IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE
N/S of Bluemount Road, 750 ft. +/- W
centerline of Wesley Chapel Road
10th Election District
3rd Councilmanic District
(2316 Bluemount Road)

Charles L. Waechter Petitioner BEFORE THE

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

* CASE NO. 05-503-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Administrative Variance filed by the legal owner of the subject property, Charles L. Waechter. The administrative variance is requested for property located at 2316 Bluemount Road in the Monkton area of Baltimore County. The administrative variance request is from Section 400.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit a garage to be 26 ft. in height in lieu of the permitted 15 ft. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1, the plat to accompany the Petition for Variance.

The Petitioner having filed a Petition for Administrative Variance and the subject property having been posted on April 7, 2005, and there being no request for a public hearing, a decision shall be rendered based upon the documentation presented.

Zoning Advisory Committee Comments

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments are made part of the record of this case and contain the following highlights: A ZAC comment was received from the Office of Planning dated April 12, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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

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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."

The Petitioner has filed the supporting affidavits as required by Section 32-3-303 of the Baltimore County Code. Based upon the information available, there is no evidence in the file to indicate that the requested variance would adversely affect the health, safety or general welfare of the public and should therefore be granted. In the opinion of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner, the information, photographs, and affidavits submitted provide sufficient facts that comply with the requirements of Section 307.1 of the B.C.Z.R. Furthermore, strict compliance with the B.C.Z.R. would result in practical difficulty and/or unreasonable hardship upon the Petitioner.

Pursuant to the posting of the property and the provisions of both the Baltimore County Code and the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, and for the reasons given above, I find that the requested variance should be GRANTED.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, this 29 day of April, 2005, by this Deputy Zoning Commissioner, that the Petitioner's request for administrative variance from Section 400.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit a garage to be 26 ft. in height in lieu of the permitted 15 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions which are conditions precedent to the relief granted herein:

1. The Petitioner may apply for his building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at

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his own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition;

- 2. The Petitioner shall comply with the ZAC comments submitted by the Office of Planning dated April 12, 2005, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof;
- 3. When applying for a building permit, the site plan field must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

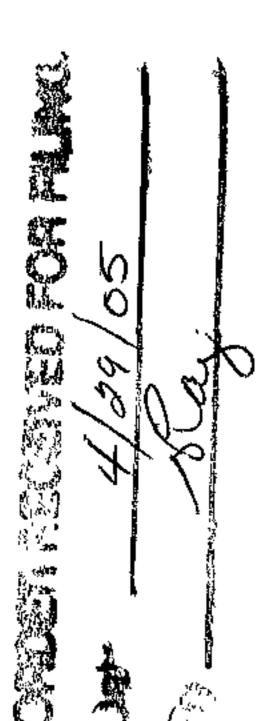
Any appeal of this decision must be made within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

JOHN V. MURPHY

DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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Zoning Commissioner



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Very truly yours,

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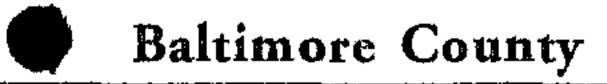
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Petition for Administrative Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 2316 BLUEMOUNT ROAD which is presently zoned RC-4

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) 400.3; BCZR TO PERMIT A GARAGE TO BE 26 FT. IN HEIGHT IN VIEU OF THE PERMITTED 15 FT.

of the zoning regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the reasons indicated on the back of this petition form.

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ADDENDUM TO PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE 2316 BLUEMOUNT ROAD

1. Property Information:

The Petitioner, Charles A. Waechter, requests relief from the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations to construct a 728 square foot 1-1/2 story detached garage, a 864 square foot one story detached pool house and swimming pool on his property located at 2316 Bluemount Road. The property was created as part of the "Wesley Chapel Woods, Section Two" subdivision and is identified as Lot 10 of the plat recorded in S.M. 70 folio 12. The 1.13 acre lot is presently zoned RC-4 (Resource Conservation – Watershed Protection Zone). As part of the subdivision compliance and approval, Lot 10 and adjacent Lot 9 (#2314) and Lot 11 (#2318) are surrounded by conservancy and forest conservation easements. These easements provide wooded buffers adjacent to an unnamed tributary of the Little Gunpowder Falls (Loch Raven Watershed).

The Petitioner's property is presently improved by a two story stucco dwelling. Vehicular access is provided to Lot 10 and six other lots from Bluemount Road via an 18 foot paved road within a 40 foot wide private right-of-way. Lot 10 derives access from the private road by a paved driveway along the east side of the property. The driveway leads to a side entry garage and parking area. Due to the property's location outside of the public water and sewer service area, private well and septic are utilized by all lots within the vicinal area. The potable water supply (well) is located on the east side of the property and the sewage disposal easement is located on the west side of the lot. The defined sewage easement (11,050 square feet) and its close proximity to the lot's boundary and other County/State mandated structure setbacks comprise approximately 20,000 square feet or over 41% of the lot area.

Additionally, the lot's front yard and building setbacks occupy 10,000 square feet of area which is unsuitable for the owner's building proposal. Given these spatial restraints, the area located behind the existing dwelling remains the only viable area for development.

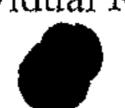
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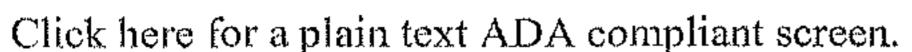
The owner's specific request proposes construction of a detached garage, detached pool house and swimming pool behind the principal dwelling. This area's topography varies from moderately steep slopes (15-20%) to moderate slopes (6-8%) and drops 14 feet laterally across the rear of the lot. The building proposal will plateau the rear yard consistent with the basement floor of the existing dwelling. Using the vertical elevation differential of the front yard to the proposed rear yard construction, the front façade of the existing dwelling and the existing vegetation located on the adjacent lots within the conservancy area, the owner's building proposal will be effectively screened from adjoining dwellings and properties. The proposed accessory buildings' architecture will be similar in construction style, materials and color. Construction plans of the accessory buildings have been included as part of this petition.

The Petitioner, based on personal knowledge, bases his request for an Administrative Variance on the following:

- A. The property whereon the proposed structures are to be placed is unique, unusual and different from the surrounding properties. The Petitioner's property (Lot 10) and the adjoining properties (Lot 9 and 11) are irregular polygons. However, Lot 10's private road frontage is restricted to seventy (70) feet, while Lot 9 has over 215 feet of frontage and Lot 11 has over 318 feet. (See Record Plat attached). The enlarged frontage of Lots 9 and 11 and front to back topography provides a side to side and front to back building flexibility. While Lot 10's constricted frontage and other physical spatial relationships (septic easement placement, side to side topography) hinders the comparable ability of proposed structure placement and proposed improvements. The proposed structures and improvements are placed in the only reasonable location and the preferred location in conformance with Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, Article 4, Special Regulations Section A400.1 on Lot 10.
- B. Strict compliance with the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations would result in unreasonable hardship for the Petitioner. As stated previously, the Petitioner has placed the proposed improvements in the only reasonable and practical location available. Denial of the Petitioner's request to construct the proposed improvements would negate the reasonable use of his property. The difficulties and hardship is peculiar to the Petitioner's property. The Petitioner's neighbors have greater flexibility in placement of improvements. In addition, the Petitioner did not create the hardship. The constraints that create the hardship are the result of mandated subdivision and zoning regulations in effect when the lot was subdivided.
- C. The Petitioner's proposal does not increase the residential density beyond that allowed by the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. The detached buildings proposed by the Petitioner are for accessory uses only. Domiciliary uses are not proposed or requested.
- D. The relief requested is in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. The Petitioner's proposal mitigates any negative impact to adjoining property owners by effectively using the existing vegetative and structural screening. The views from the existing dwelling on Lot 11 (#2318) are blocked by the subject house and existing woods. The views from the existing dwelling on Lot 9 (#2314) are blocked by the subject house, existing woods and the elevation difference between the Lot 9 and the subject house.
- E. The Petitioner's request can be granted without substantial injury to the public health, safety and general welfare. The Petitioner's proposal does not hinder or impair the appropriate use or development of adjacent property; will not alter the essential character of the neighborhood in which the lot is located; and will not be detrimental to the public welfare.

In consideration of the above, the Petitioner prays that the requested relief be granted.







Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation **BALTIMORE COUNTY** Real Property Data Search

Go Back View Map **New Search Ground Rent**

Account Identifier:

District - 10 Account Number - 2300001634

Owner Information

Owner Name:

WAECHTER CHARLES L

Use:

RESIDENTIAL

Principal Residence:

YES

Malling Address:

2316 BLUE MOUNT RD MONKTON MD 21111-1217 Deed Reference:

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Location & Structure Information

Premises Address

2316 BLUEMOUNT RD

Legal Description

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2316 BLUEMOUNT RD NS WESLEY CHAPEL WOODS

Sub District Subdivision Section Block Group Plat No: Grid Parcel Мар Lot 257 23

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70/12

Special Tax Areas

Ad Valorem Tax Class

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Primary Structure Built Enclosed Area Property Land Area County Use 1998 4,950 SF 1.13 AC 04 Exterior **Stories** Basement Type YES STANDARD UNIT STUCCO 2

Value Information

Base Value Phase-in Assessments Value As Of As Of As Of 01/01/2005 07/01/2004 07/01/2005 Land: 111,430 253,250 Improvements: 570,660 409,190 Total: 823,910 520,620 621,716 520,620 Preferential Land:

Transfer Information

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Exemption Information

Partial Exempt Assessments 07/01/2004 Class 07/01/2005 County 000 State 000 Municipal 000

Tax Exempt: Exempt Class: NO

Special Tax Recapture:

* NONE *

ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR #2316 BLUEMOUNT ROAD

BEGINNING at a point on the north side of a private road (also known as Bluemount Road) which is forty (40) foot wide at the approximate distance of 941 feet south of the centerline of the nearest improved street. Bluemount Road, which is a sixty (60) foot wide right of way. Being Lot #10, Section Two in the subdivision of Wesley Chapel Woods as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book 70, folio 12, containing 1.13 acres, more or less. Also known as 2316 Bluemount Road and located in the 10th Election District, 3rd Councilmanic District.

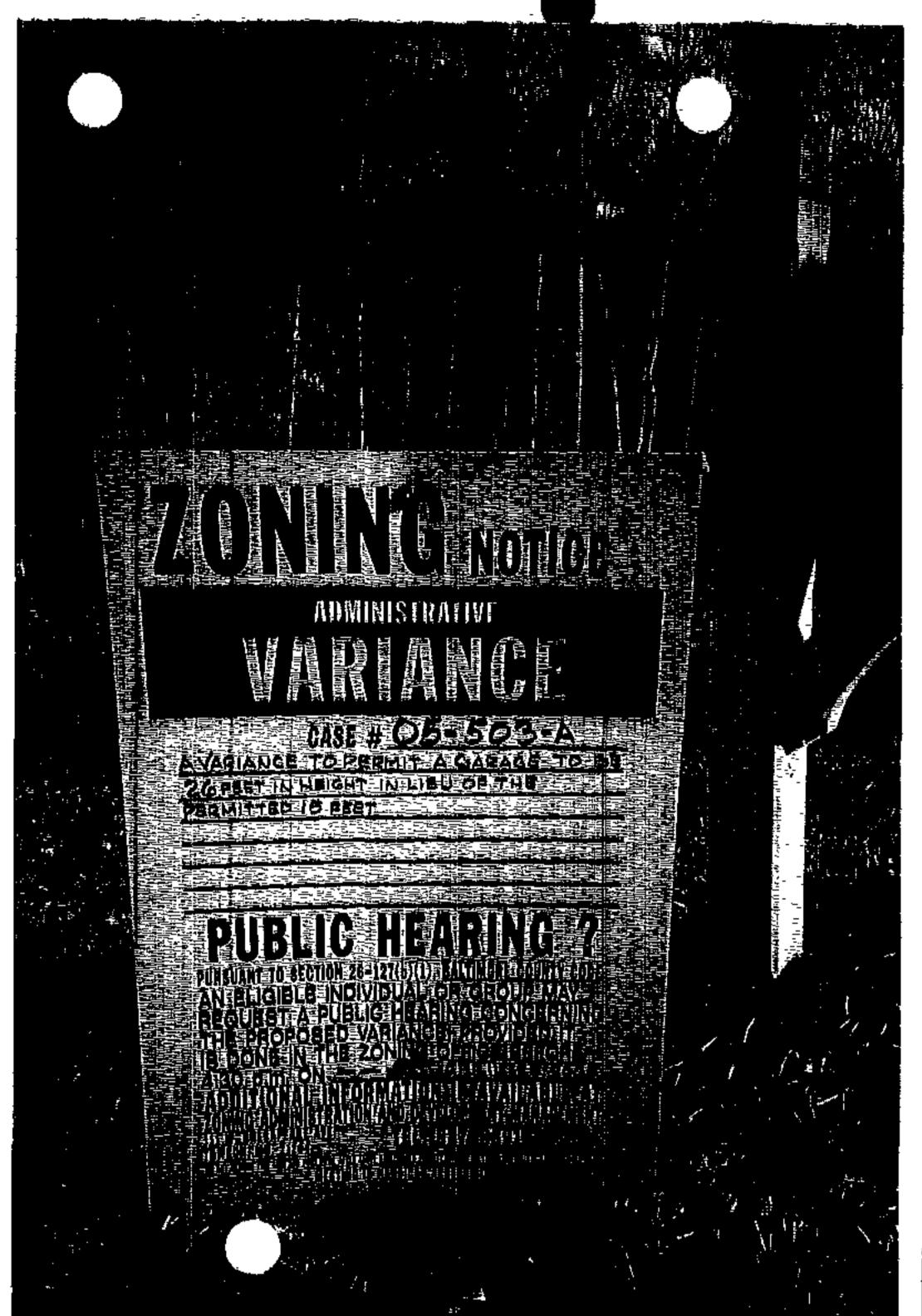
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RE: Case No.: 05-503-A

Petitioner/Developer: CHARLES L. WAECHTER





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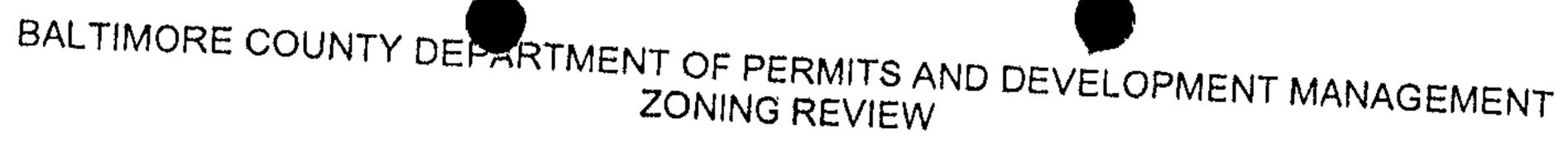
ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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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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

April 25, 2005

Charles L. Waechter 2316 Bluemount Road Monkton, Maryland 21111

Dear Mr. Waechter:

RE: Case Number: 05-503-A, 2316 Bluemount Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on April 1, 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 Dino Basso 1100 Weddel Avenue Baltimore 21227



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April 14, 2005

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

ATTENTION: Zoning Review planners

Distribution Meeting of: April 11, 2005

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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.

3. The site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Baltimore County Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or beginning of operation.

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

cc: File

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

DATE: April 18, 2005

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Acting Supervisor Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For April 18, 2005

Item No. 485, 486, 487, 488, 490, 491, 492, 494, 495, 497, 498, 499, 501, 503,

and 504

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

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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

SUBJECT:

5-503 – Administrative Variance

DATE: April 12, 2005

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

The Office of Planning does not oppose the petitioner's request to permit an accessory structure with a height of 26 feet in lieu of the maximum permitted 15 feet provided the following conditions are met:

- 1. The petitioner or subsequent owners shall not convert the subject accessory structure into a dwelling unit or apartment. The structure shall not contain any sleeping quarters, living area, kitchen or bathroom facilities.
- 2. The accessory structure shall not be used for commercial purposes.
- 3. Submit elevations (all sides) of the proposed accessory structure to his office for review and approval prior to the issuance of any building permit.

For further information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact William Hughey at 410-887-3480.

Prepared by:

Section Chief:

AFK/LL: MAC



Robert L. Ehrlich, Jr., Governor Michael S. Steele, Lt. Governor

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

Maryland Department of Transportation

Date:

4.8.05

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

RE:

Baltimore County

Item No.

SCM

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

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

May 31, 2005

Mr. Charles L. Waechter 2316 Bluemount Road Monkton, Maryland 21111

> Re: Petition for Administrative Variance Case No. 05-503-A Property: 2316 Bluemount Road

Dear Mr. Waechter:

I received your letter dated May 20, 2005 requesting approval of a variance for the height of the pool house of 21 ft. in addition to the previously granted variance of 26 ft. for the garage. Logic indicates that since the pool house variance is less than the garage variance, I should be able to grant the pool house variance by means of a spirit and intent letter. Unfortunately, I can not.

Our commission has held over many years that unless the public is properly notified of the request via posting or publication, this commission has no jurisdiction to consider the request. A review of the photograph in the file of the zoning sign indicates that the public was not notified of the second request.

You can file a new petition, or if you like I will treat your letter as a motion for reconsideration which stays appeals and final decisions. In the latter case, would you send me a revised petition for the pool house variance, re-post the property, and republish the notice for a future closing. Please call 410-887-3391 for further information regarding this process. Assuming that no one objects after notice, I will consider your request. If someone objects, I will set the matter in for public hearing.

Very truly yours,

John V. Murphy

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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c: Dino Basso, 1100 Weddel Ave., Baltimore, MD 21227



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ZOWNG COMMISSIONER

John V. Murphy,
Deputy Zoning Commissioner
Baltimore County Department of Zoning
Suite 405, County Courts Building
401 Bosley Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Petition for Administrative Variance

Case No.: 05-503-A

Property: 2316 Bluemount Road

Dear Mr. Murphy:

This correspondence will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 29, 2005, granting the Administrative Variance with regard to the 26 foot height of my garage. Unfortunately, when we originally sought to obtain the variance, we had petitioned for approval, not only for the garage, but also the height for the pool house, which is 21 feet in height. For some reason, your department inadvertently omitted the height for the pool house for purposes of the Administrative Variance.

When I learned that the Administrative Variance was approved relating only to the height requirement on the garage, I contacted your office and was advised to draft this letter to you to obtain your approval for the pool house as well. Therefore, under these circumstances, since the height for the pool house is even less then the height for the garage, I would appreciate if you would simply approve the variance for the pool house, since we are ready to commence construction on both buildings. In addition thereto, when we originally applied for the variance for both buildings, I filed with your office a set of drawings for each building. Each of those drawings are in the file under Case No. 05-503-A.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me.

Charles L. Waechter

CLW:ss

cc: Dino Basso, 1100 Weddel Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21227

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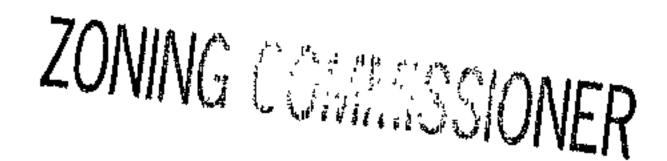
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August 30, 2005



John V. Murphy, Deputy Zoning Commissioner Zoning Commission for Baltimore County Suite 405, County Courts Building 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Zoning Case No. 05-503-A Electrical Permit No. E602053

Dear Mr. Murphy:

This correspondence will acknowledge that I previously obtained approval for a variance for construction of a detached garage on my lot under the above case number. I also obtained a variance under Case No. 05-668-A, for the construction of a pool house at my residence. On Monday, August 29, 2005, I received a telephone call from Tracey Snyder of Snyder Electric, Inc. advising that (electrical) Inspector Bull had requested that we write to you to obtain approval for an additional 300 amp BGE service to the garage. This service has, in fact, been approved by BGE, as evidenced by the attached work order. Unfortunately, after reviewing this matter with my electrician, we will be unable to upgrade the existing service in my residence in light of the fact that I have finished basement where my existing service is located. The existing panel is located in my daughter's finished bedroom and in order to upgrade the existing service would require us to demo the existing sheet rock, studs, carpet, etc. in this area. This would obviously disrupt our living arrangement and also be cost prohibitive. After reviewing this matter with Mr. Snyder, it would be much more cost effective to simply run this added service directly to the detached garage. This would clearly avoid any physical damage to my existing dwelling.

It is my understanding that Mr. Snyder spoke with Inspector Bull who advised me to draft this correspondence. The additional service which is being run to the detached garage will provide service to the garage, pool house, and swimming pool on my property. Under no circumstances will this additional service be used for any other purpose. It will not be used for any other business or residence. August 20, 2005
Page Two

I would appreciate if you would review this matter and approve the detached garage under Case No. 05-503-A for a second 300 amp BGE service. I am eighty percent (80%) complete on construction on the garage, pool house and pool and have spend approximately \$150,000.00 thus far on construction costs. Since I had approval for the variance on the detached garage as of April 29, 2005, and was never notified to the contrary, I assumed that the variance approval covered the additional BGE service. Any relief you can provide me on this matter would be greatly appreciated, as time is of the essence. In the event that this matter is approved, I would appreciate if you would forward same to your electrical department so that they may provide clearance to my electrical contractor under Permit No. E602053.

Once again, I certainly appreciate your past courtesies with regard to the aforegoing variances. In the event that you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Charles L. Waechter

Charles L



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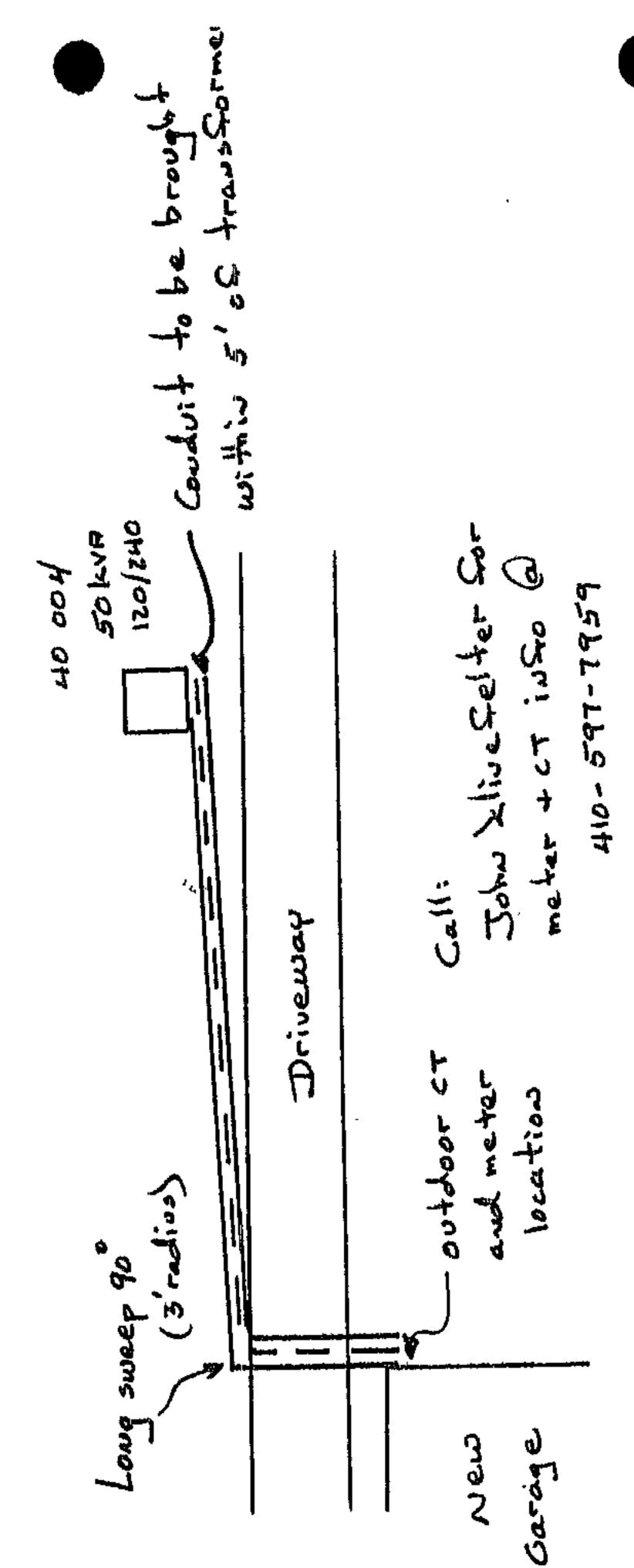
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ZOMMG COMMISSIONER

John V. Murphy, Deputy Zoning Commissioner County Courts Building, Suite 405 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Case Nos: 05-503-A and 05-668-A

Dear Mr. Murphy:

This correspondence will confirm our telephone discussion of today's date. I am enclosing herewith the Declaration of Understanding that we discussed. I would appreciate if you would execute same and forward back to my office so that I can file it with the Land Records.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Charles L. Waechter

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DECLARATION OF UNDERSTANDING

THIS DECLARATION	OF	UNDERSTANDING	(hereinafter	referred	to	as
"Declaration") is made on this	····	day of September,	2005, by and 1	between Ch	arles	3 L.
Waechter (hereinafter referred to as	s "De	clarant") and the Deputy	Zoning Com	missioner.		

Recitals

- a. The Declarant filed two (2) Petitions for Administrative Variances under section 400.3 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations to permit two (2) detached accessory structures (pool house and garage) to be 25 feet in height docketed under Baltimore County Zoning Case No. 05-668-A and 05-503-A, respectively. The property address is identified as 2316 Bluemount Road, Monkton, Maryland 21111.
- b. The Deputy Zoning Commissioner approved both variances allowing the Declarant to build both structures in excess of the required 15 foot requirement.
- c. The Declarant has sought approval for a second 300 amp BGE service to be installed to the garage docketed under Case No. 05-503-A to service his pool house, garage, swimming pool and hot tub. As a condition to the approval of the Declarant's request, the Deputy Zoning Commissioner has required the filing of this Declaration among the Land Records of Baltimore County to provide notice to any future owners, subsequent bonifide purchasers or users of the property that no part of any improvement or addition on the property may be used for separate living quarters.

DECLARATIONS

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Declarant and the Deputy Zoning Commissioner hereby declare as follows:

- 1. The Declarant shall be allowed to install a second 300 amp BGE service to the garage. Further any and all improvements constructed on the Property pursuant to variance Case Nos. 05-668-A and 05-503-A, shall not be used as a separate living quarter or second residential unit.
- 2. If the Declarant moves or sells the Property, then this Declaration of Understanding shall run with the land and be binding on any and all purchasers, future owners, or subsequent bonafide purchasers of the property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the partie	es hereto have duly executed this Declaration under seal
on the date first above written.	-
WITNESS:	
	Declarant
State of Maryland, County of Howard, to	wit:
subscriber, a Notary Public of the State	s day of September, 2005, before me, the of Maryland, personally appeared the Declarant herein, be the person whose name is subscribed to the within g instrument for the purposes contained.
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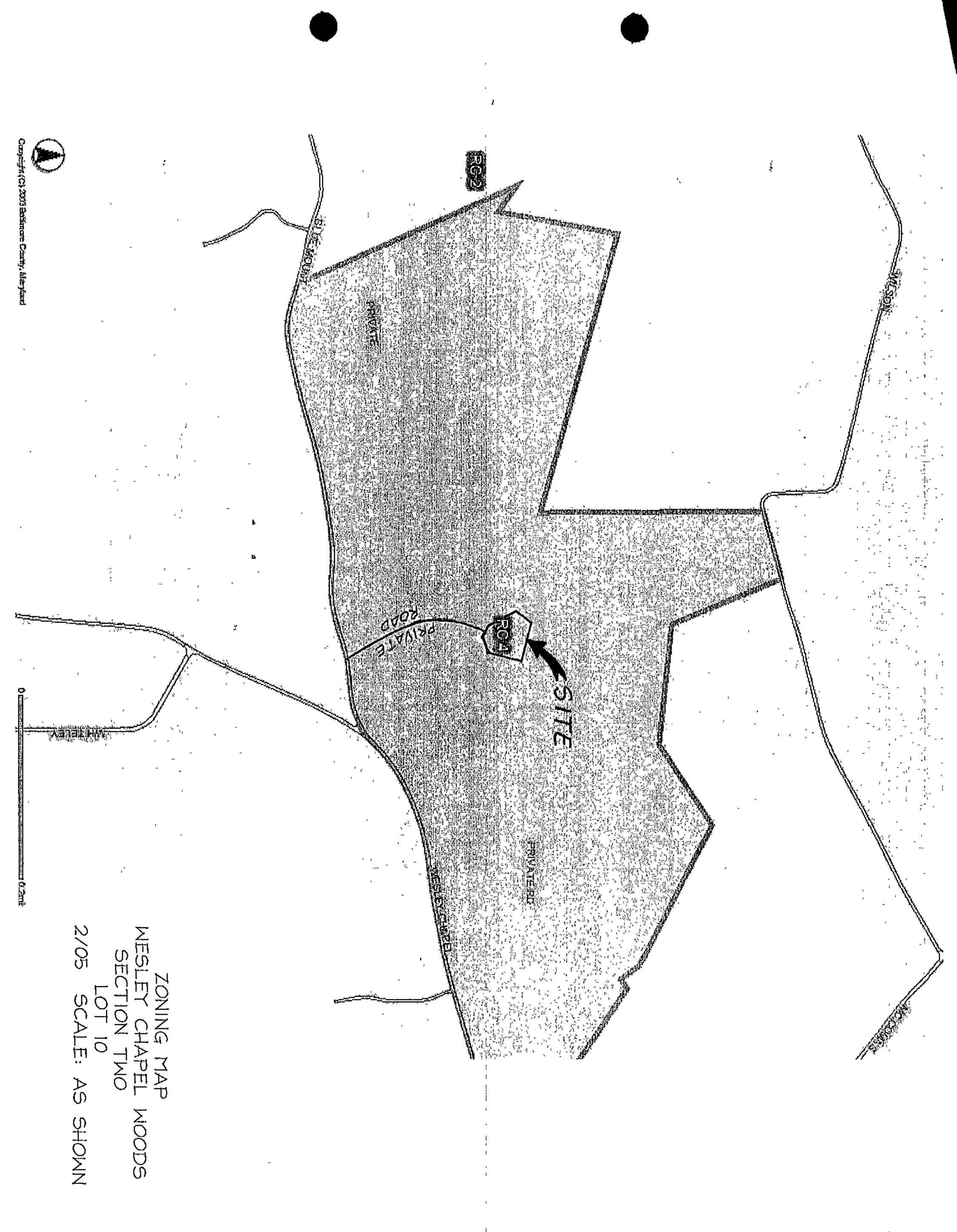
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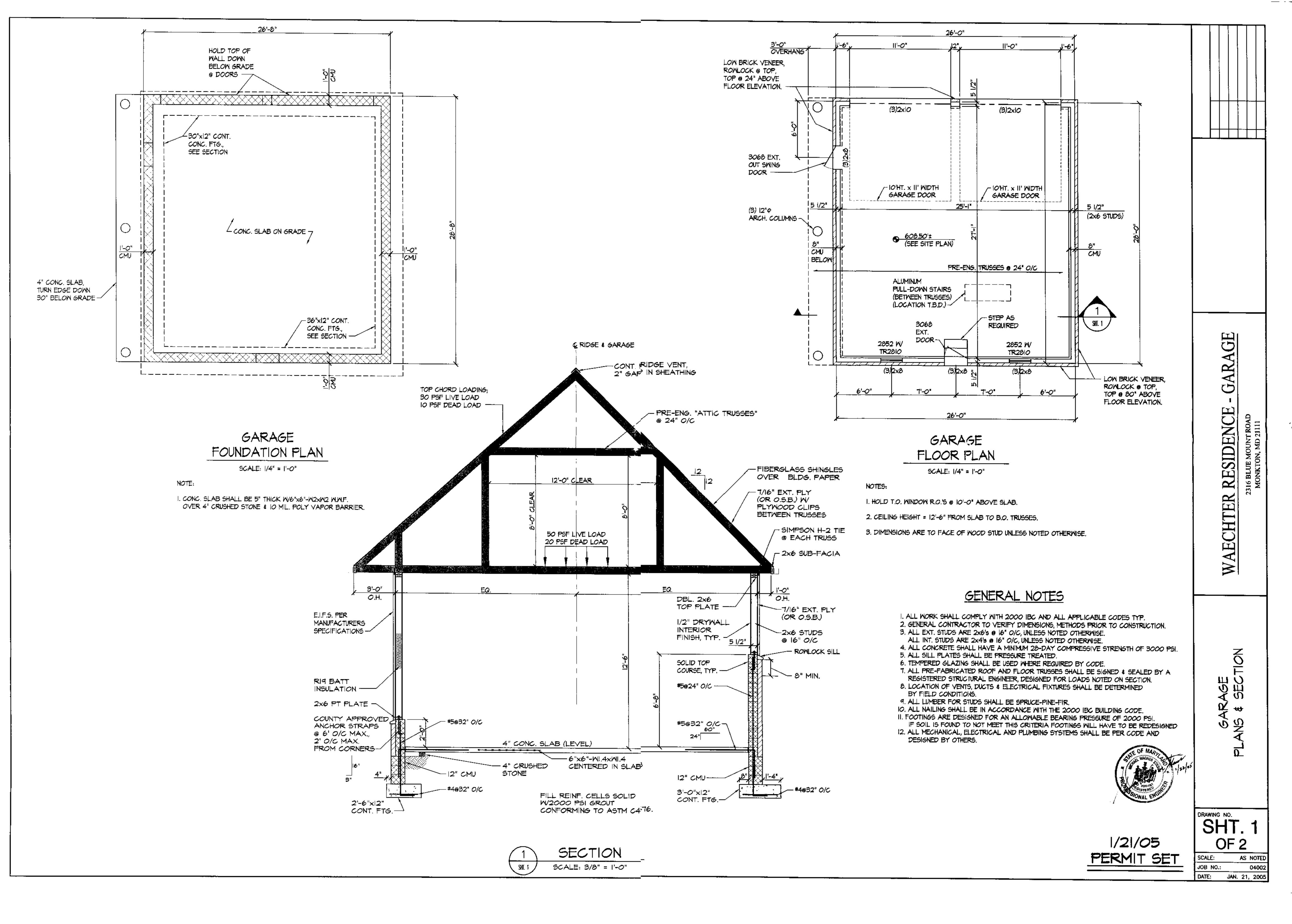
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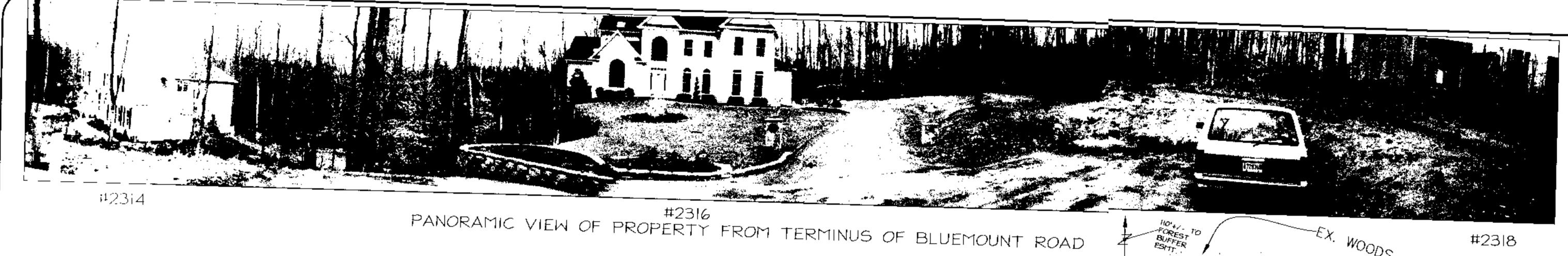
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Would you send to Dropector Bull and Petitioner. I forked Your for Declaration of Understanding to cw 9/15









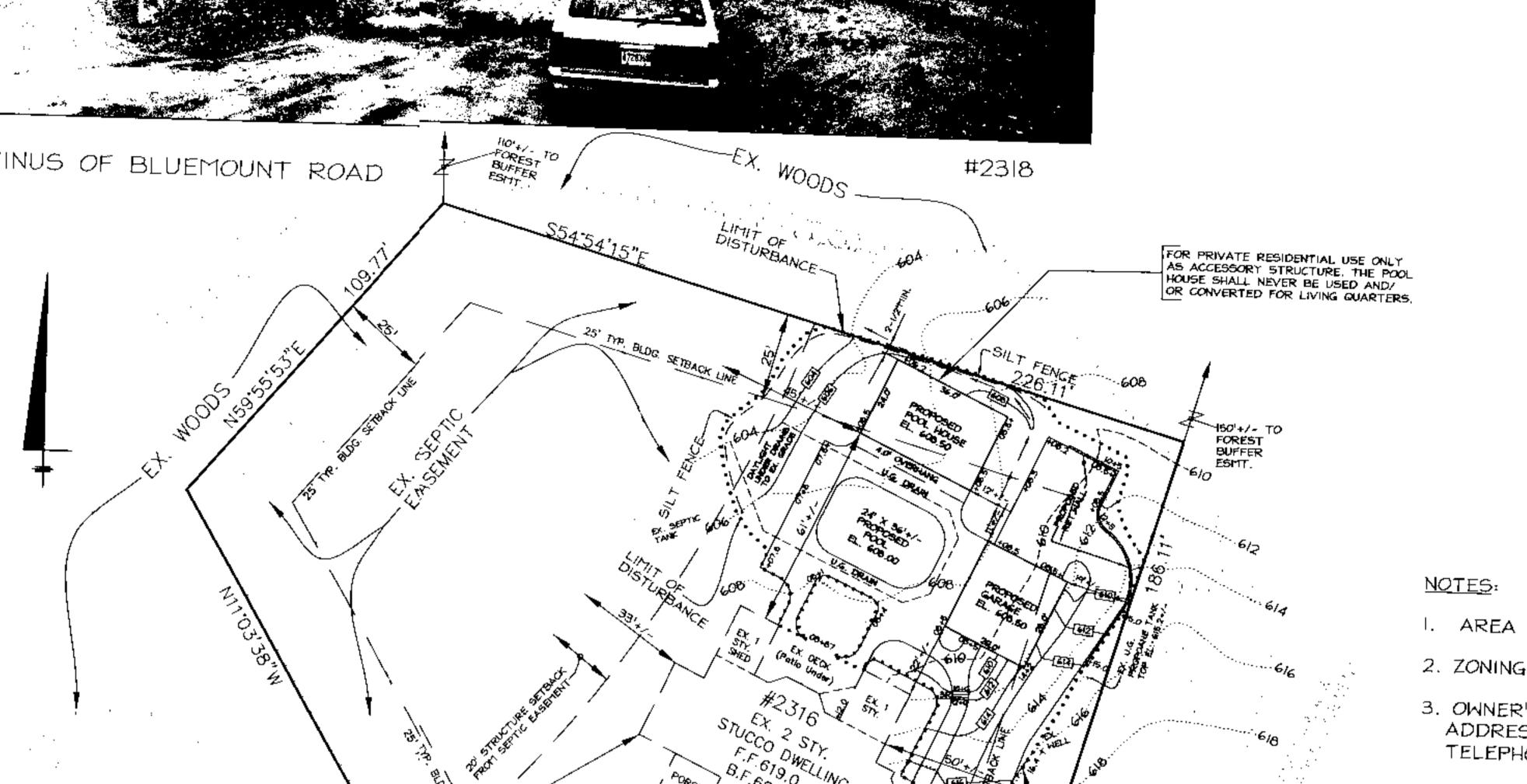
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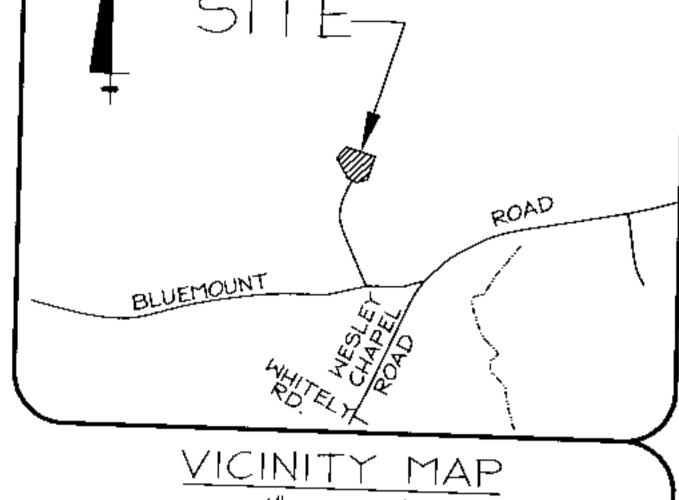


VIEW OF REAR OF #2316 FROM PROPOSED POOL HOUSE AREA



VIEW OF REAR YARD FROM #2316 DRIVEWAY AREA





1'' = 1000'

- I. AREA OF LOT: 1,13 AC.+/-
- 2. ZONING CLASSIFICATION: RC-4
- 3. OWNER'S NAME: CHARLES L. WAECHTER ADDRESS: 2316 BLUEMOUNT RD. MONKTON, MD 21111-1217 TELEPHONE: WORK: (410)242-4745 OR (410)788-7900 HOME: (410)329-6615 4. TAX ACCOUNT #102300001634
- 5. TAX MAP 23, GRID 8, P/O PARCEL 257
- 6. PLAT S.M. 70 FOLIO 12 DEED REFERENCE: L. 12610 / F. 346
- 7. SEE ARCHITECTURAL PLANS FOR BUILDING DIMENSIONS AND RETAINING WALLS DETAILS.
- 8. THE TOPOGRAPHY SHOWN HEREON IS FIELD RUN BY LDE, INC. 11/2003.
- 9. PRIVATE WATER AND SEWER IS UTILIZED FOR THIS DEVELOPMENT.
- 10. LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE: 10,000 SQ. FT. +/-
- II. NO PRIOR ZONING HEARINGS,
- 12. THERE ARE NO STREAMS, STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, DRAINAGE PIPE SYSTEMS OR 100 YEAR FLOODPLAIN WITHIN 50 FEET OF THE PROPERTY.
- 13. THE DWELLING LOCATED ON LOT 10 IS NOT HISTORIC.
- 14. THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN THE CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA.
- 15. THE LOCATIONS OF THE EXISTING DWELLINGS SHOWN AT #2314 AND #2318 BLUEMOUNT ROAD ARE TAKEN FROM THE BALTIMORE COUNTY BUILDING PERMIT FILES.

CONTACT PERSON: DINO BASSO 1100 Weddel Avenue Baltimore, MD 21227 (410) 536-0886

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