RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE
S/S of Burke Rd., 450 ft. W
centerline of Bowleys Quarters Rd.
(1234 Burke Road - #05-328-A)
and
PETITIONS FOR VARIANCE &
SPECIAL HEARING
S/S of Burke Rd., 400 ft. W
centerline of Bowleys Quarters Rd.
(1236 Burke Road - #05-329-A)
5th Election District

Mary S. & Donald J. Hansen, Petitioners

7th Councilmanic District

\* BEFORE THE

\* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

\* CASE NO. 05-328-A and

CASE NO. 05-329-SPHA

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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

These matters come before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Variance and a Petition for Special Hearing filed by the legal owners of the subject properties, Mary S. and Donald J. Hansen. The Petitioners are requesting relief as follows:

Case No. 05-328-A is a Petition for Variance from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) (Isabel damage), to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively, and to permit an area of 0.32 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac.

Case No. 05-329-SPHA is a companion case filed pursuant to Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R. for a Special Hearing to approve two building lots without density being affected. In addition, the Petitioners are requesting a variance from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the B.C.Z.R., to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively and to permit an area of .27 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac.

The properties were posted with Notices of Hearing on January 31, 2005, for 15 days prior to the hearing, in order to notify all interested citizens of the requested zoning relief. In

addition, Notices of Zoning hearing were published in "The Jeffersonian" newspaper on February 1, 2005 to notify any interested persons of the scheduled hearing date.

#### Applicable Law

Section 307 of the B.C.Z.R. – Variances.

"The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County and the County Board of Appeals, upon appeal, shall have and they are hereby given the power to grant variances from height and area regulations, from off-street parking regulations, and from sign regulations only in cases where special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of the variance request and where strict compliance with the Zoning Regulations for Baltimore County would result in practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship. No increase in residential density beyond that otherwise allowable by the Zoning Regulations shall be permitted as a result of any such grant of a variance from height or area regulations. Furthermore, any such variance shall be granted only if in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of said height, area, off-street parking or sign regulations, and only in such manner as to grant relief without injury to the public health, safety and general welfare. They shall have no power to grant any other variances. Before granting any variance, the Zoning Commissioner shall require public notice to be given and shall hold a public hearing upon any application for a variance in the same manner as in the case of a petition for reclassification. Any order by the Zoning Commissioner or the County Board of Appeals granting a variance shall contain a finding of fact setting forth and specifying the reason or reasons for making such variance."

Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R. Special Hearings

The Zoning Commissioner shall have the power to conduct such other hearings and pass such orders thereon as shall in his discretion be necessary for the proper enforcement of all zoning regulations, subject to the right of appeal to the County Board of Appeals. The power given hereunder shall include the right of any interested persons to petition the Zoning Commissioner for a public hearing after advertisement and notice to determine the existence of any non conforming use on any premises or to determine any rights whatsoever of such person in any property in Baltimore County insofar as they may be affected by these regulations.

#### Interested Persons

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the variance request were Craig and Traci Leonard and Randolph Reyes, contract purchasers, Marianne Garrison, realtor, and Donald Hansen, Petitioner. There were no persons in opposition to the variance request who attended the hearing. People's Counsel, Peter Max Zimmerman, entered the appearance of his office in this case.

#### **ZAC Comments**

The Zoning Advisory Committee Comments are made part of the record of this case and contain the following highlights. ZAC comments were received from the Bureau of Development Plans Review dated January 24, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. In addition, ZAC comments were received from the Department of Environmental Protection & Resource Management (DEPRM) dated February 11, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. Finally, ZAC comments were received from the Office of Planning dated February 3, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. A supplemental comment was received from the Office of Planning dated February 22, 2005 which indicates that the Office reviewed the proposed homes to be erected, finds them in accord with the spirit and intent of the regulations and does not oppose the requested relief.

#### Testimony and Evidence

These are side by side waterfront lots owned by Donald and Mary Hansen. These lots are lot 122 and lot 123 of the "Bowleys Quarters" subdivision which was recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County in the 1921 according to Mr. Leonard. The Hansens' home was located on lot 122 while lot 123 was used as their side yard. Unfortunately, Hurricane Isabel destroyed the home and rather than sell both lots together, the Hansens would like to sell them separately to the Leonards and Mr. Reyes.

Each lot is 50 ft. wide and zoned RC 5, which requires a 50 ft. side yard setback. Lot 122 is 0.32 acres while lot 123 is 0.27 acres. County Council Bill No. 55-04 which was passed in May 2004 requires 1.5 acre lots. Thus the request for variances. Both Petitioners noted that they can not possibly meet the applicable zoning regulations with these old lots and that it would be a hardship on them and the owners not to allow homes to be built on these lots. They also

indicated that having one home on each 50 ft. lot would not change the pattern of development in the neighborhood, as virtually all the adjoining lots along this portion of waterfront had one lot per home rather than two or more lots per home as seen in other neighborhoods. Ms. Leonard also noted that there was no residential development behind these lots so no one's view of the water would be taken away. The area behind them has all agricultural uses. Mr. Hansen indicated that he was aware of a 7 lot subdivision approved behind them but no construction had taken place.

#### Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

With regard to the request for variances, I find that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of the variance request. These lots were laid out in 1921 much before the RC zoning regulations were imposed on the property. As such, I find that the RC regulations impact these lots more than lots created after the RC regulations went into effect. Consequently, I find the lots unique in a zoning sense.

I further find that strict compliance with the Zoning Regulations for Baltimore County would result in practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship. These lots are 50 ft. wide and clearly can not meet either the side yard set back required of 50 ft. or the 1.5 acre area required by the RC 5 regulations. The Petitioners propose the "standard" 10 ft. side yard setbacks found so often in waterfront properties.

Finally, I find that these variances can be granted in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of said regulations, and in such manner as to grant relief without injury to the public health, safety and general welfare. This is the key question in this case. From the evidence presented, it is clear that the pattern of development along this stretch of Galloway Creek is one home per 50 ft. lot. Granting these variances will not change that pattern.

I note that the Petitioners have now submitted the information needed by the Office of Planning regarding the proposed new homes, and the Office finds that the proposed homes to be erected are in accord with the spirit and intent of the regulations. Consequently, the Office of Planning does not oppose the requested relief.

With regard to the request for special hearing to approve two building lots without density being affected, at first glance this could be problematic. Clearly the RC 5 regulations do not have this situation in mind when they specify that the maximum density shall be 0.667 dwelling per acre. This neighborhood was developed long before the RC regulations were imposed on this area at a density of approximately DR 3.5 or 3.5 dwellings per acre. This is five times the density required by the RC regulations. The subject lots are 0.32 and 0.27 acres not 1.5 acres. It is apparent to me that the RC 5 regulations were intended primarily to control new subdivisions and not regulate rather ancient varieties as we have here.

I find that this issue of density to be essentially the same as the issue of pattern of development in the neighborhood addressed above. I find that if the proposed use does not violate the pattern of development in subdivisions recorded before the RC regulations were imposed, then the issue of density is satisfied within the spirit and intent of the regulations. Consequently, I will approve the special hearing request.

I am also aware that the RC 5 regulations as applied to these old subdivisions is under review by the Office of Planning with the likelihood that the anomalies illustrated above will be rectified.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this petition held, and after considering the testimony and evidence offered by the Petitioners, I find that the Petitioners' requests for variance and for approval of an undersized lot should be granted

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THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, this Add day of February, 2005, by this Deputy Zoning Commissioner, that the Petitioners' request for variance in Case No 05-238-A from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) (Isabel damage), to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively, and to permit an area of 0.32 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac., be and is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the request for special hearing in Case No. 05-329-A filed pursuant to Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R., to approve two building lots without density being affected, be and is hereby APPROVED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the Petitioners' request for variance in Case No. 05-329-A from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the B.C.Z.R., to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively and to permit an area of .27 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac., be and is hereby GRANTED.

Any appeal of this decision must be made within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

JOHN V. MURPHY

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

#### Zoning Commissioner

Suite 405, County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 Tel: 410-887-3868 • Fax: 410-887-3468



#### Baltimore County

James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive
William J. Wiseman III, Zoning Commissioner

February 24, 2005

Mr. & Mrs. Donald J. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, #805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

> Re: Petitions for Variance Case Nos. 05-328-A & 05-329-SPHA Property: 1234 & 1236 Burke Road

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hansen:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned cases. The petitions for special hearing and variance have been granted in accordance with the enclosed Order.

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

Very truly yours,

John V. Murphy

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

JVM:raj Enclosure

c: Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows Ct., Clarksville, MD 21029 Marianne Garrison, 205 E. Joppa Road, Towson, MD 21286 Craig & Tracie Leonard, 1847 Cape May Road, Essex, MD 21221



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# Petition for Variance

# to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at <u>1234 BURKE RB</u>
which is presently zoned <u>RC5</u>

his Petition shall be filed with the Department of Permits and Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part preof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s) 1004,3.8.1.0.000 b BCZR CIDAGEL DAMAGE)

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

- 1. The lot is 50 feet wide and was recorded prior to the adoption of County setback requirements.
- 2. Strict compliance with the side setback requirements will eliminate any reasonable use of the property.

operty is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by the zoning regulations. or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning juilations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County.

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Beginning at the point on the south side of Burke Road which is 30 feet wide at the distance of 450 feet west of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street Bowleys Quarters Road which is 30 feet wide. Being Lot #122 in the subdivision of Bowleys Quarters as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book #1, Folio #12, containing 13,900 square feet. Also known as 1234 Burke Road, Middle River, MD 21220 and located in the ## Election District, 15th Councilmanic District.

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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 Fowson, Maryland on the property identified herein as follows:

Case: #05-328-A

Case: #05-328-A
1234 Burke Road
S/side of Burke Road, at the distance of 450 ft. west of
centerline of Bowley's Quarters Road
15th Election District -6th Councilmanic District
Legal Owner(s): Donald J. and Mary S. Hansen
Contract Purchaser: Randolph Reyes
Variance: to permit a dwelling with a side yard setback of
10 feet on each side in lieu of the required 50 feet
respectively and to permit an area of 0.32 AC in lieu of the
required 1.5 AC
Hearing: Tuesday, February 15, 2005 at 9:98 a.m. in
Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosley
Avesue, Towson 21294.

WILLIAM WISEMAN
Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County
NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handscapped Accessible for
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Commissioner's Office at (410) 887-4386.
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# CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

	RE: Case No.: 0 328-4
	Petitioner/Developer: RANDOLPH
•	REYES/DONALD & MARY HA
	Date of Hearing/Closing: 2/15/05
Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management County Office Building, Room 111 11 West Chesapeake Avenue Fowson, Maryland 21204	
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Please forward billing to:

Randolph Reyes 6505 Evening Shadows Clarksville, MD 21029 410-309-6590

#### **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: 05-328-A

1234 Burke Road

S/side of Burke Road, at the distance of 450 ft. west of centerline of Bowley's Quarters Road 15<sup>th</sup> Election District – 6<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District

Legal Owners: Donald J. and Mary S. Hansen

Contract Purchaser: Randolph Reyes

Variance to permit a dwelling with a side yard setback of 10 feet on each side in lieu of the required 50 feet respectively and to permit an area of 0.32 AC in lieu of the required 1.5 AC.

Hearing: Tuesday, February 15, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building,

401 Bosley Avenue, Towson 21204

WILLIAM WISEMAN

ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

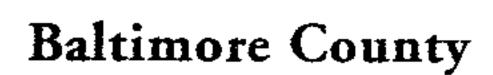
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(2) FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THE ZONING REVIEW OFFICE AT 410-887-3391.

## Department of Permits and Development Management

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





James T. Smith, Jr, County Executive Timothy M Kotroco, Director

January 7, 2005

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Timothy Kotroco

Director

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C: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen, 222 E. Saratoga St., #805, Baltimore 21202 Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows, Clarksville 21029

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 2005.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL THE ZONING COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE AT 410-887-4386.
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# DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT

# ZONING REVIEW

# ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

The <u>Baltimore County Zoning Regulations</u> (BCZR) require that notice be given to the general public/neighboring property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions which require a public hearing, this notice is accomplished by posting a sign on the property (responsibility of the petitioner) and placement of a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the County, both at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing

Zoning Review will ensure that the legal requirements for advertising are satisfied However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements. The newspaper will bill the person listed below for the advertising. This advertising is due upon receipt and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

OPINIONS MAY NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL ALL ADVERTISING COSTS ARE PAID.

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Item Number or Case Number 05-328-A
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Telephone Number: 410-389-6598

## Department of Permits and Development Management

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





James T. Smith, Jr, County Executive Timothy M Kotroco, Director

February 8, 2005

Donald J. Hansen Mary S. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, # 805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hansen:

RE: Case Number: 05-328-A, 1234 Burke Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on January 3, 2005.

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,
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W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR: clb

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel Randolph Reyes 6505 Evening Shadows Clarksville 21029



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#### Fire Department

700 East Joppa Road Towson. Maryland 21286-5500 Tel: 410-887-4500



# Baltimore County

James T Smith, Jr, County Executive John J Hohman, Chief

County Office Building, Room 111 Mail Stop #1105 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

January 4, 2005

ATTENTION: Zoning Review planners

Distribution Meeting of: January 31, 2005

Item No.:

319-333

Pursuant to your request, the referenced plan(s) have been reviewed 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 at this time.

Lieutenant Franklin J. Cook Fire Marshal's Office (0)410-887-4881 (C)443-829-2946 MS-1102F

cc: File



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# BALTEMORE COUNTY MARYLANDS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

TO:		Tim Kotroco									
FROM	<b>[</b> :	John D. Oltman, Jr 5 <sup>po</sup>									
DATE:		February 11, 2	005								
SUBJI	ECT:	Zoning Item Address	# 05-328 1234 Burke Road								
	Zoning	g Advisory Com	amittee Meeting of January 10, 2005								
		•	vironmental Protection and Resource Management has no re-referenced zoning item.								
		-	vironmental Protection and Resource Management offers at on the above-referenced zoning item:								
		Protection of V	of the property must comply with the Regulations for the Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains (Section h 14-350 of the Baltimore County Code).								
		-	of this property must comply with the Forest Regulations (Section 14-401 through 14-422 of the inty Code).								
	<u>X</u> .	Critical Area F	of this property must comply with the Chesapeake Bay Regulations (Sections 26-436 through 26-461, and other e Baltimore County Code).								

#### Additional Comments:

Any improvements on this property must comply with the Limited Development Area (LDA) regulations and Buffer Management Area (BMA) policies of the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations. The Property is limited to 25% maximum impervious surface cover and 15% minimum tree cover.

Reviewer: Glenn Shaffer Date: February 11, 2005

#### **BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND**

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

**DATE:** January 24, 2005

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

**SUBJECT:** 

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 17, 2005

Item No. 328

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The flood protection elevation (M.C.S.) for this site is 11.2 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

The property to be developed is located adjacent to tidewater. The developer is advised that the proper sections of the *Baltimore County Building Code* must be followed whereby elevation limitations are placed on the lowest floor (*including basements*) of residential (*commercial*) development.

The building engineer shall require a permit for this project.

The building shall be designed and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of structure with materials resistant to flood damage.

Flood-resistant construction shall be in accordance with the requirement of B.O.C.A. International Building Code adopted by the county.

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cc: File

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

**DATE:** February 3, 2005

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

**SUBJECT:** 

1234/1236 Burke Road

**INFORMATION:** 

Item Number:

Petitioner:

Donald J. Hansen

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action: Special Hearing/Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

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- 5. Design all accessory structures at a scale appropriate to the dwelling and design garages with the same architectural theme as the principal building on the site, providing consistency in materials, colors, roof pitch, and style.
- 6. Ensure that exterior of all buildings use the same finish materials and architectural details on the front, side, and rear elevations. Use of quality material such as brick, stone, or cedar is encouraged.
- 7. Provide landscaping along the public road.

For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact David Pinning in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Prepared By:

Division Chief:

MAC/LL

**DATE:** February 22, 2005

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

1234/1236 Burke Road

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

5-328 & 5-329, Amended Comments

Petitioner:

Donald J. Hansen

Zoning:

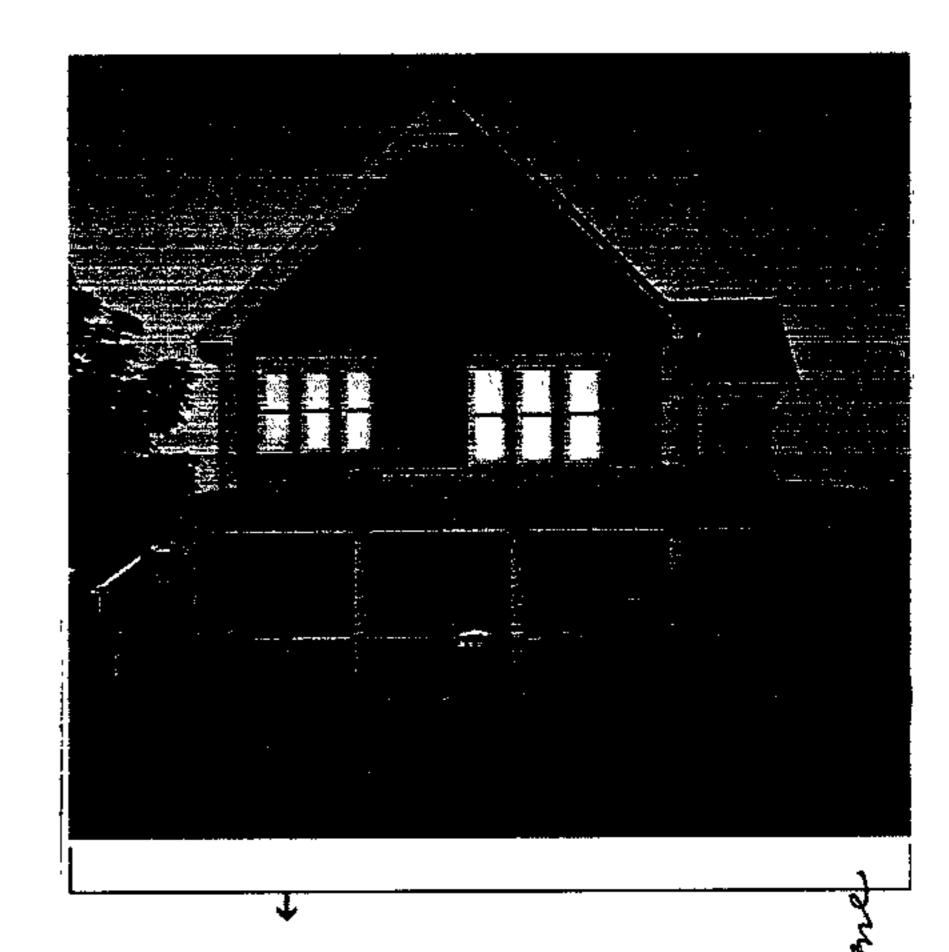
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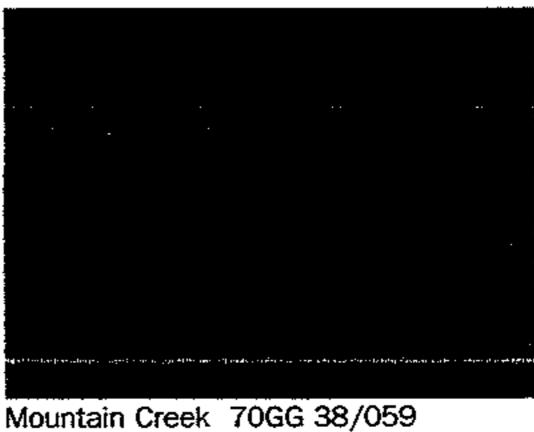
#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan and elevation drawings (with materials and colors indicated) and finds the proposal to be in accordance with the spirit and intent of the RC 5 regulations and performance standards listed within Bill 55-04. As such, this office does not oppose the setback variance and lot area requests.

**Division Chief:** 



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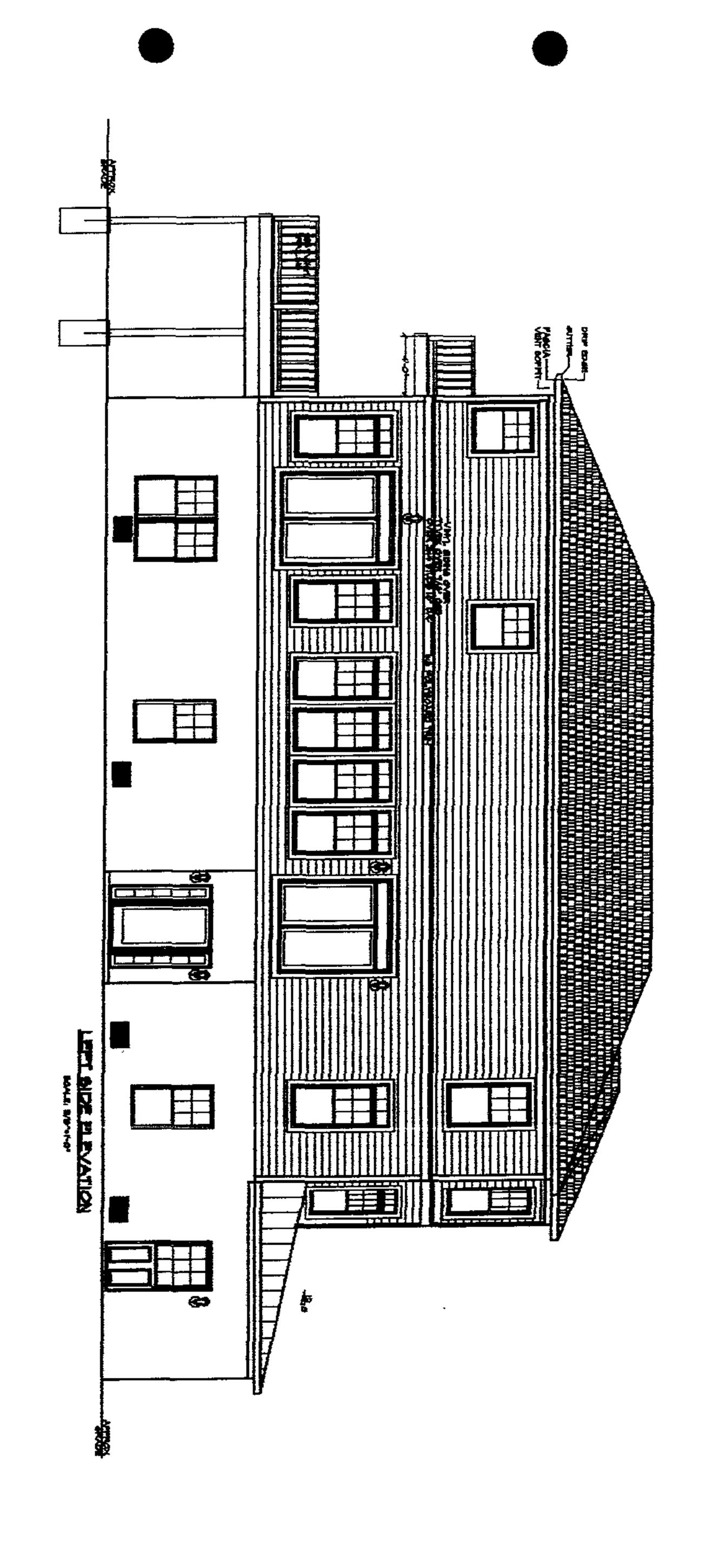
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Case Number: 05-328-A
1234 Burke Road
Legal Owners: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen
Contract Purchaser: Randolph Reyes

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Case Number: 05-328-A

Contract Purchaser: 1234 Burke Road Donald J Randolph Reyes & Mary S. Hansen



Case Number: 05-328-A 1234 Burke Road

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Lot is presently vacant. Original house was destroyed by Hurricane Isabel.



Robert L. Flanagan, Secretary Neil J. Pedersen, Administrator

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waryland Department of Transportation

Date: 1.17.05

**Baltimore County** 

Item No. 328

RE:

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

Dear. Ms. Matthews:

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,

Steven D. Foster, Chief

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Engineering Access Permits Division

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

**DATE:** January 24, 2005

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 17, 2005

Item No. 328

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The flood protection elevation (M.C.S.) for this site is 11.2 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

The property to be developed is located adjacent to tidewater. The developer is advised that the proper sections of the *Baltimore County Building Code* must be followed whereby elevation limitations are placed on the lowest floor (*including basements*) of residential (*commercial*) development.

The building engineer shall require a permit for this project.

The building shall be designed and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of structure with materials resistant to flood damage.

Flood-resistant construction shall be in accordance with the requirement of B.O.C.A. International Building Code adopted by the county.

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#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

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Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

**SUBJECT:** 

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 17, 2005

Item No. 329

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The minimum right-of-way for all roads in Baltimore County is 40 feet. Variance shall be modified to reflect this on Burke Road.

The flood protection elevation for his site is 11.2 (M.C.S.) feet.

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

TO:	Tim Kotroco											
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#### Additional Comments:

Any improvements on this property must comply with the Limited Development Area (LDA) regulations and Buffer Management Area (BMA) policies of the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations. The Property is limited to 25% maximum impervious surface cover and 15% minimum tree cover.

Reviewer: Glenn Shaffer Date: February 11, 2005

## BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

**DATE:** February 3, 2005

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

1234/1236 Burke Road

**INFORMATION:** 

**Item Number:** 

Petitioner:

Donald J. Hansen

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action: Special Hearing/Variance

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RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE \* BEFORE THE

1234 Burke Road; S/S Burke Rd, 450' W

c/line Bowleys Quarters Rd \* ZONING COMMISSIONER

15<sup>th</sup> Election & 6<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen\* FOR

Contract Purchaser(s): Randolph Reyes

Petitioner(s) \* BALTIMORE COUNTY

<sup>k</sup> 05-328-A

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#### ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and 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 13<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2005, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to, Donald & Mary Hansen, 222 E. Saratoga Street, Suite 805, Baltimore, MD 21202, Petitioner(s).

RECEIVED

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

#### **Zoning Commissioner**

Suite 405, County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 Tel: 410-887-3868 • Fax: 410-887-3468



#### Baltimore County

James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive
William J Wiseman III, Zoning Commissioner

February 25, 2005

Mr. & Mrs. Donald J. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, #805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

> Re: Petitions for Variance & Special Hearing Case Nos. 05-328-A & 05-329-SPHA Property: 1234 & 1236 Burke Road

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hansen:

Enclosed you will find the ZAC comments referred to in my February 24, 2005 order that were inadvertently not attached to the Order.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience this may have caused. Should you have any questions or require any additional information, please feel free to contact me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

John V. Murphy

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

JVM:raj Enclosures

c: Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows Ct., Clarksville, MD 21029 Marianne Garrison, 205 E. Joppa Road, Towson, MD 21286 Craig & Tracie Leonard, 1847 Cape May Road, Essex, MD 21221



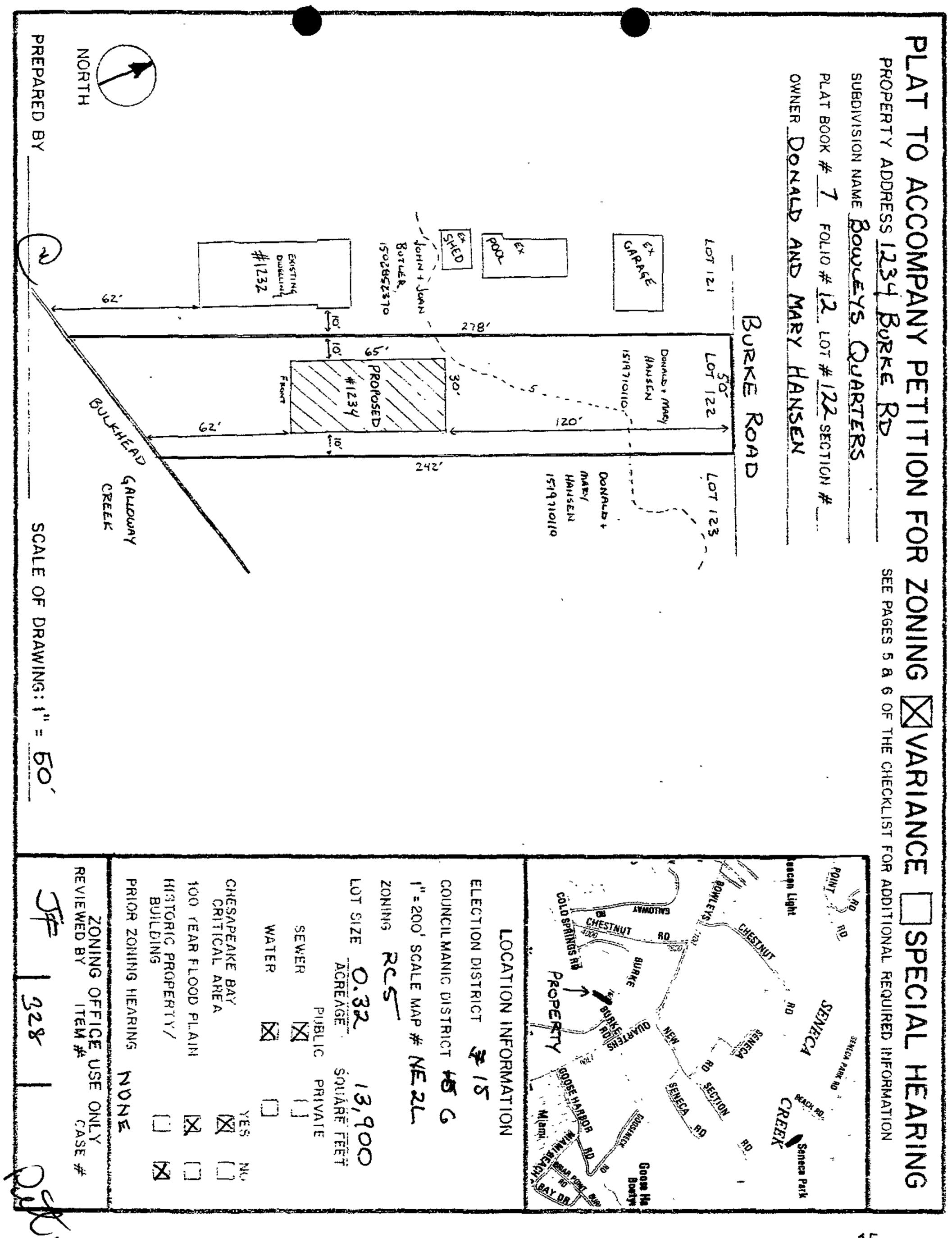
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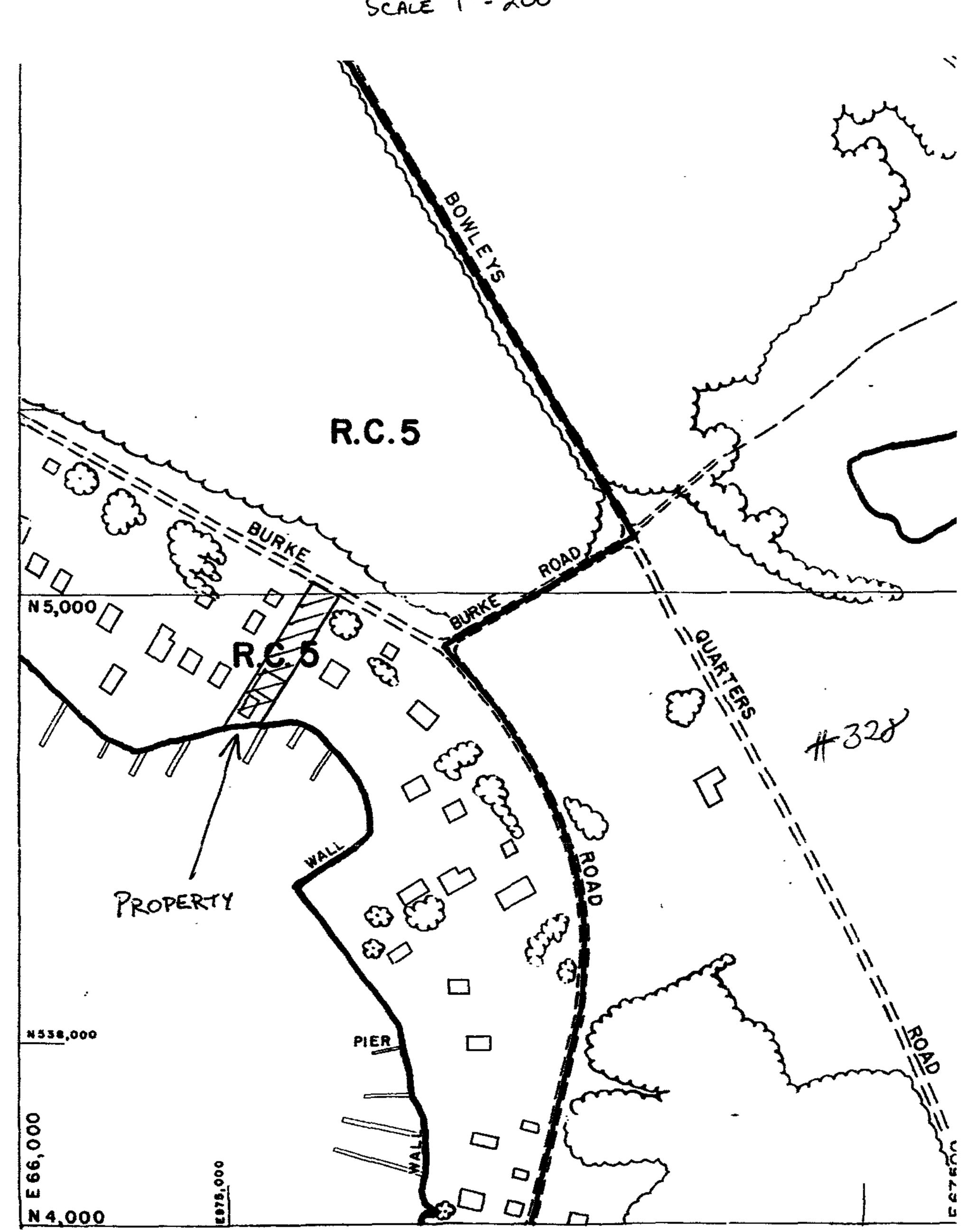
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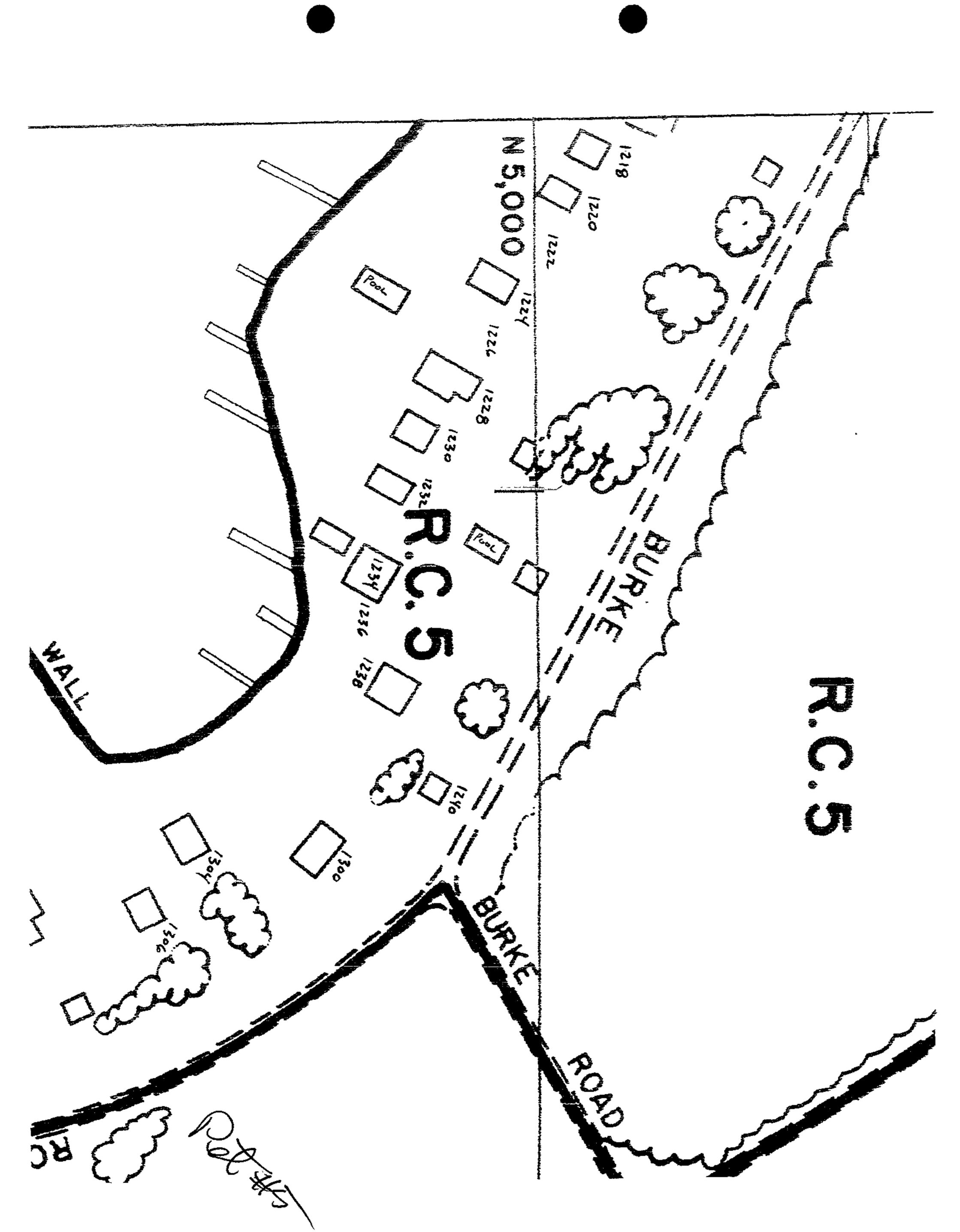
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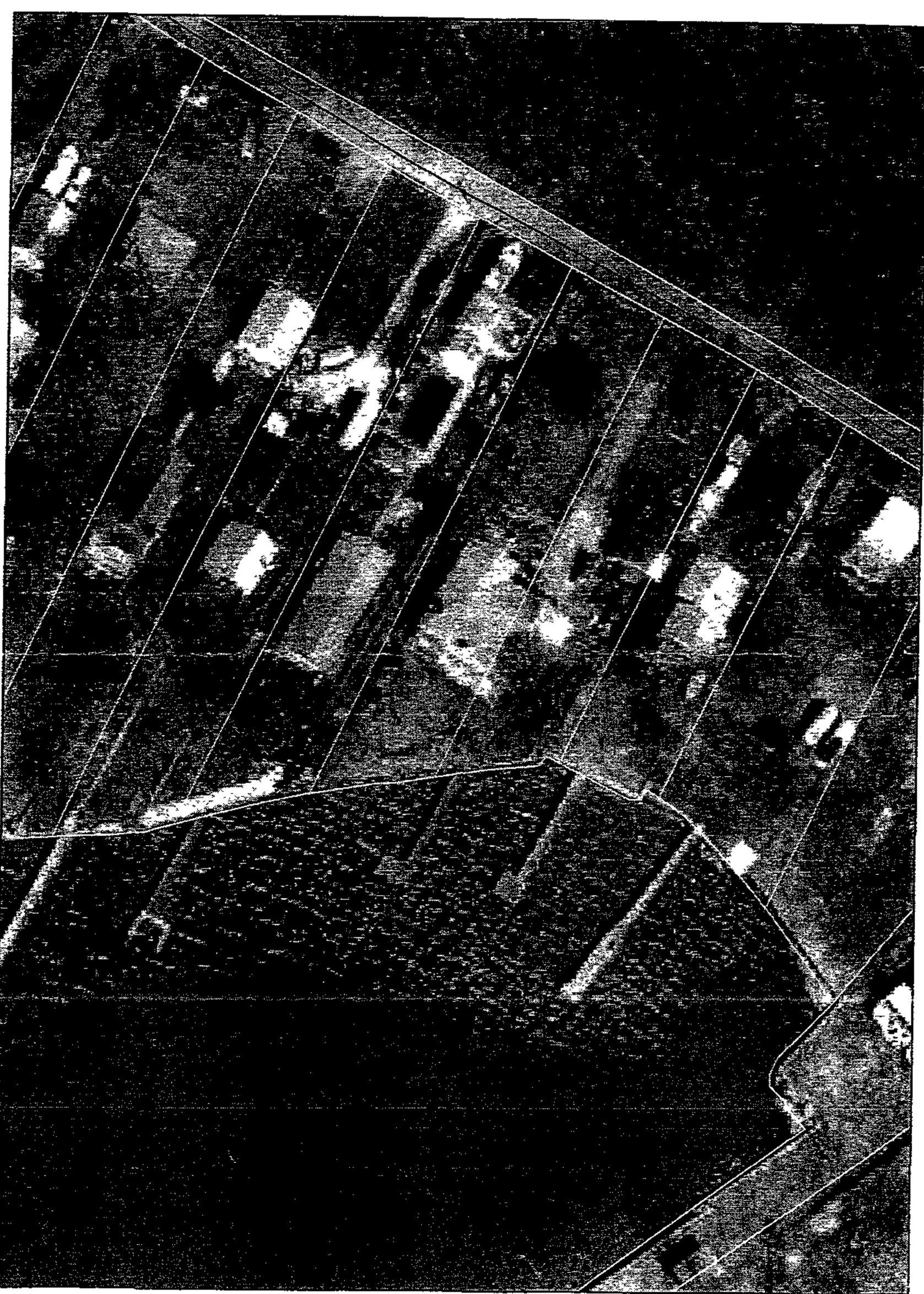
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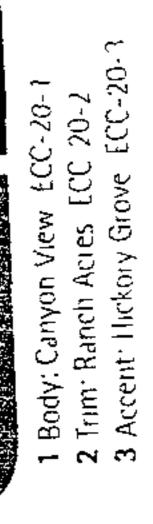
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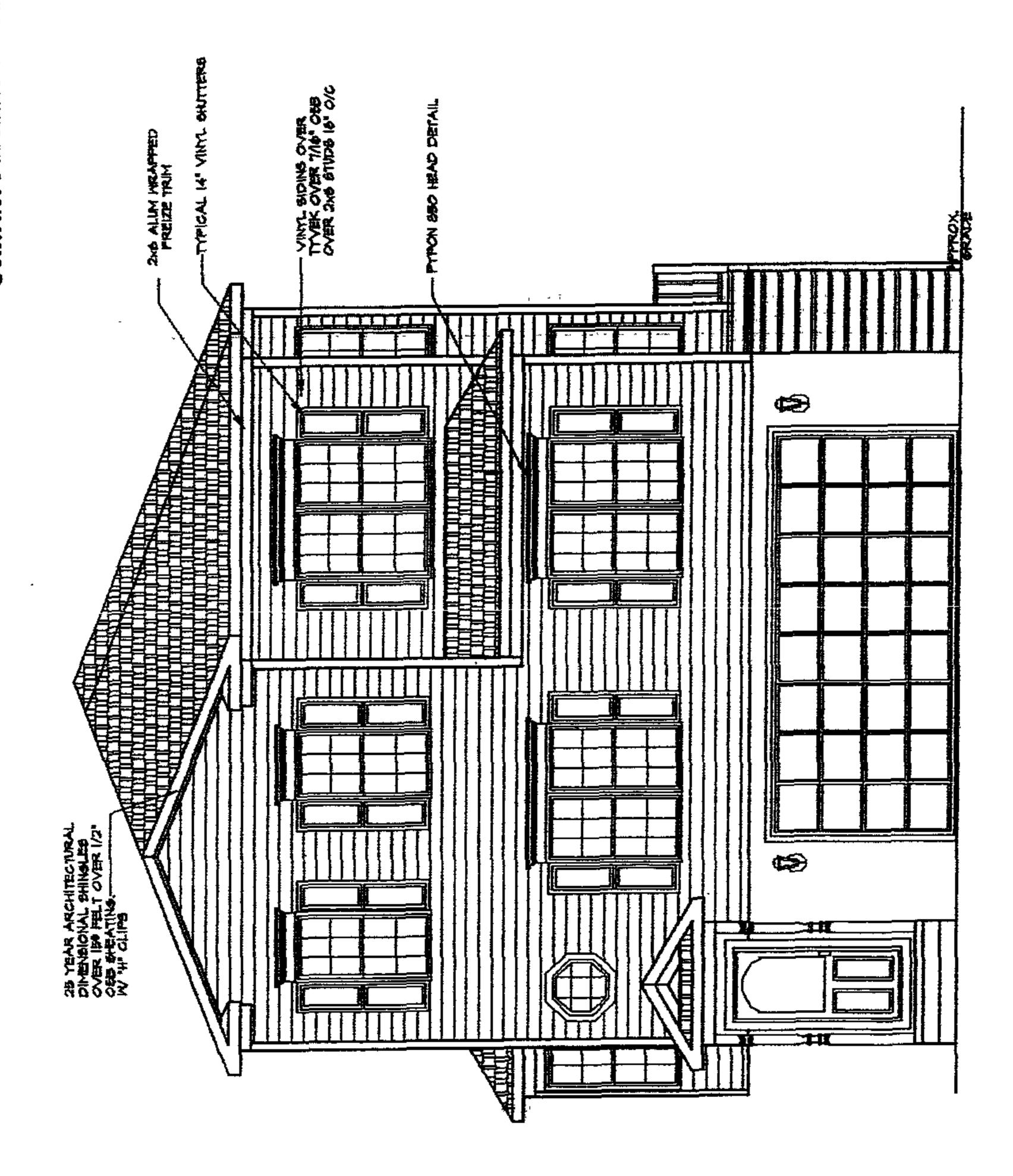


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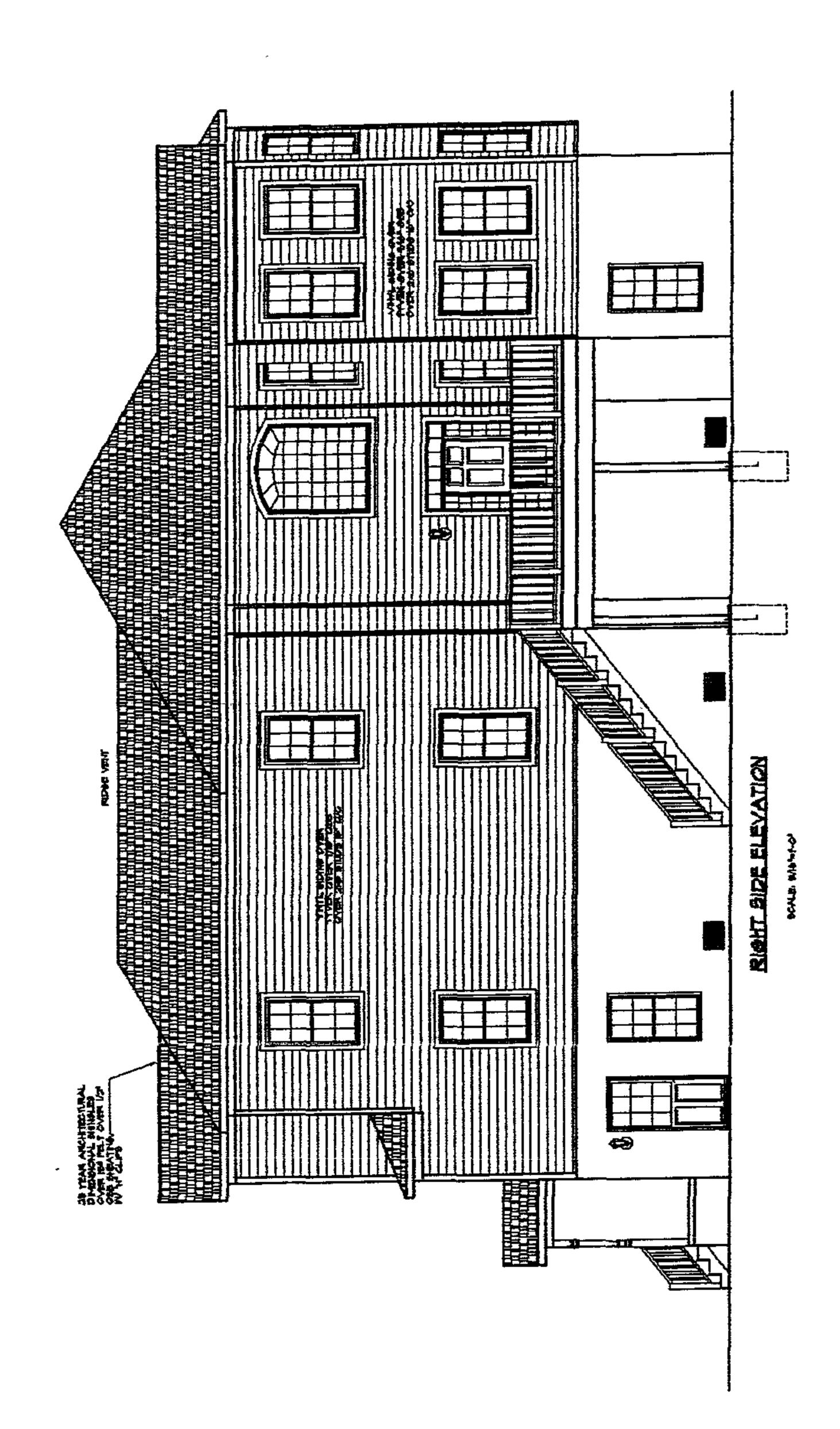
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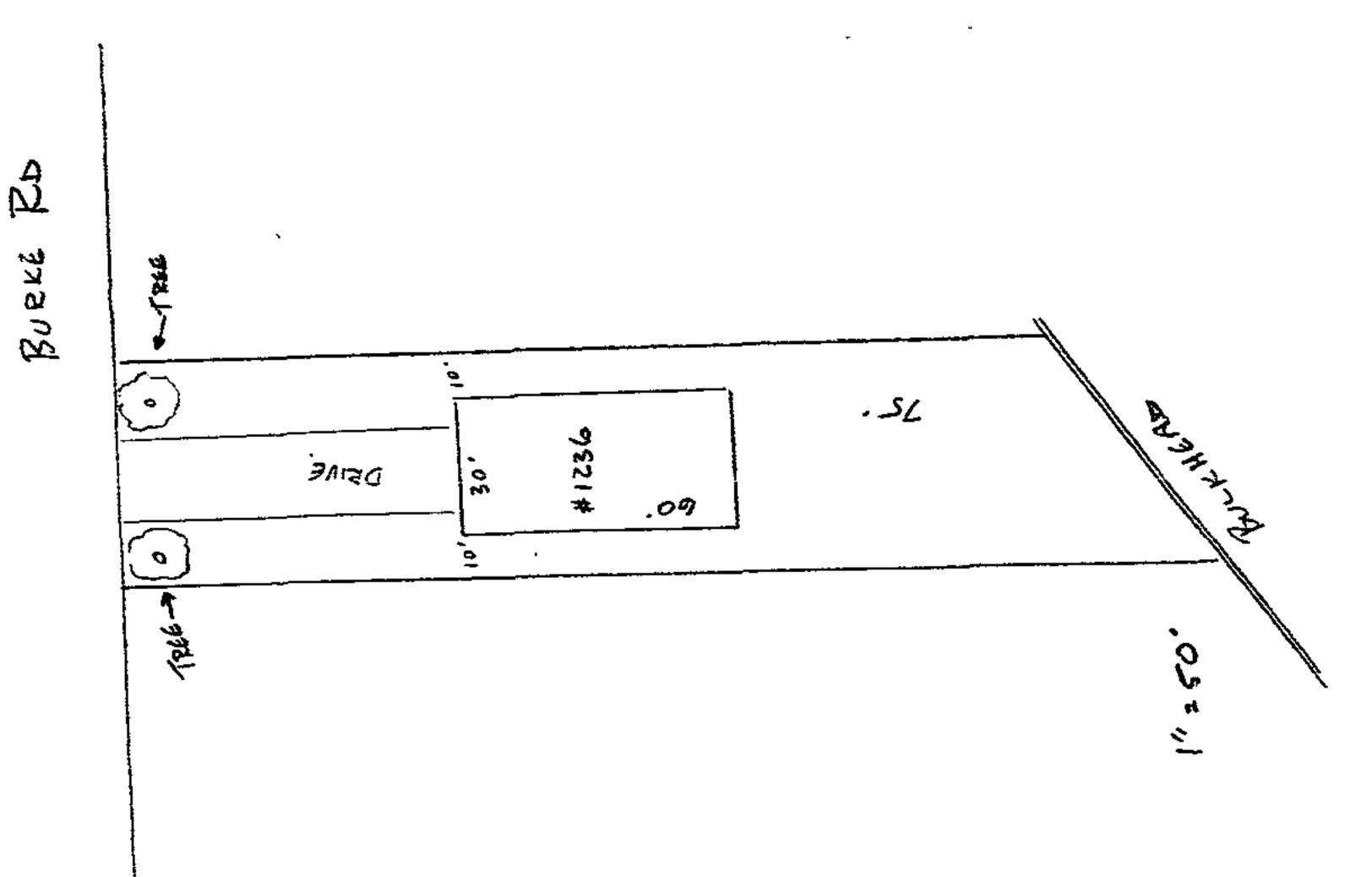
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Legal Owners: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen
Contract Purchaser: Craig & Tracie Leonard



Case Number: U3-329-SPITA

1236 Burke Road

Contract Purchaser: Craig & Tracie Leonard Legal Owners: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen



Lot is presently vacant. Original house was destroyed by Hurricane Isabel.

IN RE: PETITIONS FOR VARIANCE

S/S Burke Road, 415' & 465' NW of the c/l

Burke Road

(1224 and 1226 Burke Road)

15<sup>th</sup> Election District

6<sup>th</sup> Council District

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Cases Nos. 05-042-A and 05-043-A

Charles G. Hill, et ux, Owners;
David M. Hausner and Charles D. Falter,
Respective Contract Purchasers

Respective Contract Purchasers

### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Variance filed by Charles G. Hill and his wife, Rosalie M. Hill, Owners, and David M. Hausner, Contract Purchaser of 1224 Burke Road, and Charles D. Falter, Contract Purchaser of 1226 Burke Road. Since the properties are located adjacent to one another and owned by the same persons, the two cases were heard contemporaneously. Relief is requested from Sections 1A04.3.B.2 and 1A04.3.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit side yard setbacks of 10 feet each in lieu of the required 50 feet for a proposed 30' x 65' dwelling on each lot with a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet. The subject properties and requested relief are more particularly described on the respective site plans submitted in each case and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibits 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the request were David M. Hausner, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioners and Contract Purchaser of 1224 Burke Road; Charles D. Falter, Contract Purchaser of 1226 Burke Road; and, Clyde F. Hinkle, Professional Engineer who prepared the site plans for these properties. Also appearing was Bruce L. Schuchardt, adjacent property owner of 1228 Burke Road. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject properties are waterfront lots \frac{1}{2}\text{located} adjacent to one another on Galloway Creek in eastern Baltimore County. The properties

are also known as Lots 117 and 118 of the subdivision of Bowleys Quarters, which was recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County on May 27, 1921. As shown on the site plans submitted, Lot 117 contains a gross area of 16,833 sq.ft., or 0.386 acres, and is improved with a one-story dwelling, known as 1224 Burke Road, and detached garage. Lot 118 contains 17,759 sq.ft., or 0.407 acres, and is unimproved but for an in-ground swimming pool and freestanding garage. Although each lot was recorded as a separate lot under separate deeds, Lot 118 has essentially been used as the side yard for the dwelling on Lot 117 for many years. The Petitioners have contracted to sell Lot 117 to Mr. Hausner and Lot 118 to Mr. Falter, who are longtime friends and wish to redevelop each lot with a single-family dwelling in which they will reside. Each lot is approximately 50 feet wide and 395 feet deep, and is located with frontage on Burke Road to the north and Galloway Creek to the south.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that all existing improvements will be razed and each lot redeveloped with a single family dwelling, 30' x 65' in dimension, with a height of 45 feet. As to the variances, relief is requested to allow 10-foot side yard setbacks on each side in lieu of the required 50 feet. Obviously, given the 50-foot width of each lot, it is not possible to meet the 50-foot side yard setback required in the R.C.5 zone. The second request is to allow a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet. In this regard, due to the property's waterfront location adjacent to Galloway Creek, the existing improvements suffered storm damage as a result of Hurricane Isabel. Moreover, under the County's floodplain regulations, the first floor living area must be a minimum of 1 foot above the flood elevation level. In view of these environmental and floodplain requirements, the proposed houses must be constructed at a height greater than that allowed by the B.C.Z.R. As to compatibility, the Petitioners submitted a site plan depicting other houses on this section of Burke Road which show that the predominant theme in the community is that most of the lots are 50 feet wide. Additionally, photographs submitted show that the proposed dwellings will be consistent from an architectural standpoint with existing houses in the heighborhood.

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief. The Petitioners have shown that the proposed improvements meet the spirit and intent of the zoning regulations and will not be detrimental to the health, safety or general welfare of the surrounding locale. Moreover, it is clear that the proposed dwellings will be consistent with other homes in the neighborhood. Thus, the relief requested will be granted. However, the proposed construction must comply with Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas regulations, as set forth in the Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM), and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A. regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains. Additionally, the Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings of the proposed dwellings to the Office of Planning for review and approval prior to the issuance of any permits to insure that the proposed dwelling are compatible with existing development in the area.

It is also to be noted that certain questions arose at the hearing regarding the nature of the relief requested. Specifically, the Petitioners questioned whether variance relief is necessary from Section 1A04.3.B.1 of the B.C.Z.R. That Section originally required that no lot in the R.C.5 zone can be less than 1.0 acre in size; however, the Baltimore County Council recently amended this Section to require that every lot in the R.C.5 zone be no less than 1.5 acres in area. The language of Section 1A04.3.B.1 prohibits the "creation" of any such R.C.5 lot. In this case, the lots are not being created; that is, they are part of a subdivision that was duly recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County in 1921. Thus, although the lots are less than 1.5 acres in area, variance relief is not necessary in that the lots already exist.

Secondly, the Petitioners questioned whether relief was required under Section 304 of the B.C.Z.R. That Section allows a Petitioner to request relief for an undersized lot if certain conditions are met. In this case, the Petitioners are not eligible for relief under Section 304 in that Mr. & Mrs. Hill own both lots and variance relief is requested from both side yard setback and reight requirements. Thus, relief cannot be sought under Section 304.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the properties, and public hearing on these Petitions 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 3/2 day of August 2004 that the Petitions for Variance filed in Cases Nos. 05-042-A and 05-043-A seeking relief from Sections 1A04.3.B.2 and 1A04.3.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit side yard setbacks of 10 feet each in lieu of the required 50 feet for a proposed 30' x 65' dwelling on each lot with a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet, in accordance with the site plan submitted in each case and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions:

- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permits and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, the 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) Compliance with the ZAC comments submitted by DEPRM relative to Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas regulations and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A. regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains. Copies of those comments have been attached hereto and are made a part hereof.
- 3) The Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings of the proposed dwellings to the Office of Planning prior to the issuance of any permits to insure that the proposed houses are compatible in terms of size, exterior, building materials, color and architectural details with existing dwellings in the area.
- 4) When applying for a building permit, the site plan(s) 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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#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

**DATE:** August 27, 2004

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For August 9, 2004

Item No. 043

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The flood protection elevation for this site is 11.2 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

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ZAC-08-09-2004-ITEM NO 043-08262004



## BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

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**DATE:** August 23, 2004

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

SUBJECT:

1224 and 1226 Burke Road

**INFORMATION:** 

**Item Number:** 

5-042 and 5-043

Petitioner:

Charles Hill

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action:

Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning has reviewed the subject request and has determined that the petitioner owns sufficient adjoining land to conform with the minimum width and area requirements and therefore does not meet the standards stated in Section 304.1.C of the BCZR. Nevertheless, the existing lot pattern of the neighborhood is that of 50-foot wide lots. As such, this office does not oppose the petitioner's request. If the petitioner's request is granted, the following conditions shall apply to the proposed dwelling at 1226 Burke Road:

Submit building elevations to this office for review and approval prior to the issuance any building permit. The proposed dwelling shall be compatible in size, exterior building materials, color, and architectural detail as that of the existing dwellings in the area.

Provide landscaping across the front of the subject property.

Prepared by:

**Division Chief:** 

AFK/LL:MAC:

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

TO:	Tim Kotroco		RECEIVE	
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Date: August 10, 2004

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Reviewer:

Keith Kelley

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STREET ADDRESS: 1234 Burke Road TAX ACCOUNT NO. 15-19-710110 LOT/BLOCK DESIGNATION: Lote 122 and 123, Plat No. 1, Plat of Property of Bowley's Quarter Company of Baltimore County, W.P.C. 7, folio 12.

#### CONFIRMATORY DEED

WHEREAS, by a Deed dated December 3, 1982 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr. No. 6463, folio 315, Allan Moodie and Charlotte Moodie, (now known as Charlotte I. Moodie-Scott), did attempt to convey the hereinafter described property to Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife, and Robert J. Hansen and Margaret M. Hansen, his wife, the Grantees therein; and

WHEREAS, through an inadvertence, the names of said Grantees were omitted from the granting and habendum clauses in said Deed; and

WHEREAS, the said Robert J. Hansen departed this life on or about December 1, 1984, thereby vesting title to his interest in said property in the said Margaret M. Hansen by right of survivorship; and

WHEREAS, by a Deed dated September 30, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr., No. 7294, folio 807, the said Donald J. Hansen, Guardian of the person and property of Margaret Marie Hansen did attempt to convey the interest of the said Margaret M. Hansen (therein referred to as Margaret Marie Hansen), to said Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife; and

WHEREAS, the said Margaret M. Hansen has since departed this life on or about November 3, 1988; and

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WHEREAS, the said Allan Moodie departed this life on or about August 20, 1985, leaving the said Charlotte Moodie, (now known as Charlotte I. Moodie-Scott), as surviving tenant by the entirety; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the parties to confirm and correct the original Deed and to vest fee simple title in and to the hereinafter described property, in the said Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, wherefore these present are executed.

WITNESSETH, that in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, there being no actual consideration paid or to be paid in connection with this confirmatory conveyance, the said CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT, formerly known as CHARLOTTE MOODIE, does grant, convey and confirm to DONALD J. HANSEN and MARY S. HANSEN, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, the survivor of them, and the survivor's personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple, all that land, situate, lying and being in the Fifteenth Election District of Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as follows:

BEING known and designated as Lots Nos. 122 and 123 Plat No. 1 as shown on the Plat of the property of the Bowley's Quarter Company of Baltimore County, which Plat is duly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Plat Book W.P.C. No. 7, folio 12. Said lots being situate on the southwest side of Burke Road.

SUBJECT to all covenants, conditions, easements and encumbrances of record.

TOGETHER with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected, made or being and all and every the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said lots of ground and premises, above described and mentioned, and hereby intended to be conveyed, unto and to the proper use and benefit of DONALD J. HANSEN and MARY S. HANSEN, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, the

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survivor of them, and the survivor's personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

AND the Grantor does hereby covenant that she has not done or suffered to be done any act, matter or thing whatsoever to encumber the property hereby conveyed, that she will warrant specially the property granted, and that she will execute such further assurances of the same as may be requisite.

AS WITNESS the hand and seal of the Grantor.

WITNESS:

Karen Egerton

CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT
(formerly known as Charlotte Moodie)

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE , to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this <u>5</u> day of February, 1993, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT, (formerly known as Charlotte Moodie), known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Confirmatory Deed, and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

AS WITNESS my hand and notarial seal.

Notary Public Mcgrom

My Commission Expires: 12/1/93

I hereby certify that this instrument has been prepared by J. Paul Rieger, Jr., an attorney at law admitted to practice before the Court of Appeals of Maryland.

J. Baul Rieger, Jr.

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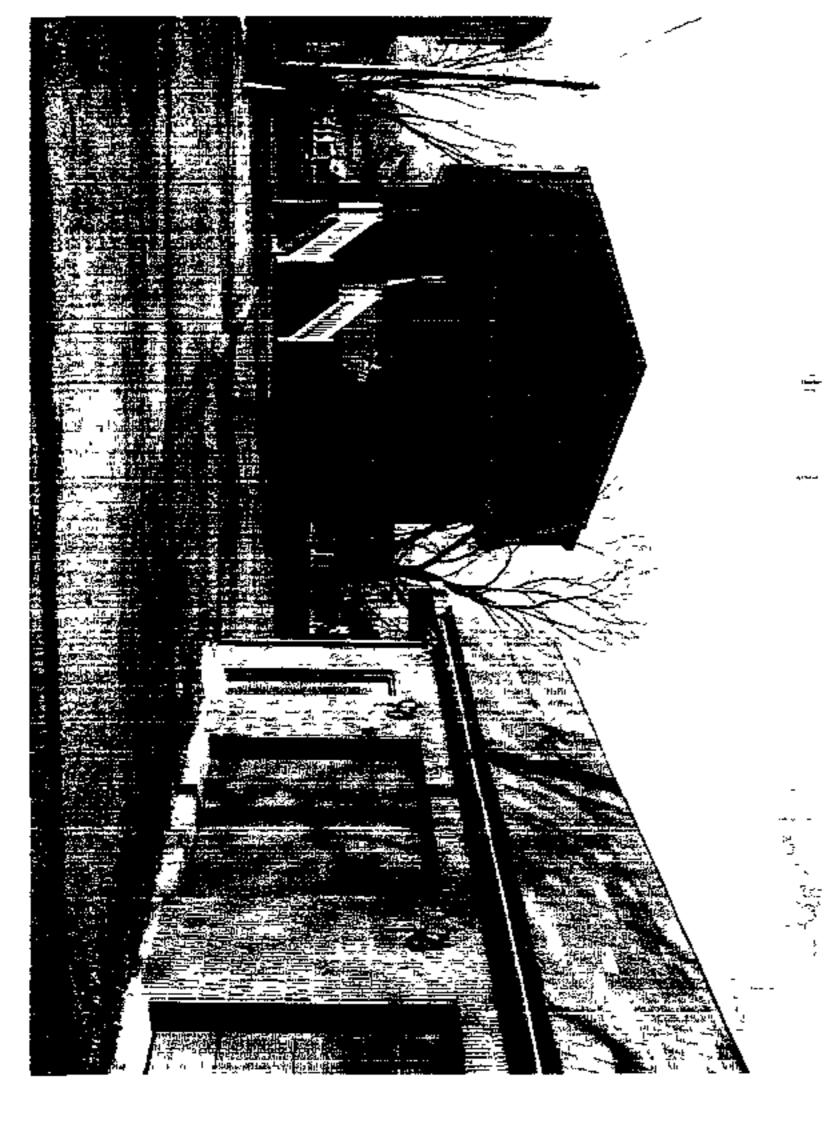
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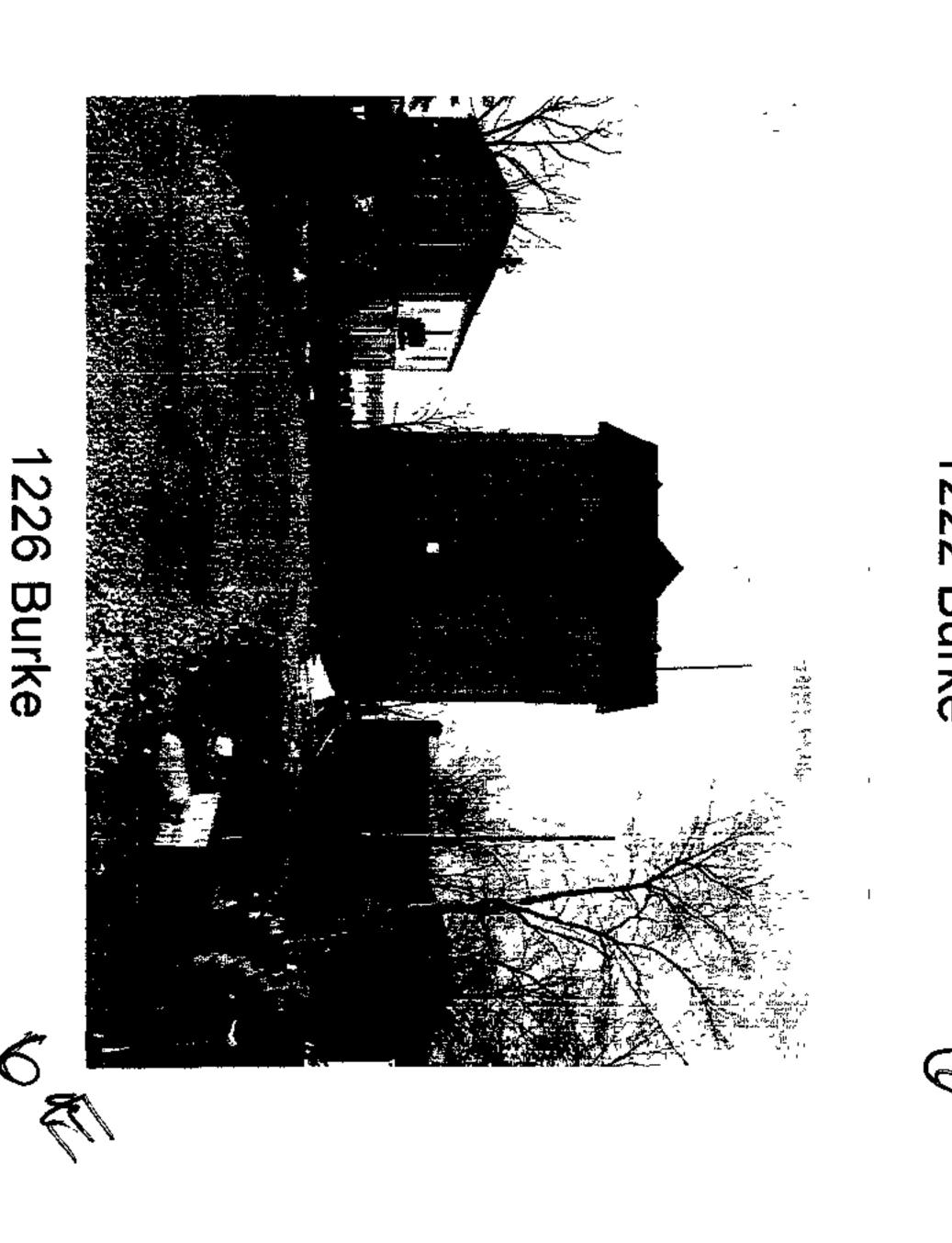
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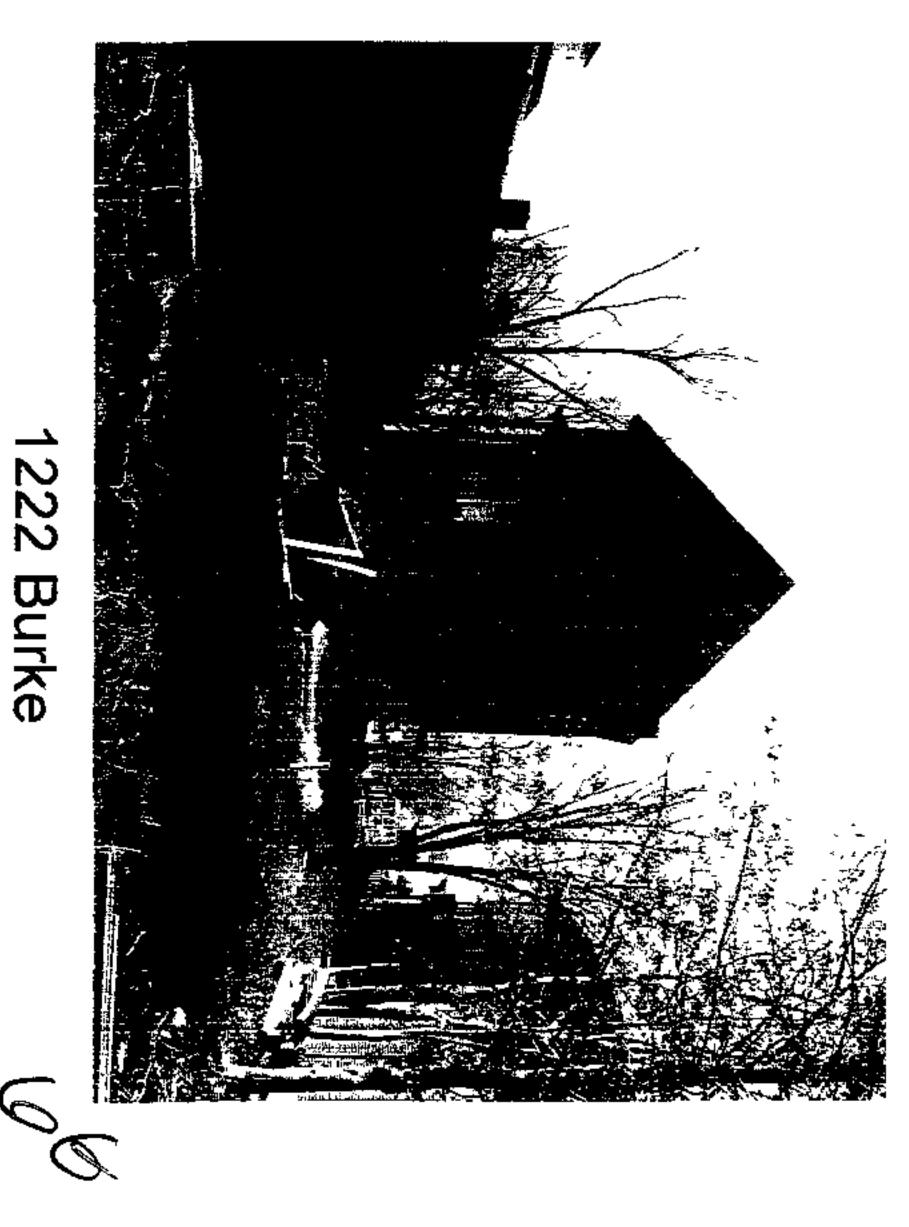


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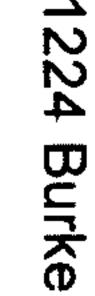


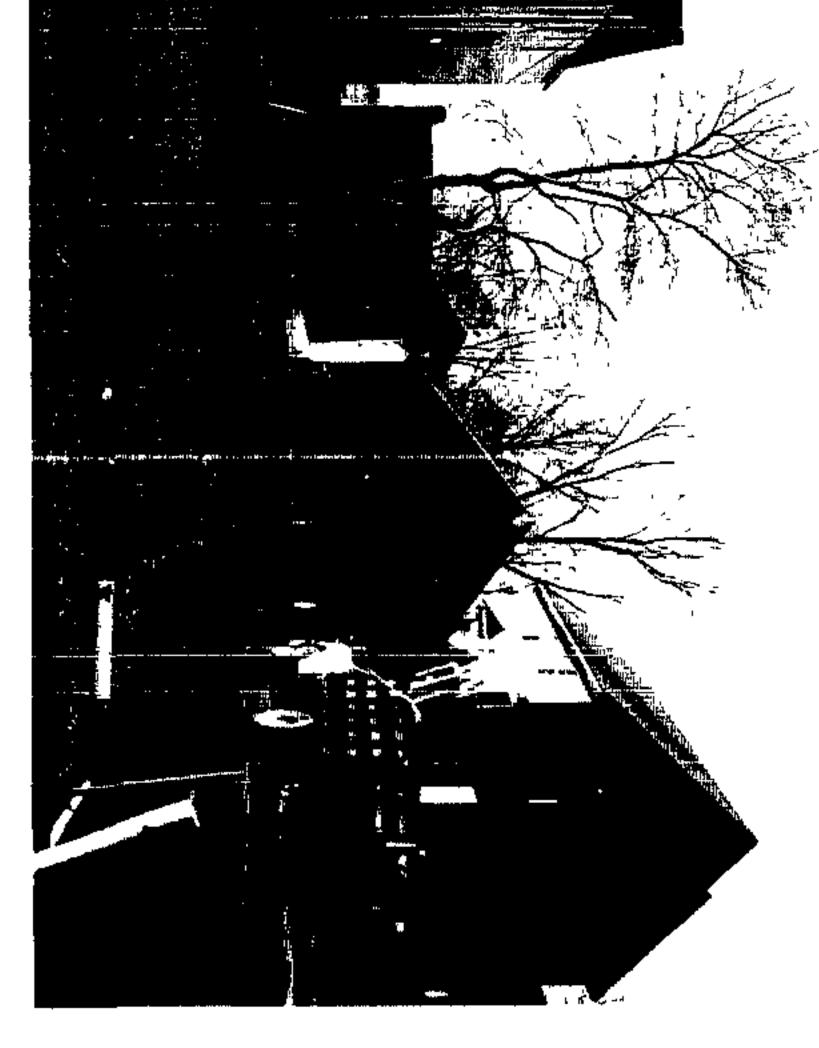
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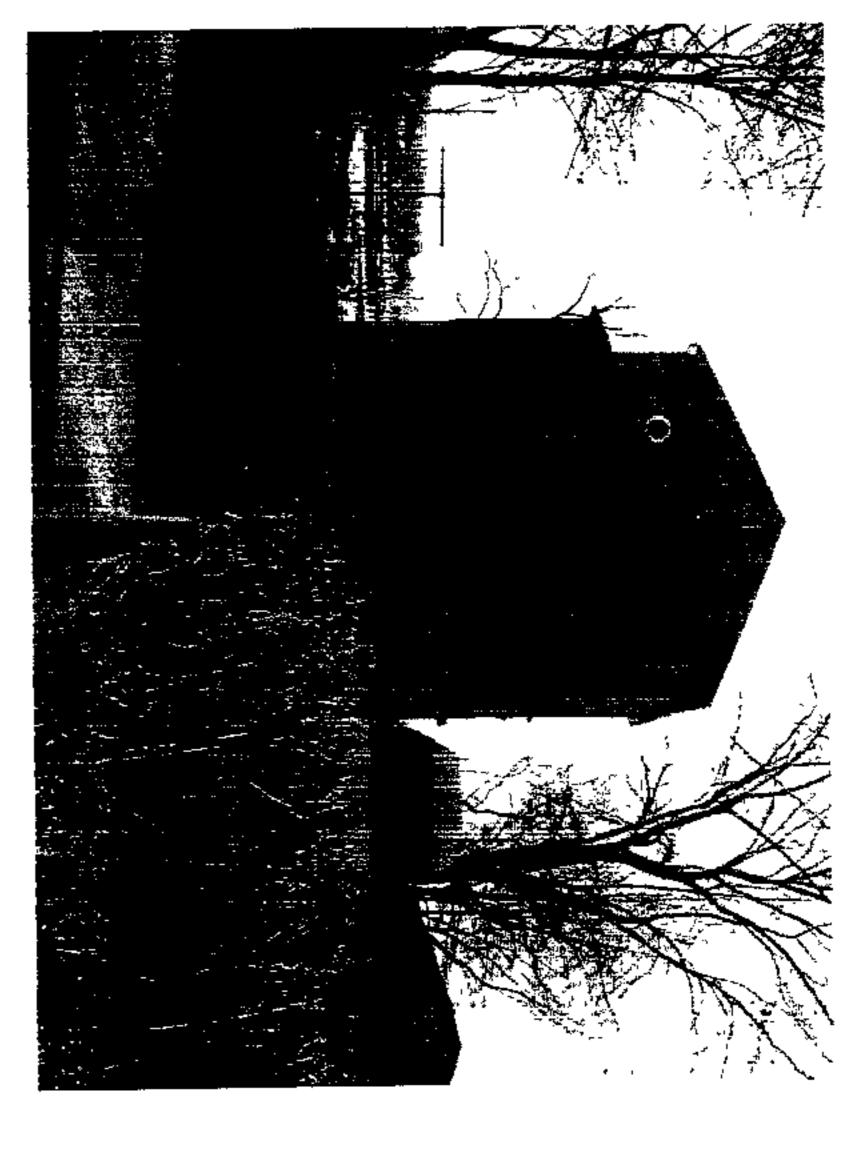


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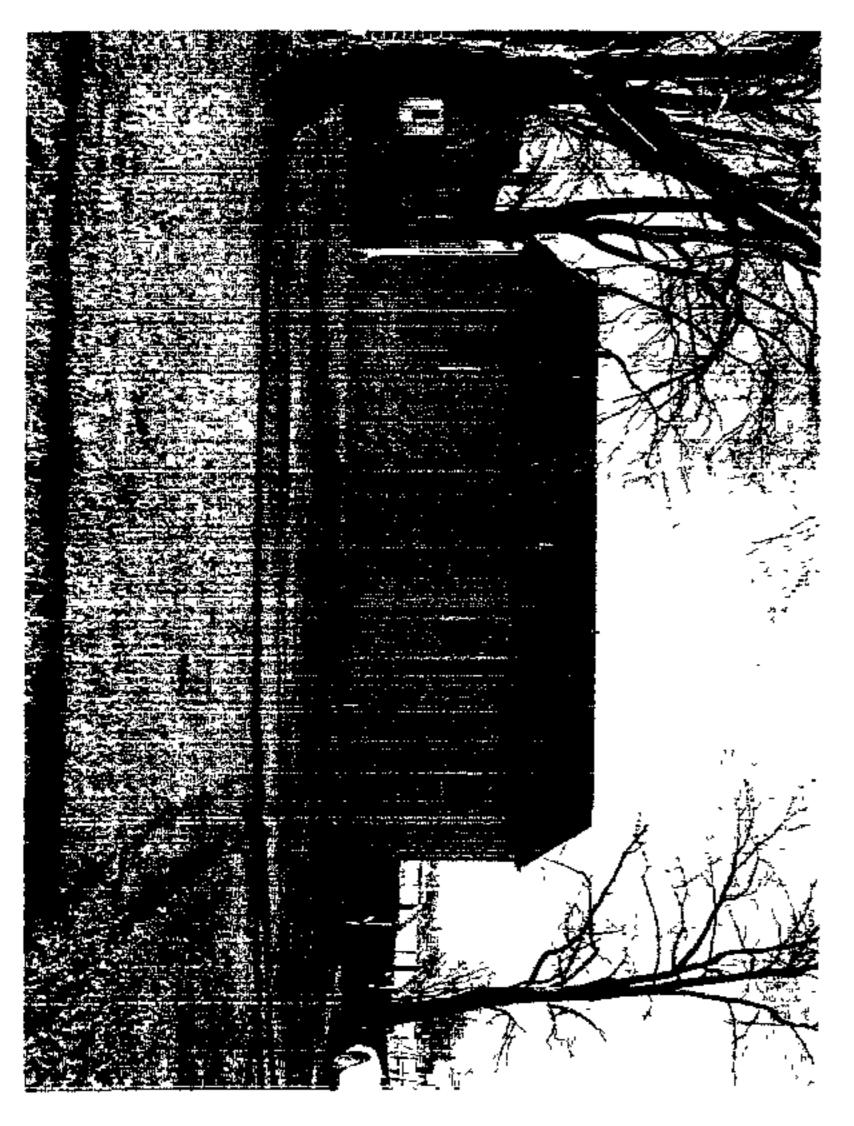




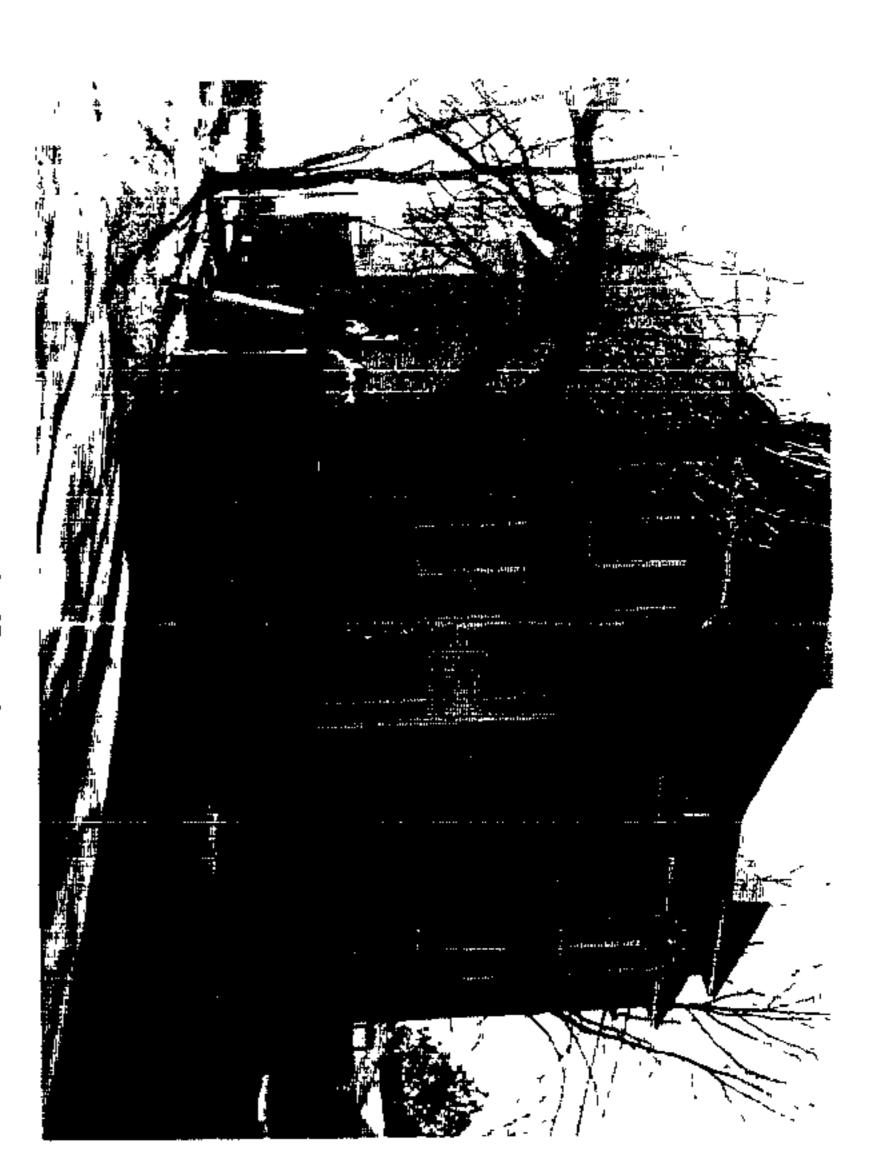




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RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE S/S of Burke Rd., 450 ft. W centerline of Bowleys Quarters Rd. (1234 Burke Road - #05-328-A) and PETITIONS FOR VARIANCE & SPECIAL HEARING S/S of Burke Rd., 400 ft. W centerline of Bowleys Quarters Rd. (1236 Burke Road - #05-329-A)

> Mary S. & Donald J. Hansen, **Petitioners**

7th Councilmanic District

5th Election District

BEFORE THE

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 05-328-A and

CASE NO. 05-329-SPHA

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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

These matters come before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Variance and a Petition for Special Hearing filed by the legal owners of the subject properties, Mary S. and Donald J. Hansen. The Petitioners are requesting relief as follows:

Case No. 05-328-A is a Petition for Variance from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) (Isabel damage), to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively, and to permit an area of 0.32 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac.

Case No. 05-329-SPHA is a companion case filed pursuant to Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R. for a Special Hearing to approve two building lots without density being affected. In addition, the Petitioners are requesting a variance from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the B.C.Z.R., to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively and to permit an area of .27 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac.

The properties were posted with Notices of Hearing on January 31, 2005, for 15 days prior to the hearing, in order to notify all interested citizens of the requested zoning relief. In

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addition, Notices of Zoning hearing were published in "The Jeffersonian" newspaper on February 1, 2005 to notify any interested persons of the scheduled hearing date.

#### Applicable Law

Section 307 of the B.C.Z.R. – Variances.

"The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County and the County Board of Appeals, upon appeal, shall have and they are hereby given the power to grant variances from height and area regulations, from off-street parking regulations, and from sign regulations only in cases where special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of the variance request and where strict compliance with the Zoning Regulations for Baltimore County would result in practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship. No increase in residential density beyond that otherwise allowable by the Zoning Regulations shall be permitted as a result of any such grant of a variance from height or area regulations. Furthermore, any such variance shall be granted only if in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of said height, area, off-street parking or sign regulations, and only in such manner as to grant relief without injury to the public health, safety and general welfare. They shall have no power to grant any other variances. Before granting any variance, the Zoning Commissioner shall require public notice to be given and shall hold a public hearing upon any application for a variance in the same manner as in the case of a petition for reclassification. Any order by the Zoning Commissioner or the County Board of Appeals granting a variance shall contain a finding of fact setting forth and specifying the reason or reasons for making such variance."

Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R. Special Hearings

The Zoning Commissioner shall have the power to conduct such other hearings and pass such orders thereon as shall in his discretion be necessary for the proper enforcement of all zoning regulations, subject to the right of appeal to the County Board of Appeals. The power given hereunder shall include the right of any interested persons to petition the Zoning Commissioner for a public hearing after advertisement and notice to determine the existence of any non conforming use on any premises or to determine any rights whatsoever of such person in any property in Baltimore County insofar as they may be affected by these regulations.

#### Interested Persons

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the variance request were Craig and Traci Leonard and Randolph Reyes, contract purchasers, Marianne Garrison, realtor, and Donald Hansen, Petitioner. There were no persons in opposition to the variance request who attended the hearing. People's Counsel, Peter Max Zimmerman, entered the appearance of his office in this case.

#### **ZAC Comments**

The Zoning Advisory Committee Comments are made part of the record of this case and contain the following highlights. ZAC comments were received from the Bureau of Development Plans Review dated January 24, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. In addition, ZAC comments were received from the Department of Environmental Protection & Resource Management (DEPRM) dated February 11, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. Finally, ZAC comments were received from the Office of Planning dated February 3, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof. A supplemental comment was received from the Office of Planning dated February 22, 2005 which indicates that the Office reviewed the proposed homes to be erected, finds them in accord with the spirit and intent of the regulations and does not oppose the requested relief.

#### Testimony and Evidence

These are side by side waterfront lots owned by Donald and Mary Hansen. These lots are lot 122 and lot 123 of the "Bowleys Quarters" subdivision which was recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County in the 1921 according to Mr. Leonard. The Hansens' home was located on lot 122 while lot 123 was used as their side yard. Unfortunately, Hurricane Isabel destroyed the home and rather than sell both lots together, the Hansens would like to sell them separately to the Leonards and Mr. Reyes.

Each lot is 50 ft. wide and zoned RC 5, which requires a 50 ft. side yard setback. Lot 122 is 0.32 acres while lot 123 is 0.27 acres. County Council Bill No. 55-04 which was passed in May 2004 requires 1.5 acre lots. Thus the request for variances. Both Petitioners noted that they can not possibly meet the applicable zoning regulations with these old lots and that it would be a hardship on them and the owners not to allow homes to be built on these lots. They also

indicated that having one home on each 50 ft. lot would not change the pattern of development in the neighborhood, as virtually all the adjoining lots along this portion of waterfront had one lot per home rather than two or more lots per home as seen in other neighborhoods. Ms. Leonard also noted that there was no residential development behind these lots so no one's view of the water would be taken away. The area behind them has all agricultural uses. Mr. Hansen indicated that he was aware of a 7 lot subdivision approved behind them but no construction had taken place.

#### Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

With regard to the request for variances, I find that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of the variance request. These lots were laid out in 1921 much before the RC zoning regulations were imposed on the property. As such, I find that the RC regulations impact these lots more than lots created after the RC regulations went into effect. Consequently, I find the lots unique in a zoning sense.

I further find that strict compliance with the Zoning Regulations for Baltimore County would result in practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship. These lots are 50 ft. wide and clearly can not meet either the side yard set back required of 50 ft. or the 1.5 acre area required by the RC 5 regulations. The Petitioners propose the "standard" 10 ft. side yard setbacks found so often in waterfront properties.

Finally, I find that these variances can be granted in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of said regulations, and in such manner as to grant relief without injury to the public health, safety and general welfare. This is the key question in this case. From the evidence presented, it is clear that the pattern of development along this stretch of Galloway Creek is one home per 50 ft. lot. Granting these variances will not change that pattern.

I note that the Petitioners have now submitted the information needed by the Office of Planning regarding the proposed new homes, and the Office finds that the proposed homes to be erected are in accord with the spirit and intent of the regulations. Consequently, the Office of Planning does not oppose the requested relief.

With regard to the request for special hearing to approve two building lots without density being affected, at first glance this could be problematic. Clearly the RC 5 regulations do not have this situation in mind when they specify that the maximum density shall be 0.667 dwelling per acre. This neighborhood was developed long before the RC regulations were imposed on this area at a density of approximately DR 3.5 or 3.5 dwellings per acre. This is five times the density required by the RC regulations. The subject lots are 0.32 and 0.27 acres not 1.5 acres. It is apparent to me that the RC 5 regulations were intended primarily to control new subdivisions and not regulate rather ancient varieties as we have here.

I find that this issue of density to be essentially the same as the issue of pattern of development in the neighborhood addressed above. I find that if the proposed use does not violate the pattern of development in subdivisions recorded before the RC regulations were imposed, then the issue of density is satisfied within the spirit and intent of the regulations. Consequently, I will approve the special hearing request.

I am also aware that the RC 5 regulations as applied to these old subdivisions is under review by the Office of Planning with the likelihood that the anomalies illustrated above will be rectified.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this petition held, and after considering the testimony and evidence offered by the Petitioners, I find that the Petitioners' requests for variance and for approval of an undersized lot should be granted

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, this Aday of February, 2005, by this Deputy Zoning Commissioner, that the Petitioners' request for variance in Case No 05-238-A from Section 1A04.3.B.1.a and b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) (Isabel damage), to permit a dwelling with side yard setbacks of 10 ft. on each side in lieu of the required 50 ft. respectively, and to permit an area of 0.32 ac. in lieu of the required 1.5 ac., be and is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the request for special hearing in Case No. 05-329-A filed pursuant to Section 500.7 of the B.C.Z.R., to approve two building lots without density being affected, be and is hereby APPROVED.

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Any appeal of this decision must be made within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

JOHN V. MURPHY

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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#### Zoning Commissioner

Suite 405, County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 Tel: 410-887-3868 • Fax: 410-887-3468



#### Baltimore County

James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive William J. Wiseman III, Zoning Commissioner

February 24, 2005

Mr. & Mrs. Donald J. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, #805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

> Re: Petitions for Variance Case Nos. 05-328-A & 05-329-SPHA Property: 1234 & 1236 Burke Road

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hansen:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned cases. The petitions for special hearing and variance have been granted in accordance with the enclosed Order.

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

Very truly yours,

John V. Murphy

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

JVM:raj Enclosure

c: Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows Ct., Clarksville, MD 21029 Marianne Garrison, 205 E. Joppa Road, Towson, MD 21286 Craig & Tracie Leonard, 1847 Cape May Road, Essex, MD 21221



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# Petition for Variance

## to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 1234 BURKE RD which is presently zoned <u>RC5</u>

his Petition shall be filed with the Department of Permits and Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part Preof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s) 1004,3.B.I. QAND 6 BCZR CIDABEL DAMAGE)

TO PERMIT A DWELLING WITH A SIDE YARD SETBACKS OF 10' ON EACH SIDE IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 50', RESPECTIVELY . AND TO PERMIT AN AREA OF 0.32 AC. IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 1.5 AC.

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

- 1. The lot is 50 feet wide and was recorded prior to the adoption of County setback requirements.
- 2. Strict compliance with the side setback requirements will eliminate any reasonable use of the property.

operty is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by the zoning regulations. or we, agree to pay expenses of above Variance, advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning julations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County.

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CLARKSYILLE MD	21829	Mary & Henry			
State	Zip Code	Signature Signature			
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Beginning at the point on the south side of Burke Road which is 30 feet wide at the distance of 450 feet west of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street Bowleys Quarters Road which is 30 feet wide. Being Lot #122 in the subdivision of Bowleys Quarters as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book #1, Folio #12, containing 13,900 square feet. Also known as 1234 Burke Road, Middle River, MD 21220 and located in the ## Election District, 15th Councilmanic District.

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1234 Burke Road

S/side of Burke Road, at the distance of 450 ft. west of centerline of Bowley's Quarters Road

15th Election District—6th Councilmanic District
Legal Owner(s): Donald J. and Mary S. Hansen

Contract Purchaser: Randolph Reyes

Variance: to permit a dwelling with a side yard setback of 10 feet on each side in lieu of the required 50 feet respectively and to permit an area of 0.32 AC in lieu of the required 15 AC.

Hearing: Tuesday, February 15, 2005 at 9:06 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosley

Avenue, Towson 21204

WILLIAM WISHMAN

Zoning Commissioner for Bahmore County

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CASE NUMBER: 05-328-A

1234 Burke Road

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Legal Owners: Donald J. and Mary S. Hansen

Contract Purchaser: Randolph Reyes

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WILLIAM WISEMAN

ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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James T. Smith, Jr, County Executive Timothy M Kotroco, Director

January 7, 2005

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Timothy Kotroco

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C: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen, 222 E. Saratoga St., #805, Baltimore 21202 Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows, Clarksville 21029

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 2005.

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# ZONING REVIEW

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# Department of Permits and Development Management

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





James T. Smith, Jr, County Executive Timothy M Kotroco, Director

February 8, 2005

Donald J. Hansen Mary S. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, # 805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hansen:

RE: Case Number: 05-328-A, 1234 Burke Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on January 3, 2005.

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.

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W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

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Enclosures

c: People's Counsel Randolph Reyes 6505 Evening Shadows Clarksville 21029



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## Fire Department

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



# **Baltimore County**

James T Smith, Jr, County Executive John J. Hohman, Chief

County Office Building, Room 111 Mail Stop #1105 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

January 4, 2005

ATTENTION: Zoning Review planners

Distribution Meeting of: January 31, 2005

Item No.:

319-333

Pursuant to your request, the referenced plan(s) have been reviewed 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 at this time.

Lieutenant Franklin J. Cook Fire Marshal's Office (0)410-887-4881 (C)443-829-2946 MS-1102F

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

TO: Tim Kotroco John D. Oltman, Jr FROM: DATE: February 11, 2005 SUBJECT: # 05-328 Zoning Item Address 1234 Burke Road Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of January 10, 2005 The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management has no comments on the above-referenced zoning item. X The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above-referenced zoning item: Development of the property must comply with the Regulations for the Protection of Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains (Sections 14-331 through 14-350 of the Baltimore County Code). Development of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Section 14-401 through 14-422 of the Baltimore County Code). X Development of this property must comply with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations (Sections 26-436 through 26-461, and other Sections, of the Baltimore County Code).

#### Additional Comments:

Any improvements on this property must comply with the Limited Development Area (LDA) regulations and Buffer Management Area (BMA) policies of the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations. The Property is limited to 25% maximum impervious surface cover and 15% minimum tree cover.

Reviewer: Glenn Shaffer Date: February 11, 2005

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

**DATE:** January 24, 2005

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

**SUBJECT:** 

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 17, 2005

Item No. 328

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The flood protection elevation (M.C.S.) for this site is 11.2 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

The property to be developed is located adjacent to tidewater. The developer is advised that the proper sections of the *Baltimore County Building Code* must be followed whereby elevation limitations are placed on the lowest floor (*including basements*) of residential (*commercial*) development.

The building engineer shall require a permit for this project.

The building shall be designed and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of structure with materials resistant to flood damage.

Flood-resistant construction shall be in accordance with the requirement of B.O.C.A. International Building Code adopted by the county.

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# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

**DATE:** February 3, 2005

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

**SUBJECT:** 

1234/1236 Burke Road

INFORMATION:

**Item Number:** 

5-328 & 5-329

Petitioner:

Donald J. Hansen

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action:

Special Hearing/Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning has reviewed the subject request and has determined that the subject property is an existing lot of record that is not a subdivision. As such, this office is required to provide a statement of finding to the Zoning Commissioner indicating how the proposed construction complies with the current RC 5 requirements. To prepare the statement of finding, the following information must be submitted to this office:

- 1. Photographs of the existing dwelling.
- 2. Submit building elevations to this office for review and approval prior to the issuance any building permit. The proposed dwelling shall be compatible in size, exterior building materials, color, and architectural detail as that of the existing dwellings in the area.
- 3. Orient the front of the proposed dwelling towards Burke Road and incorporate prominent entries and porches or stoops in the front building façade.
- 4. Design all decks, balconies, windows, dormers, chimneys, and porches as a component of the building following dominant building lines. Decks shall be screened to minimize visibility from a public street.

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- 5. Design all accessory structures at a scale appropriate to the dwelling and design garages with the same architectural theme as the principal building on the site, providing consistency in materials, colors, roof pitch, and style.
- 6. Ensure that exterior of all buildings use the same finish materials and architectural details on the front, side, and rear elevations. Use of quality material such as brick, stone, or cedar is encouraged.
- 7. Provide landscaping along the public road.

For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact David Pinning in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Prepared By:

Division Chief:

MAC/LL

**DATE:** February 22, 2005

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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**INFORMATION:** 

Item Number:

5-328 & 5-329, Amended Comments

**Petitioner:** 

Donald J. Hansen

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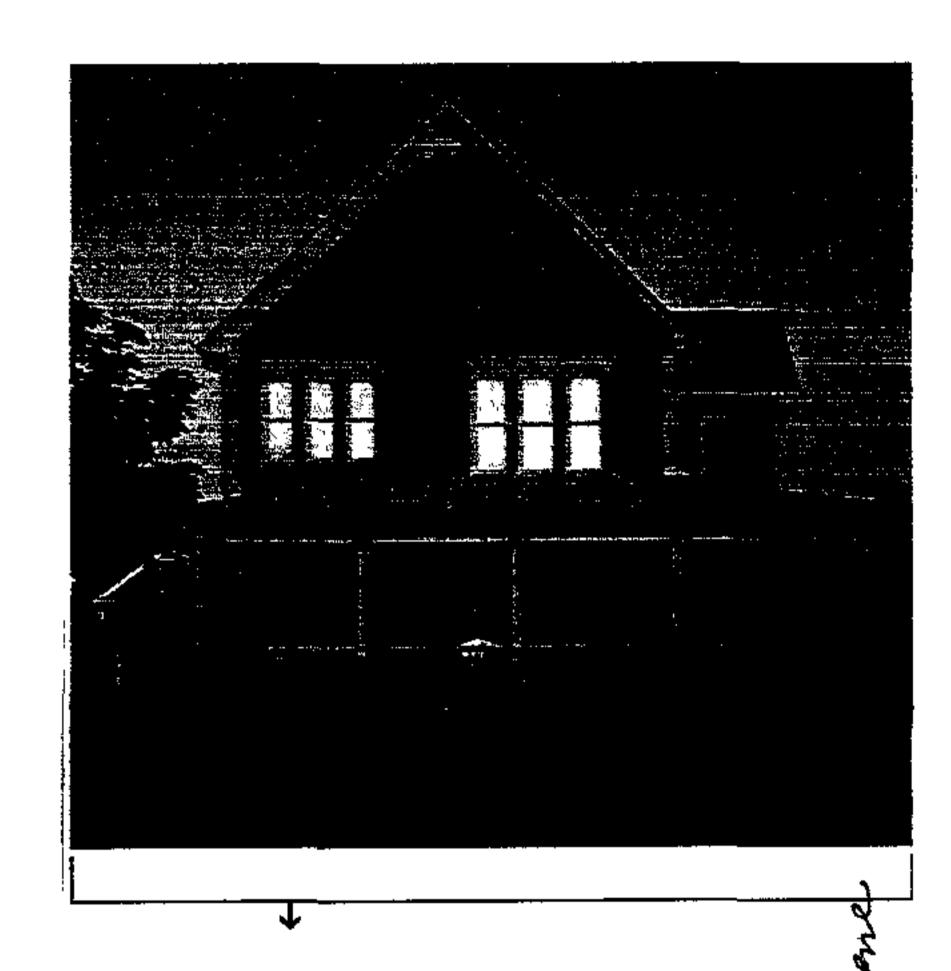
Requested Action: Special Hearing/Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan and elevation drawings (with materials and colors indicated) and finds the proposal to be in accordance with the spirit and intent of the RC 5 regulations and performance standards listed within Bill 55-04. As such, this office does not oppose the setback variance and lot area requests.

**Division Chief:** 

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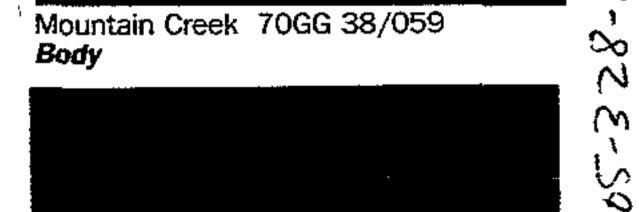


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Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr., Governor
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#### waryland Department of Transportation

Date: 1.10.05

**Baltimore County** 

Item No. 328

RE:

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

Dear. Ms. Matthews:

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,

Steven D. Foster, Chief

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Engineering Access Permits Division

#### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

**DATE:** January 24, 2005

Department of Permits & Development Management

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Bureau of Development Plans

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**SUBJECT:** 

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The minimum right-of-way for all roads in Baltimore County is 40 feet. Variance shall be modified to reflect this on Burke Road.

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

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Reviewer: Glenn Shaffer Date: February 11, 2005

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# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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**DATE:** February 3, 2005

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

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PETITION FOR VARIANCE RE:

1234 Burke Road; S/S Burke Rd, 450' W

c/line Bowleys Quarters Rd

15<sup>th</sup> Election & 6<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen\*

Contract Purchaser(s): Randolph Reyes

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR

**BALTIMORE COUNTY** 

05-328-A

### ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and 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 13th day of January, 2005, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to, Donald & Mary Hansen, 222 E. Saratoga Street, Suite 805, Baltimore, MD 21202, Petitioner(s).

RECEIVED

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

## Zoning Commissioner

Suite 405, County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 Tel: 410-887-3868 • Fax: 410-887-3468



## Baltimore County

James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive
William J Wiseman III, Zoning Commissioner

February 25, 2005

Mr. & Mrs. Donald J. Hansen 222 E. Saratoga Street, #805 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Re: Petitions for Variance & Special Hearing Case Nos. 05-328-A & 05-329-SPHA Property: 1234 & 1236 Burke Road

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Hansen:

Enclosed you will find the ZAC comments referred to in my February 24, 2005 order that were inadvertently not attached to the Order.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience this may have caused. Should you have any questions or require any additional information, please feel free to contact me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

John V. Murphy

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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Enclosures

c: Randolph Reyes, 6505 Evening Shadows Ct., Clarksville, MD 21029 Marianne Garrison, 205 E. Joppa Road, Towson, MD 21286 Craig & Tracie Leonard, 1847 Cape May Road, Essex, MD 21221

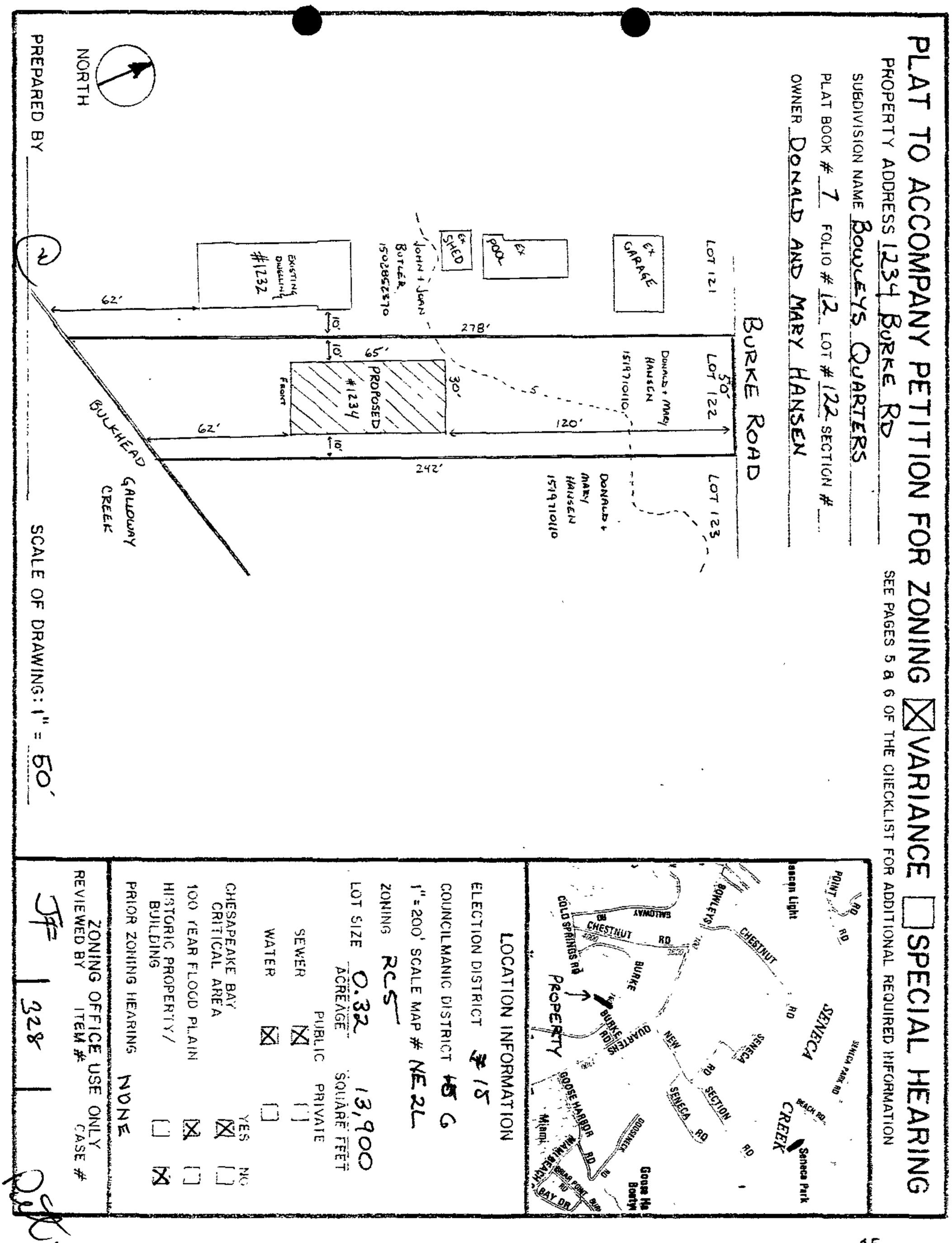


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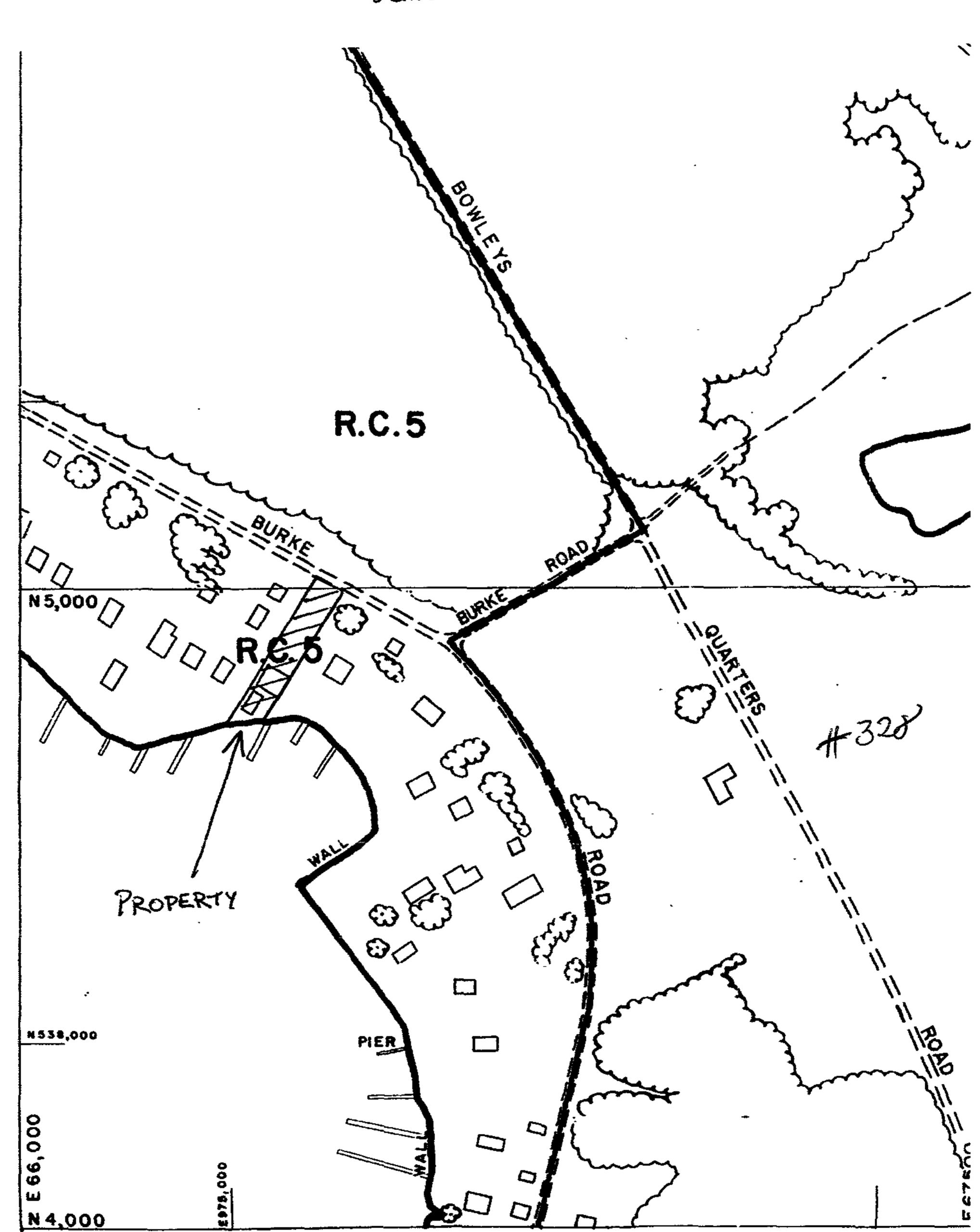
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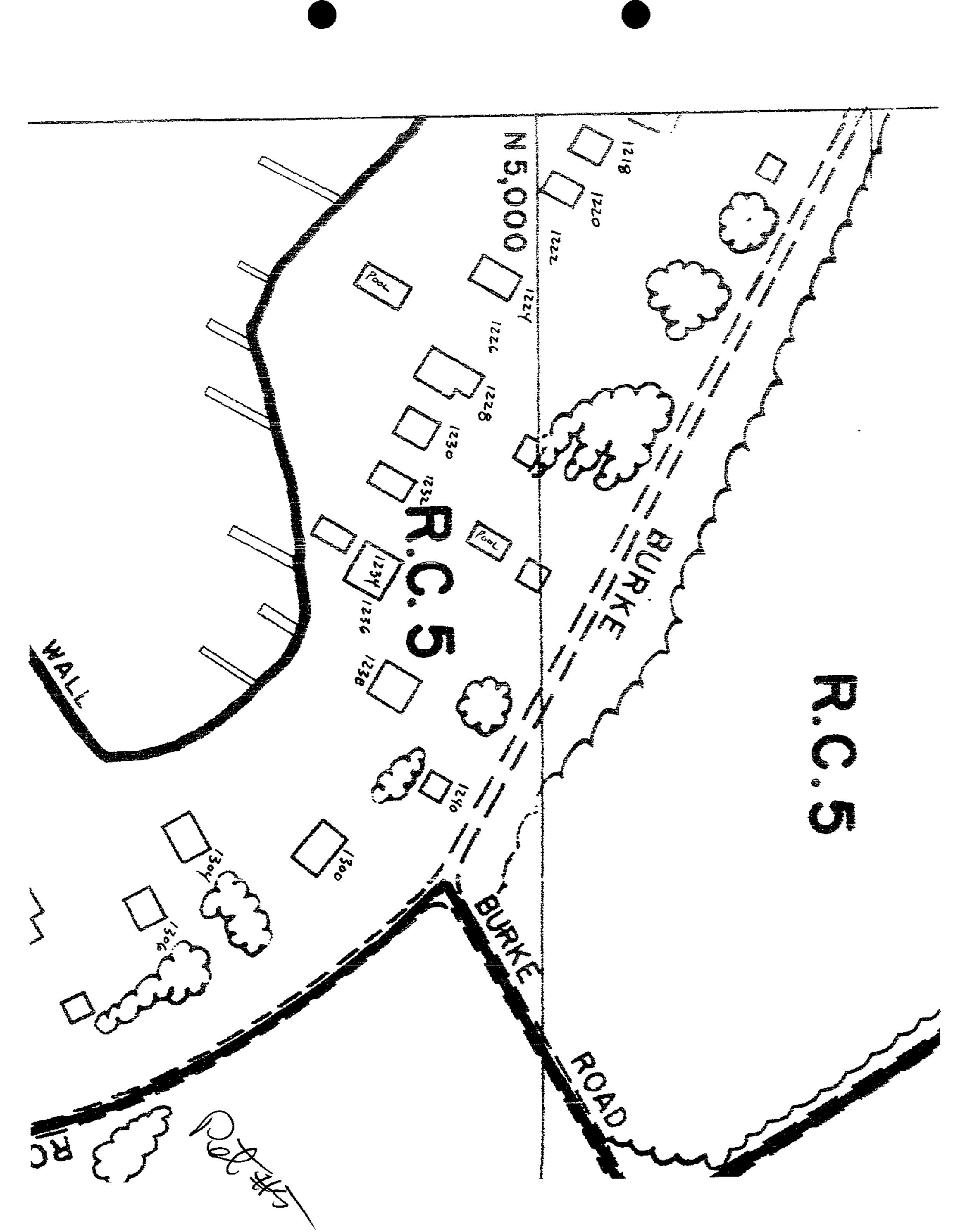
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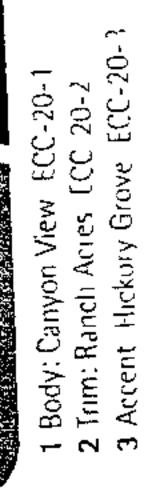
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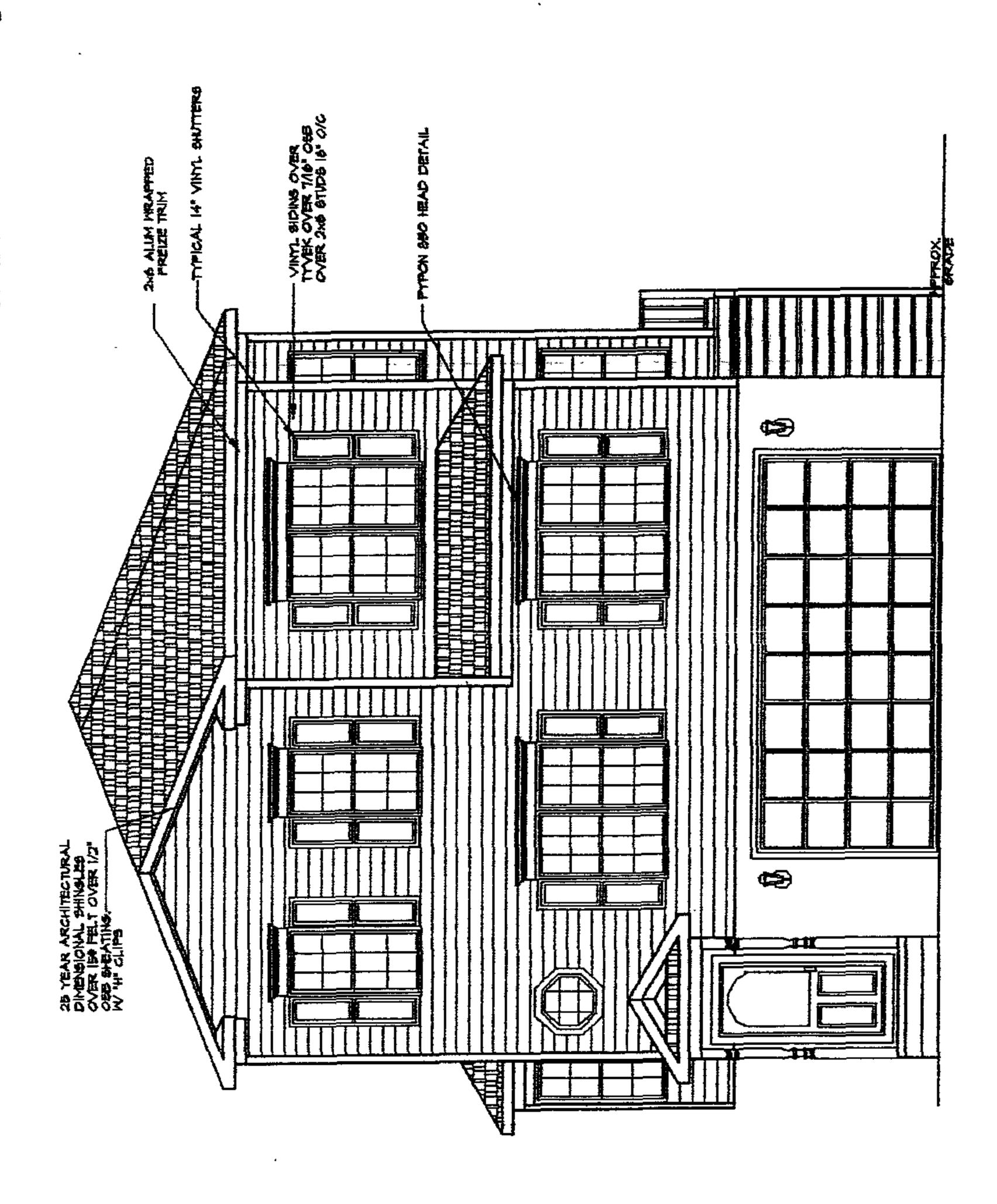


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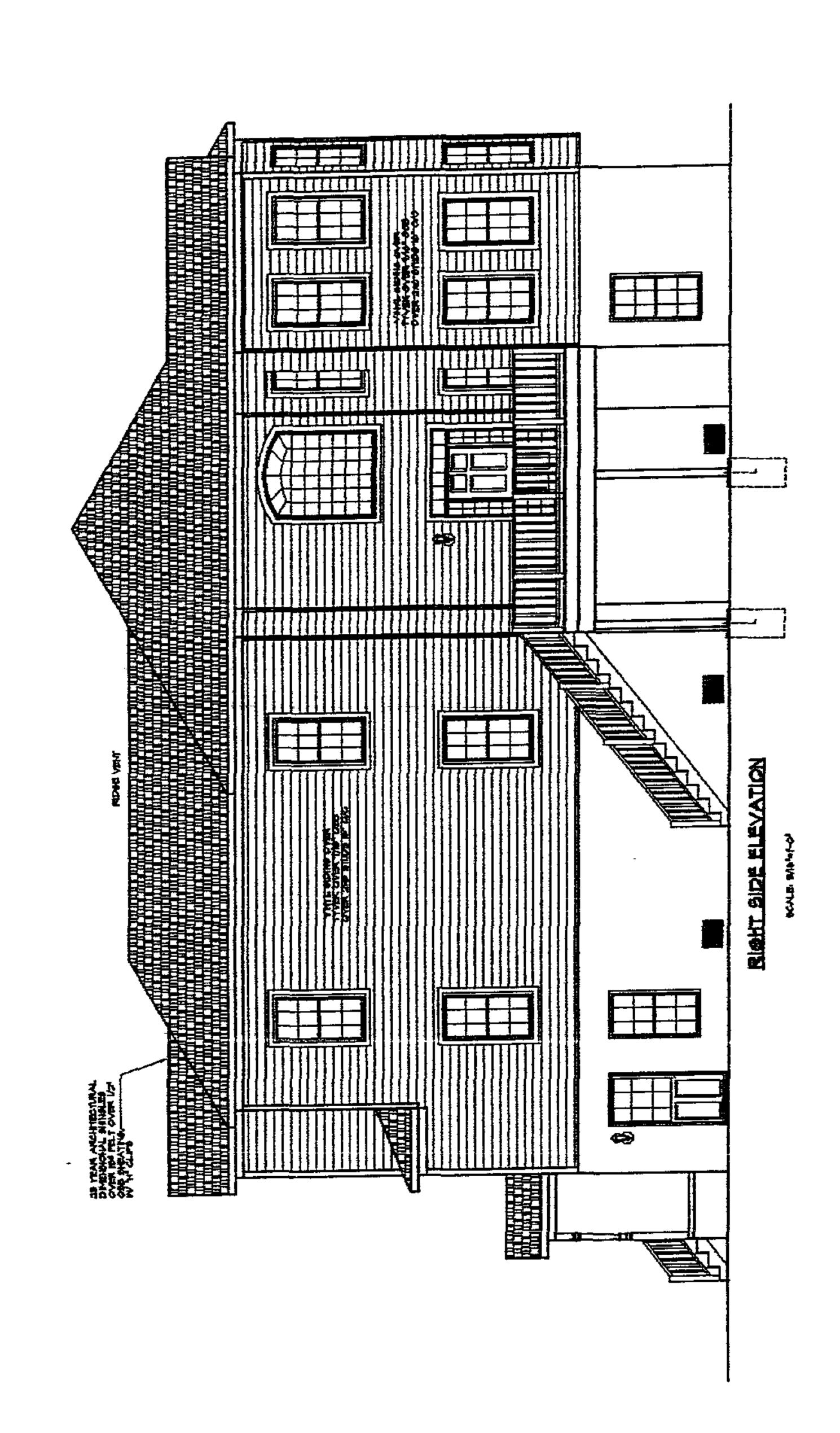
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Case Number: US-529-SFIIA

1236 Burke Road

Legal Owners: Donald J. & Mary S. Hansen Contract Purchaser: Craig & Tracie Leonard

BURKE RD

Lot is presently vacant. Original house was destroyed by Hurricane Isabel.

IN RE: PETITIONS FOR VARIANCE

S/S Burke Road, 415' & 465' NW of the c/l

Burke Road

(1224 and 1226 Burke Road)

15<sup>th</sup> Election District

6<sup>th</sup> Council District

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Cases Nos. 05-042-A and 05-043-A

Charles G. Hill, et ux, Owners;
David M. Hausner and Charles D. Falter,
Respective Contract Purchasers

\* \* \* \* \* \* \*

## FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Variance filed by Charles G. Hill and his wife, Rosalie M. Hill, Owners, and David M. Hausner, Contract Purchaser of 1224 Burke Road, and Charles D. Falter, Contract Purchaser of 1226 Burke Road. Since the properties are located adjacent to one another and owned by the same persons, the two cases were heard contemporaneously. Relief is requested from Sections 1A04.3.B.2 and 1A04.3.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit side yard setbacks of 10 feet each in lieu of the required 50 feet for a proposed 30' x 65' dwelling on each lot with a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet. The subject properties and requested relief are more particularly described on the respective site plans submitted in each case and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibits 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the request were David M. Hausner, Esquire, attorney for the Petitioners and Contract Purchaser of 1224 Burke Road; Charles D. Falter, Contract Purchaser of 1226 Burke Road; and, Clyde F. Hinkle, Professional Engineer who prepared the site plans for these properties. Also appearing was Bruce L. Schuchardt, adjacent property owner of 1228 Burke Road. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject properties are waterfront lots located adjacent to one another on Galloway Creek in eastern Baltimore County. The properties

are also known as Lots 117 and 118 of the subdivision of Bowleys Quarters, which was recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County on May 27, 1921. As shown on the site plans submitted, Lot 117 contains a gross area of 16,833 sq.ft., or 0.386 acres, and is improved with a one-story dwelling, known as 1224 Burke Road, and detached garage. Lot 118 contains 17,759 sq.ft., or 0.407 acres, and is unimproved but for an in-ground swimming pool and freestanding garage. Although each lot was recorded as a separate lot under separate deeds, Lot 118 has essentially been used as the side yard for the dwelling on Lot 117 for many years. The Petitioners have contracted to sell Lot 117 to Mr. Hausner and Lot 118 to Mr. Falter, who are longtime friends and wish to redevelop each lot with a single-family dwelling in which they will reside. Each lot is approximately 50 feet wide and 395 feet deep, and is located with frontage on Burke Road to the north and Galloway Creek to the south.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that all existing improvements will be razed and each lot redeveloped with a single family dwelling, 30' x 65' in dimension, with a height of 45 feet. As to the variances, relief is requested to allow 10-foot side yard setbacks on each side in lieu of the required 50 feet. Obviously, given the 50-foot width of each lot, it is not possible to meet the 50-foot side yard setback required in the R.C.5 zone. The second request is to allow a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet. In this regard, due to the property's waterfront location adjacent to Galloway Creek, the existing improvements suffered storm damage as a result of Hurricane Isabel. Moreover, under the County's floodplain regulations, the first floor living area must be a minimum of 1 foot above the flood elevation level. In view of these environmental and floodplain requirements, the proposed houses must be constructed at a height greater than that allowed by the B.C.Z.R. As to compatibility, the Petitioners submitted a site plan depicting other houses on this section of Burke Road which show that the predominant theme in the community is that most of the lots are 50 feet wide. Additionally, photographs submitted show that the proposed dwellings will be consistent from an architectural standpoint with existing houses in the heighborhood.

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief. The Petitioners have shown that the proposed improvements meet the spirit and intent of the zoning regulations and will not be detrimental to the health, safety or general welfare of the surrounding locale. Moreover, it is clear that the proposed dwellings will be consistent with other homes in the neighborhood. Thus, the relief requested will be granted. However, the proposed construction must comply with Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas regulations, as set forth in the Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM), and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A. regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains. Additionally, the Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings of the proposed dwellings to the Office of Planning for review and approval prior to the issuance of any permits to insure that the proposed dwelling are compatible with existing development in the area.

It is also to be noted that certain questions arose at the hearing regarding the nature of the relief requested. Specifically, the Petitioners questioned whether variance relief is necessary from Section 1A04.3.B.1 of the B.C.Z.R. That Section originally required that no lot in the R.C.5 zone can be less than 1.0 acre in size; however, the Baltimore County Council recently amended this Section to require that every lot in the R.C.5 zone be no less than 1.5 acres in area. The language of Section 1A04.3.B.1 prohibits the "creation" of any such R.C.5 lot. In this case, the lots are not being created; that is, they are part of a subdivision that was duly recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County in 1921. Thus, although the lots are less than 1.5 acres in area, variance relief is not necessary in that the lots already exist.

Secondly, the Petitioners questioned whether relief was required under Section 304 of the B.C.Z.R. That Section allows a Petitioner to request relief for an undersized lot if certain conditions are met. In this case, the Petitioners are not eligible for relief under Section 304 in that Mr. & Mrs. Hill own both lots and variance relief is requested from both side yard setback and regight requirements. Thus, relief cannot be sought under Section 304.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the properties, and public hearing on these Petitions 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 August 2004 that the Petitions for Variance filed in Cases Nos. 05-042-A and 05-043-A seeking relief from Sections 1A04.3.B.2 and 1A04.3.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit side yard setbacks of 10 feet each in lieu of the required 50 feet for a proposed 30' x 65' dwelling on each lot with a height of 45 feet in lieu of the maximum allowed 35 feet, in accordance with the site plan submitted in each case and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions:

- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permits and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, the 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) Compliance with the ZAC comments submitted by DEPRM relative to Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas regulations and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A. regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains. Copies of those comments have been attached hereto and are made a part hereof.
- 3) The Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings of the proposed dwellings to the Office of Planning prior to the issuance of any permits to insure that the proposed houses are compatible in terms of size, exterior, building materials, color and architectural details with existing dwellings in the area.
- 4) When applying for a building permit, the site plan(s) 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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### **BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND**

### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits &

Development Management

**DATE:** August 27, 2004

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For August 9, 2004

Item No. 043

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject-zoning item.

The flood protection elevation for this site is 11.2 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

The property to be developed is located adjacent to tidewater. The developer is advised that the proper sections of the *Baltimore County Building Code* must be followed whereby elevation limitations are placed on the lowest floor (*including basements*) of residential (*commercial*) development.

The building engineer shall require a permit for this project.

The building shall be designed and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of structure with materials resistant to flood damage.

Flood-resistant construction shall be in accordance with the requirement of B.O.C.A. International Building Code adopted by the county.

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# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

## INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

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**DATE:** August 23, 2004

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

SUBJECT:

1224 and 1226 Burke Road

**INFORMATION:** 

**Item Number:** 

5-042 and 5-043

Petitioner:

Charles Hill

Zoning:

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Requested Action:

Variance

#### SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning has reviewed the subject request and has determined that the petitioner owns sufficient adjoining land to conform with the minimum width and area requirements and therefore does not meet the standards stated in Section 304.1.C of the BCZR. Nevertheless, the existing lot pattern of the neighborhood is that of 50-foot wide lots. As such, this office does not oppose the petitioner's request. If the petitioner's request is granted, the following conditions shall apply to the proposed dwelling at 1226 Burke Road:

Submit building elevations to this office for review and approval prior to the issuance any building permit. The proposed dwelling shall be compatible in size, exterior building materials, color, and architectural detail as that of the existing dwellings in the area.

Provide landscaping across the front of the subject property.

Prepared by:

Division Chief:

AFK/LL:MAC:

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

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		Development of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Section 14-401 through 14-422 of the Baltimore County Code).				
•	•	Development of this property must comply with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations (Sections 26-436 through 26-461, and other Sections, of the Baltimore County Code).				
	Addition	nal Comments:				

Reviewer:

Keith Kelley

Date: August 10, 2004

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STREET ADDRESS: 1234 Burke Road TAX ACCOUNT NO. 15-19-710110 LOT/BLOCK DESIGNATION: Lots 122 and 123, Plat No. 1, Plat of Property of Bowley's Quarter Company of Baltimore County, W.P.C. 7, folio 12.

### CONFIRMATORY DEED

THIS CONFIRMATORY DEED, made this 5 day of February, in the year nineteen hundred and ninety-three, by and between CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT, (formerly known as CHARLOTTE MOODIE) of Baltimore County, State of Maryland, Grantor and DONALD J. HANSEN and MARY S. HANSEN, his wife, of Baltimore County, State of Maryland, Grantees.

WHEREAS, by a Deed dated December 3, 1982 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr. No. 6463, folio 315, Allan Moodie and Charlotte Moodie, (now known as Charlotte I. Moodie-Scott), did attempt to convey the hereinafter described property to Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife, and Robert J. Hansen and Margaret M. Hansen, his wife, the Grantees therein; and

WHEREAS, through an inadvertence, the names of said Grantees were omitted from the granting and habendum clauses in said Deed; and

WHEREAS, the said Robert J. Hansen departed this life on or about December 1, 1984, thereby vesting title to his interest in said property in the said Margaret M. Hansen by right of survivorship; and

WHEREAS, by a Deed dated September 30, 1986 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber E.H.K., Jr., No. 7294, folio 807, the said Donald J. Hansen, Guardian of the person and property of Margaret Marie Hansen did attempt to convey the interest of the said Margaret M. Hansen (therein referred to as Margaret Marie Hansen), to said Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife; and

WHEREAS, the said Margaret M. Hansen has since departed this life on or about November 3, 1988; and

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WHEREAS, the said Allan Moodie departed this life on or about August 20, 1985, leaving the said Charlotte Moodie, (now known as Charlotte I. Moodie-Scott), as surviving tenant by the entirety; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the parties to confirm and correct the original Deed and to vest fee simple title in and to the hereinafter described property, in the said Donald J. Hansen and Mary S. Hansen, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, wherefore these present are executed.

WITNESSETH, that in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars (S5.00) and other good and valuable consideration, there being no actual consideration paid or to be paid in connection with this confirmatory conveyance, the said CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT, formerly known as CHARLOTTE MOODIE, does grant, convey and confirm to DONALD J. HANSEN and MARY S. HANSEN, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, the survivor of them, and the survivor's personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple, all that land, situate, lying and being in the Fifteenth Election District of Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as follows:

BEING known and designated as Lots Nos. 122 and 123 Plat No. 1 as shown on the Plat of the property of the Bowley's Quarter Company of Baltimore County, which Plat is duly recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Plat Book W.P.C. No. 7, folio 12. Said lots being situate on the southwest side of Burke Road.

SUBJECT to all covenants, conditions, easements and encumbrances of record.

TOGETHER with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected, made or being and all and every the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said lots of ground and premises, above described and mentioned, and hereby intended to be conveyed, unto and to the proper use and benefit of DONALD J. HANSEN and MARY S. HANSEN, his wife, as tenants by the entireties, their assigns, the

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survivor of them, and the survivor's personal representatives and assigns, in fee simple.

AND the Grantor does hereby covenant that she has not done or suffered to be done any act, matter or thing whatsoever to encumber the property hereby conveyed, that she will warrant specially the property granted, and that she will execute such further assurances of the same as may be requisite.

AS WITNESS the hand and seal of the Grantor.

WITNESS:

(formerly known as Charlotte Moodie)

STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this \_5 day of February, 1993, before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared CHARLOTTE I. MOODIE-SCOTT, (formerly known as Charlotte Moodie), known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within Confirmatory Deed, and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

AS WITNESS my hand and notarial seal.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 12/1/93

I hereby certify that this instrument has been prepared by J. Paul Rieger, Jr., an attorney at law admitted to practice before the Court of Appeals of Maryland.

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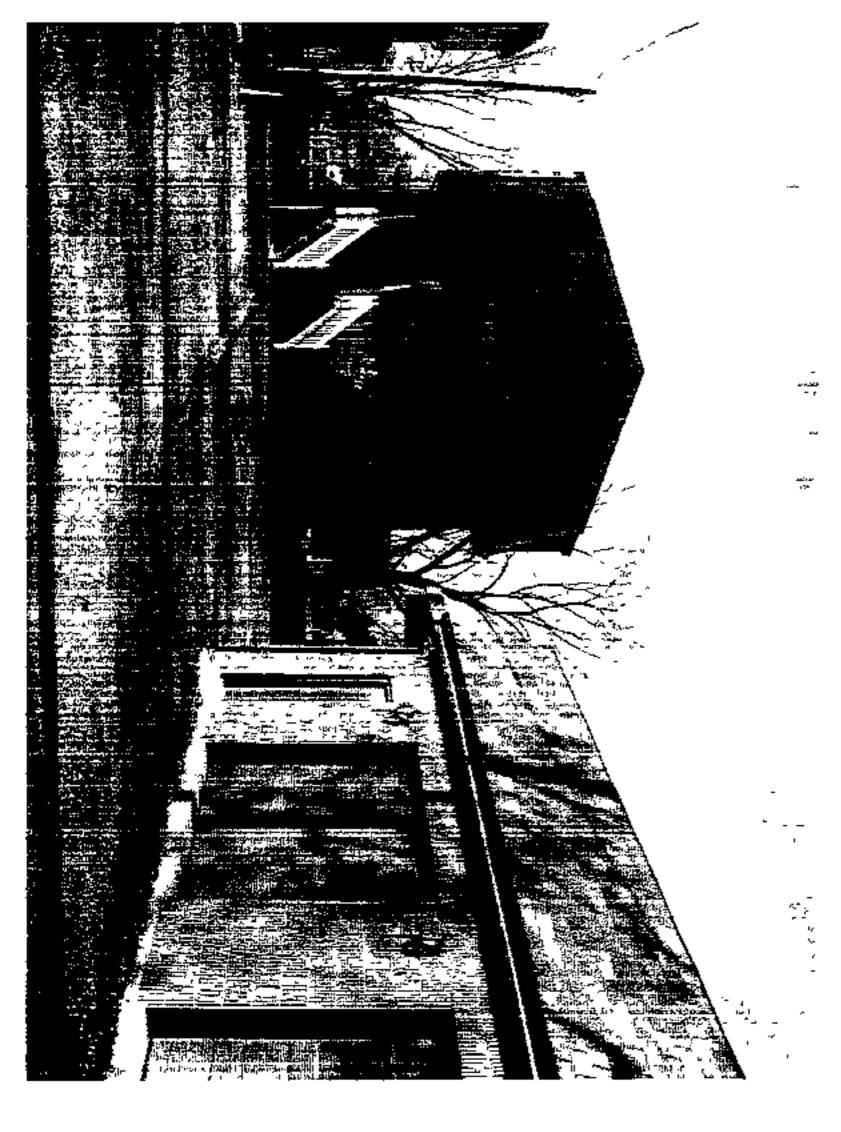
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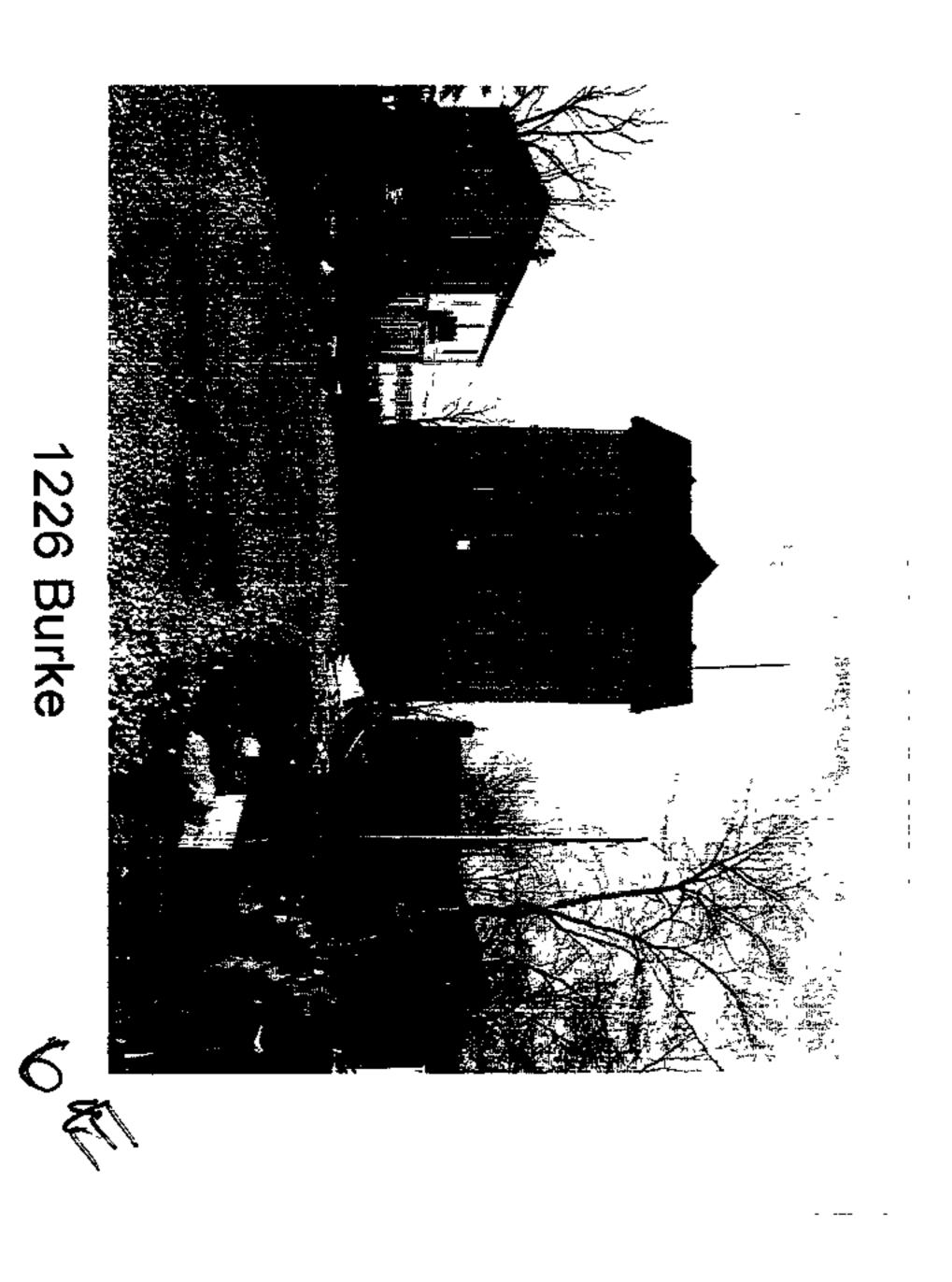
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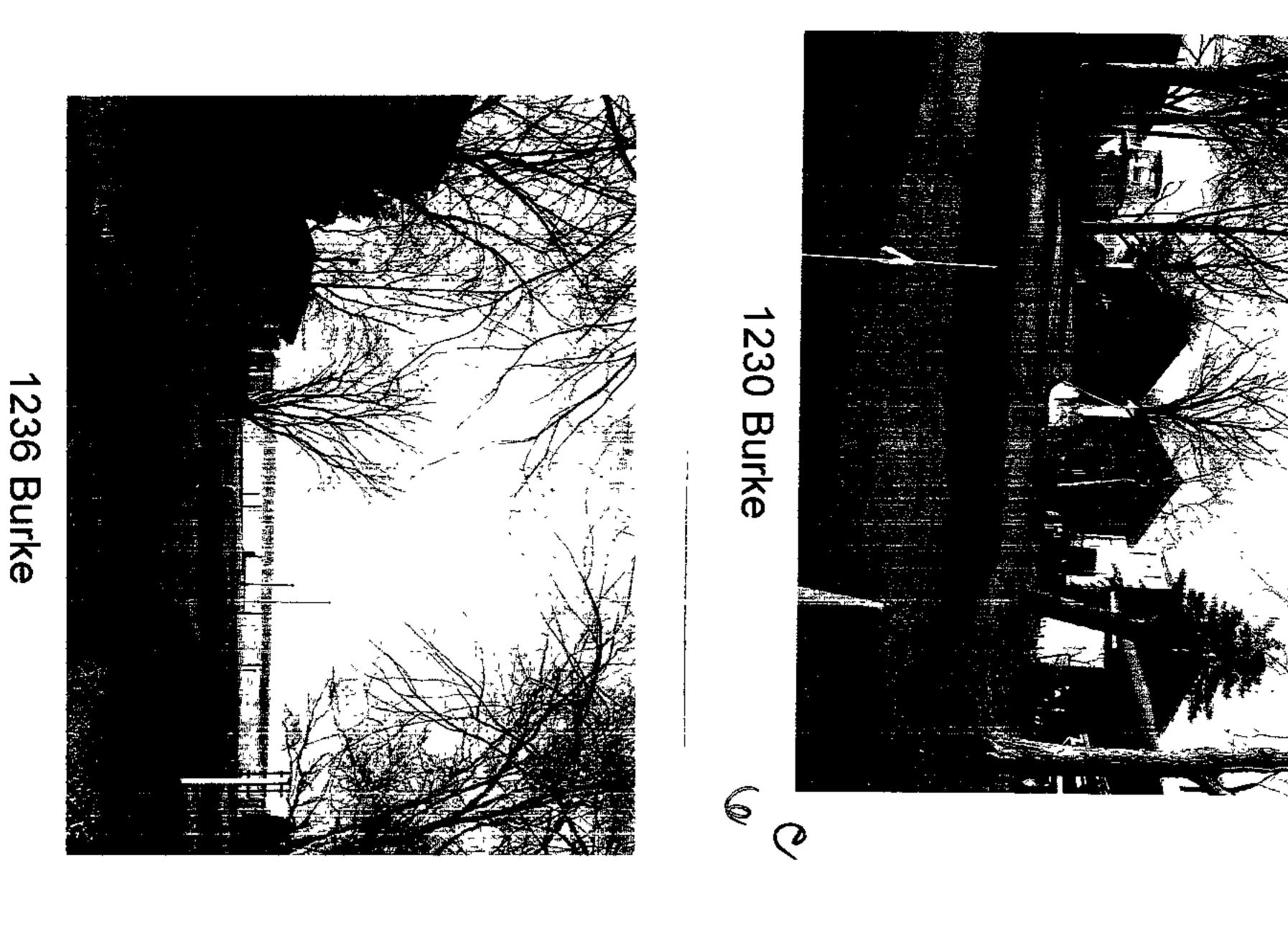


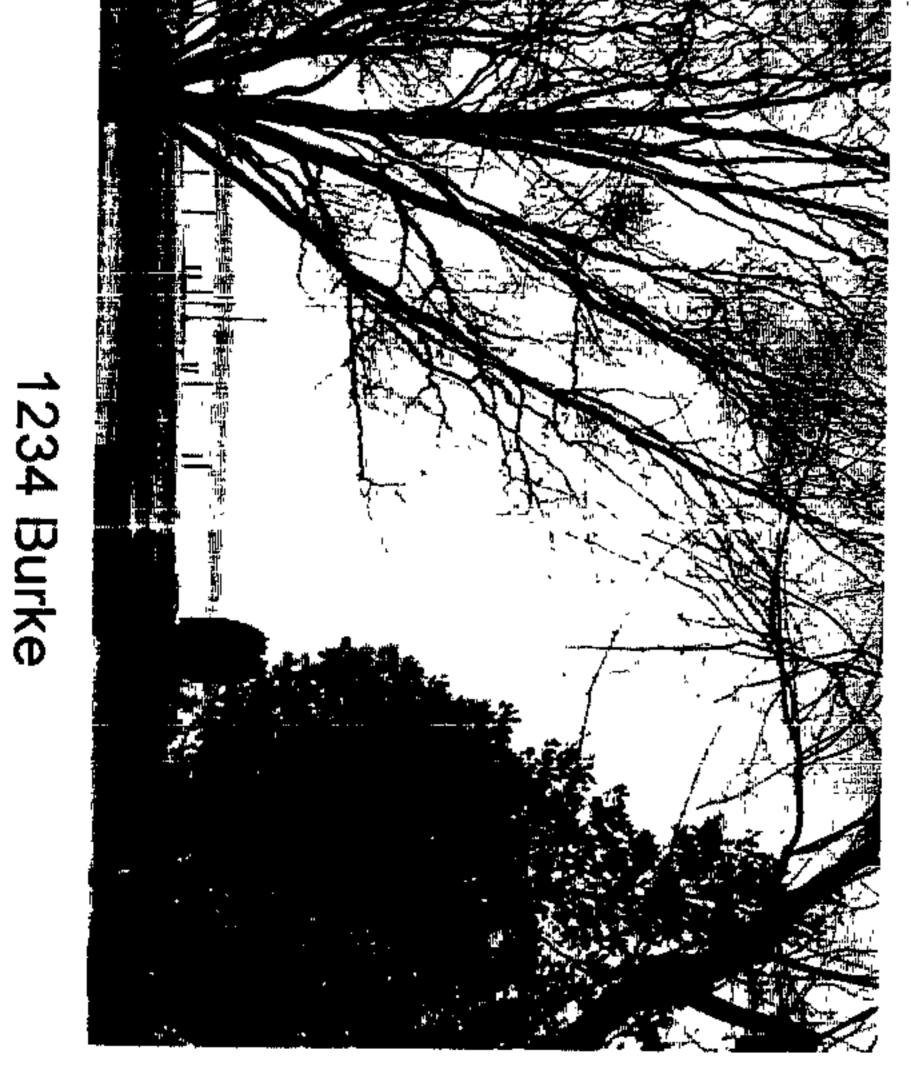




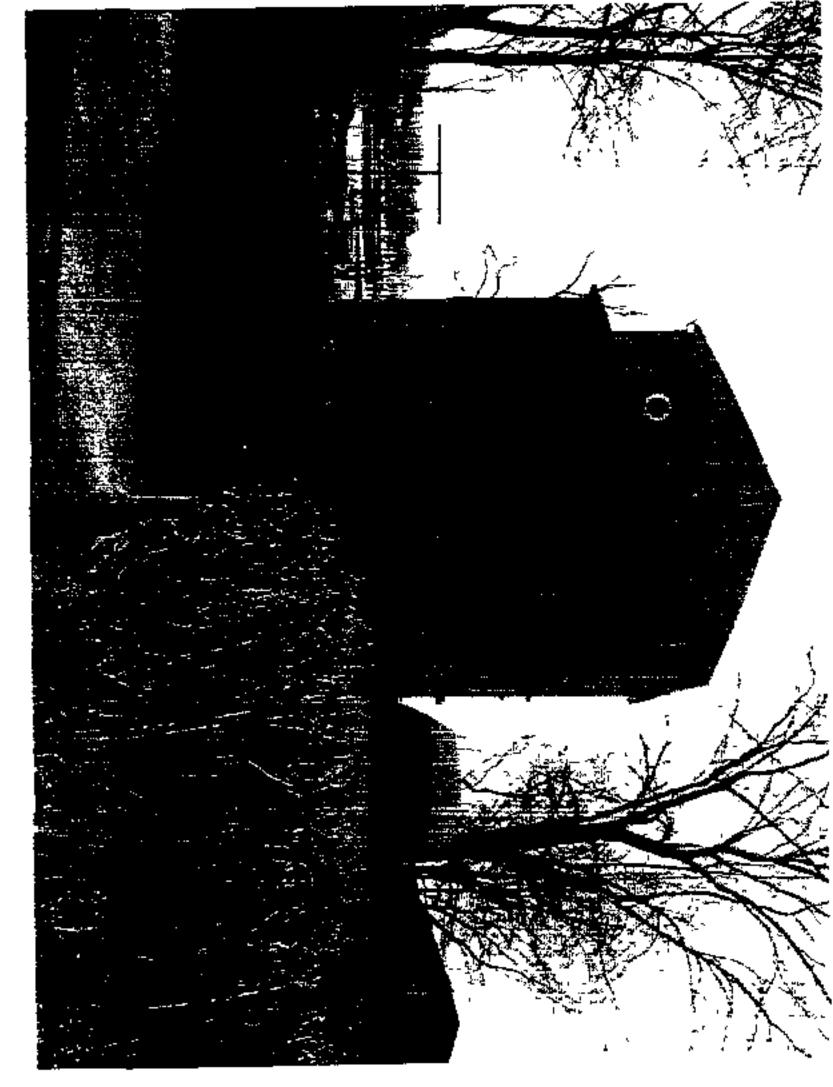


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