITATION AND RETURNING IT TO THE ZONING COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AT LEAST FIVE (5) DAYS BEFORE THE PAYMENT DUE DATE AS SET FORTH IN THE FINE PAYMENT SECTION ABOVE. THE DISTRICT COURT WILL NOTIFY YOU OF THE DATE AND TIME OF TRIAL. IF THE FINE REMAINS UNPAID AT THE EXPIRATION OF THE THIRTY-FIVE (35) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE CITATION , THE ZONING COMMISSIONER MAY REQUEST ADJUDICATION OF THE CASE IN DISTRICT COURT, AT WHICH TIME THE PERSON IS LIABLE FOR AN ADDITIONAL FINE NOT TO EXCEED TWICE THE ORIGINAL FINE. IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT THE TRIAL, A BENCH WARRANT WILL BE ISSUED FOR YOUR ARREST. I DO SOLEMBLY AFFIRM THAT THE CONTENTS STATED ABOVE ARE CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION AND BELIEF. OFFICE OF ZONING ADMINISTRATION REPRESENTATIVE DATE BASED ON THE STATEMENT OF , THIS CITATION IS HEREBY ISSUED THIS DAY OF , 1991. DIRECTOR OF ZONING ADMINISTRATION

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF A COPY OF THIS CITATION AND HEREBY PROMISE TO PAY THE FINE OR REQUEST A TRIAL DATE AS REQUIRED BY LAW. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE ACCEPTANCE OF THIS CITATION IS NOT AN ADMISSION OF GUILT.

SIGNATURE

DATE

#### CITATION NO. 96-211

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND CITATION FOR CIVIL ZONING VIOLATION 111 W. CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

NAME OF PERSON(S) CHARGED: JAMES L. SCANNELL AND MARY N. SCANNELL, TENANTS BY ENTIRETIES

CURRENT ADDRESS IN FULL: 116 SMITHHOOD AVENUE BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21228

OWNER (X) OR OCCUPANT ( )

RELATED CITATIONS :

IT IS FORMALLY CHARGED BY BALTIMORE COUNTY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED PERSON(S) DID VIOLATE THE PROVISIONS OF THE BALITIMORE COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS AND/OR THE BALITIMORE COUNTY CODE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION NUMBER(S) VIOLATED: 101 "COMMERCIAL VEHICLE"; 102.1; 1801.1A; 431

NATURE OF VIOLATION: USE OF PROPERTY ZONED D.R.S.5 TO COMMIT THE FOLLOWING:

STORAGE OF A COMMERCIAL VEHICLE ON A RESIDENTIAL LOT

LOCATION AND DATE(S) OF VIOLATION:

27 WADE AVENUE BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

DECEMBER 14, 1995 AND JANUARY 18, 1996

TO RESPOND TO THE ABOVE CHARGE(S) LODGED AGAINST YOU, YOU MUST CHOOSE ONE OF THE OPTIONS BELOW:

- YOU MAY PAY A FINE OF \$400 (\$200 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL DAY) BY CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, BY RETURNING A COPY OF THIS FORM ALONG WITH PAYMENT TO: DIRECTOR OF FINANCE, 1ST FLOOR, COURT HOUSE, TOWSON, MD 21204. THE PENALTY MUST BE PAID ON OR BEFORE THE 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1996.
- 2). YOU MAY ELECT TO STAND TRIAL IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND. TO DO THIS, YOU MUST NOTIFY THE BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT BY FILLING IN THE ATTACHED PORTION OF THIS CITATION AND RETURNING IT TO THE ZONING ADMINISTRATION OFFICE AT LEAST FIVE (5) DAYS BEFORE THE PAYMENT DUE DATE AS SET FORTH IN THE FINE PAYMENT SECTION ABOVE. THE DISTRICT COURT WILL NOTIFY YOU OF THE DATE AND TIME OF TRIAL.

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I DO SOLEMNLY AFFIRM THAT THE CONTENTS STATED ABOVE ARE CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION AND BELIEF.

OFFICE OF CODE ENFORCEMENT REPRESENTATIVE

BASED ON THE STATEMENT OF CRAIG MCGRAW, THIS CITATION IS HEREBY ISSUED THIS 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1996.

DIRECTOR OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF A COPY OF THIS CITATION AND HEREBY PROMISE TO PAY THE FINE OR REQUEST A TRIAL DATE AS REQUIRED BY LAW. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE ACCEPTANCE OF THIS CITATION IS NOT AN ADMISSION OF GUILT.

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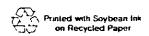
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Name	Address	City, State	Zip Code
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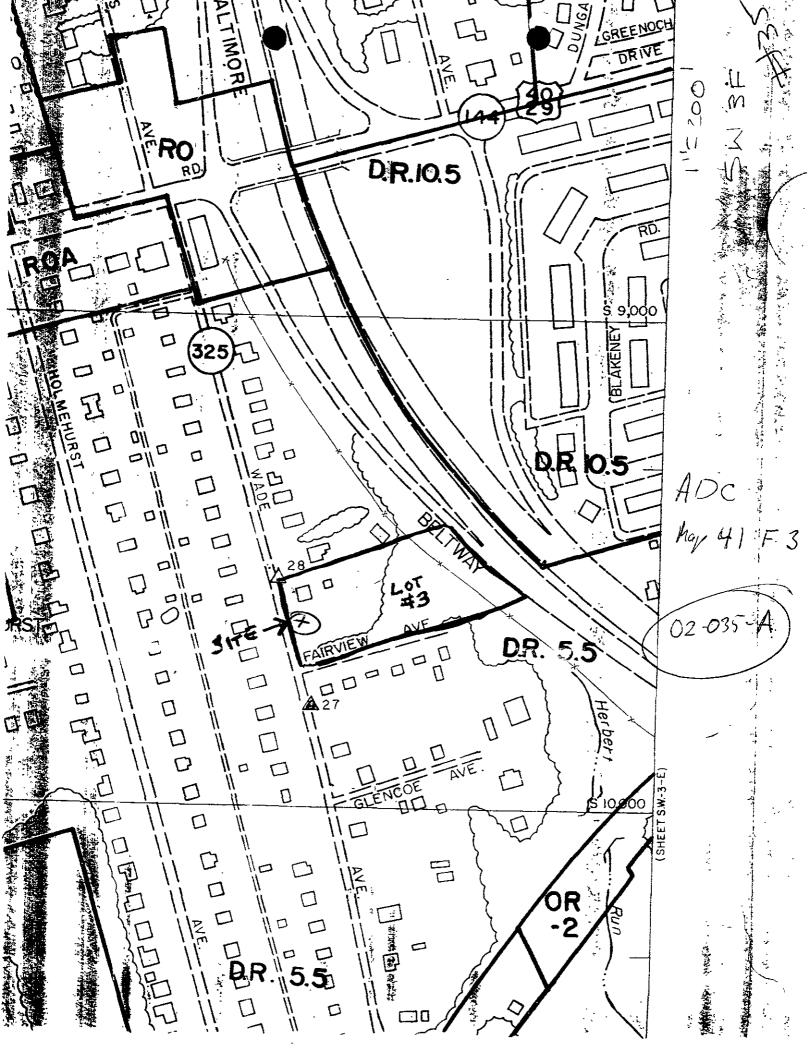
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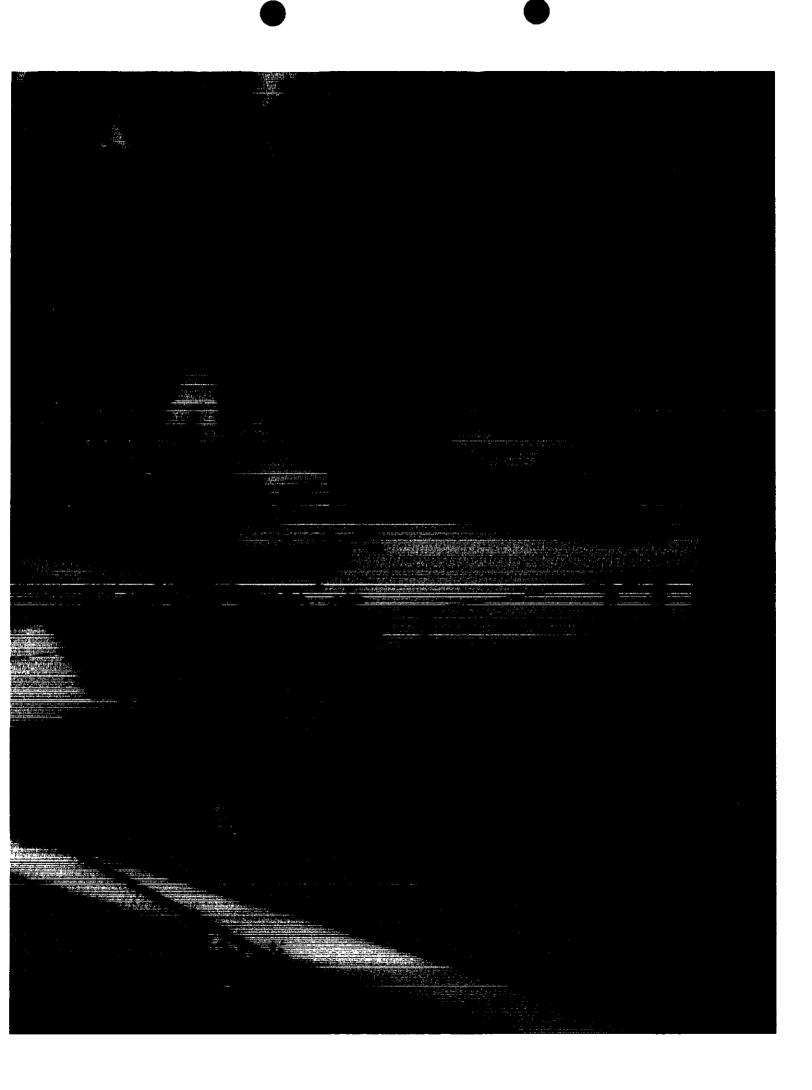
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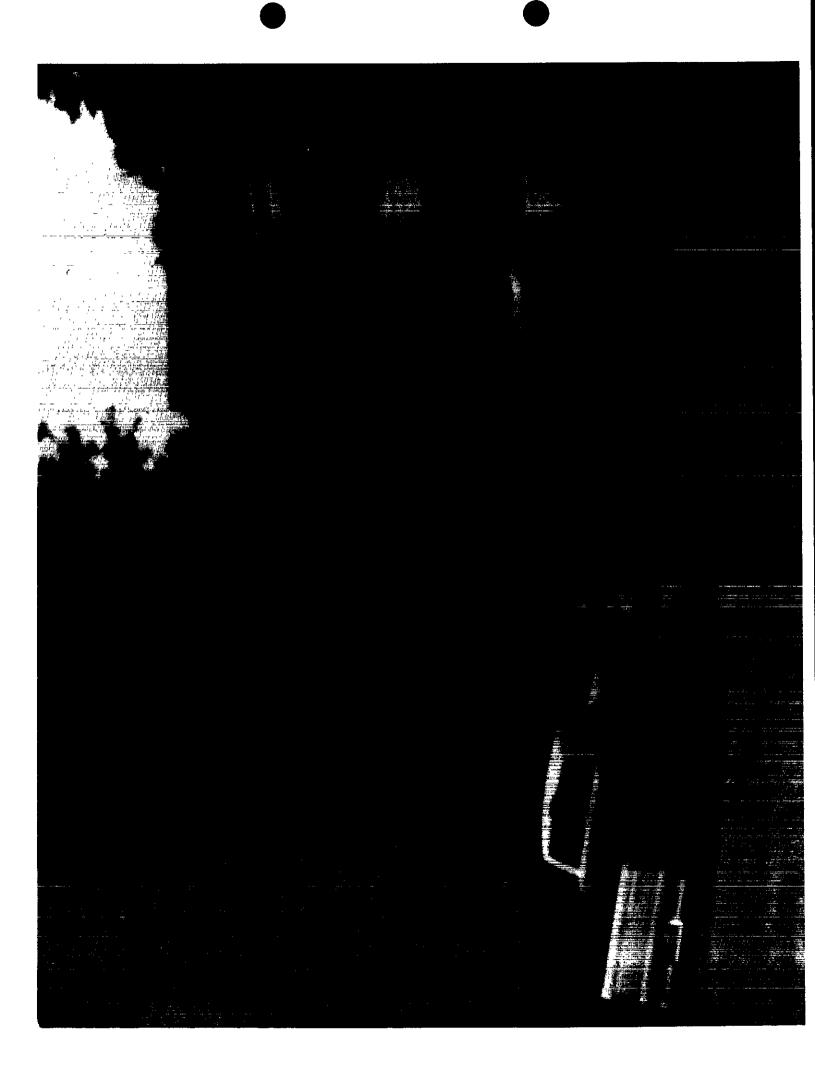


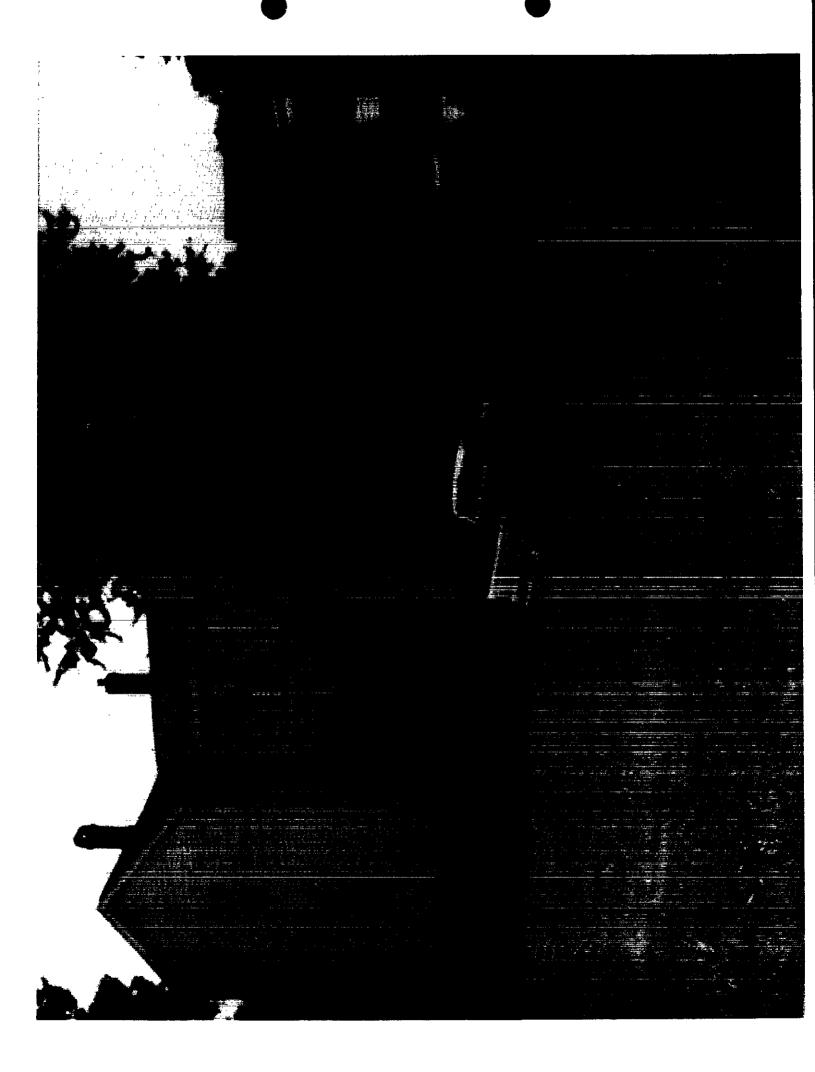
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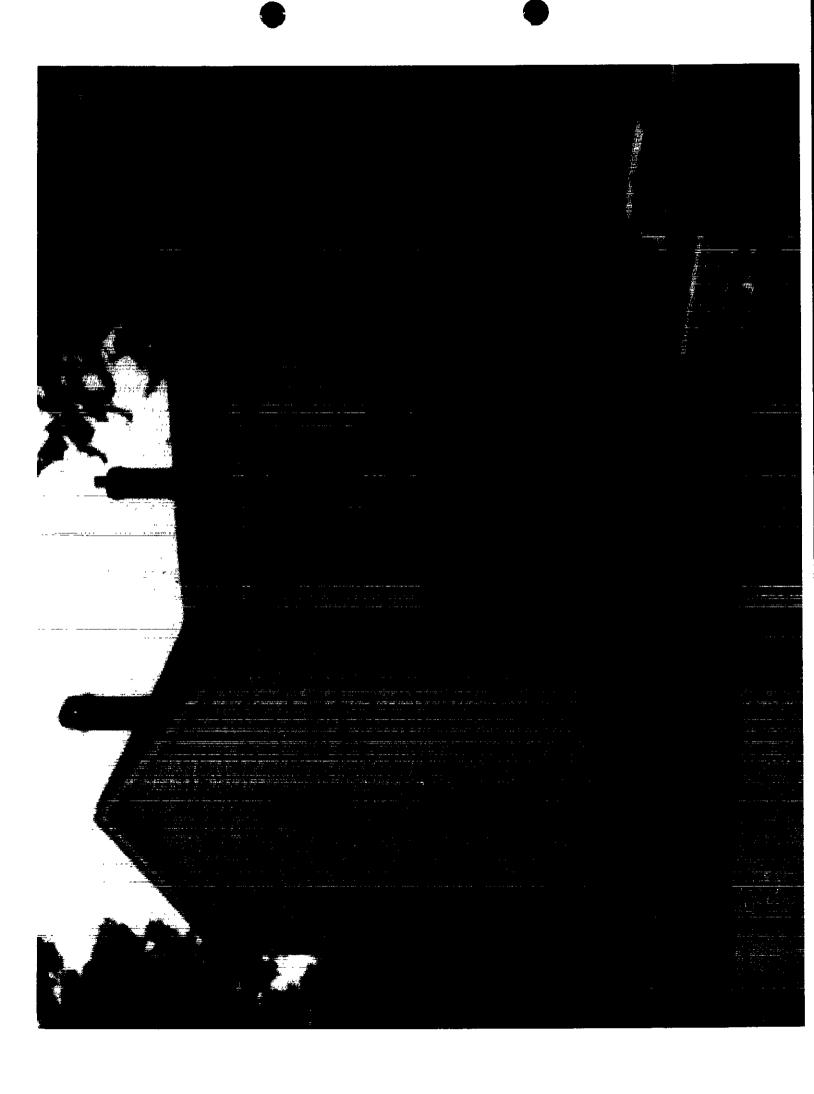












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