IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE
SW/S Old Bosley Road, 1880' SE of the
c/l of Pot Spring Road
(2421 Old Bosley Road)
8th Election District

8<sup>th</sup> Election District 4<sup>th</sup> Council District

Theodore C. Julio, et ux Petitioners

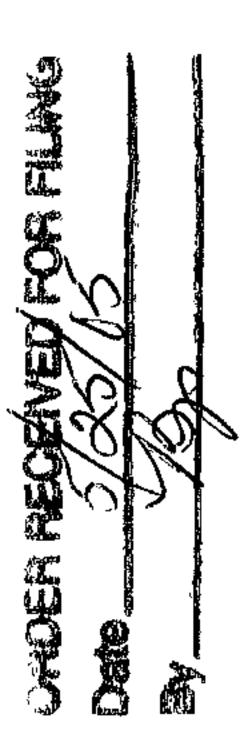
- \* BEFORE THE
- \* ZONING COMMISSIONER
- \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
- \* Case No. 05-399-A

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ORDER ON THE MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner on a Motion for Reconsideration filed by the Office of People's Counsel of the decision rendered by the undersigned in the above-captioned matter on April 13, 2005. By way of background, the Petitioners sought variance relief under prior Case No. 02-576-A to disturb greater than the maximum allowed 20,000 sq.ft. R.C.4 zoned land for a proposed dwelling on the subject property. Within the Order issued by former Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt on August 21, 2002, it was indicated that the dwelling had been designed in such a manner so as to conform with the significant grades and topography of the subject property and that variance relief was warranted. Thus, he granted the relief requested, subject to certain terms and conditions, including that additional landscaping be provided to mitigate impacts upon the conservancy area and address concerns raised by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM).

Subsequent to the issuance of Commissioner Schmidt's Order, the Petitioners completely redesigned the proposed house and commenced construction approximately one year ago. Although it was apparently designed to fit within the prescribed building envelope, it was during the last phase of construction that it was determined that the northwest corner of the detached garage extends beyond the building envelope by approximately 3.5 feet. Thus, the Petitioners filed for variance relief under Case No. 05-399-A and a public hearing was scheduled before the undersigned on April 4, 2005.



Testimony and evidence presented by the Petitioner's engineer indicated that a retaining wall/fence has been constructed around the perimeter of the building envelope to separate development from the conservancy area and that a forest buffer area had been created in the rear yard. Moreover, he noted that as a result of the new house design and configuration, the area of disturbance had actually been reduced from the 32,075 sq.ft. originally approved by Commissioner Schmidt to 31,151 sq.ft. Thus, it was argued that the revised proposal would have less of an impact on the conservancy area. Moreover, it was indicated that as a condition of the prior approval, the Petitioners were required to plant an additional 2,000 sq.ft. of trees and shrubs in the conservancy area, which has been done. But for the extension of a corner of the garage outside of the building envelope by a mere 3.5 feet, all County regulations were met.

Based upon all of the testimony and evidence presented, which was undisputed, I granted the relief requested by my Order dated April 13, 2005. Therein, I noted that the Agricultural Preservation Division of DEPRM had submitted negative comments regarding the revised proposal; however, would support the request provided the Petitioners agreed to reforest a portion of the Conservancy Area. Although not specifically stipulated within my Order, a discussion of this issue ensued at the hearing and I concurred with the Petitioners' position that sufficient reforestation had already been accomplished. As noted above, the Petitioners were required to plant an additional 2,000 sq.ft. of trees and shrubs as a condition of the prior approval.

Nevertheless, subsequent to the issuance of my Findings of Fact and Conclusion of Law, the Office of People's Counsel filed a Motion for Reconsideration, received April 29, 2005. Therein, it is suggested that my Order be stayed subject to the submission of a revised site plan showing a reforestation plan, which has been approved in writing by DEPRM. Subsequent to receiving the Motion, I was advised that the Petitioners' engineer had contacted Wallace Lippincott of DEPRM in an effort to resolve the issue presented. By letter dated May 6, 2005 from Mr. Lippincott to Mr. Richardson, it appears that negotiations are ongoing and that a resolution of this issue is forthcoming.

In view of the above, I am persuaded to deny the Motion filed by the Office of People's Counsel. However, I recognize that the amendment to the approved variance was "a matter of choice and not of any practical difficulty" as noted within People's Counsel's Motion, and that the issue of reforestation need be resolved with DEPRM. Thus, I will amend my prior decision to incorporate a condition that the Petitioners submit a reforestation plan for review and approval by DEPRM prior to the issuance of any use and occupancy permits and that any additional landscaping be accomplished within one year of the date of this Order.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 25 day of May 2005 that the Motion for Reconsideration be and is hereby DENIED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Order issued April 13, 2005 be and the same is hereby AMENDED to incorporate the following restriction:

Within ninety (90) days of the date hereof, the Petitioners shall submit a reforestation plan for review and approval by DEPRM prior to the issuance of any use and occupancy permits. Any additional landscaping shall be accomplished within one year of the date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all other terms and conditions of the Order issued April 13, 2005 shall remain in full force and effect.

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

Zoning Commissioner

For Baltimore County

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cc: Mr. & Mrs. Theodore C. Julio

3 Oak Tree Court, Timonium, Md. 21093

Mr. Patrick C. Richardson, Jr.

110 Old Padonia Road, Suite LC, Cockeysville, Md. 21030

Mr. Wally Lippincott, DEPRM

Peter Max Zimmerman, Esquire, Office of People's Counsel

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- BEFORE THE
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- Case No. 05-399-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Variance filed by the owners of the subject property, Theodore C. Julio, and his wife, Lisa A. Julio. The Petitioners seek relief from Section 1A03.4.B.2.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a building setback of 21.5 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet. In addition, the Petitioners request approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in prior zoning Case No. 02-576-A and an amendment to the Final Development Plan for the Jones Property, Lot 9, only, to allow a building outside of the building envelope. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on the site plan submitted which was accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 2.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the request were Theodore (Ted) Julio, Property Owner, and Patrick Richardson, Professional Engineer who prepared the site plan for this property. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property is an irregular shaped parcel located at the end of a private driveway on the east side of Old Bosley Road, not far from Pot Spring Road and the Loch Raven Reservoir in Cockeysville. The property contains a gross area of 1.436 acres, more or less, zoned R.C.4 and is presently being developed with a single-family dwelling. In this regard, the property was the subject of prior Case No. 02-576-A in which the Petitioners were granted a variance to allow development of the subject property on August 21, 2002 by then Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt. In that case, the Petitioners sought relief from Section 1A03.5.F of the B.C.Z.R. to permit a disturbance area of 32,075 sq.ft. in lieu of the maximum allowed 20,000 sq.ft. in the R.C.4 zone. At that time, the proposed house was designed with a curve and featured an attached garage and walk-out basement

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as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 1. Due to the significant grades and irregular shape of the property, the Petitioners proposed grading the land to the rear of the house to conform the property to the design characteristics of the home and existing contours in lieu of constructing a retaining wall. Because the proposal and grading resulted in a greater disturbance area than allowed by the R.C.4 regulations, the Petitioners were required to provide additional landscaping to mitigate impacts upon the conservancy area. The Petitioners now come before me seeking approval of a modified site plan and amendments to the previously approved site plan/development plan for this property.

In this regard, Mr. Richardson testified that the Petitioners changed the design of the proposed house and as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 2, now propose a Mediterranean-style villa with a detached garage connected to the house with a covered walkway. Construction commenced approximately one year ago, and development is nearly completed; however, it was recently discovered that the northwest corner of the garage extends beyond the building envelope by approximately 3.5 feet. Thus, variance relief is requested in order to resolve the matter. In support of the request, Mr. Richardson stated that the septic reserve area has been reconfigured and a forest buffer has been created in the rear yard. In addition, all construction has taken place within the retaining wall/fence that was constructed around the perimeter of the building envelope to separate development from the conservancy area. Thus, there will be no more encroachment into the conservancy area. Moreover, he noted that the area of disturbance has been reduced to 31,151 sq.ft.

A negative Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comment was received from the Agricultural Preservation Division of the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM), indicating that the revised proposal places even greater pressure on the Conservancy Area; However, as noted above, the revised proposal will result in a disturbance area of 31,151 sq.ft., which is less than as originally approved (32,075 sq.ft.). Moreover, the Petitioners planted an additional 2,000 sq.ft. of trees and shrubs in the Conservancy Area as a condition of the prior approval. The ZAC comment from the Office of Planning noted that the subject property is now zoned R.C.6; however, the Final Development Plan for the subdivision in which this property is located was approved, pursuant to the R.C.4 regulations. Thus, any proposed development on the subject property must be in compliance with those regulations.

Based upon the testimony and evidence presented, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief. As noted above, there will actually be less disturbance area than in the prior case and there will be no further intrusion into the conservancy area. Finally, I find that a denial of the variance would result in a practical difficulty for the Petitioners and that there will be no detriment to the health, safety and general welfare of the surrounding locale. For all of these reasons, the relief requested shall be granted.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of April 2005 that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 1A03.4.B.2.A of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a building setback of 21.5 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet and approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in prior zoning Case No. 02-576-A and the Final Development Plan for the Jones Property, Lot 9, only, to allow a building outside of the building envelope, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 2, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until the 30-day appeal period from the date of this Order has expired. If an appeal is filed and this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.
- 2) Landscaping shall be consistent with that shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 2.

3) When applying for a building permit, the site plan and/or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the setrictions of this Order.

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

April 13, 2005

Mr. & Mrs. Theodore C. Julio 3 Oak Tree Court Timonium, Maryland 21093

RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE SW/S Old Bosley Road, 1880' SE of the c/l Pot Spring Road (2421 Old Bosley Road) 8<sup>th</sup> Election District — 4<sup>th</sup> Council District Theodore C. Julio, et ux - Petitioners Case No. 05-399-A

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Julio:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petition for Variance has been granted, in accordance with the attached Order.

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

very truly yours.

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III
Zoning Commissioner
for Baltimore County

WJW:bjs

cc: Mr. Patrick C. Richardson, Jr.
110 Old Padonia Road, Suite LC, Cockeysville, Md. 21030
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### Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 2421 OLP BOSLEY RD which is presently zoned RC4

This Petition shall be filed with the Department of Permits and Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Variance from Section(s) | AO3.4.82ATO PERMIT A BUILDING GIVE YARD SETBACK OF 21.5' IN LIBU OF THE REQUIRED 25', TO AMEND THE 5116 . PLAN IN ZONING CASE 02-576-A AND TO AMEND THE FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR JONES PROPERTY, LOT 9 TO ALLOW A BUILDING OUTSIDE OF THE BUILDING ENVELOP of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty) TO CONNECT THE GARAGE AND HOUSE WITH A COVERED WALKWAY

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

> I/We do solemnly declare and affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.

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Address		Telephone No.	110 OLD PADONIA RD SUITE LC 410-560-150; Address Telephone No.
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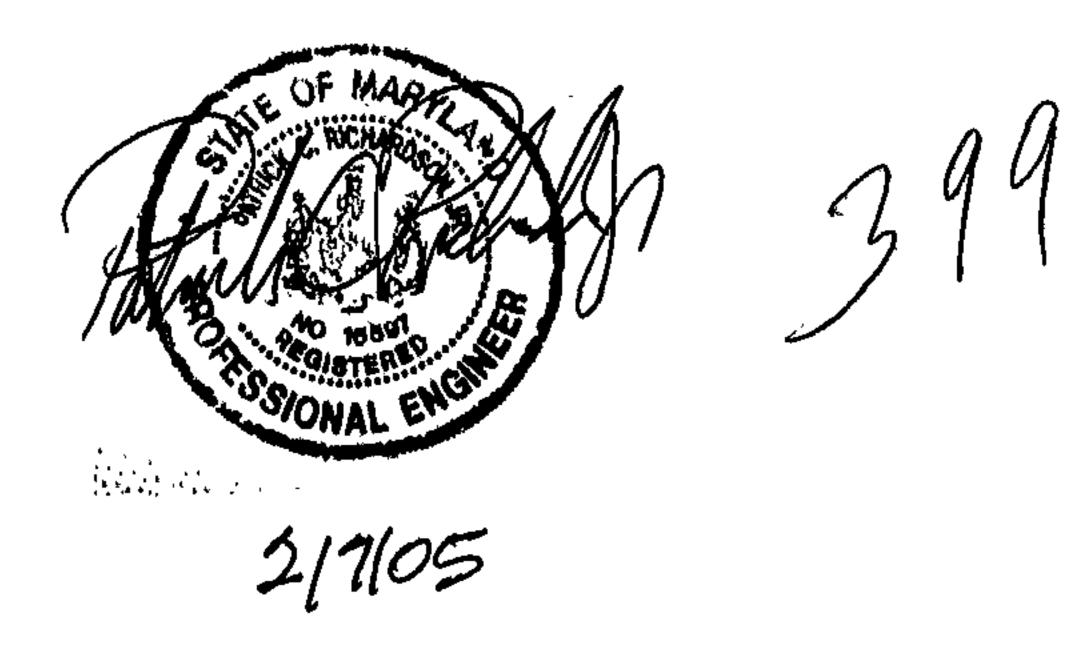
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410-560-1502, fax 410-560-0827

# ZONING DESCRIPTION JULIO PROPERTY 2421 OLD BOSLEY ROAD 9TH ELECTION DISTRICT BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

BEGINNING FOR THE SAME at a point on the southwest side of Old Bosley Road approximately 1,880 feet southeast of the intersection of Pot Spring Road and Old Bosley Road; for the following courses and distances: (1) by a curve to the left with a radius of 68.00 feet and length of 69.05 feet (2) South 18 degrees 30 minutes 49 seconds East 42.17 feet, (3) by a curve to the right with a radius of 112.00 feet and length of 134.32 feet (4) by a curve to the right with a radius of 312.00 feet and length of 154.81 feet, (5) by a curve to the left with a radius of 253.00 feet and length of 253.47 feet, (6) by a curve to the left with a radius of 103.00 feet and length of 152.64 feet (7) South 63 degrees 40 minutes 42 seconds East 182.07 feet, (8) South 07 degrees 35 minutes 35 seconds West 185.17 feet, (9) South 66 degrees 04 minutes 07 seconds East 43.60 feet, (10) South 12 degrees 35 minutes 27 seconds East 163.02 feet, (11) North 76 degrees 54 minutes 33 seconds East 119.74 feet, (12) North 07 degrees 48 minutes 33 seconds East 245.05 feet, (13) North 63 degrees 40 minutes 42 seconds West 402.19 feet, (14) by a curve to the right with a radius of 90.00 feet and length of 130.84 feet, (15) by a curve to the right with a radius of 245.00 feet and length of 245.46 feet, (16) by a curve to the left with a radius of 320.00 feet and length of 158.78 feet, (17) by a curve to the left with a radius of 120.00 feet and length of 143.92 feet, (18) North 18 degrees 30 minutes 49 seconds West 42.17 feet, (19) by a curve to the right with a radius of 60.00 feet and length of 154.81 feet, (20) by a curve to the left with a radius of 570.00 feet and length of 8.00 feet, to the place of beginning, being lot 9 of the Plat of Jones Property.

Containing 1.436 acres of land, more or less.



ZONING DESCRIPTION. 2421 OLD BOSLEY RD.

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE SOUTH WEST SIDE OF OLD BURLEY RD. 1880 FT SCUTH EAST OF POT SPRING ROAD BEING LOT 9 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF JOWES PROPERTY PLAT BOOK \_\_ FOLIO.

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#### 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 #05-399-A
2421 Old Bosley Road
S/west side of Old Bosley Road, 1,880 feet s/east of Pot Spring Road
Bth Ejection District-3rd Councilmanic District
Lagal Owner(s): Theodore C. & Lisa A. Julio
Variance: to permit a building setback of 21.5 feet in lieu of the required 25 feet, to amend the site plan in zoning case 02-576-A, and to amend the Final Development Plan for Jones Property, Lot 9 to allow a building outside of the building envelope.

Hearing: Monday, April 4, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. in Room A07; County Courts Building, 401 Bosley Avenue, Towson 21204.

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WILLIAM WISEMAN
Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County
NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handleapped Accessible; for special accommodations Please Contact the Zoning Commissioner's Office at (410) 887-4386.

(2) For information concerning the File and/or Hearing, Contact the Zoning Review Office at (410) 887-3391.

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### CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

### CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

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	Date of Hearing/Closing: 4/4/05
Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management County Office Building, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204	
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### **Baltimore County**

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

March 1, 2005

### **NEW NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING**

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Hearing: Monday, April 4, 2005 at :00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosley Avenue, Towson 21204

Timothy Kotroco

Director

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C: Theodore & Lisa Julio, 3 Oak Tree Ct., Timonium 21093
Patrick Richardson, Jr., 110 Old Padonia Road, Ste. LC, Cockeysville 21030

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2005.

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

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3 Oak Tree Court Timonium, MD 21093 410-837-5200

#### CORRECTED NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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Hearing: Monday, April 4, 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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James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

February 22, 2005

#### **NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING**

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Hearing: Thursday, March 24, 2005 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building, 401 Bosley Avenue, Towson 21204

Timothy Kotroco

Director

TK:klm

C: Theodore & Lisa Julio, 3 Oak Tree Ct., Timonium 21093 Patrick Richardson, Jr., 110 Old Padonia Road, Ste. LC, Cockeysville 21030

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Hearing: Thursday, March 24, 2005 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 407, County Courts Building,

401 Bosley Avenue, Towson 21204

WILLIAM WISEMAN

ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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### DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

### ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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

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

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

For Newspaper Advertising:	^
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Petitioner: TED & LISA JULIO	
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PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:  Name:	
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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

March 29, 2005

Theodore C. Julio Lisa A. Julio 3 Oak Tree Court Timonium, Maryland 21093

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Julio:

RE: Case Number: 05-399-A, 2421 Old Bosley Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on February 8, 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

WCR: clb

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel Patrick C. Richardson, Jr. 110 Old Padonia Road Ste. LC Cockeysville 21030



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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

February 24, 2005

ATTENTION: Zoning Review planners

Distribution Meeting of: February 22, 2005

Item No.: 397, (399-402, 404

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.

1. 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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Maryland Department of Transportation

Date:

2-18.05

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

RE:

**Baltimore County** 

Item No. 399

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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

Engineering Access Permits Division

TO: Tim Kotroco FROM: John D. Oltman, Jr Do DATE: February 28, 2005 SUBJECT: Zoning Item # 05-399 Address 2421 Old Bosley Avenue Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of February 22, 2005 The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management has no comments on the above-referenced zoning item. 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). 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:

Reviewer:

Paul Dennis

Date: February 25, 2005

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### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

### INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management DATE: March 2, 2005

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FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

ZONNG COMISSIONER

**SUBJECT:** 

Zoning Advisory Petition(s): Case(s) 5-399 - Administrative Variance

The Office of Planning has reviewed the above referenced case(s) and has no comments to offer. For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact Mark Cunningham in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

The property owner should be advised that the zoning of the subject property is RC 6, not RC 4.

Prepared By:

**Division Chief:** 

MAC/LL

### BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

#### INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits & Development Management **DATE:** March 7, 2005

FROM:

Robert W. Bowling, Supervisor Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For February 28, 2005 Item Nos. 395, 397, 398, 399, 402, 403,

and 404

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

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RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

2421 Old Bosley Road; SW/side Old Bosley

Road, 1,880' SE Pot Springs Road

8<sup>th</sup> Election & 3<sup>rd</sup> Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): Theodore C. & Lisa A. Julio\*

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

**FOR** 

BALTIMORE COUNTY

05-399-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 and all 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

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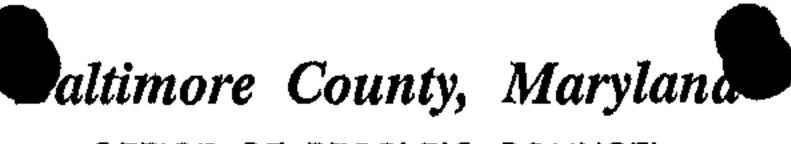
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2005, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to, Patrick Richardson, Jr, Richardson Engineering, LLC, 110 Old Padonia Road, Suite LC, Cockeysville, MD 21030, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

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PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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OFFICE OF PEOPLE'S COUNSEL

Room 47, Old CourtHouse 400 Washington Ave. Towson, MD 21204

> 410-887-2188 Fax: 410-823-4236

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN People's Counsel Deputy People's Counsel

April 29, 2005

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

William J. Wiseman, III, Zoning Commissioner County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue, Suite 405 Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

PETITIONER FOR VARIANCE

Theodore C. Julio, et ux.- Petitioners

Case Nos: 05-399-A

Dear Mr. Wiseman:

Please accept this letter as a Motion for Reconsideration under Rule 4K of the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and Order dated April 13, 2005 in the above-referenced case.

It appears that Petitioner deviated from the building envelope approved in variance Case No.: 02-576-A. We have reviewed the earlier decision, dated August 21, 2002, and enclose it herein. As noted in your recent opinion, the request was to exceed the 20,000 square feet land disturbance limit in the R.C. 4 zone. The requested disturbance was 32,075 square feet. The justification related to the unusual topography of the property. Significantly, the Department of Environment (DEPRM) was satisfied so long as Petitioner followed a modified landscaping plan. The approval made this a condition.

In the present case, there is a request to alter the building envelope and revise the area of land disturbance. The disturbed area will be 31,151 square feet, but differently configured. There is now for the first time a request 10r a building setback variance.

DEPRM Agricultural Preservation Program Chief, Wallace Lippincott, has submitted a comment dated March 15, 2005, which was mentioned in your opinion. The comment states:

"The Agricultural Preservation section of this Department does not support the request because no reasonable basis is found to support the variance. A previous variance was granted after a considerable amount of deliberation. This adds to the overall non-conformance of the site by placing even grater [sic] pressure on the Conservancy Area. Perhaps this variance can be supported if the applicant would agree to reforest a portion

of the Conservancy Area to the satisfaction of the Agricultural Preservation section of this Department."

Under the circumstances, we support DEPRM's comment. The amendment to the approved variance is a matter of choice and convenience and not of any practical difficulty. The 2002 variance was approved in conjunction with conditions worked out with DEPRM. At the very least, the amendment should be similarly controlled.

We propose at minimum, that the April 13, 2005 Order be stayed, subject to the submission of a revised site plan which shows a reforestation plan approved in writing by the appropriate DEPRM staff. This reforestation should be a condition of any final approval. Petitioner should also be required to file in writing within one year certification that the required plantings have been accomplished.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,
Pat Max Limmerman

Peter Max Zimmerman

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Carole S. Demilio

Deputy People's Counsel for Baltimore County

PMZ/CSD/rmw

cc: Mr. & Mrs. Theodore C. Julio
Patrick C. Richardson, Jr.
Wallace Lippincott, DEPRM
David Carroll, Director of DEPRM

IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE
SW/S Old Bosley Road, 1880' SE of the
c/l of Pot Spring Road
(2421 Old Bosley Road)
8th Election District
4th Council District

Stonewall Associates, Inc., Owners; Ted & Lisa Julio, Lessees

- \* BEFORE THE
- \* ZONING COMMISSIONER
- \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY
- Case No. 02-576-A

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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Variance filed by the owners of the subject property, Stonewall Associates, Inc., and the Contract Purchasers, Ted and Lisa Julio. The Petitioners seek relief from Section 1A03.5.F of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit disturbance of R.C.4 zoned land of 32,075 sq.ft. in lieu of the maximum allowed 20,000 sq.ft. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on the site plan submitted which was accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the request were Ted Julio, Contract Purchaser, and Patrick Richardson, Professional Engineer who prepared the site plan for this property. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property is an irregular shaped parcel located at the end of a private driveway on the east side of Old Bosley Road, not far from Pot Spring Road and the Loch Raven Reservoir. The property contains a gross area of 1.436 acres, more or less, zoned R.C.4 and is presently unimproved. Mr. & Mrs. Julio have contracted to purchase the property and intend to develop the site with a single family dwelling as shown on the site plan. Pursuant to Section 1A03.5.F of the B.C.Z.R., only 20,000 sq.ft. of R.C.4 zoned land may be disturbed for development. However, owing to the topography of the land, the Petitioners propose disturbing a greater area (32,075 sq.ft.) than that allowed. At the hearing, Mr. Richardson indicated that the property has significant grades and is irregularly shaped. The proposed dwelling will feature a walk-out basement and rather than construct a retaining wall in view of the grades of the property, the Petitioners propose grading to the rear of the house to conform the

property with the house and existing contours. In this regard, the Petitioners have consulted with the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM), which supports the request for so long as additional landscaping is provided on the lot. In response to this request, the plan shows a modified landscape plan to enhance the previously approved landscape plan for this property.

Based upon the testimony and evidence presented, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief with restrictions. The uniqueness associated with this lot is its configuration and grade. These factors necessitate the variance to permit an increased area of disturbance. Moreover, with the implementation of the enhanced landscaping, as shown on the plan, I am persuaded that relief can be granted without detrimental impact to adjacent properties. Moreover, denial of the relief would result in a practical difficulty upon the Petitioners. For all of these reasons, the relief requested shall be granted.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of August, 2002 that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 1A03.5.F of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit disturbance of R.C.4 zoned land of 32,075 sq.ft. in lieu of the maximum allowed 20,000 sq.ft., in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until the 30-day appeal period from the date of this Order has expired. If an appeal is filed and this Order is reversed, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.
- 2) Landscaping shall be consistent with that shown on the plan.

3) When applying for a building permit, the site plan and/or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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## Department of Environmental tection and Resource Management

401 Bosley Avenue, Suite 416 Towson, Maryland 21204



### Baltimore County

James T. Smith, Jr., County Executive David A.C. Carroll, Director

May 6, 2005

Mr. Patrick Richardson Richardson Engineering, LLC 110 Old Padonia Road, Suite LC Cockeysville, MD 21030

> RE: Julio Residence, 2421 Old Bosley Road Mitigation Planting

Dear Mr. Richardson:

In response to your phone call earlier this week, I have attached a drawing indicating two potential areas for mitigation planting in association with the recent request for a variance for the Julio Residence located at 2421 Bosley Road.

On the attachment, I have shown two potential planting areas. I prefer Area 1 because it is closest to the stream and within the Forest Buffer Easement. However, because it is located within the buffer, a plan needs to be reviewed by David Lykens of this Department. If for some reason, that location is not acceptable, I have identified Area 2 as a second choice for mitigation.

The next step in is for you provide me with a proposal for the number and type of trees (native) that will be planted in the mitigation area. Show these in the Area marked Area 1 and as an alternative Area 2. Once I have received the information I will meet with Mr. Lykens to review the location. Alternatively, if you wish to contact Mr. Lykens directly, he can be reached at 410-887-4488 Ext. 267.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 410-887-3776.

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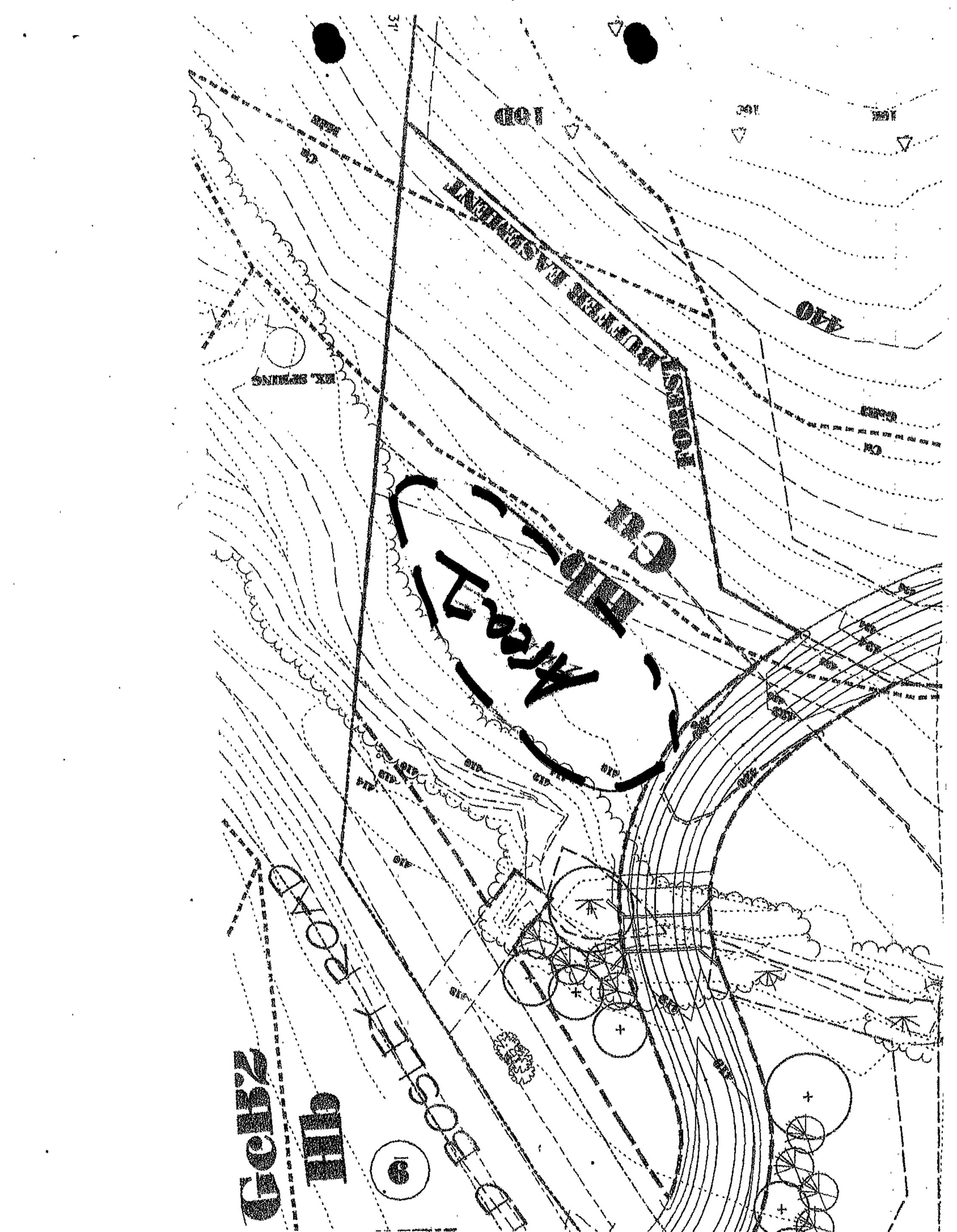
Wallace S. Lippincott, Jr.

c. William Wiseman, Zoning Commissioner Peter Zimmerman, Peoples Counsel David Lykens, DEPRM



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Attention:	William Wiseman	Date: 5/23/	2005
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Bill,

Copy of correspondence sent to Wally Lipincott for your information. Please call me if you have any questions. I will let you know what the response is to this, which was delivered to both Wally and Dave Lykens this morning.

Rick Richardson

Richardson Engineering, LLC

110 Old Padonia Road, Suite LC Cockeysvillo, Maryland 21030

fel. 410-560-1502 fax-410-560-0827

May 23, 2005

Mr. Wally Lippencott
Baltimore County
Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management
400 Bosley Avenue, Suite 400
Towson, Maryland 21204

Reference:

Julio Property

Lot 9, 2421 Old Bosley Road

Dear Mr. Lippencott:

Attached is a copy of a Forest Enhancement Plan for the Jones Property, which is the subdivision that contains Mr. Ted Julio's lot. As per your May 6, 2005 letter, we have proposed to provide addition native planting in Area 1 adjacent to the stream and in the Forest Buffer. I am also sending a copy of this letter and plan to Dave Lykens as you suggested.

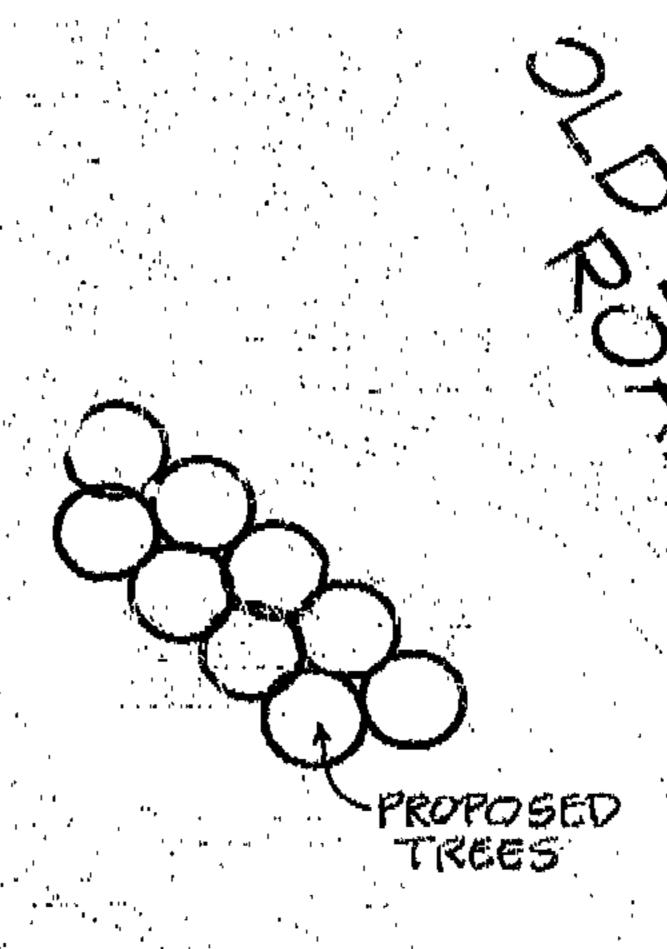
We therefore request your approval of the plantings and your support of the variance that Mr. Wiseman has already approved. If so, then he can modify his order to include these plantings and resolve the issue with Mr. Zimmerman.

Please call me at your convenience, if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Patrick C. Richardson, Jr., PL

Enclosures as noted Ce: Ted Julio



#### TREE PLANTING TABLE

QTY	SPECIES	SIZE REMARKS
3	Red Maple Acer rubrum	(" Cal. B&B or 5 Gal.
3	Silver Maple Acer saccharinum	l" Cal. B¢B or 5 Gal.
3	Black Gum Nyssa sylvatica	I" Cal. B&B or 5 Gal.

### Richardson Engineering, LLC

110 Old Padonia Road. Suite LC Baltimore. Moryland 21030 Tele.: 410-560-1502 Fax: 410-560-0827 FOREST ENHANCEMENT PLAN FOR

JULIO RESIDENCE

2421 OLD BOSLEY ROAD BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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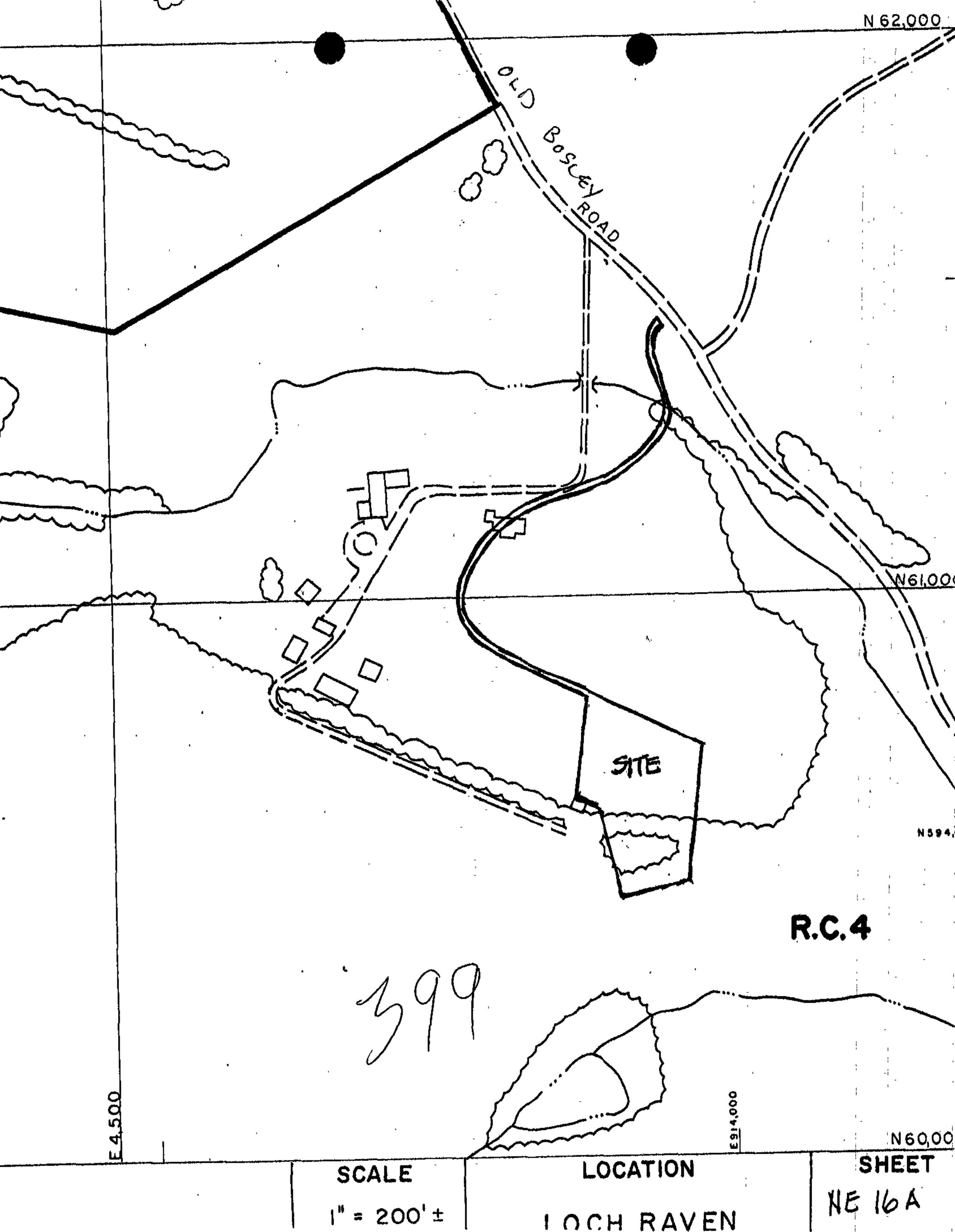
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### Exhibit Sheet

### Petitioner/Developer

### Protestant.

No. 1		
	ORIGINAL APPROVED. SITE PLAN	
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