IN RE: PETITION FOR ADMIN. VARIANCE

W side Eastship Road, 275 feet N of centerline of Shipway
12th Election District
7th Councilmanic District
(16 Eastship Road)

Ronald S. and Robin Miller *Petitioners*

- * BEFORE THE
- * DEPUTY ZONING
- * COMMISSIONER
- * FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY
- * Case No. 08-295-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 owners of the subject property, Ronald S. and Robin Miller for property located at 16 Eastship Road. The variance request is from Sections 1B02.3.A.5 and 1B02.3.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit an addition with a rear yard setback of 35 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1. The Petitioners wish to construct a single story addition measuring 15 feet x 18 feet in size. Due to Mrs. Miller's physical disabilities, it has become increasingly difficult for her to use the stairs in the home. They would like to build an addition to the back of the home that would provide a bedroom, bathroom and laundry facilities. Because of the progressive nature of her illness, this additional space will greatly improve her quality of life. Petitioners note that many of residences of similar construction and floor plan have similar additions, as evidenced in the submitted photographs.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received and are made part of the record of this case. The comments indicate no opposition or other recommendations concerning the requested relief.



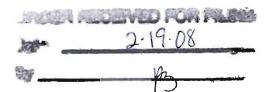
The Petitioners having filed a Petition for Administrative Variance and the subject property having been posted on January 20, 2008 and there being no request for a public hearing, a decision shall be rendered based upon the documentation presented.

The Petitioners have 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 Petitioners.

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, the requested variance should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County, this _______ day of February, 2008 that a variance from Sections 1B02.3.A.5 and 1B02.3.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit an addition with a rear yard setback of 35 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following:

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



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

THOMAS H. BOSTWICK Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

THB:pz

Petition for Administrative Variance



to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 16 EASTSHIP RD

which is presently zoned DR 10.5

Deed Reference: __/26370__/543 __Tax Account # 1219003230

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

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) 1802.3A.5. + 1802.3B. (BCXR)

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of the zoning regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County.

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

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

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T.D.			ROBIN MILLER		
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Affidavit in Support of Administrative Variance

The undersigned hereby affirms under the penalties of perjury to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, as follows: That the information herein given is within the personal knowledge of the Affiant(s) and that Affiant(s) is/are competent to testify thereto in the event that a public hearing is scheduled in the future with regard thereto.

That the Affiant(s) does/do presently reside at

REV 7/24/07

16 EASTSHIP RD

Address BALTIMORE	MD	21222-4403
City	State	Zip Code

That based upon personal knowledge, the following are the facts upon which I/we base the request for an Administrative Variance at the above address (indicate hardship or practical difficulty):

DUE TO MY WIFE'S PHYSICAL DISABILITIES IT HAS BECOME INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT FOR HER TO USE THE UPPER AND LOWER STAIRCASES IN OUR HOME. WE WOULD LIKE TO BUILD AN ADDITION TO THE BACK OF OUR HOME THAT WOULD PROVIDE A BEDROOM, BATHROOM AND LAUNDRY FACILITIES. BECAUSE OF THE PROGRESSIVE NATURE OF HER ILLNESS THIS ADDITIONAL SPACE WILL GREATLY IMPROVE HER QUALITY OF LIFE.

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RONALD S. MILLER R	OBIN MILLER
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STATE OF MARYLAND, COUNTY OF BALTIMORE, to wit: I HEREBY CERTIFY, this 7 TH day of JANUARY	_, 2008_, before me, a Notary Public of the State
of Maryland, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared	
ROWALD S. MILLER & ROBIN J.	
the Affiant(s) herein, personally known or satisfactorily identified to m	ne as such Affiant(s).
AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial Seal Herbert Geilenkirchen Notary Pub	J'élenkirche
NOTARY PUBLIC	ssion Expires 10-1-2008

ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR: 16 EASTSHIP RD. DUNDALK MD. 21222

Beginning at a point on the west side of Eastship Rd. which is 16 ft. wide at the distance of 275' ft. North of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street Shipway which is 25' ft. wide.

Being lot # 10 , Block 30, section # 1 in the subdivision of Dundalk as recorded in Baltimore County Plat book # wpc 5 Folio # 56 containing 1,836.49 sq ft .

Also known as 16 Eastship Rd. and located in the 12th election district, 7th Council manic district.

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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

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Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Manager	ment .
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ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE INFORMATION SHEET AND DATES

Address 16 EASTSHIP RD.

Case Number 08-

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Filing Date: 1908 Posting Date: 12008	Closing Date: 실내08
Any contact made with this office regarding the status of the ad through the contact person (planner) using the case number.	ministrative variance should be
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ORDER: After the closing date, the file will be reviewed by commissioner. He may: (a) grant the requested relief; (b) order that the matter be set in for a public hearing. You (typically within 7 to 10 days of the closing date) as to whethe denied, or will go to public hearing. The order will be mailed to	deny the requested relief; or (c) will receive written notification return the petition has been granted,
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DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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

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

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

For Newspaper Advertising:
Item Number or Case Number:
Petitioner: MILLER
Address or Location: 16 EASTSHIP RD
PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:
Name: MR RONALD MILLER
Address: 16 EASTSHIP RD.
BALTO MP 21222-4403
Telephone Number: 410-284-9559



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director

Department of Permits and

Development Management

February 4, 2008

Ronald S. Miller Robin Miller 16 Eastship Road Baltimore, MD 21222-4403

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Miller:

RE: Case Number: 08-295-A, 16 Eastship Road

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of **Zoning** Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on January 9, 2008. This letter is not an approval, but only a **NOTIFICATION**.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC), which consists of representatives from several approval agencies, has reviewed the plans that were submitted with your petition. All comments submitted thus far from the members of the ZAC are attached. These comments are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to ensure that all parties (zoning commissioner, attorney, petitioner, etc.) are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case. All comments will be placed in the permanent case file.

If you need further information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the commenting agency.

Very truly yours,

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR:amf

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

DATE: January 15, 2008

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 21, 2008

Item Nos 08-288, 289, 290, 291, 293,

294, 295, 296, and 297

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

DAK:CEN:clw

cc: File

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

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

Maryland Department of Transportation

Date: JAN. 15 2008

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

RE:

Baltimore County

Item No. 8-295-A

16 EASTSHIP ROAD

MILLER PROPERTY

Dear Ms. Matthews:

Thank you for the opportunity to review your referral request on the subject of the above captioned. We have determined that the subject property does not access a State roadway and is not affected by any State Highway Administration projects. Therefore, based upon available information this office has no objection to Baltimore County Zoning Advisory Committee approval of Item No.8-279-4.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Michael Bailey at 410-545-2803 or 1-800-876-4742 extension 5593. Also, you may E-mail him at (mbailey@sha.state.md.us).

Very truly yours,

A Steven D. Foster, Chiek

Engineering Access Permits

Division

SDF/MB

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

DATE: February 11, 2008

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SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Petition(s): Case(s) 08-295- Administrative Variance

The Office of Planning has reviewed the above referenced case(s) and does not oppose the petitioner's request for variance.

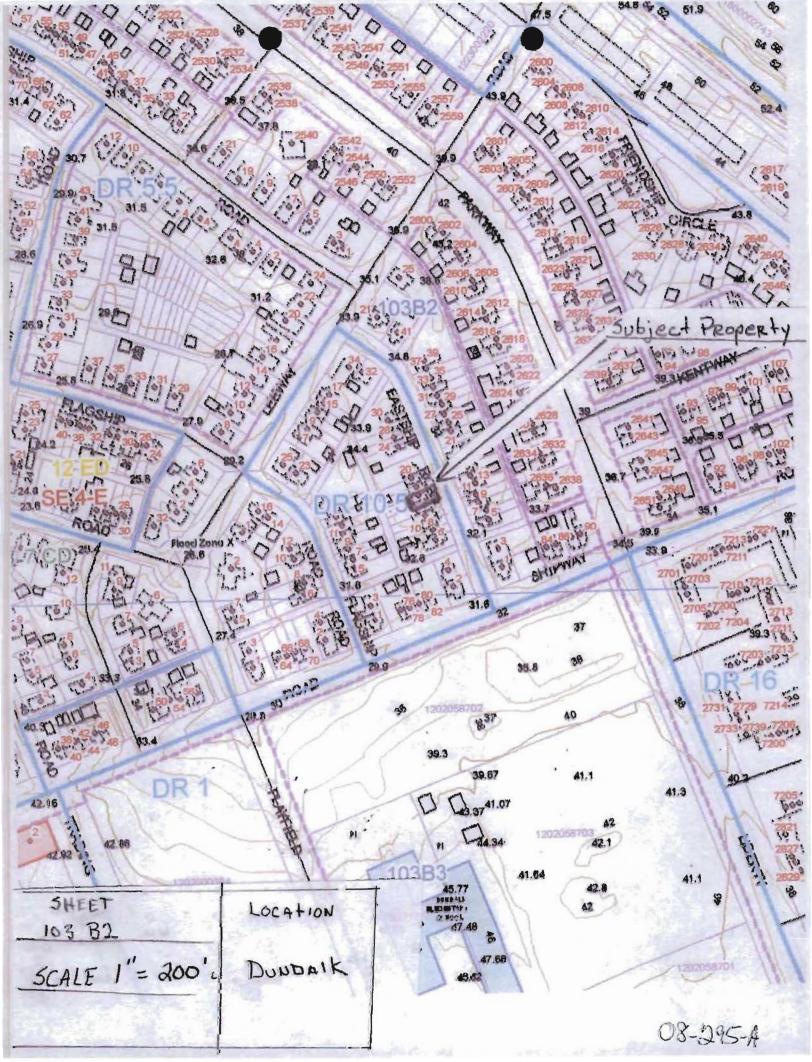
For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact John Alexander in the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Prepared By:

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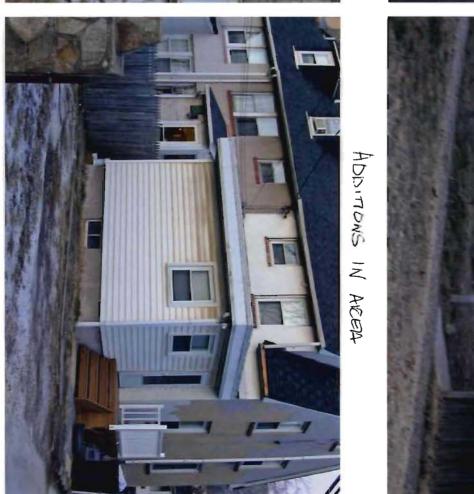
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