IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

SE corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way

2nd Election District

4th Councilmanic District

(Edrich Manor East - Parcel A)

Edrich Farms, Inc.

Petitioner

BEFORE THE

DEPUTY ZONING

* COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

* Case No. 2009-0058-SPH

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Special Hearing filed by Edrich Farms, Inc., the legal property owner. Special Hearing relief is requested pursuant to Sections 500.7 and 1A04.3.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisfied the R.C.5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved, or in the alternative, to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisfies the current R.C.5 acreage requirement. Special Hearing relief is also requested pursuant to Sections 1A00.4 and 1B01.3A7 of the B.C.Z.R. to amend the Final Development Plan for "Edrich Manor East" to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17. The subject property and requested relief are more fully described on the site plan which was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

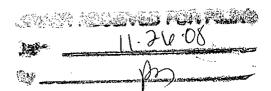
Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the requested special hearing was Petitioner Edward F. Stanfield on behalf of Edrich Farms, Inc. Arnold Jablon, Esquire appeared as attorney for Petitioner. Also appearing in support of the requested relief was Thomas Church with Development Engineering Consultants, Inc., the professional engineer who prepared the site plan. A number of interested citizens living in the Edrich Manor East subdivision also attended the hearing, including Woodrow Greenwood of 3016 Edrich Way, Christopher Kwegan of 3001

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Edrich Way, Mike Myles of 3012 Edrich Way, Damon Hughes of 3010 Edrich Way, and Michael Latimore of 3005 Edrich Way.

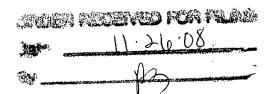
Testimony and evidence proceeded by way of a proffer from Petitioner's attorney, Mr. Jablon, and revealed that the subject property is an irregular-shaped property consisting of approximately 1.638 gross acres, more or less, zoned R.C.5. The property is situated at the southeast corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way, west of Old Court Road and south of Liberty Road in the Randallstown area of Baltimore County. The subject property is presently unimproved and is part of the "Edrich Manor East" subdivision that was proposed by the Developer, Edrich Enterprises, in 2001.

As shown on the Concept Plan for "Edrich Manor East" dated March 22, 2001, which was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 2, the subject property was originally designated as a storm water management facility, as part of the planned 16 lot subdivision for the larger tract. Following the introduction of the Concept Plan, in a letter dated September 25, 2001 to the Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management ("DEPRM"), the Developer's engineer, Mr. Church, requested a waiver of storm water management for the proposed development. As indicated in the letter from DEPRM dated December 19, 2001 that was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 3, the waiver of storm water management was granted. Because the area comprising the subject property was no longer needed for storm water management, the Developer made a preliminary proposal to create "Lot 17." In pursuing this potential 17th lot in the subdivision, Petitioner submitted a "Perc Test Plan," with a proposed dwelling and septic reserve area for Lot 17, which was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 4.



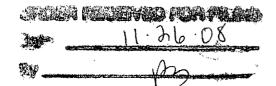
Thereafter, the Development Plan dated June 18, 2002 (and revised November 4, 2002) was prepared and submitted to the County and a Hearing Officer's Hearing was scheduled. A copy of the plan was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 5. As shown on the Development Plan, the subject property was now designated as "Parcel A" with no lot and no dwelling thereon and no reference to a successful perc test. According to Mr. Jablon, the reason for this was because the County at that time refused to allow a perc test for proposed Lot 17 due to the fact that there was a swale running through the property that might negatively affect storm water runoff from the property. Subsequently, a Hearing Officer's Hearing was held on August 29, 2002. Following the hearing, then-Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt issued an Order dated September 11, 2002 approving the Development Plan for 16 single-family lots. A copy of the Order was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 6. The record plat was recorded on January 9, 2004 and shows the subject property as "Parcel A" consisting then of 1.49 acres (outlined in yellow), with an adjacent storm water management reservation area of 0.196 acre (shaded in purple). A copy of the record plat was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 7. The Final Development Plan ("FDP") for Edrich Manor East approved by the Office of Planning on June 30, 2003 also shows the subject property as "Parcel A" and shows a total area of 1.73 acres, and includes the area reserved for storm water management. A copy of the FDP was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 8.

Following approval of the Development Plan and recordation of the record plat, site work improvements were made to the area along Offutt Road, including installation of curb and gutter and storm drains. As a result of these storm water improvements, the Developer's engineer, Mr. Church, sent a letter to DEPRM dated November 27, 2006 and a revised site plan, renewing the request to perform soil percolation tests on Parcel A to determine its viability as a buildable lot. In



a letter dated December 13, 2006, a copy of which was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 9, DEPRM granted the request. According to Mr. Jablon and Mr. Church, the perc test was performed and the property passed the test. At approximately the same time, Mr. Church also requested that DEPRM permit a reduction in the size of the storm water management reservation area so the subject property would have enough area to meet the minimum lot size requirement at that time of 1.5 acres. According to Mr. Church, this request was also granted and the subject property known as "Parcel A" now consists of 1.501 net acres and 1.638 gross acres.

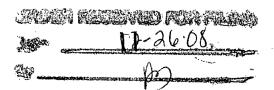
In their Special Hearing request, Petitioner seeks confirmation that Parcel A -- also known as proposed Lot 17 -- met the R.C.5 minimum acreage requirement that was in place when the Edrich Manor East subdivision was originally approved, or in the alternative, that it meets the current R.C.5 minimum acreage requirement. Petitioner also seeks approval of the First Amended FDP for Edrich Manor East that was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 10, and which includes proposed Lot 17. Mr. Jablon explained that when the original development was proposed in 2001 and 2002, the minimum acreage requirement was 1 acre and the maximum gross residential density was 0.667 dwelling per acre. On the 37 acre tract that comprised the original development, this would have allowed 24 lots on the property. Currently, the minimum acreage requirement is 1.5 acres and the maximum gross residential density is 0.5 dwelling per These regulations would permit 18 lots on the property. Mr. Jablon emphasized that Petitioner is not requesting any increase in density, nor any building lots that increase what was shown in the original record plat or FDP. He also indicated that the intent to have Parcel A as a buildable lot was always present during the planning of the Edrich Manor East subdivision, and that Petitioner has continuously complied with all codes and regulations in order to do so. This



was also verified by Mr. Church, who was involved as the engineer on the planned development back in 2001 when the Concept Plan was submitted.

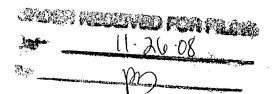
In support of the requested relief, Mr. Church also testified at the hearing. He is a licensed professional engineer who prepared the site plan and other drawings that were accepted into evidence in this case. He was offered and accepted as an expert in planning, zoning, and development, including interpretation of the B.C.Z.R. and the development policies and provisions in Baltimore County, and specifically including Section 1B01.3.A.7 of the B.C.Z.R. concerning amendments to FDP's and Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. setting forth the relevant special exception criteria.

Mr. Church indicated that DEPRM has approved their requests concerning Parcel A and has agreed to allow Lot 17. In addition, the property has undergone soil percolation tests and passed. The proposed First Amended FDP for Edrich Manor East accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 10 shows the configuration of Lot 17, which is virtually unchanged from Parcel A. It also shows the location of the proposed home with a three car garage facing Offutt Road. Mr. Church indicated the home proposed for Lot 17 would be very similar and compatible with the home on Lot 2, just on the other side of Edrich Way. Access to Lot 17 would be via Edrich Way, again similar to the access driveway across the street for Lot 2. Moreover, the building envelope would be similar to those of the other homes in the neighborhood. Mr. Church also described the configuration and acreage of the other 16 existing lots. The smallest lot is Lot 14 with 1.08 acres and the largest is Lot 16 with 1.81 acres. The average size of the 16 lots is approximately 1.36 acres. In Mr. Church's view, proposed Lot 17 fits within the size and scope of the other homes and lots in the subdivision.



Mr. Church then discussed the criteria set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R., which are to be considered in a request for amendment of an FDP under Section 1B01.3.A.7.b of the B.C.Z.R. Mr. Church indicated that an amendment of the FDP to include proposed Lot 17 and the dwelling thereon would not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locale, nor would it generate any additional impacts to the area than were contemplated in the original development of Edrich Manor East. In particular, the inclusion of Lot 17 would not tend to create congestion in roads, streets or alleys therein; would not create a potential hazard from fire, panic or other danger; would not tend to overcrowd land and cause undue concentration of population; would not interfere with adequate provisions for schools, parks, water, sewerage, transportation or other public requirements, conveniences or improvements; and would not interfere with adequate light and air. Further, it would not be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification nor in any other way inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the Zoning Regulations; nor would it be inconsistent with the impermeable surface and vegetative retention provisions of the Zoning Regulations, nor would it be detrimental to the environmental and natural resources of the site and vicinity including forests, streams, wetlands, aquifers and floodplains. Mr. Church also offered his opinion that the amendment to the FDP would be consistent with the spirit and intent of the original plan and of this Article.

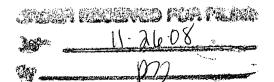
As indicated at the outset, several interested neighbors also attended the hearing and offered testimony concerning the requested relief. These gentlemen, identified earlier in this Order, expressed concerns over the addition of another lot. In particular, Damon Hughes, President of Edrich Manor South, Inc., the community association for the properties, acted as the primary spokesperson for the group. He indicated that they were not informed of the possibility of the addition of Lot 17 by Harvard Homes when they were first sold their lots, and that this



information would have been important to them in their purchasing decision. In addition, he expressed concern that with the downturn in the housing market, the value of an additional home on Lot 17 at this time might be less than the value of their homes at their peak several years ago, which would in turn negatively affect their property values. He also expressed concern about the elevations of Lot 17, vis-à-vis the other lots in the neighborhood (which are higher than Lot 17) and questioned Lot 17's compatibility. In addition, Mr. Greenwood, who resides on Lot 2, directly across Edrich Manor Way from proposed Lot 17, expressed opposition to the layout and configuration of the proposed home on Lot 17. As shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 10, the home is configured in such a manner as to face Offutt Road rather than Edrich Way. In short, Mr. Greenwood disagrees with this configuration because his view will be of the side of the house on Lot 17.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received from the relevant County and State agencies and are made part of the record of this case within the case file. Specifically, the comment dated September 11, 2008 from the Baltimore County Fire Marshal's Office indicates that 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. In addition, the comment dated September 29, 2008 from the Office of Planning indicates that after reviewing the petition, site plan, original FDP, and visiting the site for "Edrich Manor East," the Office of Planning supports Petitioner's request to amend the FDP to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17, and that Parcel A satisfied the R.C.5 acreage requirements when "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved per Section 1A04.3.B of the B.C.Z.R.

Based on the aforementioned testimony and evidence presented, I am persuaded to grant the special hearing relief. It is clear that proposed Lot 17 met the R.C.5 acreage requirement when



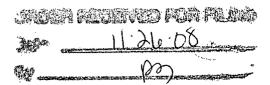
Edrich Manor East was originally approved, and that -- as a result of DEPRM allowing a reduction in the size of the storm water management reservation area adjacent to Lot 17 -- it also meets the current acreage requirement. Hence, I shall grant that relief.

As to the amendment of the FDP, in my judgment, Petitioner has satisfied its burden under Section 1B01.3.A.7 of the B.C.Z.R., and that Petitioner's plans are appropriate and will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the surrounding locale. Although I can appreciate the concerns articulated by the interested neighbors, I do not believe the addition of Lot 17 to this subdivision will have any negative effects on the other homes or the neighborhood as a whole. To that end, I also find that an amendment to the FDP as depicted in Petitioner's Exhibit 10 would be consistent with the spirit and intent of the original plan and of this Article.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on this petition held, and after considering the testimony and evidence offered by the parties, I find that Petitioner's request for special hearing should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County, this day of November, 2008 that Petitioner's request for Special Hearing relief filed pursuant to Sections 500.7 and 1A04.3.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisfies the current R.C.5 acreage requirement be and is hereby GRANTED; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's request for Special Hearing relief filed pursuant to Sections 500.7 and 1A04.3.B of the B.C.Z.R. to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisfied the R.C.5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved be and is hereby DISMISSED as MOOT; and



IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's request for Special Hearing relief filed pursuant to Sections 1A00.4 and 1B01.3A7 of the B.C.Z.R. to amend the Final Development Plan for "Edrich Manor East" to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17, be and is hereby GRANTED, and the First Amended Final Development Plan for Edrich Manor East accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 10, be and is hereby APPROVED, subject to the following restrictions which are conditions precedent to the relief granted herein:

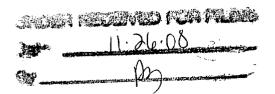
- 1. Petitioner may apply for permits and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.
- 2. 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.

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

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November 26, 2008

ARNOLD JABLON, ESQUIRE VENABLE LLP 210 ALLEGHENY AVENUE TOWSON, MD 21204

Re: Petition for Special Hearing
Case No. 2009-0058-SPH
Property: Edrich Manor East – Parcel A

Dear Mr. Jablon:

Enclosed please find the decision rendered in the above-captioned case.

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

Very truly yours,

THOMAS H. BOSTWICK
Deputy Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County

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Enclosure

C: Thomas A. Church, Development Engineering Consultants, Inc., 6603 York Road, Baltimore, MD 21212 Woodrow Greenwood, 3016 Edrich Way, Randallstown MD 21133
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Petition for Special Hearing

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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(This petition must be filed in person, in the zoning office, in triplicate, with original signatures.)

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 Special Hearing under Section 500.7 of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to determine whether or not the Zoning Commissioner should approve (This box to be completed by planner)

- (1) to confirm Parcel A also known as lot 17 satisfied the RC 5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved (section 1A04.3 B. (BCZR), or, in the alternative
- (2) to confirm Parcel A also known as lot 17 satisfies the current RC 5 acreage requirement (section 1A04.3.B); and
- (3) to amend the Final Development Plan for "Edrich Manor East" to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17, pursuant to section 1A00.4 and section 1B01.3A7, BCZR.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by the zoning regulations. I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Hearing, 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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ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR A PARCEL OF LAND ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF OFFUTT ROAD AND EDRICH WAY

Beginning at a point on the south side of Offutt Road, subject to a right-of-way of 70 feet more or less, said point being 35 feet more or less from the centerline of Edrich Way, 40 feet more or less wide. Thence the following courses and distances: 1) Along the south side of Offutt Road South 65 degrees 07 minutes 25 seconds East, 158.04 feet. Thence leaving the south side of Offutt Road 2) South 09 degrees 03 minutes 18 second West, 472.00 feet, 3) North 58 degrees 59 minutes 57 second West, 97.54 feet, 4) North 25 degrees 36 minutes 58 seconds West, 146.27 feet to the east side of Edrich Way. Thence along the east side of Edrich Way 5) along a curve to the left with a radius of 658.61 feet, length of 121.34 feet, 6) North 24 degrees 52 minutes 35 seconds East, 40.08 feet, 7) along a curve to the left with a radius of 120.00 feet, length of 127.76 feet, 8) along a curve to the right with a radius of 80.00 feet, length of 85.17 feet, 9) North 69 degrees 53 minutes 35 seconds East, 21.21 feet to the point of beginning,

Containing 65,384 square feet or 1.501 acres of land, more or less.

Also known as Parcel "A", Edrich Manor East, located in the 2nd Election District, Baltimore County, Maryland.

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NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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Case: #2009-0058-SPH

SE corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way

2nd Election District - 4th Councilmanic District

Legal Owner(s): Edrich-Farms, Inc., Edward Stanfield, President

Special Hearing: to confirm Parcel A also known as lot 17 satisfied the RC 5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved (section 1A04.3.b, BCZR), or in the alternative. To confirm Parcel A also known as lot 17 satisfies the current RC 5 acreage requirement (section 1A04.3.b) and to amend the Final Development Plan for Edrich Manor East to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17, pursuant to Section 1A00.4 and Section 1B01.3A7, BCZR.

Hearing: Tuesday, October 14, 2008 at 11.00 a.m. In Room 104, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Tow-

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III

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Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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

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CASE #2009-0058-SPH

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD BY THE ZONING COMMISSIONER IN TOWSON, MD

PLACE: 105 W. CHESAPEAKE AVE. TOWSON 21204

DATE AND TIME: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2008 AT 11:00

REQUEST: SPECIAL HEARING TO CONFIRM PARCEL A ALSO KNOWN AS LOT 17 SATISFIED THE RC 5 ACERNGE REQUIREMENT WHEN THE SUBDIVISION KNOWN AS EDRICH MIRNOR EAST WAS ORIGINALLY APPROVED (SECTION 1A04.3.6, BCZR), OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE. TO CONFIRM PARCEL A ALSO KNOWN AS LOT 17 SATISFIES THE CURRENT RC 5 ACREAGE REQUIREMENT (SECTION 1A043.8) AND TO AMEND THE FINAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR FEDRICH MANOR EAST TO INCLUDE PARCEL A ALSO KNOWN AS LOT 17, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1A00.4 AND SECTION 1BOI.3A7, BCZR.

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Hearing: Tuesday, October 14, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. Room 104, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue. Towson 21204

Timothy Kotroco

Director

TK:klm

C: Arnold Jablon, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson 21204
Edward Stanfield, Edrich Farms, Inc., 9700 Old Court Road, Baltimore 21244

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2008

- (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.

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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

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

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

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TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director Department of Permits and Development Management October 8, 2008

Arnold Jablon Venable, LLP 210 Allegheny Ave. Towson, MD 21204

Dear: Arnold Jablon

RE: Case Number 2009-0058-SPH, SE corner of Offutt Rd. and Edrich Way

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on August 27, 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:lnw

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel

Edward F. Stanfield: Edrich Farms, INC, 9700 Old Court Rd., Baltimore, MD 21244



JOHN J. HOHMAN, Chief Fire Department

County Office Building, Room 111 Mail Stop #1105 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 September 11, 2008

ATTENTION: Zoning Review Planners

Distribution Meeting Of: September 8,2008

Item Number: 0058,0061

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.

Pursuant to your request, this Bureau has reviewed the referenced plan(s) and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

Lieutenant Roland P Bosley Jr. Fire Marshal's Office 410-887-4880 (C)443-829-2946 MS-1102F

cc: File



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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

DATE: September 9, 2008

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For September 15, 2008 Item Nos. 09-0058, 0059, 0060, 0061,

0062, 0063, and 0064

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

DAK:CEN:lrk

ZAC-09092008-NO COMMENTS



Martin O'Malley, Governor Anthony G. Brown, Lt. Governor John D. Porcari, Secretary Neil J. Pedersen, Administrator

Maryland Department of Transportation

Date: 9/12/2008

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

RE: Baltimore County

Item No 2009 - 6698 - 9PH

EDRICH FARMS INC APFLITT HOAD

Special HENRING

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. 2009-2008-3711

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,

Steven D. Foster, Chief Engineering Access Permits

Division

SDF/MB

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: September 29, 2008

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

SE corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

9-058

Petitioner:

Edrich Farms, Inc.

Zoning:

RC₅

Requested Action:

Special Hearing

- 1. Confirm Parcel A also know as Parcel lot 17 satisfied the RC 5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved (section 1A04.3.B. (BCZR). Or in the alternative
- 2. Confirm Parcel A also know as Parcel lot 17 satisfied the current RC 5 acreage requirement of (section 1A04.3.B. (BCZR). And
- 3. To amend the FDP for "Erich Manor East" to include a Parcel also known as Lot 17, pursuant to section 1A00.4 and section 1B01.3A7,BCZR.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

After reviewing the petition, site plan, original FDP and visiting the site for "Edrich Manor East", the Office of Planning supports the petitioner's request to amend the FDP for "Edrich Manor East" to include Parcel A, also known as Lot 17 and that Parcel A satisfies the RC 5 acreage requirements when "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved per Section 1A04.3.B of the BCZR.

For further information concerning the matters stated here in, please contact Dave Green at 410-

887-3480.

Reviewed by:

Division Chief:

AFK/LL: CM

TB 10/14

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Correspondence



TO:		Timothy M. K	otroco				
FROM:		Dave Lykens,	DEPRM - Development Coordin	ation			
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_	Development of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Sections 33-6-101 through 33-6-122 of the Baltimore County Code).						
_		Critical Area l	of this property must comply with Regulations (Sections 33-2-101 th , of the Baltimore County Code).	•			
A	Additio	onal Comments	<u>s:</u>				

Date: 10/17/08

Reviewer: J. Livingston

From:

Debra Wiley

To:

Murray, Curtis

Date:

10/10/08 11:05:51 AM

Subject:

Comment Needed - 10/14

Hi Curtis,

Tom has a hearing scheduled for next Tuesday, 10/14 @ 11:00 AM and we're missing a comment from your office. I have provided a case description for your convenience as follows:

Case No. 2009-0058-SPH

SE corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way 2nd Election District - 4th Council District

Legal Owners: Edrich Farms, Inc., Edward Stanfield, President

Special Hearing to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisfied the R.C.5 acreage requirement when the subdivision known as "Edrich Manor East" was originally approved (Section 1A04.3.B, B.C.Z.R.), or in the alternative, to confirm Parcel A also known as Lot 17 satisifes the current R.C.5 acreage requirement (Section 1A04.3.B) and to amend the Final Development Plan for "Edrich Manor East" to include Parcel A also known as Lot 17, pursuant to Section 1A00.4 and Section 1B01.3A7, B.C.Z.R.

Hearing: Tuesday, October 14, 2008 at 11:00 a.m., Room 104, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

Thanks again!

Debbie Wiley Legal Administrative Secretary Office of the Zoning Commissioner 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 103 Towson, Md. 21204 410-887-3868 410-887-3468 (fax) dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING
SE corner of Offutt Road & Edrich Way
2nd Election & 4th Councilmanic Districts
Legal Owner(s): Edrich Farms, Inc
Petitioner(s)

- BEFORE THE
- * ZONING COMMISSIONER
- * FOR
- * BALTIMORE COUNTY
- * 09-058-SPH

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

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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CAROLE S. DEMILIO
Deputy People's Counsel
Jefferson Building, Room 204
105 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-2188

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

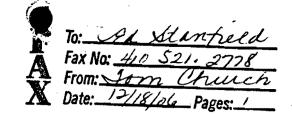
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 9th day of September, 2008, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Arnold Jablon, Esquire, Venable, LLP, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

Peter Mar Zimmerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County







BALTIMORE COUNTY MARYLAND

JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

DAVID A.C. CARROLL, Director Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management

December 13, 2006

Thomas A. Church, P.E. Development Engineering Consultants, Inc. 6603 York Road Baltimore, Maryland 21212

RE: Edrich Manor East, Parcel A, Located at Corner of Edrich Way and Offutt Road, **Election District 2**

Dear Mr. Church,

I have reviewed your request to conduct soil percolation tests on the above referenced property as outlined in your letter and revised site plan, both dated November 27, 2006. The information presented, including the curb and gutter along Offutt Road and the proposed storm drain along the eastern property line will divert off site surface drainage away from the proposed 10,000 sq. ft. sewage disposal area and preclude offsite drainage from impacting the designated septic area. Based on this proposal, this office will permit soil percolation tests to be conducted on the property subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Soil percolation tests must be conducted during the wet weather testing season (February 1st - April 30th).
- 2. The design and discharge structure of the storm drain pipe along the eastern property line must be reviewed and approved by the Stormwater Management Section of this Department.
- 3. Measures must be taken to divert offsite drainage from the property to the east from impacting the sewage disposal reserve area for the subject lot.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact this office at 410-887-2762.

Sincerely,

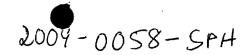
Robert Powell, Supervisor

Soil Evaluation Section

J./ R. Powell, Plan Rev. Com., Edrich Manor East, Pct. A, 12-13-06

1997 Gold Award Recipient





August 21, 2008

t 410.494.6244 f 410.821.0147 admatte@venable.com

HAND DELIVERED

Mr. W. Carl Richards, Jr., Supervisor Zoning Review Office County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Petition for Special Hearing

Petitioner: Edrich Farms, Inc.

Location: SE corner of Offutt Road and Edrich Way

Dear Mr. Richards:

I am drop filing the enclosed Petition for Special Hearing for the abovereferenced property. This property is not in violation of any zoning laws. With this letter, I have enclosed the following documents:

- 1. Petition for Special Hearing (3)
- 2. Zoning Descriptions (3)
- 3. Site Plans (12)
- Newspaper advertising form (1)
- Signature Authorization form (1)
- Check in the amount of \$325.00

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing, please give me a call.

Very truly yours,

Amy D./Matte

Paralegal

cc: Arnold Jablon, Esquire

Enclosures

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Zoning Office
Department of Permits and Development Management
111 West Chesapeake Ave
Towson, Maryland 21204

Zoning Office:

Please be advised that we, the undersigned, have authorized Arnold Jablon, Esq., Venable, LLP, 210 Allegheny Ave., Towson. Maryland 21204, to be our attorney-in-fact and attorney-at-law and on our behalf file the attached petitions for zoning relief. We hereby understand that the relief requested is for property we own and we hereby and herewith acknowledge our express permission for said petitions to be filed on our behalf. The petition(s) filed are for property located at <u>SE corner of Offart Road and Edrich Way</u>, property we own.

Edrich Farms, Inc. (owner)

Edward & Stanfield Quartens

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9700 Old Court Rd, Baltimote, Maryland 21244 address

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PETITIONER'S SIGN-IN SHEET

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MIKE MYLES	3012 EDRICH WAY	RANDON 15 top 10 Md 2/133	
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CITIZEN'S SIGN-IN SHEET

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MIKE MY	LES		EDRICK WAY	Randallstown Mdz1133	
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Exhibit Sheet

Petitioner/Developer

Protestant

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No. 1	Site Plan	
No. 2	Concept Plan	
No. 3	Lette greating would of SWM foodity (12-19-01)	
No. 4	Pere Test Plan	
No. 5	Dev. Plan	
No. 6	HOH Order 9-11-07	
No. 7	Record Plat recorded on 1-9-04	
No. 8	FDP approved \$/30/03	
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Baltimore County Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management

Storm Water Engineering

401 Bosley Avenue, Suite 416 Towson, Maryland 21204

410 887-3768 FAX 410 887-4804

December 19, 2001

Mr. Thomas A. Church
Development Engineering Consultants, Inc.
6603 York Road
Baltimore, Maryland 21212

RE:

EDRICH MANOR EAST

Waiver Request, Patapsco Watershed

Project L.D. A011179

Dear Mr. Church:

This is in response to your letter of September 25, 2001 requesting a waiver of storm water management for the above referenced project.

We have reviewed the material submitted with your letter and advise you as follows:

- 1. There will be a decrease in runoff from the site as a result of the proposed work. However, the drainage pattern will be altered so that runoff from "proposed drainage area D.A. AD 3A" will be discharged onto abutting private property south of the site. Currently, runoff from the area that becomes D.A. AD3 A discharges to the east.
- 2. If we are furnished a copy of a letter from the owners of the affected property to the south indicating their willingness to accept the increased flows, we will grant a waiver of quantity management under the provisions of Section 14-155 (C) (1) of the County Code.
- 3. If permission of the adjacent property owners cannot be obtained, the project must be revised to prevent "proposed condition" runoff from discharging onto their property.

If there are any questions, please contact Ed Schmaus at 410 887-3768.

Very truly yours,

Thomas L. Vidmar, PE, Deputy Director

Department of Environmental Protection and Resource

Management

TLV:pms

c: Storm Drain Design, Dept. of Public Works
Environmental Impact Review, Dept. of Environmental Management

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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
Lawrence E. Schmidt, Zoning Commissioner

May 7, 2004

Mr. & Mrs. Jonathan C. Dorsey 3107 Offutt Road Randallstown, Md. 21133

Mr. John Allan Palmer, Sr. 3109 Offutt Road 'Randallstown, Md. 21133

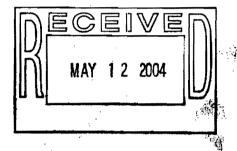
Mr. & Mrs. William J. Gillespie 3111 Offutt Road Randallstown, Md. 21133

RE: Edrich Manor East Subdivision Case No. II-618

Dear Ladies & Gentlemen:

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Vondersmith 3113 Offutt Road Randallstown, Md. 21133

Mr. & Mrs. William A. Lloyd 3115 Offutt Road Randallstown, Md. 21133



Thomas A. Church, a Professional Engineer and principal of Development Engineering Consultants, Inc., has asked that I write to you concerning the above-captioned project. As you may be aware, Mr. Church was retained by Edrich Enterprises, Inc., the Developer of the proposed subdivision known as Edrich Manor East.

By way of background, the development plan for Edrich Manor East was submitted for review by Baltimore County in accordance with the development review process contained in Title 26 of the Baltimore County Code. That process includes a public hearing before the Office of the Zoning Commissioner. In this regard, I considered the development plan for the above-captioned matter on August 29, 2002. At that hearing, I was advised by the County's Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM) that a waiver of certain storm water management regulations had been granted unto the Developer. Thus, no storm water management was required for this development.

Baltimore County maintains storm water management regulations, which are designed to insure that a development will not cause flooding and/or erosion to downstream properties. Apparently, due to the rather limited nature of the proposed development (16 single-family dwelling lots), as well as the area of the site (36.892 acres), DEPRM determined that a waiver of certain storm water management requirements was appropriate. However, certain residents of Offutt Road immediately adjacent to proposed Lot 3 of the Edrich Manor East development appeared at the hearing. They included Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd and Mr. & Mrs. Gillespie. As I recall, those residents expressed a concern regarding potential storm water runoff from Lot 3. It was indicated that Lot 3 sloped downhill to a rear property line that abutted those lots that face Offutt Road.

Japan de & Starques 5/12/01



Residents of Offutt Road Page 2 May 10, 2004

Although DEPRM had determined that a storm water waiver could be granted, I nonetheless required that the Developer design a system to disperse water runoff in that area and submit to Baltimore County for review a written proposal for same. There are many types of storm water management facilities that are permitted in Baltimore County. Often, a storm water management facility will include a pond, which will capture and collect storm water runoff, then release that water at a controlled rate. There are also underground storm water management facilities. In this regard, based on the circumstances present in the instant case, Mr. Church determined that a trench could be dug in a parallel fashion to the rear property line and that trench could then be filled with rock. The intent would be that the trench would capture any storm water flowing down the hill and that the rock would provide a porous area within the ground where the water could infiltrate. This is a very simplistic storm water management design.

management ponds and facilities designed as part of a development proposal. Baltimore County has no interest in acquiring any rights associated with the storm water management proposed in this case, given that a waiver was granted by DEPRM and none was required. Although there will not be any meaningful maintenance of the troneh and rock base necessary, nonetheless, County law requires that some entity have responsibility for maintaining any storm water management facility. Therefore, I directed in my decision that the storm water management system in this case be maintained under an easement by the adjacent neighbors on Offutt Road, who would enjoy the benefit/protection of the system.

I understand that Mr. Church recently submitted details of his proposal and that some of you do not favor the storm water management system and further, are unwilling to agree to maintain same. If such is the case, it seems appropriate that my written decision be amended to delete that requirement and that the property remain in its present configuration.

Therefore, within thirty (30) days of the date hereof, I would appreciate hearing from each of you, in writing, regarding your position in this regard. If the general consensus is that no storm water management system need be provided, then I will issue an amended Order accordingly. Your consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

LES:bjs

cc: Mr. Thomas A. Church, President, Development Engineering Consultants, Inc.

6603 York Road, Towson, Md. 21212

Mr. Donald Rascoe, Development Management Division, DPDM

Mr. Bryce Savage, DEPRM People's Counsel; Case File

IN RE: DEVELOPMENT PLAN HEARING SE/S Offutt Road, S of Elmo Road (Edrich Manor East)

> 2nd Election District 2nd Council District

Edrich Enterprises, Inc. Owner/Developer

- BEFORE THE
- * ZONING COMMISSIONER
- * OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

* Çase No. II-618

HEARING OFFICER'S OPINION AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN ORDER

This matter comes before this Hearing Officer/Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a development plan prepared by Development Engineering Consultants, Inc. for the proposed development of the subject property by Edrich Enterprises, Inc., Owner/Developer, with 16 single family dwelling lots. The subject property consists of a gross area of 36.892 acres, more or less, zoned R.C.5, and is located on the south and east sides of Offutt Road, across from that road's intersection with Elmo Road in Randallstown. The proposed subdivision is more particularly described on the three-page red-lined development plan submitted and marked into evidence as Developer's Exhibits 1A, 1B and 1C.

As to the history of this project through the development review process codified in Title 26 of the Baltimore County Code, a concept plan of the proposed development was prepared and a conference held thereon on May 21, 2001. As required, a Community Input Meeting (CIM) was held on June 19, 2001 at the Winfield Elementary School. Subsequently, a development plan was submitted and a conference held thereon with reviewing County agency representatives on August 7, 2002. Following the submission of that plan, those reviewing agencies submitted comments and a revised development plan incorporating same was submitted at the hearing held before me on August 29, 2002.

Appearing at the public hearing required for this project were Edward F. Stanfield on behalf of Edrich Enterprises, Inc., Owner/Developer, Thomas Church, the Professional Engineer who prepared the development plan for this project, and Benjamin Bronstein, Esquire, attorney for the Owner/Developer. Numerous representatives of the various Baltimore County agencies who

PETITIONER'S EXHIBIT 6



