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IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPLICATION OF
TWO FARMS, INC.
LEGAL OWNER/PETITIONER
VARIANCE – N/S OF EASTERN AVENUE,
335' SW OF BENGIES ROAD
(3320 EASTERN BOULEVARD
15TH ELECTION DISTRICT
5TH COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

- BEFORE THE
- * COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS
- * OF
- BALTIMORE COUNTY
- * CASE NO. 09-128-A

AMENDED ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter comes to the Board of Appeals by way of an appeal filed by D. Edward Vogel, from a decision of the Zoning Commissioner dated February 24, 2009, in which the requested zoning relief was granted.

WHEREAS, the Board is in receipt of a Request to Withdraw Petition filed by David H. Karceski, Esquire on behalf of Two Farms, Inc., Petitioner (a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof); and

WHEREAS, said Petitioner requests that the Petition for Variance that is the subject matter of this appeal be withdrawn and dismissed without prejudice,

Appeals of Baltimore County that the Petition for Variance filed in Case No. 09-128-A be and the same is hereby WITHDRAWN AND DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE, and that the Zoning Commissioner's Order dated December 18, 2008, including any and all relief granted therein, is rendered null and void.

BOARD OF APPEALS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

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January 14, 2010

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RE: In the Matter of: Two Farms, Inc. – Legal Owner/Petitioner Case No.: 09-128-A

Dear Counsel:

Enclosed please find a copy of the final Amended Order of Dismissal issued this date by the Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the above subject matter.

Any petition for judicial review from this decision must be made in accordance with Rule 7-201 through Rule 7-210 of the *Maryland Rules*, with a photocopy provided to this office concurrent with filing in Circuit Court. Please note that all Petitions for Judicial Review filed from this decision should be noted under the same civil action number. If no such petition is filed within 30 days from the date of the enclosed Order, the subject file will be closed.

Very truly yours,

Theresa R. Shelton

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Duplicate Original Cover letter

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January 5, 2010

HAND DELIVERED

Ms. Theresa R. Shelton Administrator County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County The Jefferson Building, Suite 203 105 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Re:

Petition for Variance

Property: 3320 Eastern Boulevard

Case No. 09-128-A

Dear Ms. Shelton:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm that our client, Two Farms, Inc., is hereby withdrawing the Petition for Variance filed in Case No. 09-128-A for the above-referenced property, without prejudice.

Sincerely

David H. Karceski

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cc: Mr. Jeffrey S. Bainbridge T. Wray McCurdy; Esquire

BALTIMORE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

2/24/09

IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

N/S of Eastern Avenue, 335' SW of Bengies Road (3320 Eastern Boulevard)

15th Election District 5th Council District

Two Farms, Inc. Petitioner

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

· OF

BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 2009-0128-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Variance filed by Two Farms, Inc., legal owner of the subject property, by and through its attorney David Karceski, Esquire with Venable LLP. Petitioner filed this Petition for Variance to request relief from the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) for certain signage proposed for the Royal Farms use on the property, as follows: from Section 450.4.5.a to allow eight (8) wall-mounted enterprise signs on a building with a total of five (5) of these on one wall, in lieu of the permitted three (3) signs on a building with two (2) on one wall, respectively; from Section 450.4.5.b to allow a free-standing enterprise sign with a height of 29 feet, in lieu of the permitted 25 feet; and from Section 450.4.3 to allow a company logo on two (2) freestanding directional signs to be 6.15 square feet per sign (76.9% of the sign face area), in lieu of the permitted 2.4 square feet per sign (30% of the sign face area). The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on a four-page redlined site plan, which was submitted into evidence and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 1A – 1D.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the relief requested were Jeffrey Bainbridge, Director of Real Estate for Royal Farms, and Art Leonard and Steve Warfield, professional engineers with Matis Warfield, the consultants who prepared the site plan for this property. David Karceski, Esquire and Christopher Mudd, Esquire appeared as counsel for

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Petitioner. Additionally, Mike Vivirito, President of the Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association, attended to offer his Association's position on the requested relief, and D. Edward Vogel, owner of the Bengies Drive-In Theatre, attended to make this Commission aware of certain concerns he has with regard to the subject property's existing site lighting. There were no other interested persons in attendance at the hearing.

At the onset of the hearing, Petitioner, for the reasons discussed below, withdrew its variance request for the 29-foot tall freestanding enterprise sign. The remaining modified sign variance proceeded with a proffer by Mr. Karceski in combination with testimony by Petitioner's expert witnesses. By way of brief history, Petitioner, in January of 2003, obtained a special exception for a fuel service station on an individual site and a convenience store, carryout restaurant, and rollover carwash as uses in combination with the fuel station. The Order, issued by then Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt in Case No. 02-326-X, imposed certain conditions on the approval of the special exception, including approval of a lighting plan by the County's Landscape Architect and the Office of Planning (See Condition No. 2). A copy of this Order was accepted into evidence as Protestant's Exhibit 1 and referred to by Mr. Vogel. Petitioner, in the instant case, requests variances for signage to serve this fuel service station and its uses in combination that are unrelated to Mr. Vogel's concern over some of the lighting that now exists on the property.

A review of Petitioner's Exhibit 1A – 1D illustrates that the subject property is presently improved with the Royal Farms Store fuel service station approved in the 2003 case in combination with a convenience store/carryout restaurant building and carwash building, which altogether provide multiple on-site customer services. The convenience store/carryout restaurant component of the operation offers a wide variety of food and beverage items and certain retail products for Royal Farms' customers. In order to properly identify the site and its two (2) access

points along Eastern Boulevard, Petitioner proposes to install two (2) illuminated freestanding directional signs, one at each of these access points. Each sign will not exceed 4 feet in height. The Zoning Regulations require that these signs have a sign face area no greater than 8 square feet and be no taller than 6 feet height, and Petitioner's proposed signs respect those restrictions. The Zoning Regulations also require that a company logo on a directional sign not occupy more than 30% of the total sign face area, but, for the reasons discussed below, Petitioner proposes a Royal Farms logo that occupies 76.9% of each sign's area. Additionally, Petitioner proposes several small, illuminated oval-shaped signs at various locations on the site's convenience store/carryout restaurant building instead of combining this signage into three (3) larger signs, which the sign regulations would otherwise permit. Petitioner explained that the primary purpose of these wall-mounted signs (as evidenced by their proposed size, not to exceed 16 ± square feet each) is not for off-site advertising, but rather to make customers entering the site from different directions and already on-site aware of the multiple services provided inside the convenience store/carryout restaurant building.

Notwithstanding the fact that the requested signs require variances, Petitioner was careful to note two (2) important facts for the record: (1) both the freestanding directional signs and wall-mounted signs will not exceed the total sign face area permitted by the regulations (e.g., even with multiple wall-mounted signs, Petitioner will not exceed the area limitation of "two times the length of the wall" for this sign category); and (2) Petitioner is proposing to increase the size of the logo on its directional signs, in lieu of installing a second freestanding enterprise sign (which Petitioner could do by right, because one freestanding enterprise sign is permitted on each public road frontage).

The testimony and evidence offered by Petitioner disclosed that this 1.67± acre property is zoned B.R.-I.M. (Business, Roadside – Industrial, Major) and located in the Middle River area

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of Baltimore County. Both the site plan and the aerial photograph, accepted as Petitioner's Exhibit 7, show that the subject property has an unusual "diamond" shape and is bounded on three (3) sides by different roadways. Two (2) public roads, Eastern Boulevard and Bengies Road, are located on the south and east sides of the site, respectively. These two (2) roads come together at the southeastern point of the site's diamond shape. Additionally, Cosmos Lane, a private road, is located adjacent to and north of the site, intersecting with Bengies Road at the northeastern corner of the property. Cosmos Lane existed prior to development of this Royal Farms site and connects to another road, Peppermint Lane, which serves a large subdivision located further north of the property, known as "Peppermint Woods."

With regard to access, two (2) access points along Eastern Boulevard serve the site and one (1) additional access point exists at the end of Cosmos Lane by which patrons may enter the site from the rear (or north side of the property). Cosmos Lane's main purpose is to provide access from Bengies Road to Peppermint Woods, although it is also used in a secondary way for access to this Royal Farms. All traffic to the site's multiple uses reach the property by way of these access points. As Petitioner explained, the adjacent roadways have an unusual relationship to the subject property for two (2) reasons: (1) the site is a corner lot bounded on three (3) sides by roadways; and (2) there is access from only one of the corner lot's public road frontages. These site conditions make for irregular circulation into and around the subject property.

Certain signage now exists on the property. Petitioner has installed a 25-foot tall freestanding enterprise sign at the corner of Eastern Boulevard and Bengies Road. This corner is the same location Petitioner proposed its 29-foot tall freestanding sign, prior to withdraw of that request at the public hearing. The existing sign with a height of 25 feet will, therefore, remain at its current location. Additionally, each of the site's three (3) access points are marked by ground-mounted, freestanding directional signs. Petitioner proposes replacement directional

signs at the two (2) access points on Eastern Boulevard, each of which would comply with the height and sign face area limitations for this sign category. Petitioner's Exhibit 1C provides a sign detail for these proposed signs, which depict a brick base to be consistent with brickwork at the base of the fuel station canopy and on the convenience store building. Finally, Petitioner proposes to install its small, wall-mounted oval signs on the south and east facades of the convenience store building, as shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 1D. For example purposes, Petitioner's Exhibit 1D also provides possible variations on the sign messages for the oval signs. Other sign messages may be used within these sign ovals; however, Petitioner's Exhibit 1D fixes the size and intended locations for these signs.

Mr. Vivirito appeared at this public hearing on behalf of his Association and explained that, prior to the hearing, he met at the subject site with Mr. Bainbridge and counsel for Petitioner. While on site, Mr. Bainbridge presented Mr. Vivirito with a copy of the site plan as filed with the County and identified for Mr. Vivirito all the variance relief requested. Mr. Vivirito's Association was concerned only with the variance request for the 29-foot tall freestanding enterprise sign. With this understanding, Petitioner committed to the Association, through Mr. Vivirito, to withdraw the request for the 29-foot tall sign and pursue only the relief for the freestanding directional and wall-mounted signage. By a letter, dated January 27, 2009 and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 2, the Association confirmed that "[w]ith the withdrawal of the variance requested for a 29' tall pylon sign, our Association does not oppose Royal Farms remaining requested relief for freestanding directional and wall-mounted signs." Honoring its commitment to the community, Petitioner, in turn, withdrew the height variance and submitted a redlined site plan at the hearing (Petitioner's Exhibit 1A - 1D), which eliminated this variance request, leaving only the two (2) variances described above. That is to say, only the sign variances shown on Petitioner's Exhibit 1A through 1D are before me for consideration.

It is clear that the specific need for the variances is generated by the unique physical characteristics of the site, configuration of the surrounding roadways, and access to these roadways. With regard to the freestanding directional signs, it is the multiple public road frontages around the site and the irregular means of access into the site from these roadways that make the property unique. With no direct access along Bengies Road, the site warrants a clear identification of its only two (2) public road access points. The presence of two (2) existing signs at these access points demonstrate this need, and the proposed signs will provide an upgrade to the aesthetics and improve the effectiveness of the existing signs. Even though Petitioner could also seek to improve its site identification and circulation by installing a second freestanding enterprise sign by right, it simply does not make sense to locate a second sign anywhere else along the site's road frontages, because the two (2) signs would be in close proximity to one another. Instead, due to the unique site access, Petitioner has proposed a more appropriate alternative in two (2) directional signs. With regard to the proposed wall-mounted signage, the site's multiple road frontages result in multiple approaches into the site from different vantage points. Due to this site condition, the convenience store/carryout restaurant building has multiple facades that operate as front facades to the surrounding roadways. With multiple facades visible to patrons entering the site or already on site fueling their vehicles, the proposed wall-mounted signage is appropriate.

Petitioner further explained that strict application of the B.C.Z.R. to the subject property would result in a practical difficulty and unreasonable hardship. With regard to the freestanding directional signs, requiring Petitioner to adhere to the logo size limitation in the B.C.Z.R. (30% of the total sign face area) would make it difficult for Petitioner to adequately identify its access points to motorists approaching the site. Specifically, with no direct access along Bengies Road, Petitioner must assure that it provides adequate direction to the two (2) Eastern Boulevard access

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points for motorists travelling along both Eastern Boulevard and Bengies Road. Were Petitioner to adhere to the signage regulations and, at the same time, provide appropriate direction into the site, it would be forced to erect a second freestanding enterprise sign on the site, even though, as mentioned above, one freestanding enterprise sign is more appropriate. Additionally, with regard to the wall signage, the regulations would force Petitioner to consolidate its proposed small, oval-shaped signs into fewer, yet much larger, signs. This conglomeration of signs, frankly, would be unsightly and not nearly as desirable as the sign package Petitioner proposes.

With regard to any adverse impact, Petitioner asserts that the requested relief is more appropriate for this site than the alternative signage Petitioner could install by right. Installation of a second freestanding enterprise sign is unnecessary and may be avoided with the requested variance for the smaller directional signs. Additionally, consolidation of the proposed smaller wall signs into fewer but larger signs would not be consistent with their intended purpose (to provide direction to customers already on site) and would prevent Petitioner from installing an altogether more appropriate wall-mounted sign package. Petitioner also noted that the Office of Planning and the other reviewing agencies that make up the Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) offered no objections.

Following Petitioner's case, Mr. Vogel offered testimony regarding existing lighting at the Royal Farms site and his perceived impact of these lights on the Bengies Drive-In Theatre. The Bengies Drive-In is located on the opposite side of Eastern Boulvard from the subject property and between the Bengies Drive-In property and Eastern Boulevard are located a number of commercial uses, including the Smokehouse of Chase Restaurant. These commercial establishments, adjacent to the Bengies Drive-In property, are also equipped with site lighting, similar to the other commercial uses that line Eastern Boulevard. The County's prior approval of a lighting plan for this Royal Farms site is not before me in this sign case.

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With regard to Mr. Vogel's comments, I should however note that, following the hearing, I visited the subject site and Bengies Drive-In Theatre after sunset. Observations made during that site visit are particularly relevant in reaching the conclusion that the variance requests for eight (8) wall-mounted enterprise signs and two (2) freestanding directional signs should be granted. Mr. Vogel's concern that the Farm Store lights adversely affect the drive-in theatre operation appear somewhat suspect. While it may be true that a small amount of patron parking to the rear of Bengies Drive-In parking area, which Mr. Vogel referred to as only "the back row" of his parking area, can view some of the Farm Store and the location of some of its lighting, the subject property's improvements and accessory lighting are located to the right of the screen and below the bottom of the screen's horizontal elevation line. Patrons viewing displays on the Bengies screen should be no more affected by these lights – to the right of and below the focal point of the screen- than the lighting that illuminates from the rear wall of the Smokehouse of Chase Restaurant. During my site visit, I also found that the frontage of the subject Farm Store property and its lighting are consistent with other improvements along Eastern Avenue and appear to be the minimum amount of lighting necessary to ensure the safety of patrons on site. When compared to other fuel service stations in the area, also located on Eastern Boulevard, Petitioner appears to already have made major concessions in terms of the brightness of its site lighting in consideration of the Bengies Drive-In property. My observations are consistent with the position of the County's Landscape Architect, which is made clear below.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that the requested variances are appropriate and, having met the standards set forth in B.C.Z.R. Section 307, should be granted. As Petitioner testified, the subject site is unique for many reasons, including its unusual shape and irregular public road access. It is also clear that, based on the unique features of the site, requiring Petitioner to adhere strictly to the requirements of the

B.C.Z.R. would cause a practical difficulty for Petitioner, in that Petitioner would be required to install two (2) freestanding enterprise signs (in close proximity to one another) and to combine its proposed small, wall-mounted signs into three (3) larger, unappealing signs. This would result in undesirable signage for Petitioner as well as the surrounding community. I have no difficulty finding that the proposed directional signage, with an 8 square foot sign face area and a height of 4 feet, are preferable to installing a second 25-foot tall enterprise sign on the property. Similarly, Petitioner's wall-mounted signs will not exceed the total permitted sign face area on any wall of the convenience store, and I find that Petitioner has proposed a more aesthetically pleasing design with smaller-sized signs instead of bunching them together into larger signs.

I should also note that, following the public hearing in this case, I consulted with the Office of Planning and Baltimore County's Landscape Architect, Avery Harden, regarding Mr. Vogel's concern for site lighting on the Royal Farms property. Both the Planning Office and Mr. Harden indicated that they have no issues with the site's lighting, and Mr. Harden confirmed, consistent with an October 10, 2008 e-mail he wrote to one of Royal Farms' consultants (submitted as Petitioner's Exhibit 9), that the lighting design at this particular location is "precedent setting" for convenience stores and should cause no problems for the Bengies Drive-In Theatre. Even though the approval of a site lighting plan and Condition No. 2 to the 2003 case are not before this Zoning Commissioner, it appears that Petitioner has complied with this condition.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this day of February 2009, that the Petition for Variance from Section 450.4.5.a of the B.C.Z.R. to allow eight (8) wall-mounted enterprise signs on a building with a total of five

(5) of these on one wall, in lieu of the permitted three (3) signs on a building with two (2) on one wall, respectively; and from Section 450.4.3 to allow a company logo on two (2) freestanding directional signs to be 6.15 square feet per sign (76.9% of the sign face area), in lieu of the permitted 2.4 square feet per sign (30% of the sign face area), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1A – 1D, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

- 1. Petitioner may apply for building 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, the relief granted herein shall be rescinded.
- 2. All wall-mounted and directional sign lighting (including any ambient lighting reflecting there from) shall conform to the Illumination Engineers Society (I.E.S.) of North America's standards.

WILLIAM ICWISEM
Zoning Commissioner
for Baltimore County





JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN III

Zoning Commissioner

February 24, 2009

David H. Karceski, Esquire Chris Mudd, Esquire Venable, LLP 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

N/S of Eastern Avenue, 335' SW of Bengies Road (3320 Eastern Boulevard)
15th Election District - 5th Council District
Two Farms, Inc. - Petitioner
Case No. 2009-0128-A

Dear Counsel:

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

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

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Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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c: John Kemp, President, Two Farms, Inc., 3611 Roland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21211 Jeffrey S. Bainbridge, Director, Real Estate for Royal Farms, 3611 Roland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21211

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Mike Vivirito, President, Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association, 3619 Bay Drive, Middle River, MD 21220

D. Edward Vogel, Bengies Drive-In Theatre, 3417 Eastern Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21220 People's Counsel; Office of Planning; Avery Harden, County's Landscape Architect, DPDM; File



Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property

located at 3320 Eastern Boulevard which is presently zoned BR-IM

Deed Reference: 25549 / 724 Tax Account # 2400009361

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)

See Attached

of the zoning regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: (indicate hardship or practical difficulty.)

To be determined at hearing.

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

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

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

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Petition for Variance

3320 Eastern Boulevard

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ZONING DESCRIPTION

Beginning at a point located on the northerly side of Eastern Avenue which is a proposed 80 feet wide right-of-way at the distance of 355 feet southwest of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street, Bengies Road, which is a proposed 65 feet wide right-of-way. Thence the following courses and distances:



North 15 degrees 44 minutes 14 seconds West, 226.34 feet; North 74 degrees 35 minutes 49 seconds East, 232.59 feet; South 30 degrees 20 minutes 23 seconds East, 40.31 feet; Southeasterly by a tangential curve to the left having a radius of 420.00 feet, an arc length of 106.68 feet, the chord of said arc bearing South 37 degrees 36 minutes 59 seconds East, 106.39 feet; South 44 degrees 53 minutes 35 seconds East, 80.16 feet; South 15 degrees 28 minutes 15 seconds East, 18.74 feet; South 74 degrees 31 minutes 45 seconds West, 321.36 feet to the point of beginning, and being all of Lot #1 of Peppermint Woods – Commercial Tract as recorded in Baltimore County Plat Book #77, Folio 128, containing 1.2940 acres, plus part of Lot 2 as recorded in same Baltimore County Plat Book #77, Folio 128, containing 0.1300 acre . Lot 1 also known as 3320 Eastern Boulevard and located in the 15th Election District.

This description is for the purpose of accompanying a Petition for a Variance only.



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Case: #2009-0128-A

3320 Eastern Boulevard

N/side of Eastern Avenue, 335 feet s/west of Bengies Road 15th Election District - 5th Councilmanic District

Legal Owner(s): Two Farms, Inc.

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Hearing: Wednesday, January 28, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 104, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Tow-

son 21204

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III

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.

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

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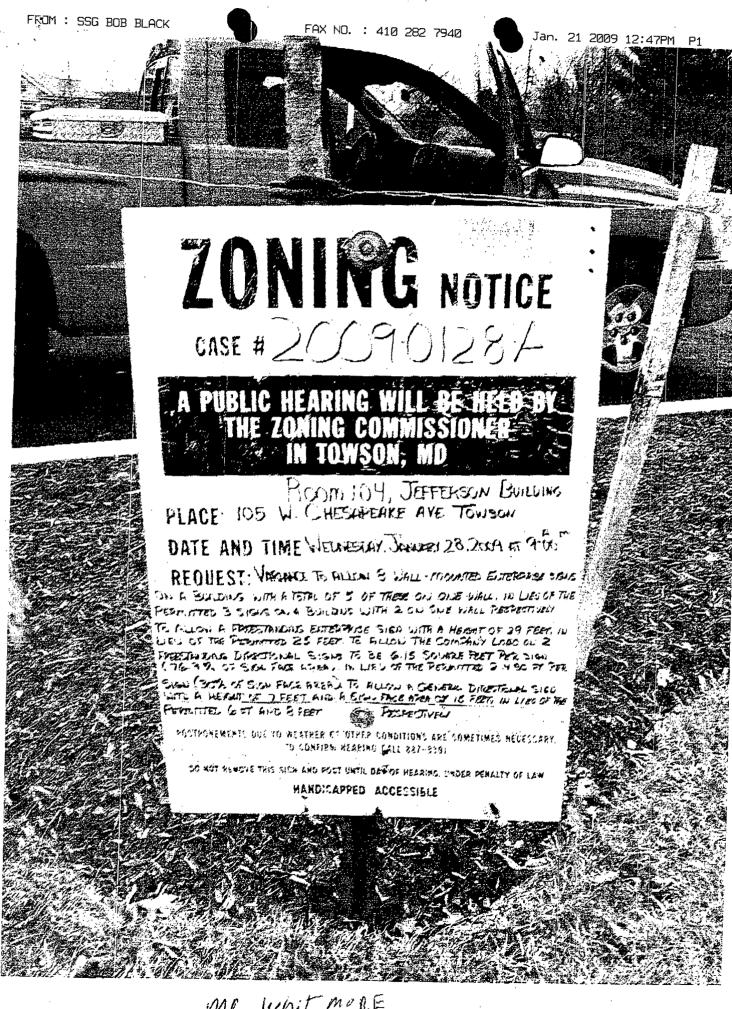
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1 15 , 2069
THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published
in the following weekly newspaper published in Baltimore County, Md.,
once in each ofsuccessive weeks, the first publication appearing
on 1 13 ,20 <u>09</u> .
☑ The Jeffersonian
☐ Arbutus Times
☐ Catonsville Times
☐ Towson Times
Owings Mills Times
☐ NE Booster/Reporter
☐ North County News

LEGAL ADVERTISING

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

	KE2007-0120-A
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	_Two Farms, Inc
	Date of Hearing/Closing:_Jan 28_2009
altimore County Department of ermits and Development Management ounty Office Building, Room 111	
1 West Chesapeake Avenue wson, Maryland 21204	
tn: Kristin Matthews	
adies and Gentlemen:	
osted conspicuously on the property located 320 Eastern Boulevard N/Side of Eastern A	
ne sign(s) were posted on	Jan 13, 09 (Month, Day, Year)
	Sincerely,
	Robert Black 1-15-0 (Signature of Sign Poster) (Date)
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	SSG Robert Black
	(Print Name)
	1508 Leslie Road
	(Address)
	Dundalk, Maryland 21222
	(City, State, Zip Code)
	(410) 282-7940
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Requested: April 9, 2009

PPEAL SIGN POSTING REQUEST

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CASE NO.: 09-128-A

BALTIMORE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

3320 Eastern Boulevard

15th ELECTION DISTRICT

APPEALED: 3/6/09

ATTACHMENT – (Plan to accompany Petition – Petitioner's Exhibit No. 1)

COMPLETE AND RETURN BELOW INFORMATION*

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

TO: Baltimore County Board of Appeals The Jefferson Building, Suite 203

102 W. Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, MD 21204

Attention:

Theresa Shelton

Administrator

CASE NO.: 09-128-A

LEGAL OWNER: Two Farms, Inc.

This is to certify that the necessary appeal sign was posted conspicuously on the property located at:

> 3320 EASTERN BOULEVARD N/s Eastern Avenue, 335' SW of Bengies Road

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fairly and accurately depict the condition of the property that is the subject of the above-referenced citation/case number on the date set out above.

Enforcement Officer



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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For Newspaper Advertising:	
Item Number or Case Number 2009-0128-A	
Petitioner: Two Farms, Thc.	
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PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO	
Name: David H. Karceski, Esquire	
Name: David H. Karceski, Esquire Address Venable, LLP	
210 Allegheny Avenue	
Towson, MD 21204	
Telephone Number: 410-494-6200	

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TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

Tuesday, January 13, 2009 Issue - Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:

Amy Dontell-Matte 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204 410-494-6244

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Hearing: Wednesday, January 28, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 104, Jefferson Building,

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN III ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

December 15, 2008
TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director
Department of Permits and
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January 8, 2009

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County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County

JEFFERSON BUILDING SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 203 105 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND, 21204 410-887-3180 FAX: 410-887-3182 respert moveret care po.

Hearing Room #2, Second Floor

Jefferson Building, 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue

April 20, 2009

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

CASE #: 08-478-A IN THE MATTER OF: TWO FARMS, INC. – Legal Owners / Petitioners

3320 Eastern Boulevard /15th E; 5th C

VAR – req. relief from § 450.4.5a - to permit 8 wall-mounted signs w/total of 5 on one wall ilo permitted 3 with 2 on one wall, respectively; § 450.4.5b to allow a free-standing sign w/ht of 29 ft, ilo permitted 25 ft; § 450.4.3 to allow comp. logo on 2 freestanding signs to be 6.15 sq. ft. (76.9%), ilo permitted 2.4 sq. ft. (30%)

2/24/09 –Z.C.'s decision in which requested zoning relief was GRANTED with restrictions.

ASSIGNED FOR: THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

NOTICE:

This appeal is an evidentiary hearing; therefore, parties should consider the

advisability of retaining an attorney.

Please refer to the Board's Rules of Practice & Procedure, Appendix B, Baltimore County Code.

IMPORTANT: No postponements will be granted without sufficient reasons; said requests must be in writing and in compliance with Rule 2(b) of the Board's Rules. No postponements will be granted within 15 days of scheduled hearing date unless in full compliance with Rule 2(c).

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Theresa R. Shelton Administrator

c: Protestant / Appellant

: D. Edward Vogel

Counsel for Petitioner / Legal Owner

: David H. Karceski, Esquire

: Venable, LLP

Petitioner / Legal Owner

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Hearing Room #2, Jefferson Building 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue, Second Floor (next to Suite 203)

April 30, 2009

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT

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2/24/09 -Z.C.'s decision in which requested zoning relief was GRANTED with restrictions.

This matter was assigned for Thursday, June 25, 2009 and has been postponed. The matter will be re-assigned upon an agreed date by Counsel. Upon the date being established a Notice of Re-Assignment will be sent to all parties. TO BE RE-ASSIGNED.

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: Counsel for Appellant /Protestant

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Protestant / Appellant

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Counsel for Petitioner / Legal Owner

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Hearing Room #2, Second Floor Jefferson Building, 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue

April 22, 2009

<u>AMENDED NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT</u> (as to Case Number only – *correction*)

CASE #: 09-128-A

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ASSIGNED FOR:

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

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Theresa R. Shelton Administrator

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May 14, 2009

NOTICE OF RE-ASSIGNMENT / Agreed Date

CASE #: 09-128A

IN THE MATTER OF: TWO FARMS, INC. - Legal Owners / Petitioners

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This matter having been postponed from June 25, 2009, has been re-assigned by agreement of counsel as follows:

RE-ASSIGNED FOR:

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

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August 10, 2009

SECOND NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT

CASE #: 09-128-A IN THE MATTER OF: TWO FARMS, INC. – Legal Owners /Petitioners 3320 Eastern Boulevard /15th E; 5th C

VAR – req. relief from § 450.4.5a - to permit 8 wall-mounted signs w/total of 5 on one wall ilo permitted 3 with 2 on one wall, respectively; § 450.4.5b to allow a free-standing sign w/ht of 29 ft, ilo permitted 25 ft; § 450.4.3 to allow comp. logo on 2 freestanding signs to be 6.15 sq. ft. (76.9%), ilo permitted 2.4 sq. ft. (30%)

2/24/09 -Z.C.'s decision in which requested zoning relief was GRANTED with restrictions.

This matter was assigned for Wednesday, August 26, 2009 and has been postponed due to a possible resolution of the matter. TO BE RE-ASSIGNED.

NOTICE: This appeal is an evidentiary hearing, therefore, parties should consider the advisability of retaining an attorney.

Please refer to the Board's Rules of Practice & Procedure, Appendix B, Baltimore County Code.

IMPORTANT: No postponements will be granted without sufficient reasons; said requests must be in writing and in compliance with Rule 2(b) of the Board's Rules. No postponements will be granted within 15 days of scheduled hearing date unless in full compliance with Rule 2(c).

If you have a disability requiring special accommodations, please contact this office at least one week prior to hearing date.

Theresa R. Shelton, Administrator

c: Counsel for Appellant /Protestant

Protestant /Appellant

: T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire

: D. Edward Vogel

Counsel for Petitioner / Legal Owner

: David H. Karceski, Esquire

: Venable, LLP -

Petitioner / Legal Owner : Two Farms, Inc.

John Kemp, President

Arthur Leonard; Steve Warfield; Matis Warfield

Mike Vivirito



JEFFERSON BUILDING SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 203 105 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND, 21204 410-887-3180 FAX: 410-887-3182

Jefferson Building - Second Floor Hearing Room #2 - Suite 206 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue

December 18, 2009

NOTICE OF RE-ASSIGNMENT / DAY #3

CASE #: 07-158-SPH

IN THE MATTER OF: CARBROC, LLC –Legal Owner /Petitioner 9811 York Road; 9812, 9814 Monroe Street 8th E; 3rd C

12/26/2006 - D.Z.C.'s Decision in which requested zoning relief was GRANTED with conditions.

2/08/07 - D.Z.C. decision granting in part and denying in part the Motion for Reconsideration filed by County Home Park Community Assn.

6/29/07 - D.Z.C. decision denying the Motion for Reconsideration filed by Petitioner.

This matter was continued on the record on 5/22/08 and 9/11/08 and is re-assigned as follows:

REASSIGNED FOR: #361 TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2010, at 10:00 a.m./DAY #3

NOTICE: This appeal is an evidentiary hearing; therefore, parties should consider the advisability of retaining an attorney.

Please refer to the Board's Rules of Practice & Procedure, Appendix B, Baltimore County Code.

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Theresa R. Shelton, Administrator

Counsel for Appellant /Petitioner
Appellant /Petitioner

: Lawrence E. Schmidt, Esquire

: Carbroc, LLC

Shawn Pivec; Grant Pivec; Todd D. Pivec

George Cummings, President
County Home Park Community Association, Inc.
Joseph Larson /Spellmán, Larson & Associates

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shortall
Michael Noppenburger

Robert and Julia Donatelli

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Office of People's Counsel

William J. Wiseman III /Zoning Commissioner

Pat Keller, Planning Director

Sophia Jennings, Code Enforcement /PDM | CC-04-3644 & 05-2161|

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director /PDM

Nancy West, Assistant County Attorney

John E. Beverungen, County Attorney



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director
Department of Permits and
Development Management
January 23, 2009

David Karceski Venable, LLP 210 Allegheny Ave. Towson, MD 21204

Dear: David Karceski

RE: Case Number 2009-0128-A, 3320 Eastern Blvd.

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on October 29, 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,

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W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR:lnw

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel Two Farms, INC; 3611 Roland Ave.; Baltimore, MD. 21211



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

JOHN J. HOHMAN, Chief Fire Department

County Office Building, Room 111 Mail Stop #1105 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 November 20, 2008

ATTENTION: Zoning Review Planners

Distribution Meeting Of: November 17, 2008

ItemNumbers 0111,0126,0127,0128,0129,0130,0131,0132,0133,0135,0137,0138,0140

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

1. The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time.

Lieutenant Roland P Bosley Jr. Fire Marshal's Office 410-887-4881 (C)443-829-2946 MS-1102F

cc: File

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: January 26, 2009

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For January 26, 2009

Item Nos: 2009-0035, 0128, 0183, 0184,

0186, 0187, 0188, and 0189

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

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ZAC-012609 -NO COMMENTS

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

DATE: November 24, 2008

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For November 24, 2008

Item No.: 2009-111, 121, 126, 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 133, 137, 138 & 140

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

DAK:CEN:cab

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ZAC-11242008-NO COMMENTS



Martin O'Malley, Governor Anthony G. Brown, Lt. Governor

John D. Porcari, Secretary Neil J. Pedersen, Administrator

Maryland Department of Transportation

Date: November 19, 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. 2009-0128-A MD 151 (Eastern Boulevard) 3320 eastern Boulevard Two Farms, Inc. Property

Variance

Dear Ms. Matthews:

We have reviewed the site plan to accompany petition for variance on the subject of the above captioned, which was received on 11/18/2008. A field inspection and internal review reveals that entrances onto the property from MD 150 (Eastern Boulevard) are consistent with current State Highway Administration (SHA) guidelines. Therefore, the SHA has no objection to approval for 3320 Eastern Boulevard, Case Number 2008-0128-A.

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

Very truly yours,

Steven D. Foster, Chief Engineering Access Permits

Division

SDF/MB

Cc:

Mr. David Malkowski, District Engineer, SHA

Mr. Michael Pasquariello, Utility Engineer, SHA



Martin O'Malley, Governor Anthony G. Brown, Lt. Governor

John D. Porcari, Secretary Neil J. Pedersen, Administrator

Maryland Department of Transportation

Date: January 22, 2009

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

RE: Baltimore County

Item No. 2009-0128-A MD 150 (Eastern Avenue) 3320 Eastern Avenue Two Farms, Inc. Property

Variance

Dear Ms. Matthews:

We have reviewed the plan to accompany petition for a variance on the subject of the above captioned, which was received on 01/20/2009. A field inspection and internal review reveals that existing access to the MD 150 (Eastern Avenue) is consistent with current State Highway Administration guidelines. Therefore, the State Highway has no objection to approval of a variance for Two Farms, Inc. located at 3320 Eastern Avenue, Case Number 2009-0128-A.

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

Very truly yours,

Steven D. Foster, Chief Engineering Access Permits Division

SDF/MB

Cc: Mr. David Malkowski, District Engineer, SHA

Mr. Michael Pasquariello, Utility Engineer, SHA

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

DATE:

January 30, 2009

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item # 09-128-A

Address

3320 Eastern Avenue

(Two Farms, Inc.)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of January 19, 2009

X The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management has no comments on the above-referenced zoning item.

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above-referenced zoning item:

Development of the property must comply with the Regulations for the Protection of Water Quality, Streams, Wetlands and Floodplains (Sections 33-3-101 through 33-3-120 of the Baltimore County Code).

Development of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Sections 33-6-101 through 33-6-122 of the Baltimore County Code).

Development of this property must comply with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations (Sections 33-2-101 through 33-2-1004, and other Sections, of the Baltimore County Code).

Additional Comments:

Reviewer:

GES

Date: 1/30/09

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INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: January 27, 2009

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

3320 Eastern Boulevard

INFORMATION:

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Item Number:

9-128

Petitioner:

Two Farms, Inc.

Zoning:

BR-IM

Requested Action:

Variance

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning has reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan. It is the understanding of the Office of Planning that the petitioner has withdrawn a variance request for a freestanding enterprise sign with a height of 29 feet, in lieu of the permitted 25 feet.

This Office of Planning does not oppose the remaining variance requests for 8 wall mounted enterprise signs and 2 freestanding directional signs.

For further information concerning the matters stated here in, please contact Dave Green at 410-887-3480.

Prepared by:

Division Chief;

AFK/LL: CM

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Correspondence



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ZONING COMMISSIONER

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

DATE:

January 26, 2009

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item # 09-128-A

Address

3320 Eastern Boulevard

(Two Farms, Inc.)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of November 17, 2008

<u>X</u> The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management has no comments on the above-referenced zoning item.

The Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above-referenced zoning item:

Additional Comments:

Reviewer:

JWL

Date: 1/26/09



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

JOHN J. HOHMAN, Chief
Fire Department

County Office Building, Room 111 Mail Stop #1105 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 January 26,2009

ATTENTION: Zoning Review Planners

Distribution Meeting Of: January 19, 2009

Item Numbers 0035 0128,0183, 0184,0185,0186,0187,0188,0189

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

1. The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time.

Lieutenant Roland P Bosley Jr. Fire Marshal's Office 410-887-4881 (C)443-829-2946 MS-1102F

cc: File

RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE
3220 Eastern Boulevard; N/S Eastern
Avenue, 335' SW of Bengies Road
15th Election & 5th Councilmanic Districts
Legal Owner(s): Two Farms, Inc
Petitioner(s)

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BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

* FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

* 09-128-A

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of People's Counsel in the above-captioned matter. Notice should be sent of any hearing dates or other proceedings in this matter and the passage of any preliminary or final Order. All parties should copy People's Counsel on all correspondence sent and all documentation filed in the case.

Peter Max Zummerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Contis Dentis

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 24th day of November, 2008, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to David Karceski, Esquire, Venable, LLP, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson, MD 21204, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

Peter Max Zummerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

From:

Debra Wiley

To:

Livingston, Jeffrey

Date:

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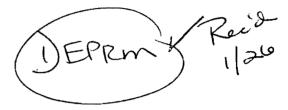
Subject:

Fwd: Comment Needed

Jeff,

It appears we're missing a comment from your Department on this one also (CBCA). Thanks.

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



>>> Debra Wiley 01/23/09 3:53 PM >>> Curtis,

Bill has a hearing scheduled Wednesday, 1/28/09 at 9:00 AM and in reviewing the file and pending comments, it appears we are missing a comment from your office. I have provided a case description for you review as follows:

CASE NUMBER: 2009-0128--A

3320 Eastern Blvd.

Location: N side of Eastern Avenue, 335 feet SW of Bengies Road.

15th Election District, 5th Councilmanic District

Legal Owner: Two Farms Inc.

VARIANCE 1) To allow 8 wall-mounted enterprise signs on a building with a total of 5 of these on one wall, in lieu of the permitted 3 signs on a building with 2 on one wall, respectively; 2) To allow a free-standing enterprise sign with a height of 29 feet, in lieu of the permitted 25 feet; 3) To allow th company logo on 2 freestanding directional signs to be 6.15 square feet per sign (76.9% of sign face area), in lieu of the permitted 2.4 square feet per sign (30% of sign face area).

Hearing: Wednesday, 1/28/2009 at 9:00:00 AM Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Room 104, Towson

Thanks and have a great weekend!

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



JEFFERSON BUILDING SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 203 105 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND, 21204 410-867-3180. FAX: 410-887-3182

December 17, 2009

David Karceski, Esquire VENABLE, LLP 210 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Ste. 500 Towson, MD 21204

T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire 101 Eastern Boulevard Baltimore, MD 21221

B. Shilton)

Re: In the Matter of: Two Farms, Inc. /LO Case No. 09-128-A

Dear Counsel:

This letter is to follow through with a status check regarding the above captioned matter. On August 10, 2009 this office granted a postponement due to a possible resolution/settlement agreement.

If the settlement has concluded, please provide the Board with a copy of the Agreement so the Board can remove the matter from the open docket. If this matter was not resolved, please advise, so it may be scheduled. I await your response.

Thank you for your time and assistance. I remain,

Very truly yours,

Theresa R. Shelton

Administrator

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JEFFÉRSON BUILDING SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 203 105 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND, 21204 410-887-3180 FAX: 410-887-3182

August 10, 2009

David Karceski, Esquire VENABLE, LLP 210 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Ste. 500 Towson, MD 21204

> Re: In the Matter of: Two Farms, Inc. / LO Case No. 09-128-A

Dear Mr. Karceski:

This letter will acknowledge receipt of your hand-delivered correspondence dated August 6, 2009 in which you request a postponement of the subject case scheduled for hearing on August 26, 2009 due to a possible resolution of this matter.

Your request will be granted and the matter has been postponed, which will allow the additional time you have requested.

A copy of the Notice of Postponement is enclosed. Should you have any questions, please call me at 410-887-3180.

Very truly yours,

Theresa R. Shelton Administrator

Enclosure: Notice of Postponement

c(w/Encl.): T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire

Two Farms, Inc.

John Kemp, President



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

TIMOTHY M. KOTBOCO, Director March 3 Department of Permits and Development Management

David Karceski, Esq. Chris Mudd, Esq. Venable, LLP 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Dear Messrs.:

RE: Case: 2009-0128-A, 3320 Eastern Boulevard

Please be advised that an appeal of the above-referenced case was filed in this office on March 6, 2009 from D. Edward Vogel. All materials relative to the case have been forwarded to the Baltimore County Board of Appeals (Board).

If you are the person or party taking the appeal, you should notify other similarly interested parties or persons known to you of the appeal. If you are an attorney of record, it is your responsibility to notify your client.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to call the Board at 410-887-3180.

Sincerely,

Timothy Kotroco

Director -

TK:klm

C: William J. Wiseman III, Zoning Commissioner
Timothy Kotroco, Director of PDM
People's Counsel
D. Edward Vogel, 3417 Eastern Blvd., Baltimore 21220
John Kemp, Two Farms, Inc., 3611 Roland Ave., Baltimore 21211
Jeffrey Bainbridge, Real Estate for Royal Farms, 3611 Roland Ave, Baltimore 21211
Arthur Leonard, Stephen Warfield, Matis Warfield, 10540 York Road, Hunt Valley 21030
Mike Vivirito, Bowleys Quarters Improvement Assoc., 3619 Bay Dr., Middle River 21220

APPEAL

Petition for Variance
3320 Eastern Boulevard
N/s Eastern Avenue, 335' SW of Bengies Road
15th Election District – 5th Councilmanic District
Legal Owners: Two Farms Inc.

Case No.: 2009-0128-A

Petition for Variance (October 29, 2009)

Zoning Description of Property

Notice of Zoning Hearing (January 8, 2009)

Certification of Publication (The Jeffersonian – January 13, 2009)

Certificate of Posting (January 13, 2009) by Robert Black

Entry of Appearance by People's Counsel (November 28, 2009)

Petitioner(s) Sign-In Sheet - One Sheet

Protestant(s) Sign-In Sheet - None

Citizen(s) Sign-In Sheet - One Sheet

Zoning Advisory Committee Comments

Petitioners' Exhibit

- 1. Redlined Site Plan (A thru D)
- 2. Letter Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association
- 3. ZAC Comment Planning
- 4. Resume of Arthur Leonard
- 5. Resume of Stephen Warfield
- 6. Resume of Jeffrey Bainbridge
- 7. Aerial Map
- 8. Sign Permit (Identification Only)
- 9. Email from Avery Harden

Protestants' Exhibits:

- 1. Order on 02-326-X
- 2. Summary of Mr. Vogels Position of Royal Farms Store
- 3. Plans

Miscellaneous (Not Marked as Exhibit)

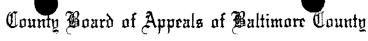
Letter from Mr. Vogel

Zoning Commissioner's Order (GRANTED – February 24, 2009)

Notice of Appeal received on March 6, 2009 from D. Edward Vogel

c: People's Counsel of Baltimore County, MS #2010
Zoning Commissioner
Timothy Kotroco, Director of PDM
David Karceski, 210 Allegheny Avenue, Towson 21204
John Kemp, Two Farms, Inc., 3611 Roland Avenue, Baltimore 21211
Arthur Leonard, Matis Warfield, 10540 York Road, Hunt Valley
Mike Vivirito, 3619 Bay Drive, Middle River 21220
D. Edward Vogel, 3417 Eastern Blvd., Baltimore 21220

date sent April 6, 2009, klm





JEFFERSON BUILDING SECOND FLOOR, SUITE 203 105 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND, 21204 410-887-3180 FAX: 410-887-3182

February 25, 2009

T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire 101 Eastern Boulevard Baltimore, MD 21221

RE: In the Matter of: Two Farms, Inc.
Case No. 09-128-A

Dear Mr. McCurdy:

This will acknowledge receipt of your Entry of Appearance filed April 28, 2009 in the subject matter and your request for a continuance of the June 25, 2009 hearing date, due to Court scheduling conflicts.

Please be advised that you have been added to our case file as counsel for D. Edward Vogel, Appellant/Protestant, and that you will receive copies of all future correspondence and notices in this matter.

Your postponement request has been granted. The Board sits on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week. The docket is currently scheduled through the end of July 2009; however, Thursday, July 2, 2009 is open on the docket...

I have set aside the dates listed below on the Board's docket and upon notification from Counsel as to which date works for everyone, a notice will be sent, reassigning to the confirmed date. Please contact this office upon receipt of this letter to confirm availability.

Thursday, July 2, 2009 at 10:00 Tuesday, August 4, 2009 at 10:00 a.m.; and Thursday, August 6, 2009 at 10:00 a.m.

Enclosed is the Notice of Postponement from the assigned June 25, 2009 date.

Thanking you in advance for your time and cooperation in this matter. Should you have any questions, please call me at 410-887-3180.

very nuly yours

Theresa R. Shelton

Administrator

Encl.: Notice of Postponement

c: David Karceski, Esquire
 John Kemp, President – Two Farms
 D. Edward Vogel
 Office of People's Counsel



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director

Department of Permits and

Development Management

March 16, 2009

T. Wray McCurdy, P.A. 101 Eastern Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21221

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Re: Alleged Violation of Lighting Restriction of Case. No. 02-326-X

ZONING COMMISSIONER

Dear Mr. McCurdy:

You have asked that my office investigate an alleged violation of Restriction number 2 contained within Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt's zoning decision dated January 27th, 2003. This decision relates to the newly constructed Royal Farm Store located across Eastern Avenue from your client's property. The relevant language of restriction number 2 reads as follows:

"The screening and landscape plan shall provide sufficient screening so that security lights, permanent lighting and vehicle headlights do not *inappropriately* (emphasis added) spill onto adjacent properties, particularly the Bengies Drive-In Movie Theater as more particularly described above"

My office has inspected the Royal Farm Store commercial site. We have also, with your permission, inspected the lighting situation from the vantage point of your client's property. I personally have been to these properties on five separate occasions. On two occasions, the Baltimore County Landscape Architect, Avery Harden, inspected the property with me.

It is our collective opinion that the newly installed lighting associated with the Royal Farm store, which was the subject of case no. 02-326-X, does not produce lighting that "inappropriately" spills onto your client's property. In making this determination, it assumes, and I have requested that the owner of the Royal farm Store extinguish the accent lights that shine in the direction of the roof top gables located on the front and side of his building. This accent lighting shines away from your client's property but does, in my opinion, inappropriately reflect off of the white painted gables. The owner, Mr. Kemp, has stated to me that he will discontinue using those lights.

I should also note that this issue once again surfaced in a hearing before the Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner. Just last month, Zoning Commissioner William J. Wiseman heard variance case no. 2009-0128-A which related to the Royal Farm Store requesting some additional signage. Commissioner Wiseman also visited this property after sunset to make his own determination as to any adverse effects the lighting would have on the Bengie's Drive-In movie theatre. He found in his decision that Mr. Vogel's concerns about lighting were somewhat suspect and that the owner of the Royal Farm Store had complied with the restrictions of the previous zoning Order.

For the reasons stated herein, at this time, my office will not be bringing any enforcement action against the owner of the Royal Farm Store regarding any violation of lighting standards on the property.

Sincerely

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Mike Mohler, Deputy Director PDM / Avery Harden, County Landscape Architect Chip Raynor, Code Enforcement Inspector William Wiseman, Zoning Commissioner

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JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

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

March 16, 2009

T. Wray McCurdy, P.A. 101 Eastern Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21221

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MAR 18 2009

Re: Alleged Violation of Lighting Restriction of Case. No. 02-326-X

ZONING COMMISSIONER

Dear Mr. McCurdy:

You have asked that my office investigate an alleged violation of Restriction number 2 contained within Zoning Commissioner Lawrence E. Schmidt's zoning decision dated January 27th, 2003. This decision relates to the newly constructed Royal Farm Store located across Eastern Avenue from your client's property. The relevant language of restriction number 2 reads as follows:

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director



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DONALD E. BRAND, Buildings Engineer

BUILDING PERMIT

PERMIT #: B708787 CONTROL #: CAC-DIST: 15 PREC: 01 DATE ISSUED: 12/08/2008 TAX ACCOUNT #: 1506570542

PLANS: CONST 2 PLOT 3 R PLAT 0 DATA 0 ELEC YES PLUM NO

LOCATION: 3417 EASTERN BLVD

SUBDIVISION: 550 E OF HUGHES SHORE R

OWNERS INFORMATION

NAME: THE LAST PICTURE SHOW ADDR: 3417 EASTERN BLVD

TENANT:

CONTR: TBD

ENGNR: SELLR:

WORK:

INSTALL TEMPORARY MONOPOLE TOWER W RELATED

ANTENNAS (6) PER MNFRS INSTRUCTIONS & STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING LETTER ATTACHED

BLDG. CODE:

RESIDENTIAL CATEGORY:

OWNERSHIP: PRIVATELY OWNED

PROPOSED USE: BUILDING W ANTENNA TOWER/ANTENNAS

EXISTING USE: BUILDING

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Owner Information TWO FARMS INC **Owner Name:** Hee. COMMERCIAL **Principal Residence:** NO **Deed Reference: Mailing Address:** 3611 ROLAND AVE 1) /25549/ 724 **BALTIMORE MD 21211-2408 Location & Structure Information** Premises Address Legal Description 3320 EASTERN AVE 1.2940AC COMMERC TRT **BALTIMORE MD 21224-4108** 3320 EASTERN AVE NS PEPPERMINT WOODS **Sub District** Subdivision Grid **Parcel** Section Block Lot Plat No: Map **Assessment Area** Plat Ref: 91 8 429 77/ 128 1 Town **Ad Valorem Special Tax Areas Tax Class Property Land Area Primary Structure Built Enclosed Area County Use** 2009 3,936 SF 1.29 AC 06 **Stories Basement Exterior** Type **Value Information** Base Value Value **Phase-in Assessments** As Of As Of 01/01/2009 07/01/2008 07/01/2009 Land 135,400 645,000 Improvements: 619,600 Total: 755,000 645,000 135,400 645,000 **Preferential Land: Transfer Information** Seller: PEPPERMINT WOODS LTD Date: 04/26/2007 Price: \$740,000 IMPROVED ARMS-LENGTH Type: Deed1: /25549/ 724 Deed2: Seller: Date: Price:

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Interoffice Correspondence

Phone: 410-887-3180

Fax: 410-887-3182

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From: Sunny Cannington, Legal Secretary

Date: January 8, 2010

Re: Sign pick up

Hi Stuart,

The below listed case has been completed at the Board level. If the sign is still posted, please pick it up at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for all your help.

Sunny

Case No.:Case Name:Address:09-128-ATwo Farms, Inc.3320 Eastern Boulevard

--- Original Message ---

From: D. Edward

To: T. Wray McCurdy; Timothy Kotroco

Cc: Chip Raynor; James H Thompson; Mike Mohler Sent: Wednesday, December 03, 2008 4:05 PM

Subject: Bengies Drive-In Theatre- Peppermint woods comercial scheme

Mr. Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Baltimore County Dept. of Permits & Dev. Management

Code Enforcement Division

Mr. Chip Raynor, Enforcement Officer Mr. James Thompson, Supervisor Mr. Michael Mohler, Deputy Director

Dear Mr. Kotroco, et.al.,

First I need to thank the Enforcement Officer, Mr. Chip Raynor, who came at 8pm last night for a short meeting that actually lasted more than two and half hours.

We did several things, looked at documents, and walked much of the 750 vehicle parking area to examine and discuss this horrible and obvious situation.

Chip sat me down and explained many things, and did an excellent job of explaining all of what could happen. It sounded reasonable and sometimes quite scary where the drive-in theatre's future was concerned. It actually kept me up late and then interfered with my sleeping.

In the end, I was delighted by a phone message he left this morning advising me to contact specifically Mr. Kotroco to say we need a meeting of the concerned parties as soon as possible.

Further, I would like you all to know that I never expected to be the one to research the true answer, as I thought this would be the burden of the violator, so I am not sure how fast I can answer the cost of the remedy, until I (we) find the right one.

However, proceeding with a meeting and a possible agreement would be best, and I am hoping it can be done without having the exact solution.

I intend not to cost anyone more than what is necessary, but I did let Chip know there is no cheap solution.

I also stated that I am not opposed to placing the solution on my property, however, if I am giving up property for this, I do expect to lease them the land to allow the "fix," and I am expecting the maintenance and cost of the solution to not be on me. (on some of the property involved, it also means I need to get permission from another party, Mr. Eugene Austin, as we own a parcel as tenants in Common, and we would need to place this probably across that parcel. To keep it strictly to the property I own, may mean additional costs. (to follow the property line, would involve more footage.)

In the same breath, please understand that I feel any solution put into place to protect the drive in theatre can be diminished in proportion to the need if ever a time came where either direct shielding becomes unnecessary, or the theatre (I am hoping this does not happen) ceases to exist.

In short, where the solution is not cheap, I do not intend to cause anyone unnecessary or unreasonable financial burden.

At this time I feel we would need a qualified engineer to be involved with this, someone who can say how this solution is to be done, and insure the "fix" is going to work, and place the responsibility of this working onto someone who can be held accountable.

An agreement, with my attorney's approval, can happen quickly and would include the following:

The violator (and or the property owner) accepts the cost and responsibility of all of the following:

- 1. The hiring of an independent engineer (agreeable to all parties) qualified to take on the task of designing the proper screening, whatever that may be. That would need to be acceptable to all parties and look appropriate for the neighborhood and approved by Baltimore County.
- 2. The cost of any temporary measures that may have to be taken prior to the conclusion of the real solution to insure the drive-in theatre opens at the first available window of opportunity in the Spring, which would essentially means on or after March 28, 2009. That could occur on either side of the street, whatever is cost effective and acceptable to the violator and the engineer.
- 3. The land required for the solution will be leased by the violator, at or below fair market value, depending on how much property I must sacrifice to provide the area. (Consider: if the real solution is tree planting, I would loose one heck of a lot of useful land. If the solution is a wind-wall fence, then I am not going to able to use it, but it much less property.)
- 4. That the continued maintenance of this solution is the responsibility of the violator, and that any repairs occur in a very timely manner.
- 5. That the violator secures agreement that would bind the property owner to whatever solution is in place to ensure the solution will be enforced by the property owner with any other leaseholder of the property and by the owner at any interim period between leases, and this will continue as long as the theatre exists. (The responsibility of conveying and enforcing the determination of the Petition Hearing Case # 02-326-X has always been the property owner)



t 410.494.6365 f 410.821.0147 cdmudd@venable.com

January 7, 2009

HAND-DELIVERED

W. Carl Richards, Zoning Supervisor Baltimore County Department of Permits and Development Management 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: REQUEST FOR RECIRCULATION OF PLANS

Royal Farms – 3320 Eastern Boulevard Case No. 2009-0128-A 5th Councilmanic District, 15th Election District

Dear Mr. Richards:

This firm represents Two Farms, Inc., legal owner of the above-referenced property and petitioner in the above-referenced case. Following our initial filing of Case No. 2009-0128-A, our client has made minor changes to the site plan and requires one additional variance. I have enclosed 12 copies of the revised site plan and 3 copies of the revised petition. I ask that your office please replace the plans and petitions currently in the case file with the enclosed revised plans and petitions, and please re-circulate the plans to the appropriate County agencies. I have also enclosed a \$200.00 check made out to Baltimore County, Maryland to cover the cost of filing the revised materials.

If you have any questions or require any additional information, please contact me. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Christopher D. Mudd

CDM

cc: David H. Karceski, Esquire

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> BALTIMORE COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

August 6, 2009

HAND-DELIVERED

Maureen Murphy, Chairperson County Board of Appeals for Baltimore County Jefferson Building, Suite 203 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re:

Case No.: 09-128-A

Location: 3320 Eastern Boulevard

Owner: Two Farms, Inc.

Dear Ms. Murphy:

On behalf of my client Two Farms, Inc., I am writing to request a postponement of the above-captioned matter, which is scheduled to be heard by the County Board of Appeals on Wednesday, August 26, 2009. My client informed me that they have had preliminary discussions with Appellant D. Edward Vogel, regarding the requested relief, and that they would like some additional time to continue those discussions.

By way of this letter, we are requesting that the Board postpone the hearing date of August 26th to provide us with additional time in which to meet with Mr. Vogel to try and resolve any outstanding issues. As we understand it, Mr. Vogel's business is seasonal in nature, and, for this reason, he is unavailable to meet prior to the scheduled hearing date. We have discussed this request with Mr. Vogel's counsel, T. Wray McCurdy, and Mr. McCurdy is agreeable to the requested postponement. Because we do not know when this meeting might take place, we are asking that you not reschedule the hearing at this time. We will keep you advised of our progress.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very ruly yours,

David H. Karceski

DHK/bl

cc: T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire

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T. Wray McCurdy, P.A.

Attorney at Law 101 Eastern Boulevard Baltimore, Maryland, 21221

Telephone: 410-686-2200 Facsimile: 410-686-5803 Toll-Free: 800-333-5943

T. Wray McCurdy, Esq.

April 28, 2009

County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Jefferson Building Second Floor, Suite 203 105 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

RE: Postponement Request

In The Matter Of: Two Farms, Inc. - Legal Owners/Petitioners

3320 Eastern Boulevard/15th E; 5th C

Case Number: 09-128-A

Hearing Date: 06/25/09 at 10:00 a.m.

Courtroom #02

Dear M. Clerk:

Please accept this letter as my entry of appearance on behalf of the above-referenced Protestant/Appellant, D. Edward Vogel.

The purpose of this correspondence is to request a continuance of the hearing scheduled on June 25, 2009 as I have three previously scheduled cases before the District Court of Maryland for Baltimore County, i.e., State of Maryland vs. Sarah Lindsay Burkhardt - case number 0C00295708, State of Maryland vs. Colette Gibson - case number 0F072297 and State of Maryland vs. Steven Cary Addicks - case number 0FS03831 as evidenced by the enclosures.

Kindly advise my office the Court's decision concerning this request, and, if granted, kindly have the Clerk's Office call my office to obtain an agreed date.





County Board of Appeals of Baltimore County Page 2
April 28, 2009

Thank you for your consideration concerning this request.

Sincerely yours,

Wray McCurdy

TWM/bsb

Enclosure(s)

c.c.: David Karceski, Esquire

John Kemp, President of Two Farms, Inc.

Peter Max Zimmerman, Office of People's Counsel



DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY 8914 KELSO DRIVE (C) 0805 BALTIMORE MD 21221-3135

CASE NUMBER: 0C00295708

TO: MCCURDY, T WRAY 101 EASTERN BLVD

BALTIMORE

MD 21221

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STATE OF MARYLAND VS. BURKHARDT, SARAH LYNDSAY

NOTIFICATION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED TO APPEAR AS PRIVATE ATTORNEY FOR DEFENSE ON JUNE 25, 2009 AT 08:30 AM. THE LOCATION OF THE TRIAL IS ROOM 03 , 8914 KELSO DRIVE , BALTIMORE , MD.

BY: MICHAEL P. VACH (CLERK)

DATE: 03/06/09



DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY 8914 KELSO DRIVE

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ESSEX, MD 21221-3135

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (410) 512-2300

Citation No: 0FS03831

To: MCCURDY, T WRAY 101 EASTERN BLVD. BALTIMORE, MD 21221

STATE OF MARYLAND VS. ADDICKS, STEVEN CARY



Date: 04/22/09

NOTICE OF TRIAL DATE

You are hereby notified that the trial of the charge on the above referenced citation will be held at the District Court location noted above on:

Date: June 25, 2009

Time: 09:00 AM

Room: 01

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Charge: TA21902 A1

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BY ORDER OF BEN C. CLYBURN, CHIEF JUDGE, DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND

The Court schedules cases in hourly sessions. Your session will begin at the above mentioned time. Plan to be at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time. You must be prompt.

Visit our website for directions and information about procedures.

Our web address is www.courts.state.md.us/district

To request a foreign language interpreter or a reasonable accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact the court immediately.

For further information, call the District Court Interactive Voice Response System (IVR)

From the Baltimore area, call (410) 974-7177

From all other areas, call 1-800-492-2656

TTY users call 1-800-925-9690 or use the Maryland Relay Service at 1-800-735-2258 or 711

Please contact the above Court location for restrictions regarding cameras and cell phones, for they may not be allowed in the courthouse.

Wednesday, January 28, 2009

D. Edward Vogel

BENGIES DRIVE-IN THEATRE

3417 Eastern Blvd. Baltimore, Maryland 21220 Private line: 410 686-7400

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JAN 3 0 2009

Office Of The Zoning Commissioner
William J. Wiseman, III, Zoning Commissioner
400 Washington Ave
Towson, MD 21204

ZONING COMMISSIONER

Mr. David Karceski, Esquire 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Case Number 2009-0128-A 3320 Eastern Boulevard N/side of Eastern Avenue Legal Owners: Two Farms, Inc.

Dear Mr. Wiseman,

I am respectfully sending additional documents that were referred to in the hearing that took place today. I am sending all of this to Mr. Karceski as well, I do not wish to do anything incorrectly.

First, to both you and Mr. Karceski, thank you for putting up with me as a laymen and novice within the hearing.

With reference to the question directly from Mr. Wiseman, did I ever go to code enforcement and file a complaint, I correctly answered yes.

Also, to Mr. Karceski's remark in objection to my bringing up the previous exception granted (Case Number 02-326-X) stating that there were no code violations and the proper permits were given, I wish to point out:

I filed the complaint on November 11, 2009, in person at 11 West Chesapeake Avenue, in the Code Enforcement office.

I have found an email I am enclosing that acknowledges the violation, but as to why the Farm Store was never notified is beyond me.

I have the notes where the Enforcement Officer, Mr. Chip Raynor came out and verified that there was an apparent (obvious) code violation, so I do think something is missing. I am at a loss as to understand why none was ever given, unless it was given and I was

never given a copy. I will research this to see if I can give any more information on it. You may want to see Mr. Tim Kotroco, or speak directly to Mr. Raynor.

Make no mistake, I did file a code enforcement complaint, and was told by Baltimore County Code Inspector Chip Raynor, at the Bengies Drive-In Theatre, that he did in fact see a violation, and subsequently, Mr. Kotroco did acknowledge that the farm store was indeed in violation.

Enclosed please find the letter dated July 6, to Mr. McCurdy, that included a copy of Case # 02-323-X, that was acknowledged by the farm store through their representative Cindy Deacon, and Baltimore County, which had both my attorney and Myself expecting the county to do the right thing and not issue and occupancy permit and/or a final approval, because the Case had been ignored.

Also enclosed is a copy of the building permit that Mr. Karceski had made reference saying I was in violation of county code. I am compelled to show this, I do wish exonerate myself from any such charge, especially because I do value his opinion of me.

Also in his defense, this tower is a "Cowl," which is a temporary site, and yes, it was approved by the Tower Review Commission. I do wish for Mr. Wiseman to consider the use of the parking area in this position, as the spaces around and in front of it will be in use immediately, and after a year and half, the temporary site will most likely disappear, and the spaces it now occupies will go back into use.

All of this area is heavily affected by the free standing enterprise sign and the lights on the peak of the roof and the current situation.

Mr. Wiseman, there are 750 parking spaces at the Bengies. Please look at all of the problems, and do consider what light gets from the farm store to the biggest theatre screen in the USA.

Sincerely Yours.

D. Edward Vogel, Owner

Bengies Drive-In Theatre

Cc: T. Wray McCurdy

Mr. Timothy Kotroco, Director

Baltimore County Dept. of Permits & Dev. Management

enclosures

March 5, 2009

D. Edward Vogel

BENGIES DRIVE-IN THEATRE

3417 Eastern Blvd.

Baltimore, Maryland 21220

Private Line: 410 686-7400

By Certified Mail # 7002 3150 0006 09999 2661 Return Receipt Requested

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MAR 06 2009

Office of the Zoning Commissioner

William J. Wiseman, III, Zoning Commissioner

400 Washington Ave Towson, MD 21204 **ZONING COMMISSIONER**

IN RE: To Appeal the Decision of Case number: 2009-0128-A

Petitioner: Two Farms, Inc.

Dear Mr. Wiseman,

Enclosed please find my check in the amount of \$400.00 (four hundred dollars) that is necessary for me to submit with this request for an appeal of the above referenced case.

For the record, on all matters sent out from the Zoning Office, there has been a notation on each referencing this property and the address of this Royal Farms Store, as being in the 5th Council District.

It is my belief (and according to the Baltimore County Web site) that this address is in Baltimore County Council District 6, the same as my own. If this is an error, you may want to correct this on your records and in future communications and official notices about this property.

If you or your office has any need to contact me, please do so at the above address, phone number, or by email at: dedward@bengies.com.

Respectfully Yours.

D. Edward Vogel, Owner Bengies Drive In Theatre

Cc: T. Wray McCurdy, Esquire

Mr. Timothy M. Kotroco, Director, Baltimore County Dept. of Permits & Dev. Management

Mr. Joseph Bartenfelder, Baltimore County 6th District Councilman

Misters David H. Karceski, Esquire AND

Mr. Chris Mudd, Esquire, Venable, LLP

Mr. John Kemp, President, Two Farms, Inc.

Mr. Jeffery S. Bainbridge, Director, Real Estate for Royal Farm Stores

Mr. William Poole, Jr., Peppermint Woods, Ltd.

Mr. Mike Vivirito, President, Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association

Ms. Norma Bankard, President, Bowleys Quarters Community Association

Mr. Paul Geissinger, President, & the Board of Directors, United Drive-In Theatre Owners Association, Inc.

Sunday, July 06, 2008

D. Edward Vogel **BENGIES DRIVE-IN THEATRE**3417 Eastern Avenue

Middle River, Maryland 21220

T. Wray McCurdy, P.A. 101 Eastern Ave. Baltimore, Maryland 21221

RE: Adverse lighting effecting the Bengies Drive-In Theatre, with regards to the ROYAL FARM STORE being built across the street at 3300 Eastern Avenue.

Dear T. Wray,

I an copying the persons referred to in this letter, I am asking you to please your attention to this matter, it is of grave concern, as I am very afraid that measures put into place to protect the Bengies from adverse lighting by a decision to grant a special exception to the above mentioned property and project have been forgotten and ignored.

As you are aware, I have been trying to get some attention to the new construction going on across the street since the sign went up last year announcing the Royal Farm Store's new location. I had written a letter directly to Mr. Kemp who owns the Royal Farm Stores last July (2007,) but never had any reply. (You have a copy of that letter and I will include it to the others being copied.)

I recently went down to Baltimore County Department of Permits and Planning Development. I saw Mr. E. Avery Harding, who was very kind in allowing me to see the public record of the plans and I did purchase a copy of them.

However, when I mentioned my concern for the lights effecting the operation of the Bengies, Mr. Harden did not seem to understand that the theatre should have been a consideration to approving the lighting and landscape plan for this project. I am afraid something may have been kept from him.

I am enclosing a copy of that order again for your convenience, but I did get a copy to you at the time this legal decision was given. I am also providing one for all others being copied with this letter.

The Engineers for the project are Matis Warfield, and I am copying them on this matter as well as Mr. Kemp. Apparently none of them knew to give consideration to the Bengies when they proceeded with the plans.

I am not an expert, but it appears that if this project proceeds as planned, there is a huge risk of lighting going directly into the eyes of my patrons, so much so, that it will spell the end of the Bengies drive-in theatre.

As it stands right now, the light from the canopy (that is all that is up in place at this time) is so high in the air, there is no possible way to shield it. If there is a thought that the trees being planted in front will protect me, well, it would take too much time for them to grow, and any time the wind plows, it would fall into the eyes of the patrons in many different places.

I do not have a "grip" on how the building itself would effect me, but this is a concern, and the cars pulling in and out of the store, and the cars getting gas, all run the risk of putting headlights into the eyes of the patrons. The signage and over-all effects are also in need of attention.

I am asking you to turn your immediate attention to this matter, time is of the essence, as I do not want to cost them a fortune in trying to cover everything after the fact, again, my hope it that much of this can be addressed before further construction proceeds.

Please remind all concerned parties that even though the normal parameters of my business generally run from March through October, I still do special events in the winter as well as being able to open any time of the year there is a need.

D. Edward Vogel

Sincere

Cc: E. Avery Harden, Baltimore County DPDM

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director, Baltimore County DPDM

Matis/Warfield, Consulting Engineers Mr. John Kemp, Royal Farm Stores

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EXHIBITS

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Case No.: 2009-0128-A 3320 EASTERN BOULEVARD

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January 24, 2003

Suite 405, County Courts Bldg. 401 Bosley Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 410-887-4386

Fax: 410-887-3468

Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire David Karceski, Esquire Venable, Baetjer & Howard 210 Allegheny Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION

NW/Corner Eastern Avenue & Bengies Road

(3300 Eastern Avenue)

15th Election District – 5th Council District

Peppermint Woods, Ltd., Owners; BP Amoco Corporation, Contract Purchasers - Petitioners Case No. 02-326-X

Dear Messrs. Hoffman & Karceski:

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

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

PROTESTANT'S

EXHIBIT NO.

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County

LES:bjs

cc:

Mr. William Poole, Jr., Peppermint Woods, Ltd., 3300 Eastern Blvd., Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. John Lombardo, BP Amoco Corp., 1 W. Pennsylvania Ave., #400, Towson, Md. 21204

Mr. William P. Monk, Morris & Ritchie Assoc., 110 West Road, #245, Towson, Md. 21204

Mr. Mickey Cornelius, The Traffic Group, 9900 Franklin Sq.Dr., #H, Baltimore, Md. 21236

Mr. & Mrs. Ira Hanks, 104 Rodeo Circle, Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. Robert Alex, 46 Lerner Court, Baltimore, Md. 21236

Mr. Robert Phillips, 215 Larkspur Lane, Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. Michael Vivirito, 3619 Bay Drive, Middle River, Md. 21220

Mr. D. Edward Vogel, 3417 Eastern Boulevard, Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. & Mrs. Waring Justis, Jr., 1007 Cold Spring Road, Middle River, Md. 21220

Mr. Chris Kirchenheiter, 2929 Eastern Boulevard, Middle River, Md. 21220

Mr. John Hartsell, 128 Trailway Road, Middle River, Md. 21220

Ms. Janet Walper, 1123 Chester Road, Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. Chris Brigouleix, 3921 New Section Road, Baltimore, Md. 21220

Mr. Avery Harden, DPDM; Office of Planning; People's Counsel; Case File

Baltimore County, Maryland Zoning Hearing Case number: 2009-0128-A Sign Variance

I would like to read these comments out loud, and I would like to submit them for the record.

1. The petitioners and Baltimore County, Maryland, did not follow the order of Variance, Case Number 02-326-X which allowed for this Farm Store to be built.

That order, given by the zoning commissioner of Baltimore County at that time, Mr. Lawrence Schmidt, CLEARLY ordered that the Bengies Drive-in Theatre, the last Drive-in theatre in Baltimore County and the State of Maryland in existence, be granted WITH THE IMPOSED RESTRICTION that: "It is essential; that improvements on the subject property be constructed and the use operated so as not to unduly impact the outdoor movie theatre."

To protect this landmark I love and have been devoted to keeping in place, it was ordered in the granting of the variance (FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW) that the theatre would need to be considered PRIOR to the construction of the building. So emphatic and complete was this concern that it was ordered in item number 2 on page 7, that PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF ANY PERMITS, the petitioners shall:

- submit landscape and lighting plan for review and approval by the Office of Planning and
- to Avery Harden, Landscape Architect for Baltimore County.
- The screening and lighting plan shall provide sufficient screening so that security lights and permanent lighting, and vehicle headlights do not improperly spill onto adjacent properties,
- PARTICULARLY the Bengies Drive-In Movie Theatre,
- MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED ABOVE. (In other words, go back and read the part where I am not to be "adversely" impacted.)

Further, Item 5 on Page 7: WHEN APPLYING FOR A BUILDING PERMIT, the site plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this order.

- This was not done at all on the landscape plan.
- This was not done on the lighting plan
- This was not done on the site plan, save for a reference to the order but not the particulars about THE Bengies being "adversely" impacted.

In short,

- It was VERY IMPORTANT to consider the lighting factors WHEN DESIGNING this store in the first place.
- In order for Baltimore County to hold the petitioners to the letter of the law, they would actually have to tear down the building and start over.

PROTESTANT'S

2. Why was this store given the proper permits to open?

I am at a loss as to why this store was permitted to open in the first place. All parties were notified by the second week of July of 2008, when the steel structure for the canopy was being erected, and the main store was not yet underway, that the Order was not followed.

I personally advised Baltimore County Permits and Development Director Tim Kotroco, Mr. John Kemp, owner of the Royal Farm Store, and Mr. Avery Harden, landscape Architect for Baltimore County, by a courtesy copy of a letter that I had written to my attorney, WITH a copy of the ORDER, that contained UNDERLINED specifics of all this.

Still, the Building continued.

I also advised Mr. Grant Kidd, who is a Baltimore County Building Inspector days PRIOR to the store getting an occupancy permit that I felt there were concerns not being addressed, and spoke to him again prior to his giving this store the final permit.

It is bad enough to allow the building to proceed when all parties knew of the trouble and violations, but I stood helplessly by and watched the store open, being extended every courtesy by Baltimore County as though there was nothing wrong.

This store should never have opened in the first place, with so much BLATENTLY undressed.

3. Consideration of Signs and Lights with respect to the first order should have meant more stringent restrictions of normal signage.

It is unfathomable to me that Baltimore County would not just ignore all of this, give all permits so the store could open knowing full well it was already in violation, but grant a hearing for MORE exceptions where light matters are concerned, when the first orders were not followed.

This Store should not have been allowed the NORMAL lighting and signs if the consideration of the first order was taken seriously, let alone present even more signs and light BEYOND what they never should have been allowed in the first place.

As far as the "free standing enterprise" sign, they never should have been allowed to construct the one normally permitted by county code. If the order was to be upheld, they would have had to construct a low-profile "monument" type sign with soft lighting from the front with no stray light.

The lighting on the peaks of the building is so bright, it is a "no brainer" that it will be in the eyes of my patrons, as any lighting this high up will be a distraction, no matter the delicate way it may be addressed. It would be the same as putting a light beside the screen of an indoor theatre and expect patrons to continue to attend the theatre!



Worse, the Bengies was designed so well, that in certain areas of the theatre, the vehicle is looking directly at the farm store. Each ramp is "rounded" so each vehicle can look directly at the center of the screen. From the left side of the theatre, the vehicle is parked so that the farm store is directly in front of them.

There is a building behind the screen that formerly had dark windows, but now the full brightness of the lights at the Farm Store reflect off of these windows, and are a problem in almost all places, but even in the few spots where the farm store is hidden from view by buildings that are currently in place.

At this time, I am here NOT ONLY to deter any further variances, but I am also here to call your attention to the fact that in this particular case, what this county normally allows in the way of signage for this type store should have ALREADY BEEN DIMINISHED just based on the first order that has not been followed!

I am offended that the owner of the store who has violated the order and ignored me entirely is here asking, AND the County who has ignored my pleas, is here considering to allow something beyond what most have as a right, when this location should have been restricted form the normal in order to obey the variance they were already granted.

4. Loss of business to the theatre.

I actually had to decide to close the drive-in theatre prior to the opening of the store, because the lights were so bad, I could not accept the invitation extended to me by Paramount Pictures, to open "MADAGASCAR 2" the first weekend of November.

Even though the store was not yet opened, there was no getting the lights out for me to proceed. I made this decision ONLY because I had quiet assurance that the law would be followed, and the store would not open before the terrible situation was addressed.

I cannot open my theatre as we speak. It is my right to open the theatre at anytime I feel necessary, and right now it is impossible for me to open the Bengies.

I am about to give up and ask for an intercession through Mandamus. I do not understand why this county is ignoring the order of law in favor of the store over the drive-in theatre, and I am prepared to do whatever it takes to try to continue.

I respectfully submit these thoughts for consideration of all concerned, and to become part of the record for this hearing.

Case No.: 2009-0128-A 3320 EASTERN BOULEVARD

Protestant

Exhibit Sheet

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No. 1	RSB GINAD SITE	Order Case 02-326×
No. 2	Bowley Quarter Improves association	Summary of Mr. Vosels I) Position RE Royal Farm
No. 3	ZAC COMMENT OFFICE OF PLANNING	FLANS - PRIOR ODIS
No. 4	RESUME M. LEONARD	LIGHTING LANDSCAPE LOS OPPOSITOS
No. 5	RESUME MR Warfield	3/2-6
No. 6	RESUME MR BAMBRIDGE	
No. 7	AGRIAL MAP	

SIGN PERM.T

No. 10

Sign Ferm. T

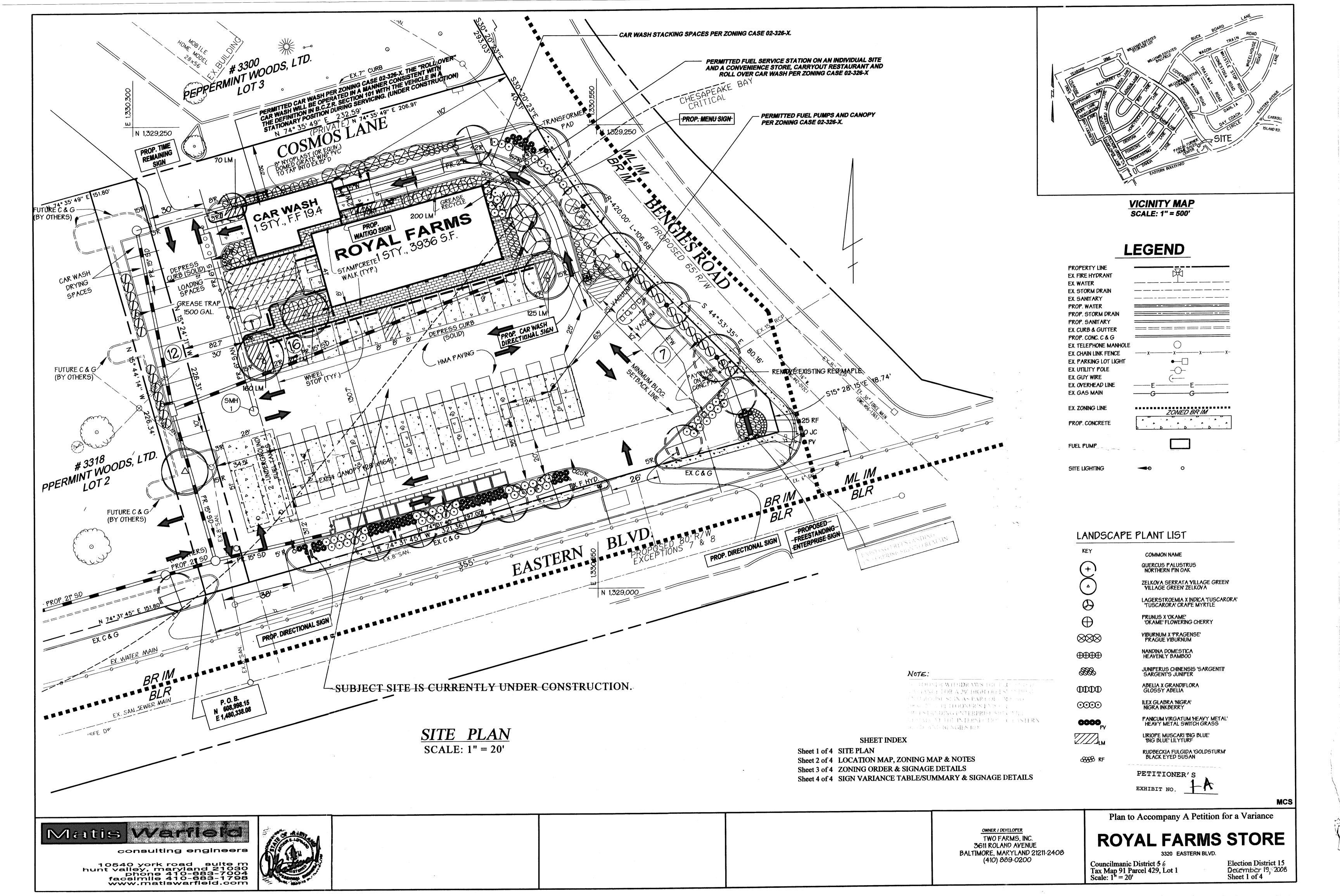
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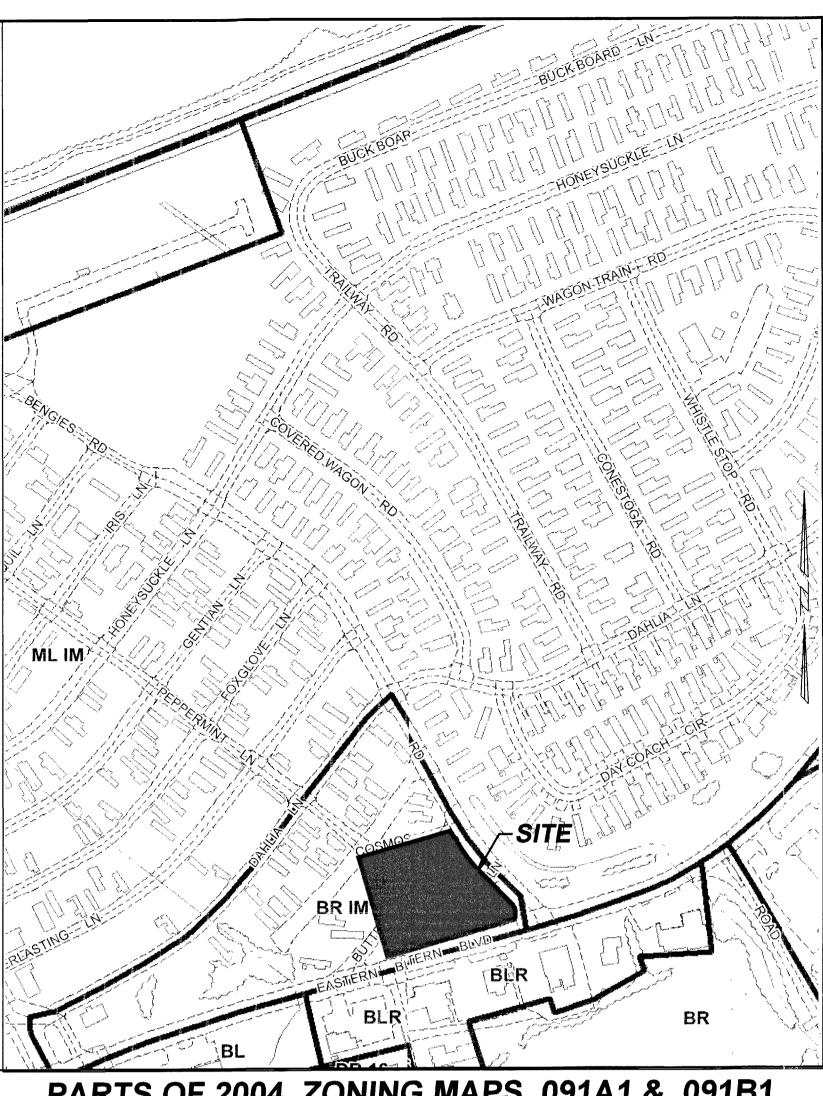
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Petitioner/Developer

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PARTS OF 2004 ZONING MAPS 091A1 & 091B1

THE BALTIMORE COUNTY 2008 1" = 200' SCALE MAPS WERE NOT AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF THE PREPARATION OF THIS PLAN, THE BALTIMORE COUNTY

ZONING MAP WEBSITE WAS REVIEWED AND THERE WERE NO ZONING ISSUES FOUND IN THE ABOVE DISPLAYED AREA.

PREVIOUS COMMERCIAL PERMITS

B671374 3320 Eastern Blvd. Car Wash (Mar., 2008)

B681832 3320 Eastern Blvd. Underground Fuel Tank

B681830 3320 Eastern Blvd. Canopy

B678177 3320 Eastern Blvd. Convenience Store

B598259 3320 Eastern Blvd. Grading for Convenience Store

B598256 3320 Eastern Blvd. Stormwater Management for Convenience Store

ZONING HISTORY

02-326-X 1/27/03 - Special Exception to permit a fuel service station on an individual site and a convenience store, carryout restaurant, and rollover car wash as uses in common therewith. (Granted) See Order, Sheet 4 of 4.

86-44-SPHA 10/21/85 - Special Hearing and Petition for Variance to reduce the site area of the existing Trailer Camp in order to construct an office building and to permit a side yard setback of 10 ft.instead of the required 30 ft., respectively. (Granted) 1013 - S 9/02/47 - Petition for special permit for Trailer Camp. (Granted) See following Restrictions as noted:

1) The Petitioner may apply for its building permit and be granted same upon obtaining approval of the site plan by the County Review Group; however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the applicable 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 single downspout which drains the entire roof area must be directed or discharged to a different location to encourage maximum infiltration, which would be the middle of the yard on the same side of the building as the downspout is located. Since the site has a number of newly planted trees, including large deciduous trees, no additional trees shall be required.

GENERAL NOTES

- 1. All work shall conform to Baltimore County standard specifications and details or as shown on these approved plans.
- 2. The contractor shall notify Miss Utility (1-800-257-7777) five days prior to
- 3. It is the responsibility of the contractor to investigate for underground gas
- and/or electric lines. 4. The subject site is partly within the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area.
- 5. See architectural plans for exact signage dimensions. 6. The proposed signs shall be located in conformance with the Baltimore
- County Sign Regulations. 8. DRC #051704L: A limited exemption was granted per Sections 26-202 &
- 26-206 on 2/09/05.
- 9. This site is serviced by public water and sewerage systems. 10. A Landscape Plan was approved on 3-22-05.
- 11. There are no existing or impending failures of the basic services in the area
- 12. The subject site is located in Zone X of the FEMA Floodplain Maps, Panel

2400100435 dated 9-26-2008. Zone X: area determined to be outside of the 0.2% annual chance floodplain.

3318 PEPPERMINT WOODS, L.

3229 EASTERN BLVD USE: COMMERCIAL JAMES R. & CECILE V. MYRICK DEED REF. 10307/679

3301 EASTERN BLVD USE: COMMERCIAL IMRS, LLC DEED REF. 23112/598

LOCATION PLAN

SCALE: 1'' = 50'

BUILDING FLOOR AREA 3936 SF STORE + 1240 SF CARWASH FLOOR AREA RATIO 0.09 [(3936 + 1240) / 72653 = 0.07] **BUILDING HEIGHT** PARKING SPACE DATA . ROYAL FARMS STORE PARKING REQUIRED: Convenience Store *Hours of Operation 24 Hours/7 Days per Week 2,976 S.F. @ 5 P.S./1000 S.F Carryout Restaurant (no scating) Max. Number of Employees/Shift | Morning/Afternoon = 3 960 S.F. @ 5/1000 S.F. Afternoon/Evening = 31/Employee on largest shift 1 Space for ATM Nlaht = 21 Space/ Air Unit Car Wash Drying Spaces Car Wash Vacuum Cleaner Additional Spaces PARKING PROVIDED: LOADING PROVIDED: CAR WASH STACKING SPACES (9' x 20') 9 P.S. REQUIRED STACKING SPACES REQUIRED FUEL STATION 6 P.S. REQUIRED FUELING SPACES PROPOSED TOTAL INCLUDES 14 STANDARD SPACES @ 9' X 18' 20 STANDARD SPACES @ 10' X 18' 2 YAN ACCESSIBLE HANDICAP SPACES @ 24' X 18' TWO SIDE BY SIDE 3317 EASTERN BLVD USE: COMMERCIAL IMRS, LLC DEED REF. 23112/598 3321 EASTERN BLVD USE: COMMERCIAL MCMJ KORANA, LLC

.56,366.64 SQ. FT. OR 1.2940 AC. (NET), 72653 SF = 1.6679 AC. (GROSS)

VACANT / UNDER CONSTRUCTION

24-00-009361

CONVENIENCE STORE W/ FUEL PUMPS,

CARRYOUT RESTAURANT AND CAR WASH

SITE DATA

SITE AREA

PRESENT ZONING

PROPOSED USE:

PLAT REFERENCE

TAX ACCOUNT NUMBER





OWNER Two Farms, Inc. 3611 Roland Avenue Baltimore, Maryland 21211-2408 (410) 889-0200 Plan to Accompany A Petition for a Variance

ROYAL FARMS STORE

3320 Eastern Blvd. Baltimore, Maryland 21220 Store #128

Councilmanic District 5-6
Tax Map 91 Parcel 429, Lot 1
Scale: 1" = 50'

Election District 15 December 19, 2008 Sheet 2 of 4

PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

Peppermint Woods, Ltd., Owners;
BP Products North American, Inc.,

162/13

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this Andrewith a fuel service station on an individual site and a convenience store, carryout restaurant, and rollover car wash as uses in combination therewith, pursuant to Sections 405.2.B.1, 405.4.E.1, 405.4.E.2 and 405.4.E.10 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibits 1 and 4, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

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

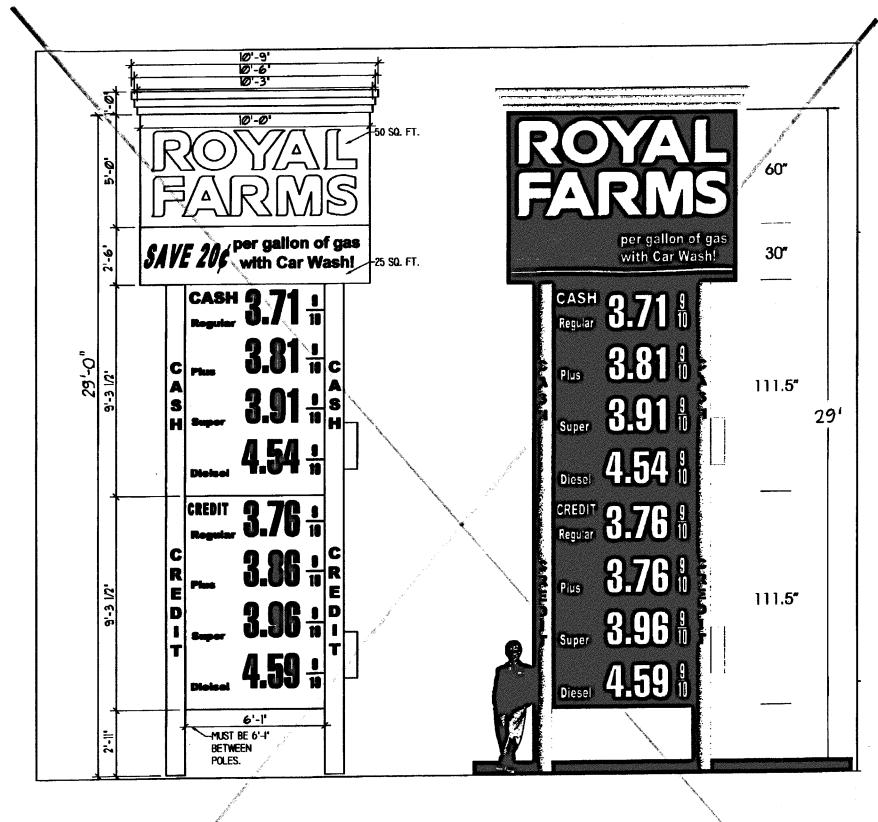
- 2) Prior to the issuance of any permits, the Petitioners shall submit a landscape and lighting plan for review and approval by the Office of Planning and Avery Harden, Landscape Architect for Baltimore County. The screening and lighting plan shall provide sufficient screening so that security lights, permanent lighting and vehicle headlights do not inappropriately spill onto adjacent properties, particularly the Bengies Drive-In Movie Theater as more particularly described above.
- The proposed road improvements to Eastern Avenue shall be completed in accordance with the SHA requirements.
- 4) A storm water management plan shall be submitted to DEPRM for review and approval, prior to the issuance of any permits, or a waiver of same obtained. Compliance with all other environmental codes and regulations.
- 5) When applying for a building permit, the site plan and landscape/lighting plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petitioners shall have five (5) years from the date hereof to utilize the special exception relief granted herein.

LAWRENCE E. SCH Zoning Commissioner

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ZONING ORDER



FREESTANDING PYLON SIGN

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NO SCALE

NOTES: PRICE SIGN AREA EXEMPT PURSUANT TO STATE REGULATIONS.

AREA OF SIGN ALLOWED = 100 SF

AREA OF SIGN PROPOSED = 75 SF

PRICES SHOWN ARE FOR ILLUSTRATION ONLY.

CAR WASH MENU SIGN NO SCALE

Real Clean. Real Fast.,

ULTIMATE WASH

PREMIUM WASH

EXPRESS WASH

- FINISHED GRADE

• Foam Bath
• Spot Free Rinse

20¢ OFF every gallon of gas with ANY wash

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Notes: Sign cabinet is 6.5" in depth. Sign is illuminated.

Prices shown are for illustration only.

Area of sign = 15 SF

CAR WASH WAIT/GO SIGN NO SCALE

FINISHED GRADE

Note: Sign cabinet is 6" in depth.

Sign is illuminated.

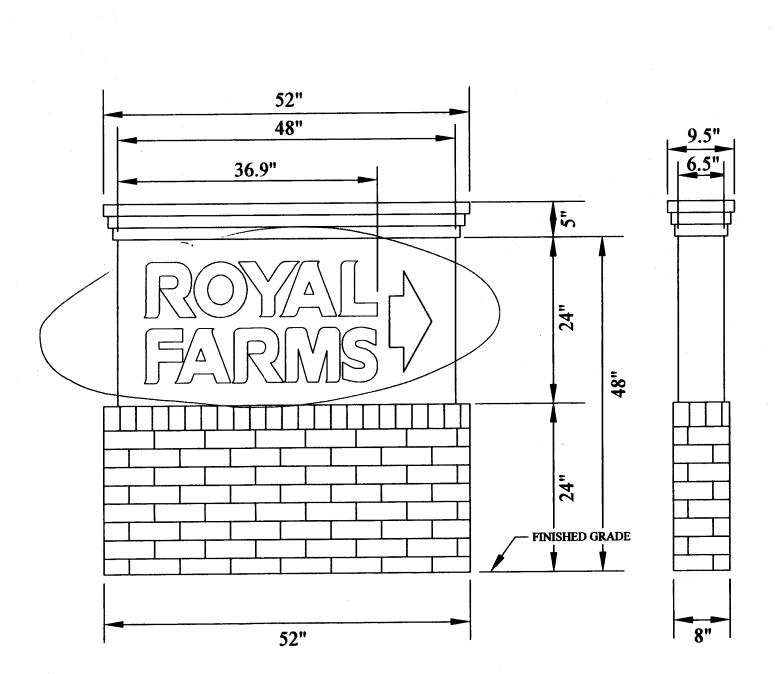
Area of sign = 2.38 SF

CAR WASH TIME REMAINING SIGN

FINISHED GRADE -

REMAINING

Note: Sign cabinet is 6" in depth.
Sign is illuminated.
For exact lettering styles,
see manufacturer's cutsheets.
Area of sign = 0.81 SF



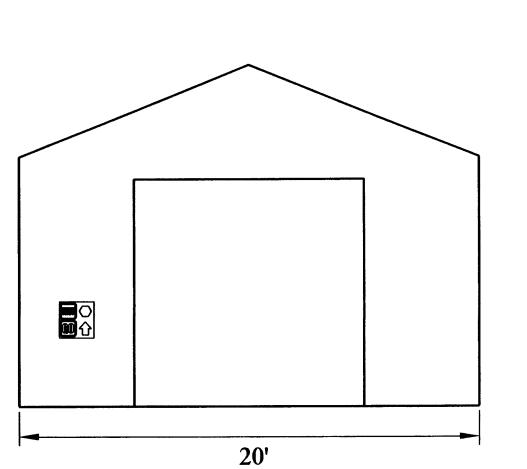
ROYAL FARMS DIRECTIONAL SIGN NO SCALE



CAR WASH DIRECTIONAL SIGN NO SCALE

Notes: Sign is illuminated.

Area of sign = 5.4 SF



CAR WASH ENTRANCE SIDE NO SCALE

ZONING ORDER & SIGNAGE DETAILS

PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

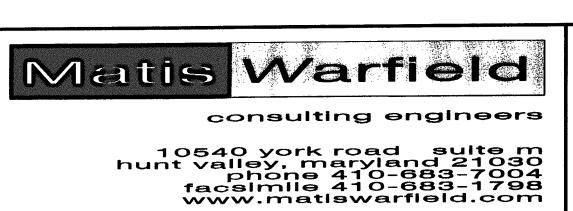
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KOYAL FARMS STORE

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Baltimore, Maryland 21220
Store #128

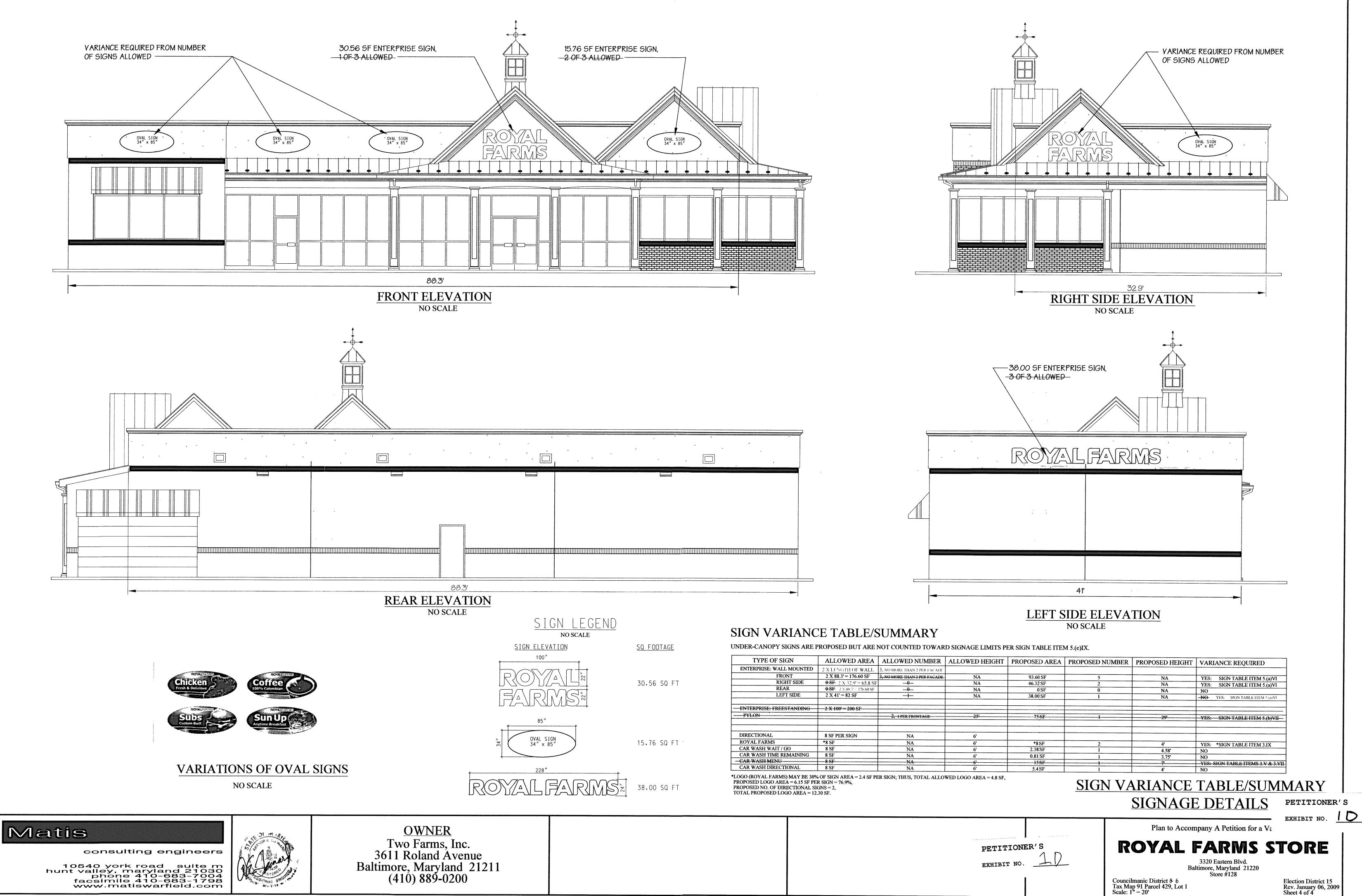
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Election District 15 December 19, 2008 Sheet 3 of 4





OWNER
Two Farms, Inc.
3611 Roland Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21211
(410) 889-0200



Election District 15 Rev. January 06, 2009 Sheet 4 of 4

The Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association, Inc.

P.O. Box 18051

Baltimore, Maryland 21220

(410) 335-9802

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JAN 27 2009

ZONING COMMISSIONER

William J. Wiseman, III

Zoning Commissioner, Baltimore County

County Courts Building

105 W. Chesapeake Ave. Suite 103

Mike

Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Zoning Case #2009-128-A

Royal Farms 320 Eastern Boulevard

Petition for Variance

Dear Mr. Wiseman:

I am President of the Bowleys Quarters Improvement Association and as the above-referenced property is located within our boundaries, the Association has an interest in Case # 2009-128-A.

As we understand it, Royal Farms filed a petition for variance to allow a freestanding pylon sign 29' tall instead of the permitted 25', freestanding directional signs with a larger Royal Farms logo than is permitted under the zoning regulations, and a total of eight wall mounted signs on its convenient store building(instead of three permitted). I've had the opportunity to review the site plan submitted with the petition filed in Case # 2009 -128-A.and to meet with representatives of Royal Farms at the subject property to discuss the proposed signage. As I explained to Royal Farms' representatives during our meeting, our Association's only concern is with the request for the 29' tall pylon sign. However, I understand through a conversation with David Karceski, Counsel for Royal Farms, that Royal Farms will withdraw its variance request for the freestanding sign height and continue to use the existing freestanding sign, which is permitted by right and does not exceed the 25' height limitation for this sign type.

With the withdrawal of the variance request for a 29' tall pylon sign, our Association does not oppose Royal Farms remaining requested relief for freestanding directional and wall-mounted signs. We believe that these remaining variances, if approved, would not have an adverse impact on the surrounding area.

Thank you for your consideration of this position.

President

Sincerely

-27-09

PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

1

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:

3320 Eastern Boulevard

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DATE: January 27, 2009

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

9-128

JAN 27 2009

Petitioner:

Two Farms, Inc.

ZONING COMMISSIONER

Zoning:

BR-IM

Requested Action:

Variance

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning has reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan. It is the understanding of the Office of Planning that the petitioner has withdrawn a variance request for a freestanding enterprise sign with a height of 29 feet, in lieu of the permitted 25 feet.

This Office of Planning does not oppose the remaining variance requests for 8 wall mounted enterprise signs and 2 freestanding directional signs.

For further information concerning the matters stated here in, please contact Dave Green at 410-887-

3480.

Prepared by:

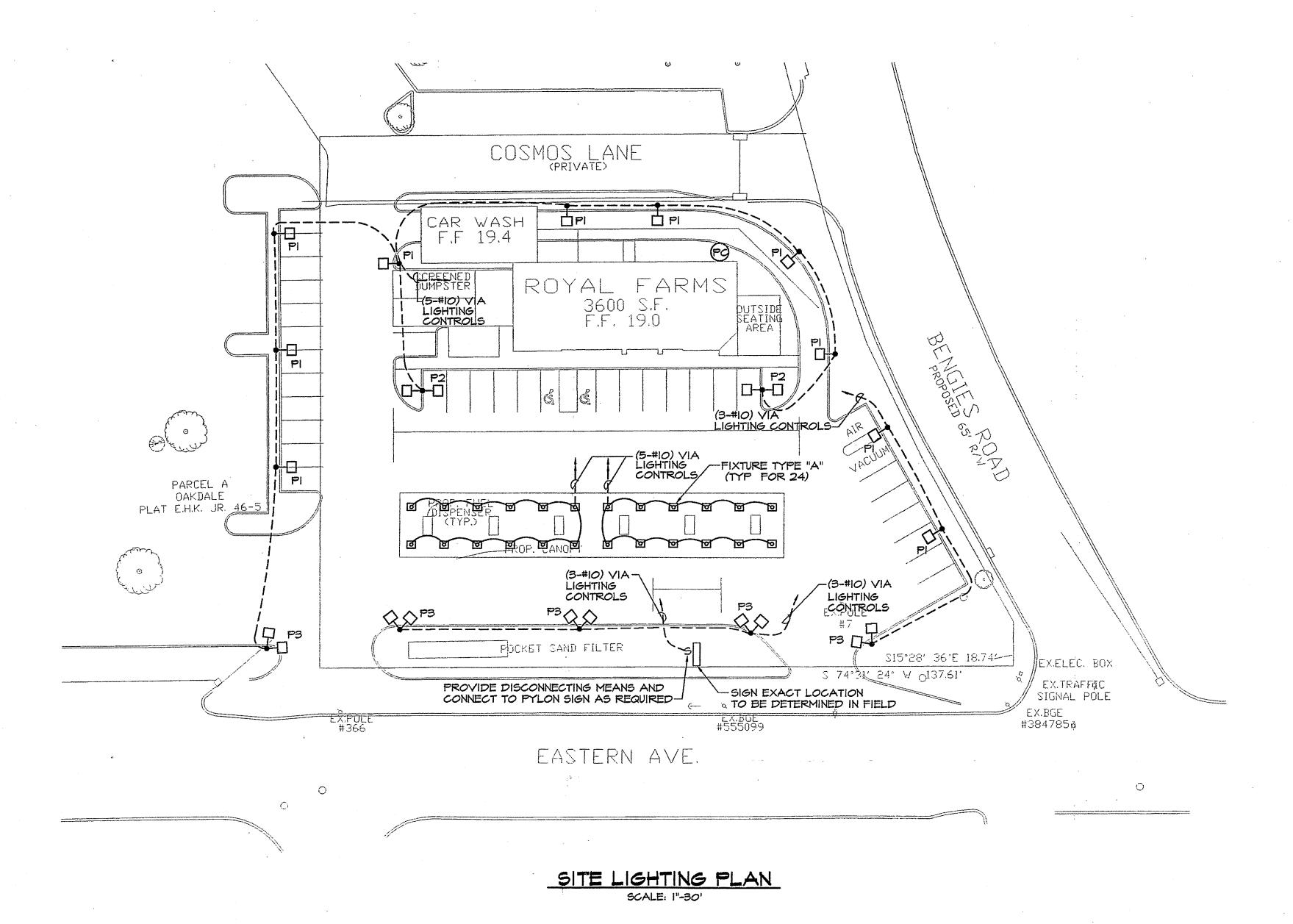
Division Chief:

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PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

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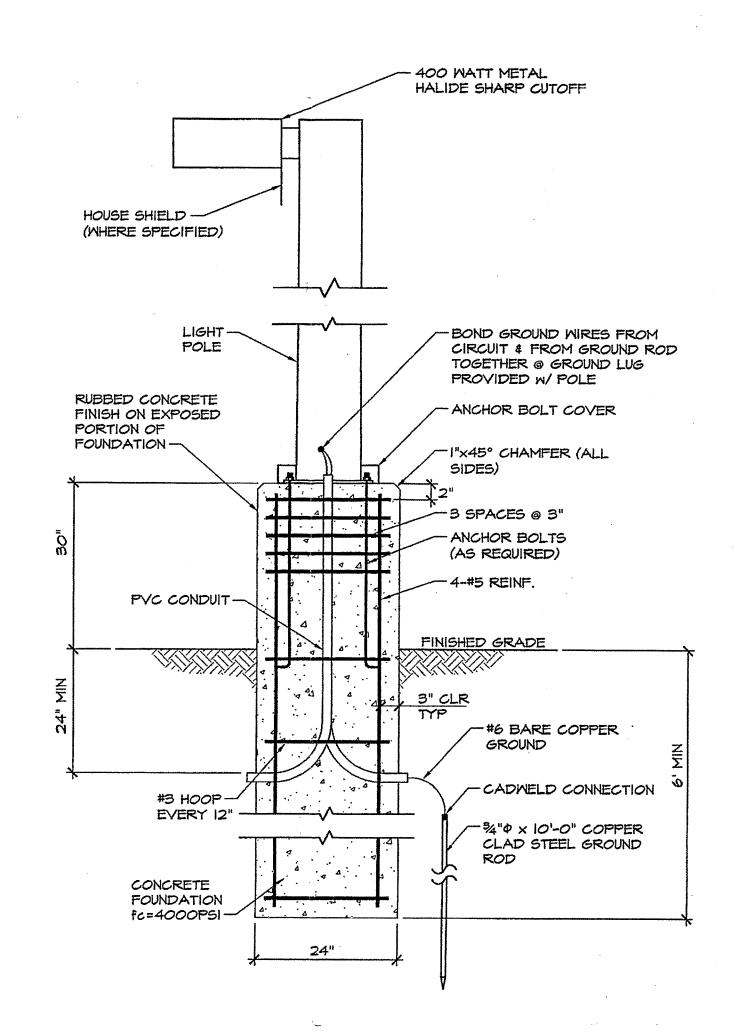
SITE WIRING NOTES:

- 1. ALL WIRING SHALL BE 2-#10 & 1-#10 GRD 3/4"C UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. MINIMUM BURIAL DEPTH SHALL BE 24"
- 2. ASSUMED BRANCH CIRCUIT VOLTAGE IS 208V. ASSUMED CONTROL VOLTAGE FOR PHOTOCELL AND CONTACTORS IS 120V.
- 3. UNDERGROUND CONDUIT SHALL BE SCHEDULE 40 PVC.
- 4. CONDUCTORS SHALL BE COPPER W/ XHHW OR RHW INSULATION.

LUMINAIRE SCHEDULE

TYPE	DESCRIPTION	MFR/CAT.NO.	
PI	400W, METAL HALIDE FIXTURE, WTYPE IV DISTRIBUTION, MULTI-TAP BALLAST, FLAT LENS HOUSE SIDE SHIELD, MOUNTED ON SQUARE STEEL POLE. OVERALL MOUNTING HEIGHT SHALL BE 18'.	LSI INDUSTRIES BPH-CHH-400-16-F-BUH-HSS POLE: LSI INDUSTRIES. 45Q BO SERIES	
P2	SIMILAR TO PI BUT DOUBLE FIXTURES 180 DEGRESS APART, NO HOUSE SIDE SHEILD	LSI INDUSTRIES BPH-CHH-400-16-F-0180-BUH POLE: LSI INDUSTRIES. 450 BO SERIES	
P3	SIMILAR TO P2 BUT DOUBLE FIXTURES 90 DEGRESS APART	LSI INDUSTRIES BPH-CHH-400-16-F-090-BUH POLE: LSI INDUSTRIES. 4SQ BO SERIES	
A	RECESSED MOUNTED HID FIXTURE WITH TYPE V DISTRIBUTION 320W PULSE START METAL HALIDE LAMP, MULTI-TAP BALLAST	LSI INDUSTRIES EC-S-320-PSMV-F	

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LIGHTING POLE BASE DETAIL
NOT TO SCALE

LIGHT FIXTURE SYMBOLS

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A O RECESSED MOUNTED FIXTURE

SEE MOTE ON PLAN.

PROTESTANT'S
EXHIBIT NO. 3





R C H I T E C T S
Stevenson Road
Son, Maryland 21153
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Son, Maryland 21153
MORRIS & RITCHIE ASSOCIATES, INC.
ENGMENS, PLANERS, SUNEYORS AND LANDSOME ARGHECTS

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SITE LIGHTING

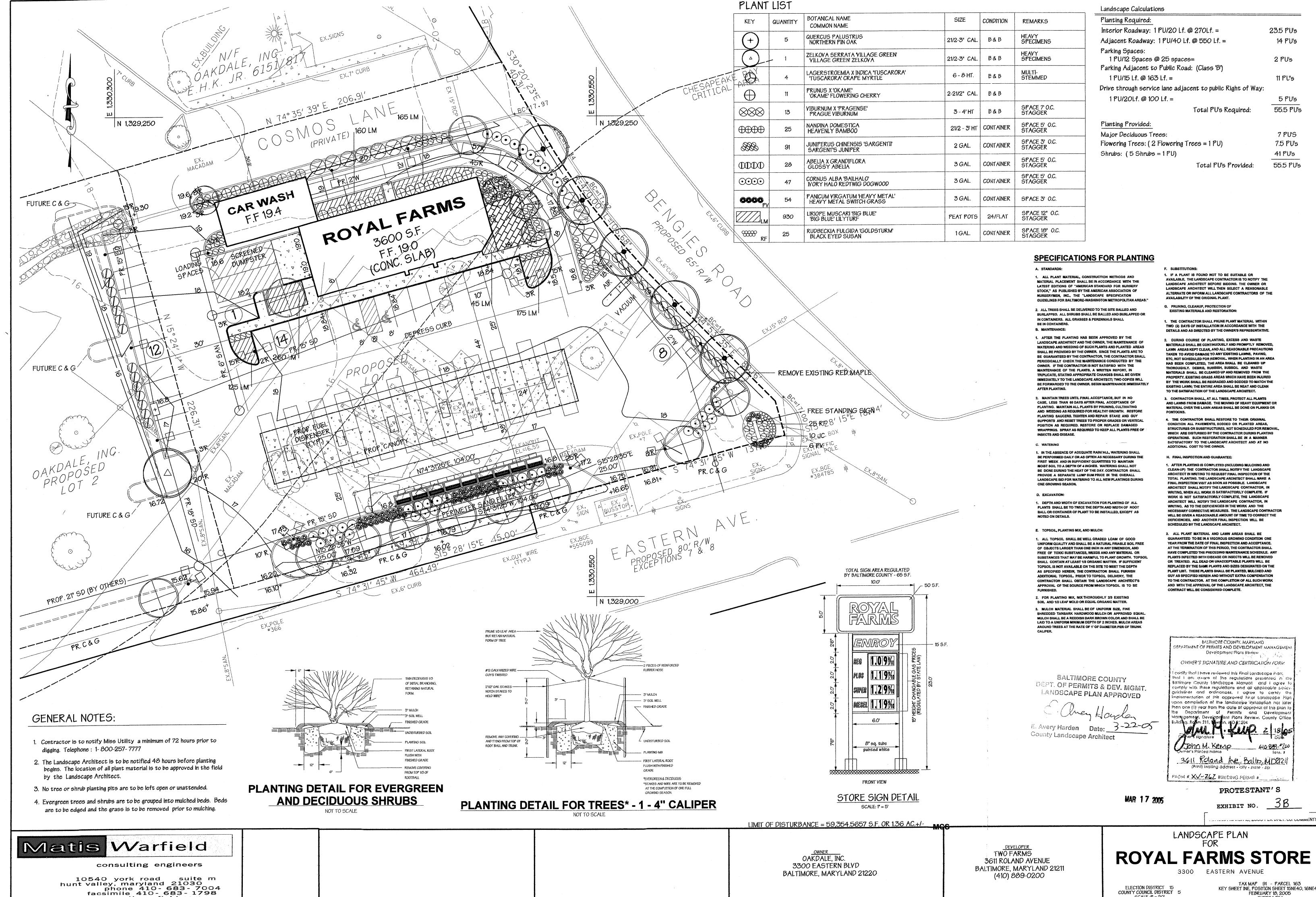
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www.matiswarfield.com

TAX MAP 91 - PARCEL 163 KEY SHEET INE, POSITION SHEET 15NE40, 16NE40 COUNTY COUNCIL DISTRICT E SCALE :1" = 20' FEBRUARY 18, 2005 SHEET 1 OF 1

ELECTION DISTRICT 15

Arthur E. Leonard, P.E. Project Manager Matis Warfield, Inc. 10540 York Road Hunt Valley, MD 21030

Professional Registration

Professional Engineer – State of Maryland, PE 11438

Education

Penn State University – 2DDT - 1968
Johns Hopkins University Evening College – BSCE - 1978

Professional Experience

March 2007 - Matis Warfield, Inc. - Project Manager responsible for coordinating commercial projects through zoning and development and engineering phases of local and state jurisdictions including public hearings, public meetings and local Planning and Zoning offices and Department of Public Works offices for review and approval. Other responsibilities include construction observation and as-built certification.

June 2006 - Lambdin Development Co. - Project Manager responsible for coordinating commercial and residential projects through zoning and development and engineering phases of local and state jurisdictions including public hearings, public meetings and local Planning and Zoning offices and Public Works offices for review and approval. Other responsibilities included construction observation and as-built certification.

June 2003 – Site Resources, Inc. - Project Manager responsible for coordinating commercial and residential projects through zoning and development and engineering phases of local, state and federal jurisdictions including public hearings, public meetings and local Planning and Zoning offices and Public Works offices for review and approval.

June 1998 and prior — State of the Art Civil Engineering, Inc., KLS Consultants, Inc., Arthur. E. Leonard, Consultant, Frederick Ward Assoc., Purdum and Jeschke Consultants, Inc. — Principal/Project Manager/Project Designer responsible for coordinating commercial, residential, and industrial projects through zoning and/or development and/or engineering and/or construction phases. These tasks included processing projects through local, state and federal jurisdictions including public hearings, public meetings and local Planning and Zoning offices and Public Works offices for review and approval. Some tasks related directly to project construction. Specialties include feasibility studies, site planning, site grading, water and sewer utility design, road design, storm drain design, stormwater management design, construction stakeout, construction observation and as-built certification.

PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

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Project Experience

Office, Commercial, Industrial, Residential Projects:

Royal Farms Stores: Harford County - Churchville Road @ MD Rte 543, Russell Street @ Bayard Street, Baltimore County - Eastern Boulevard

BWI Technology Park Phases 2 & 3: Anne Arundel County – 55 acres business/industrial Park - Site and infrastructure design for 9 buildings

Reisterstown Crossing: Baltimore County – 10 acres - office/retail complex - Preliminary site and infrastructure design

Johnnycake Road Site: Baltimore County – 40 acres - business/office/retail complex - Preliminary site and infrastructure design

Ocean Pines: Ocean Pines, MD – 10 acres – Tidal wetland restoration project – construction stakeout and measurement of materials for payment

Whiteford Road Site: Harford County – 150 acres – rural residential subdivision – Preliminary site layout including: lots, septic systems, wells, roads, storm drains and stormwater management facilities.

South Locust Point Warehouse Complex: Maryland Port Administration - 10 acres – marine terminal storage facility - Construction stakeout of infrastructure, surcharge embankment and measurement of materials for payment

Masonville Marine Terminal: Maryland Port Administration - 60 acres — marine terminal automobile storage and repair facility - Construction stakeout of infrastructure, surcharge embankment and measurement of materials for payment

Cliff O'connell Auto Repair Facility: Baltimore County – 2 acres – Special Hearings and site and infrastructure design

Double T **Diner:** Baltimore County – 1.5 acres – Joppa Road @ Bel Air Road - Special Hearing and site and infrastructure design

Pleasantville Veterinary Hospital: Harford County – 2.5 acres – Fallston Road - Site and infrastructure design

Joppa Automatic Transmission: Harford County – 5 acres – Pulaski Highway – Board of Appeals, Site and infrastructure design

Beavers Property: Harford County – 3 acres – business development - Pulaski Highway - Board of Appeals, Site and infrastructure design

Mother's Choice Daycare Center: Harford County – 3 acres – Moores Mill Road - Board of Appeals, Site and infrastructure design

Grace Assembly of God: Harford County – 11 acres – Churchville Road - Site and infrastructure design, Master Plan

Haddon Hurst Subdivision: Harford County – 70 acres - residential development – Fallston Road - Site and infrastructure design

Brintonwood Subdivision: Baltimore County – 70 acres - residential development – Upland and Brintonwood Roads - Site and infrastructure design

Spencer's Rubble Landfill: Harford County – 125 acres – Abingdon – Public Hearings, Site and infrastructure design

Seagirt Marine Terminal: Maryland Port Administration - 90 acres – marine terminal automobile and container storage and shipping facility - Construction stakeout of infrastructure, surcharge embankment and measurement of materials for payment Dundalk Marine Terminal: Maryland Port Administration - 120 acres – marine terminal automobile storage and repair facility - Construction stakeout of infrastructure, pavement restoration and measurement of materials for payment

Quarantine Road Landfill: Baltimore City - 30 acres - Sanitary landfill - Construction stakeout of infrastructure and measurement of materials for payment

Courtland Hardware: Town of Bel Air – 1.5 acres – business development – Bond Street - Site and infrastructure design

Fulford Commons: Town of Bel Air – 1 acre – business development – Fulford Avenue - Site and infrastructure design

Old Trails: Harford County – 30 acres – residential development – Board of Appeals, Site and infrastructure design

Jarrettsville Volunteer Fire Co.: Harford County – 5 acres – industrial development – Site and infrastructure design and construction stakeout

Rooted Bible Fellowship Church: Harford County – 5 acres – Preliminary site and infrastructure design

Stephen A. Warfield, P.E.

10540 York Road, Suite M Hunt Valley, Maryland 21030 (410) 683-7004

Professional Registration

Registered Professional Engineer - Civil Engineering 1995 - Maryland P.E. # 21162

Education

B.S. Civil Engineering - 1990 - University of Maryland, College Park Master of Environmental Engineering - 1994- Johns Hopkins University

Professional Experience

12/94-Present

Matis Warfield, Inc.; 10540 York Road, Suite M; Hunt Valley, Maryland 21030: Currently employed as a principal at Matis Warfield, Inc. Responsible for civil engineering services for the development community. Responsibilities include; planning, design, development, and permitting for site development projects. Responsibilities include; feasibility studies, concept plans, development plans, zoning plans, expert witness testimony, floodplain studies, open channels, stormwater management facilities, storm drain systems, erosion and sediment control plans, highways, pumping stations, utilities, specification development, cost estimating, grading, alternatives analysis, critical area analysis, project management, marketing, administration, client relations, etc.

5/91-12/94

Gannett Fleming, Inc.; Suite 200; East Quadrangle; The Village of Cross Keys; Baltimore, Maryland 21210: Supervisors: Fred Wagner-Project Manager, and Dave Ross-Office Manager

Employed as a project engineer by Gannett Fleming, Inc., Baltimore Maryland. Responsible for design and specification development for water treatment plant process design, wastewater treatment plant process and site design, pumping station design, open channel design, stormwater management design, erosion and sediment control design, drainage studies, alternatives analysis, and highway designs.

6/90-5/91

George William Stephens, & Associates, Inc.; 658 Kenilworth Drive; Towson, Maryland 21204: Supervisor: Tapobrata Chakrabarti, Partner Employed as a design engineer by George William Stephens Jr. & Associates, Inc., Towson, Maryland. Performed floodplain studies, designed stormwater management facilities, and designed open channel flow systems for residential, commercial, and industrial development projects. Responsibilities also included development of computer programs to aid stormwater management design.

Professional Affiliations

Baltimore County Engineers Association Home Builders Association of Maryland Maryland Society of Professional Engineers

JEFFREY S. BAINBRIDGE

EXHIBIT NO.

6

1414 Forest Glen Court Baltimore, MD 21228 H 410-869-4696 M 410-456-1467 E jsbainbridge@gmail.com

EXPERIENCE

4/07 - Present

ROYAL FARMS - Director of Real Estate

Baltimore, MD

- Managed the land acquisition for all development projects in four states.
- Created financial model to evaluate the viability of potential projects.
- Managed the disposition of multiple non-strategic properties.

1/04 - Present

AJ PETROLEUM CONSULTING, LLC – Member GRAHAM INVESTMENTS, LLC – Member

Baltimore, MD Baltimore, MD

- Assisted owners of petroleum properties with their search for prospective gasoline retailers.
- Assisting dealers with the development and construction of gasoline stations.

11/05 - 3/07

EASTERN PETROLEUM CORPORATION - Project Manger

Annapolis, MD

- Managed the development and construction of over 10 convenience stores.
- Established new vendor alliances and construction specs.
- Created financial model and internal development process to evaluate the viability of potential projects.
- Managed the disposition of multiple non-strategic properties.

6/03 - 1/04

MID-ATLANTIC COMPANIES INC. - Land Acquisition Specialist

Rockville, MD

- Established a land acquisition file tracking system to maintain property leads and maintained corresponding tax maps and property owner data by county jurisdiction.
- Met with and maintained relationships with individual property owners, farmers, realtors, developers, engineers, lawyers, brokers, consultants, contacts and leads in the pursuit of land acquistion opportunities.
- Prepared letters of intent for purchasing properties.
- Modernized a land purchase pro-forma model with updated internal company assumptions.

2/99 - 4/03

BP PRODUCTS NORTH AMERICA INC. - Real Estate Project Manager

Baltimore, MD

- Directed negotiations to place over 25 properties under contract.
- Supervised study period analysis and zoning process of over 40 projects.
- Refined a financial model used to evaluate project economics for various operating channels.
- Led an international team to develop a network plan for a portion of the Chinese province of Guangdong.
- Completed the Network Developer Academy in Cape Town, South Africa The program trained eight BP international Real Estate Managers with retail site selection and network planning.

1/98 - 2/99

AMOCO OIL COMPANY - Zoning Coordinator

Philadelphia, PA

- Represented Amoco at public hearings for the six state marketing area of the Atlantic Business Unit.
- Managed a team of consultants (zoning attorneys, engineers, traffic consultants, land planners, etc.) to move over 60 projects through zoning and permitting.

9/96 - 1/98

AMOCO OIL COMPANY - Capital Asset Manager

Chicago, IL

- Managed a Capital Implementation Team of 14 members with a \$35 M budget. The team completed 26 projects in 1997 and finalized another 31 packages for future growth.
- Supervised The DC Study, a revitalization project for Washington DC and Prince George's County that utilized network planning and strengthened both dealer and Amoco economics.
- Performed economic analysis on various business proposals (i.e. new proprietary and jobber sites, dealer buyout, and recapitalizations). Co-developed a recapitalization financial model.
- Assisted in the conversion of a competitive jobber worth 700 MG over 10 years to Amoco.
- Led a team of 10 that further refined existing lease processes to improve communication and efficiencies between Real Estate Administration, Asset Management and Sales Operations departments.

4/94 - 9/96

AMOCO OIL COMPANY - Strategic Planning Analyst

Baltimore, MD

- Developed and coordinated the region's expense budget, capital plan and marketing objectives working with the sales, distribution and operations teams.
- Managed the region's distribution scheduling; improved forecasting accuracy and lowered inventory.

9/90 - 4/94

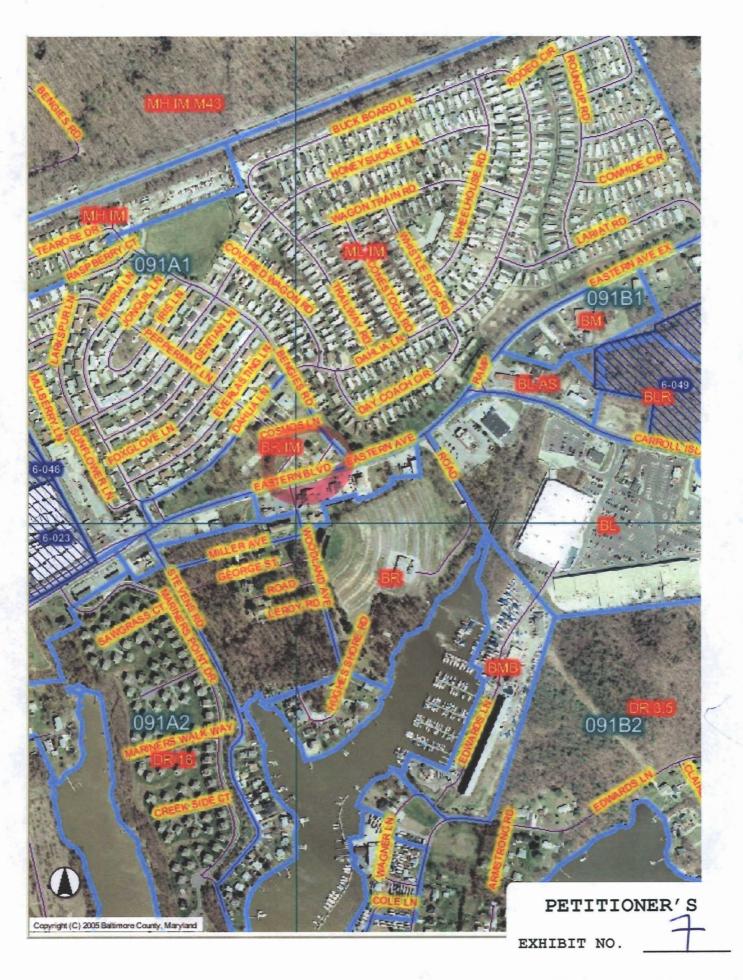
Baltimore, MD

AMOCO OIL COMPANY – Territory Manager

• Counseled dealers on marketing strategies consistent with Amoco's business direction.

OTHER

KALAMAZOO COLLEGE - Bachelor of Arts, 1990





BALTIMORE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT. 2x7 30

111 WEST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON, MD 21204 410-887-3391

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APPLICANT/OWNER'S AGENT GARY	BRENY		0 50 70053
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From:

Cindy Deken [cdeken@royalfarms.com]

Sent:

Friday, October 10, 2008 9:22 AM

To:

'Brown, Mike'

Cc:

'John Kemp'; Karceski, David H.

Subject:

RE: Royal Farms 128

Cindy Deken
Construction & Facilities Leader
Royal Farms
3611 Roland Ave
Baltimore, MD 21211
cdeken@royalfarms.com
cell-410.371.9580
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Sent: Friday, October 10, 2008 9:19 AM

To: Cindy Deken

Subject: FW: Royal Farms 128

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Sent: Friday, October 10, 2008 9:17 AM

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All together it sounds like a precedent setting lighting design for convenience stores in Baltimore County. I can now point to this for others to follow. The drive-in should be fine.

Avery

E. Avery Harden, RLA
County Landscape Architect
Baltimore County Government
410-887-3751
Fax 410-887-2877

>>> "Brown, Mike" <MLBrown@mragta.com> 10/10/2008 9:11 AM >>>
The LED fixtures are louvered and designed in two ways: general lighting and directional to focus on the dispensers. At each pump, we usually get about 30 - 40 footcandles. General ambient levels under the canopy range about 10 to 20 FC. Together, they provide an even, comfortable light level without harsh glare under the canopy while highlighting the dispensers. Due to their louvers, you really/can't see the fixtures once you move away from the canopy. I spoke to a few customers at another site, and they had no problem with the lighting, although they really hadn't taken any notice of the lighting until I mentioned it to them. We're quite pleased with the fixtures' performance and energy savings.

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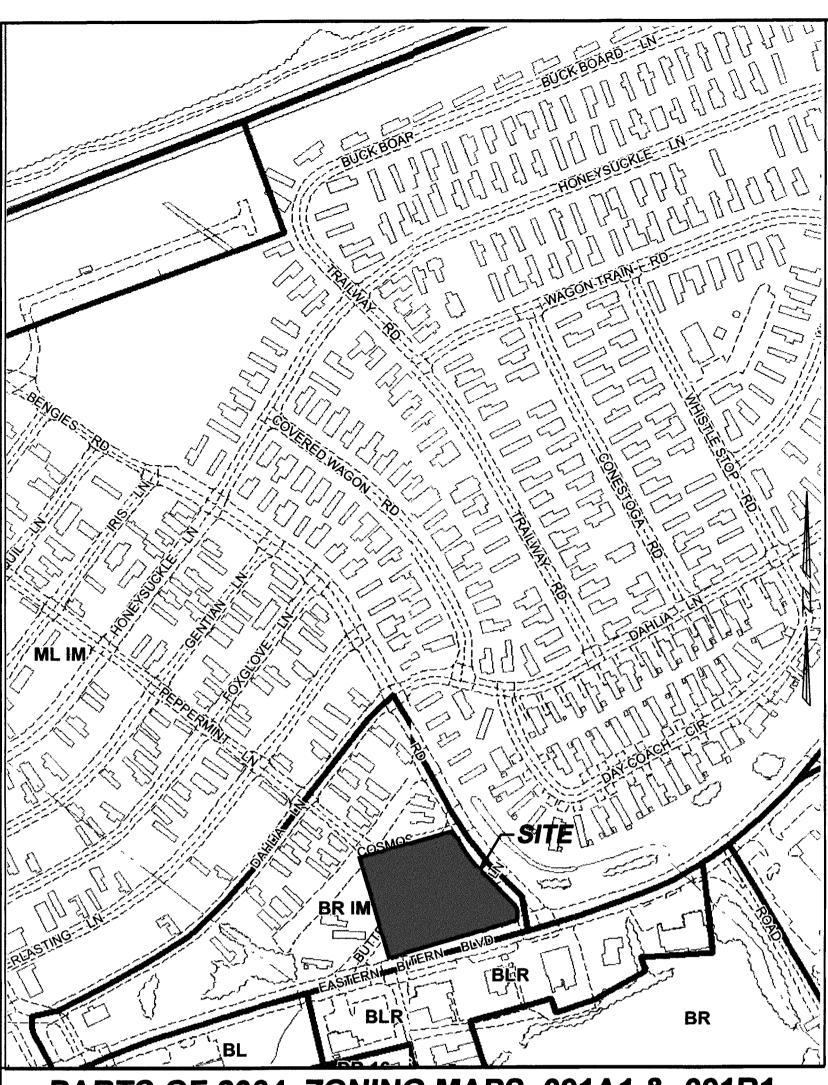
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. 24-00-009361

9 P.S. REQUIRED

CONVENIENCE STORE W/ FUEL PUMPS,
CARRYOUT RESTAURANT AND CAR WASH

3936 SF STORE + 1240 SF CARWASH

0.09[(3936 + 1240) / 72653 = 0.07]

SITE DATA

PRESENT ZONING

EXISTING USE

PROPOSED USE

PLAT REFERENCE

TAX ACCOUNT NUMBER

BUILDING FLOOR AREA

PARKING REQUIRED:

1 Space/ Air Unit

Additional Spaces

PARKING PROVIDED:

LOADING PROVIDED:

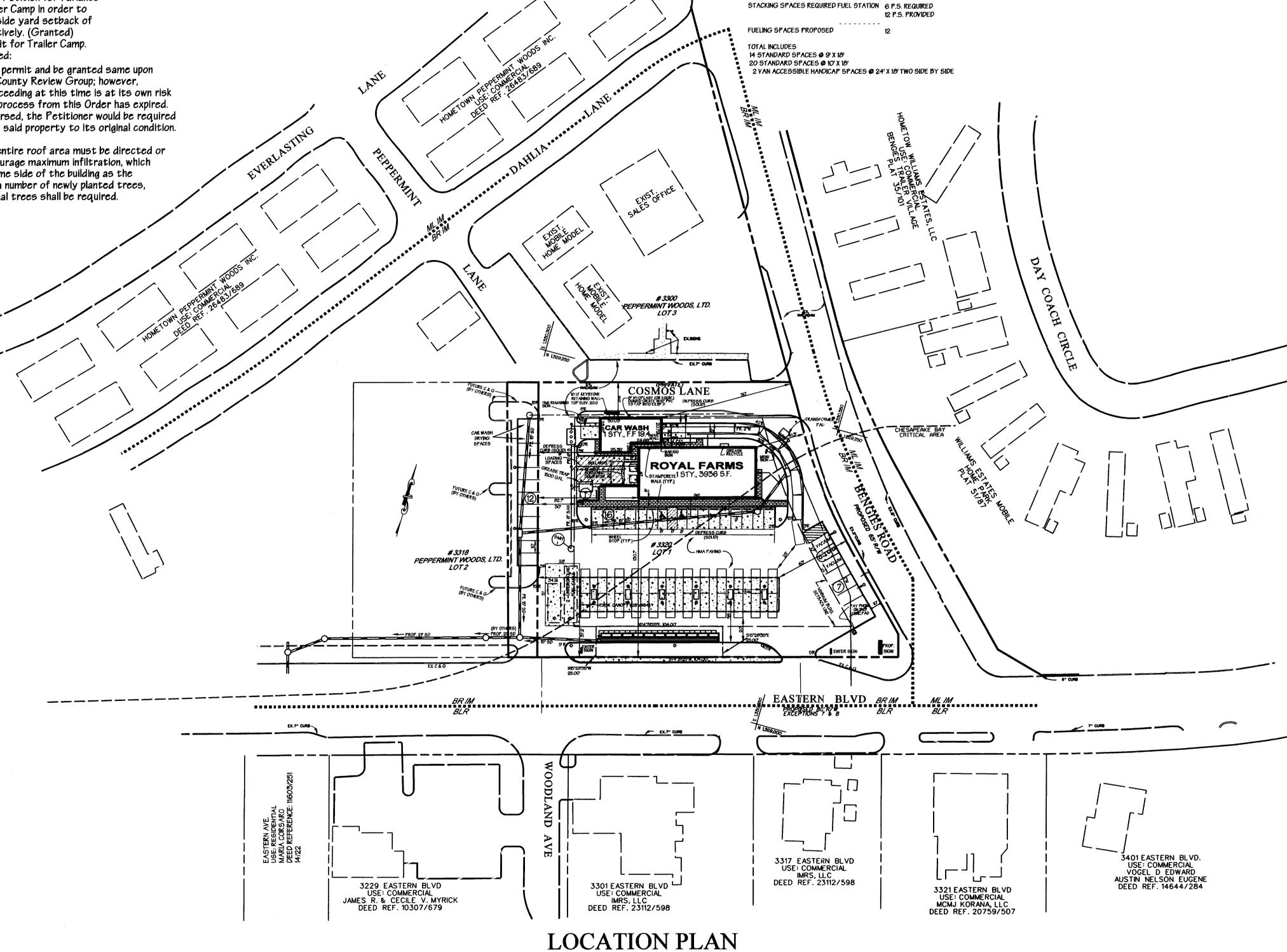
Car Wash Drying Spaces

Car Wash Vacuum Cleaner

CAR WASH STACKING SPACES (9' x 20')

FLOOR AREA RATIO

BUILDING HEIGHT



SCALE: 1'' = 50'

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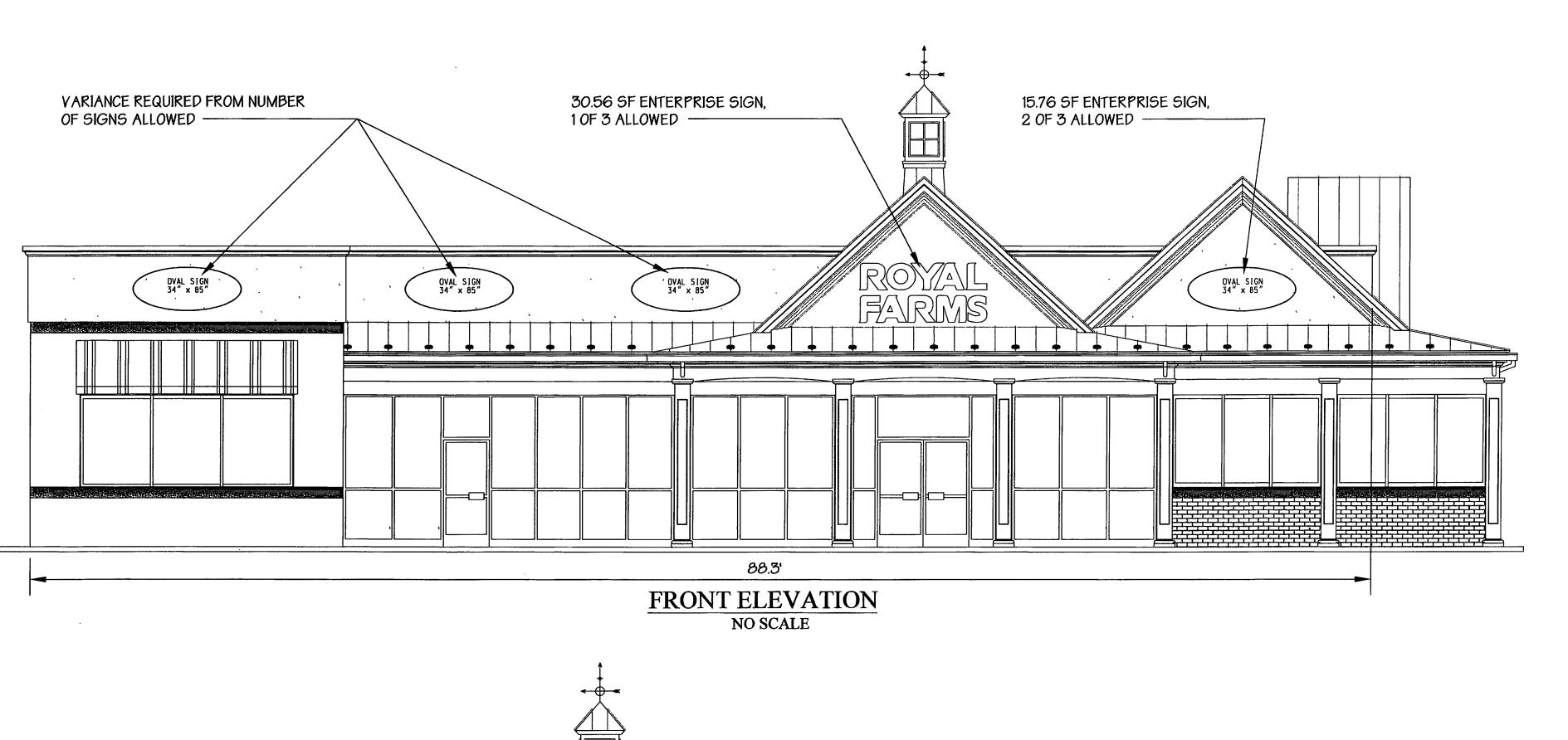
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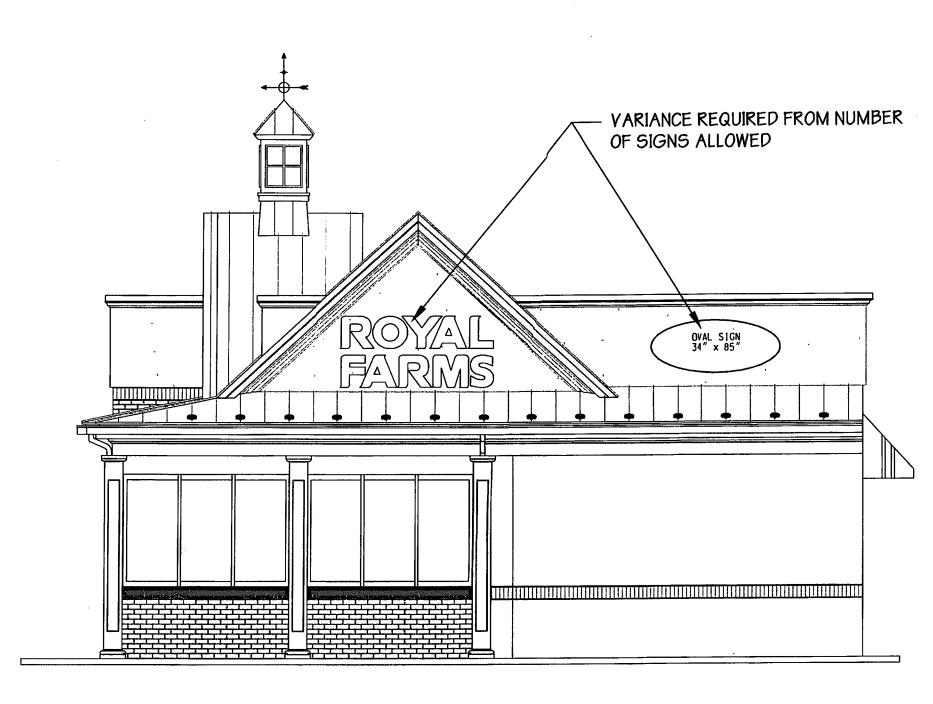
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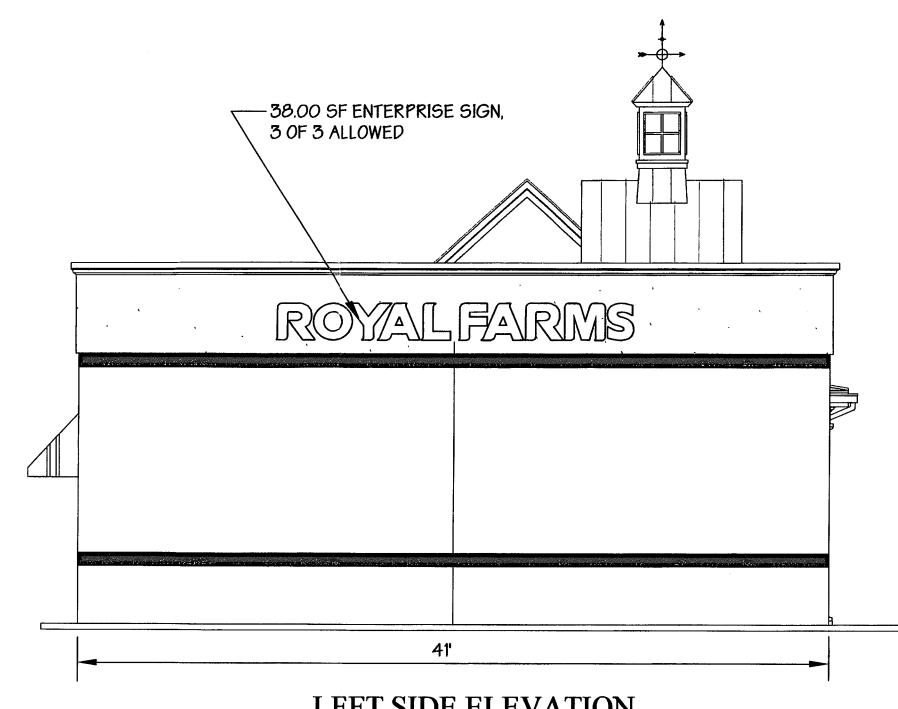
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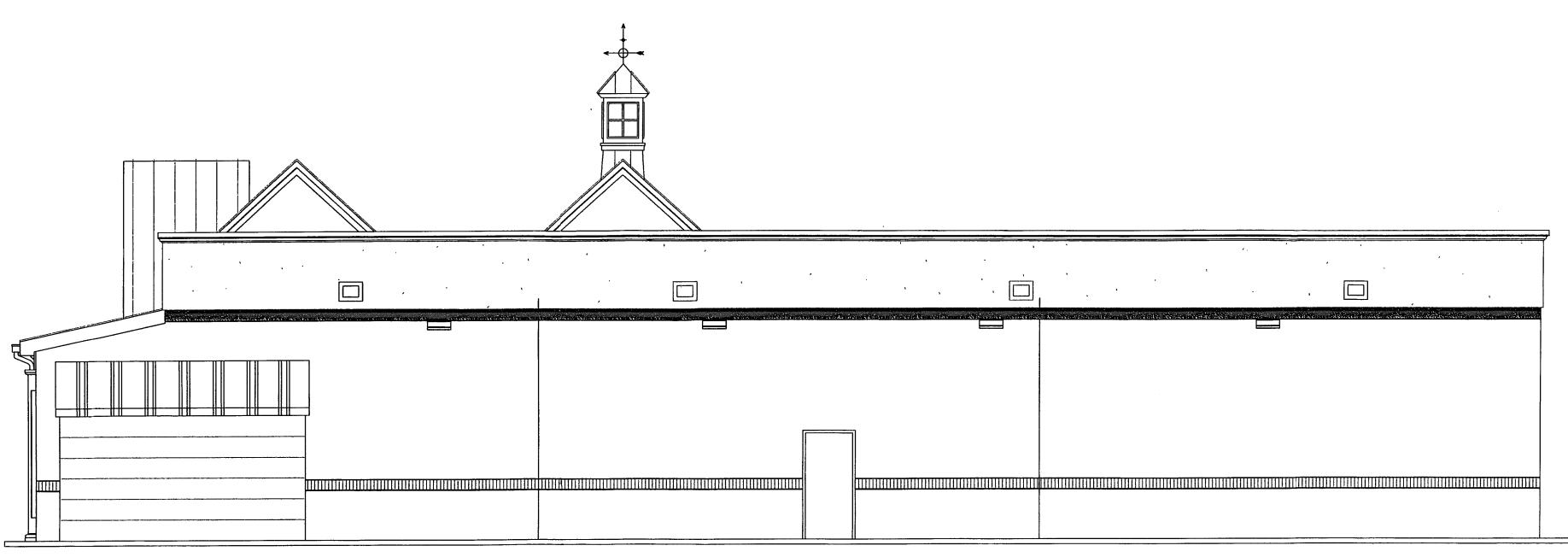




RIGHT SIDE ELEVATION NO SCALE



LEFT SIDE ELEVATION NO SCALE



REAR ELEVATION

NO SCALE

SIGN LEGEND

SIGN ELEVATION 100"

<u>SQ FOOTAGE</u>

30.56 SQ FT

15.76 SQ FT

SIGN VARIANCE TABLE/SUMMARY

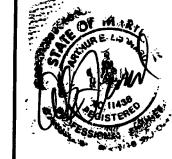
UNDER-CANOPY SIGNS ARE PROPOSED BUT ARE NOT COUNTED TOWARD SIGNAGE LIMITS PER SIGN TABLE ITEM 5.(e)IX.

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TYPE OF SIGN	ALLOWED AREA	ALLOWED NUMBER	ALLOWED HEIGHT	PROPOSED AREA	PROPOSED NUMBER	PROPOSED HEIGHT	VARIANCE REQUIRED
ENTERPRISE: WALL MOUNTED							
FRONT	2 X 88.3' = 176.60 SF	3, NO MORE THAN 2 PER FACADE	NA	93.60 SF	5	NA	YES: SIGN TABLE ITEM 5.(a)VI
RIGHT SIDE	0 SF	0	NA	46.32 SF	2	NA	YES: SIGN TABLE ITEM 5.(a)VI
REAR	0 SF	0	NA	0 SF	0	NA	NO
LEFT SIDE	2 X 41' = 82 SF	1	NA NA	38.00 SF	1	NA NA	NO
ENTERPRISE: FREESTANDING	2 X 100' = 200 SF				1		
PYLON		2, 1 PER FRONTAGE	25'	75 SF	1	29'	YES: SIGN TABLE ITEM 5.(b)VI
CAR WASH MENU		1	25'	15 SF	1	7.17'	NO
DIRECTIONAL	*8 SF PER SIGN	NA	6'	*8 SF PER SIGN	2	4'	YES: *SIGN TABLE ITEM 3.IX
CAR WASH WAIT / GO	8 SF	NA	6'	2.38 SF	1	4.58'	NO .
CAR WASH TIME REMAINING	8 SF	NA	6'	0.81 SF	1	3 75'	NO

*LOGO (ROYAL FARMS) MAY BE 30% OF SIGN AREA = 2.4 SF PER SIGN; THUS, TOTAL ALLOWED LOGO AREA = 4.8 SF, PROPOSED LOGO AREA = 6.15 SF PER SIGN = 76.9%, PROPOSED NO. OF DIRECTIONAL SIGNS = 2, TOTAL PROPOSED LOGO AREA = 12.30 SF.

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VARIATIONS OF OVAL SIGNS

NO SCALE

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ROYAL FARMS STORE

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Peppermint Woods, Ltd., Owners; BP Products North American, Inc.,

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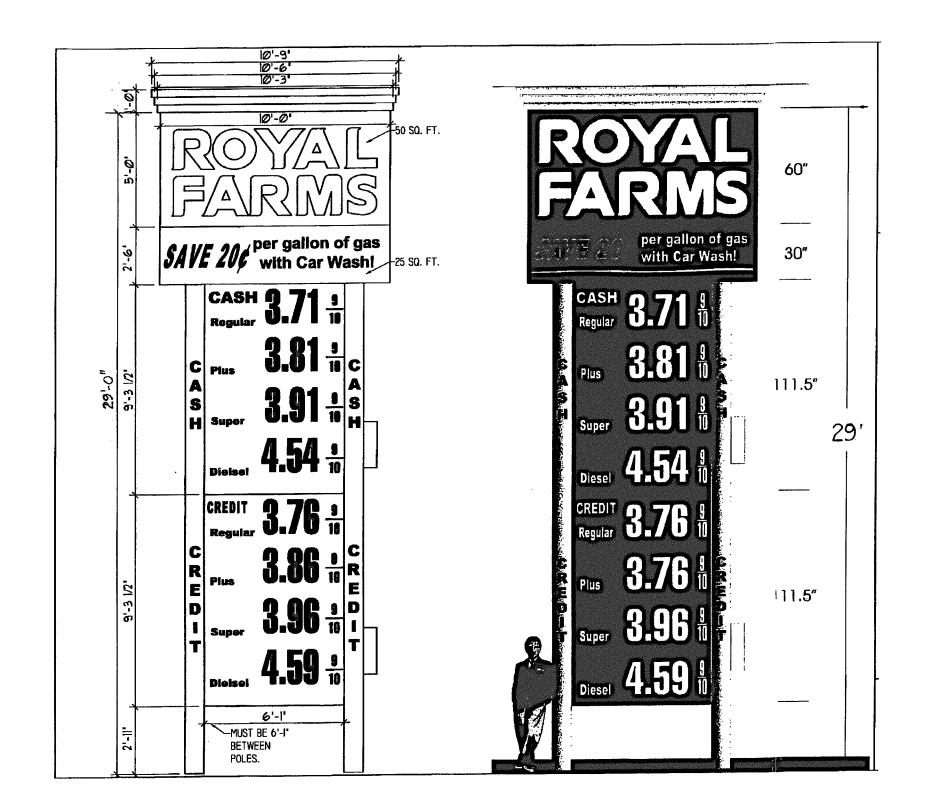
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- 3) The proposed road improvements to Eastern Avenue shall be completed in accordance with the SHA requirements.
- 4) A storm water management plan shall be submitted to DEPRM for review and approval, prior to the issuance of any permits, or a waiver of same obtained. Compliance with all other environmental codes and regulations.
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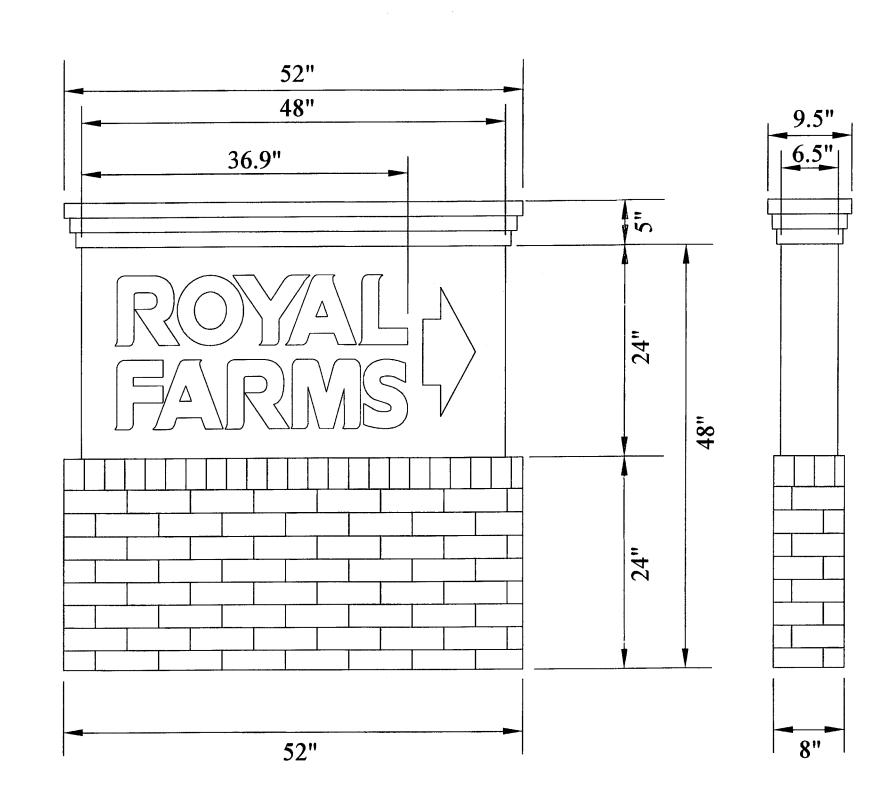
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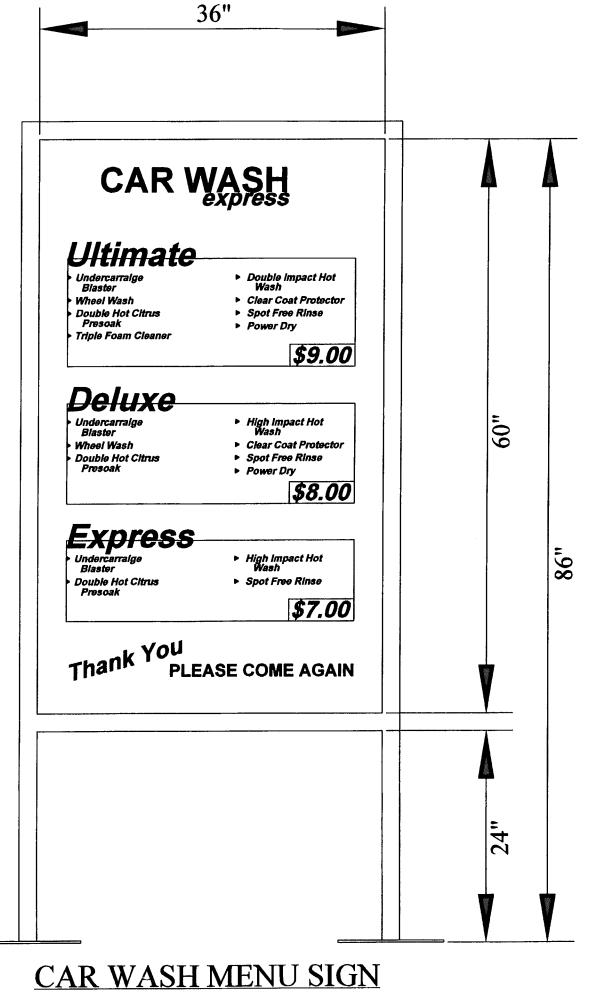


FREESTANDING PYLON SIGN NO SCALE

NOTES: PRICE SIGN AREA EXEMPT PURSUANT TO STATE REGULATIONS. AREA OF SIGN ALLOWED = 100 SF. AREA OF SIGN PROPOSED = 75 SF PRICES SHOWN ARE FOR ILLUSTRATION ONLY

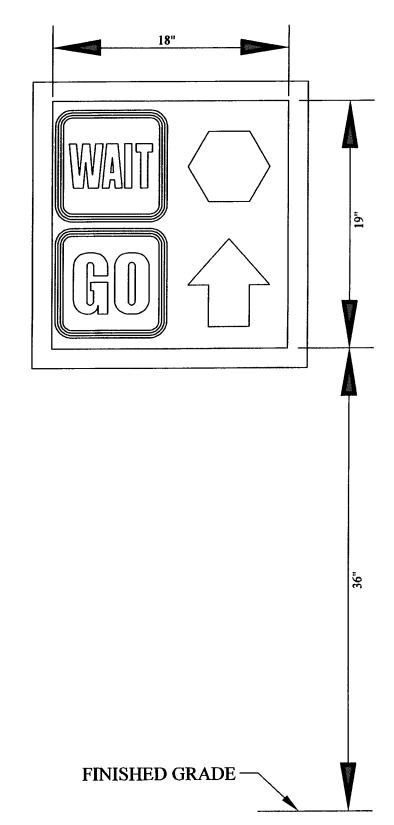


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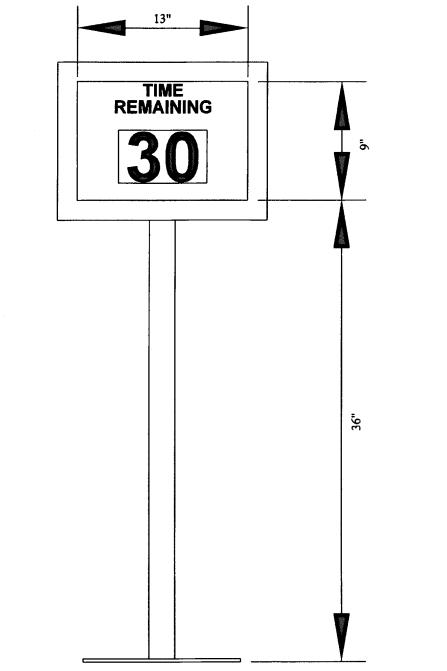
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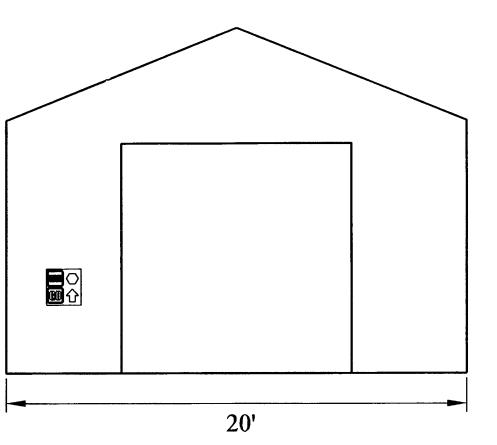
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CAR WASH ENTRANCE SIDE

ZONING ORDER & SIGNAGE DETAILS

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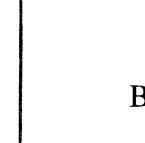
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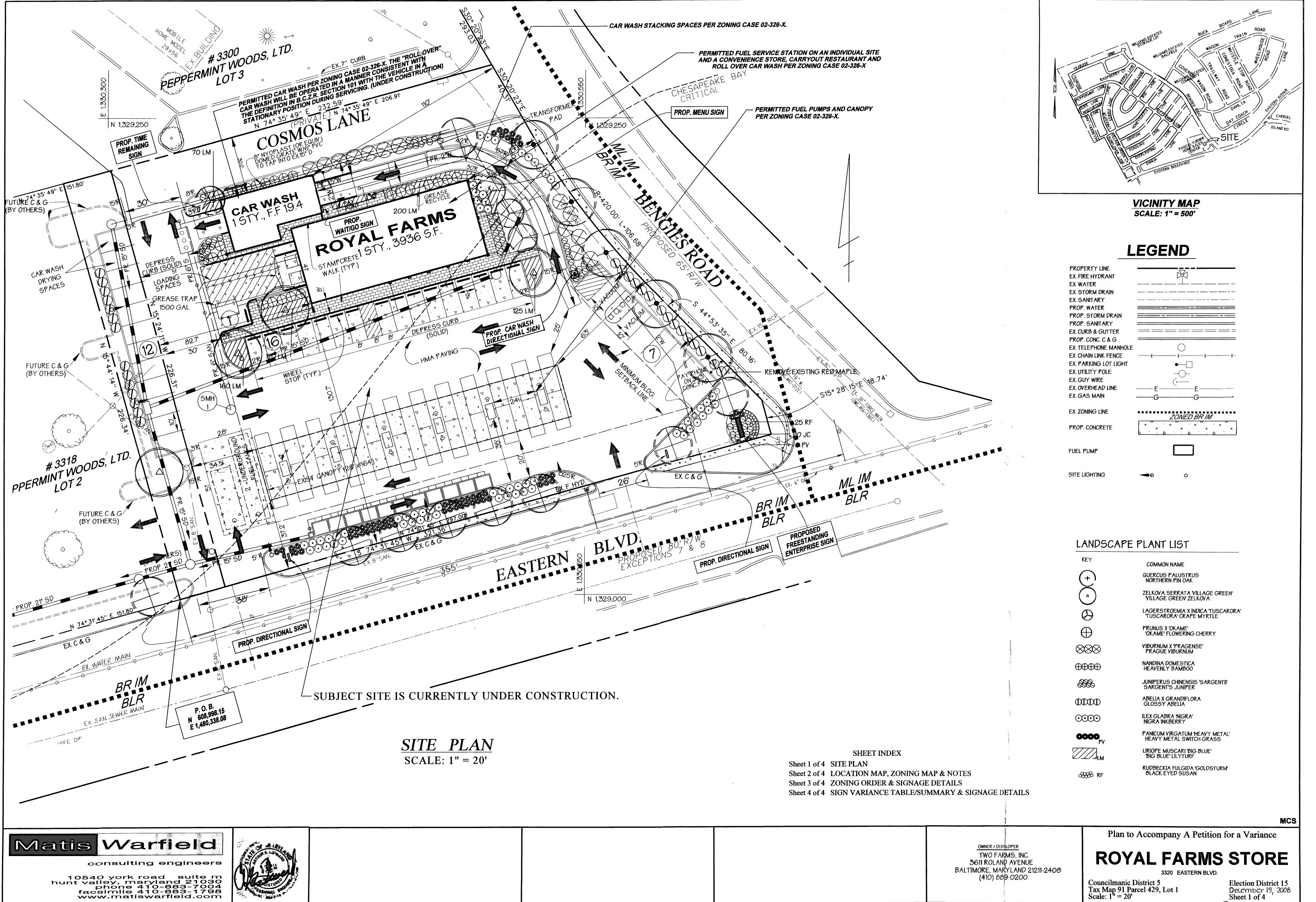
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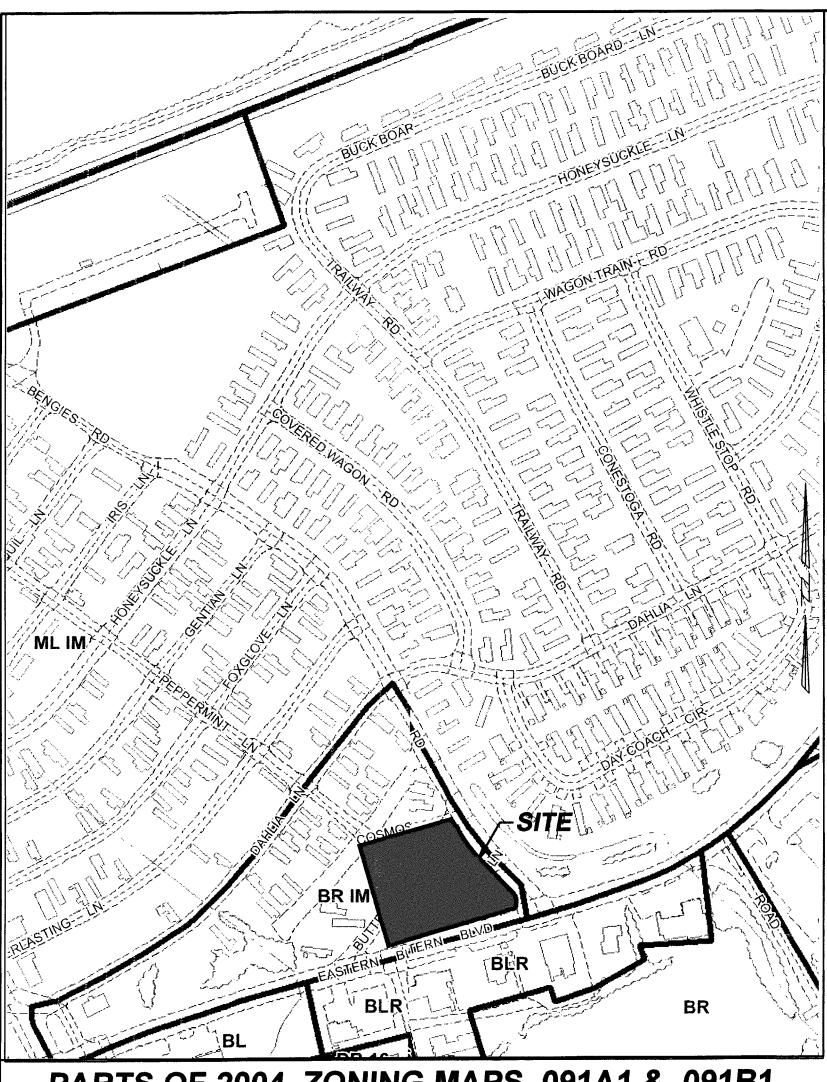




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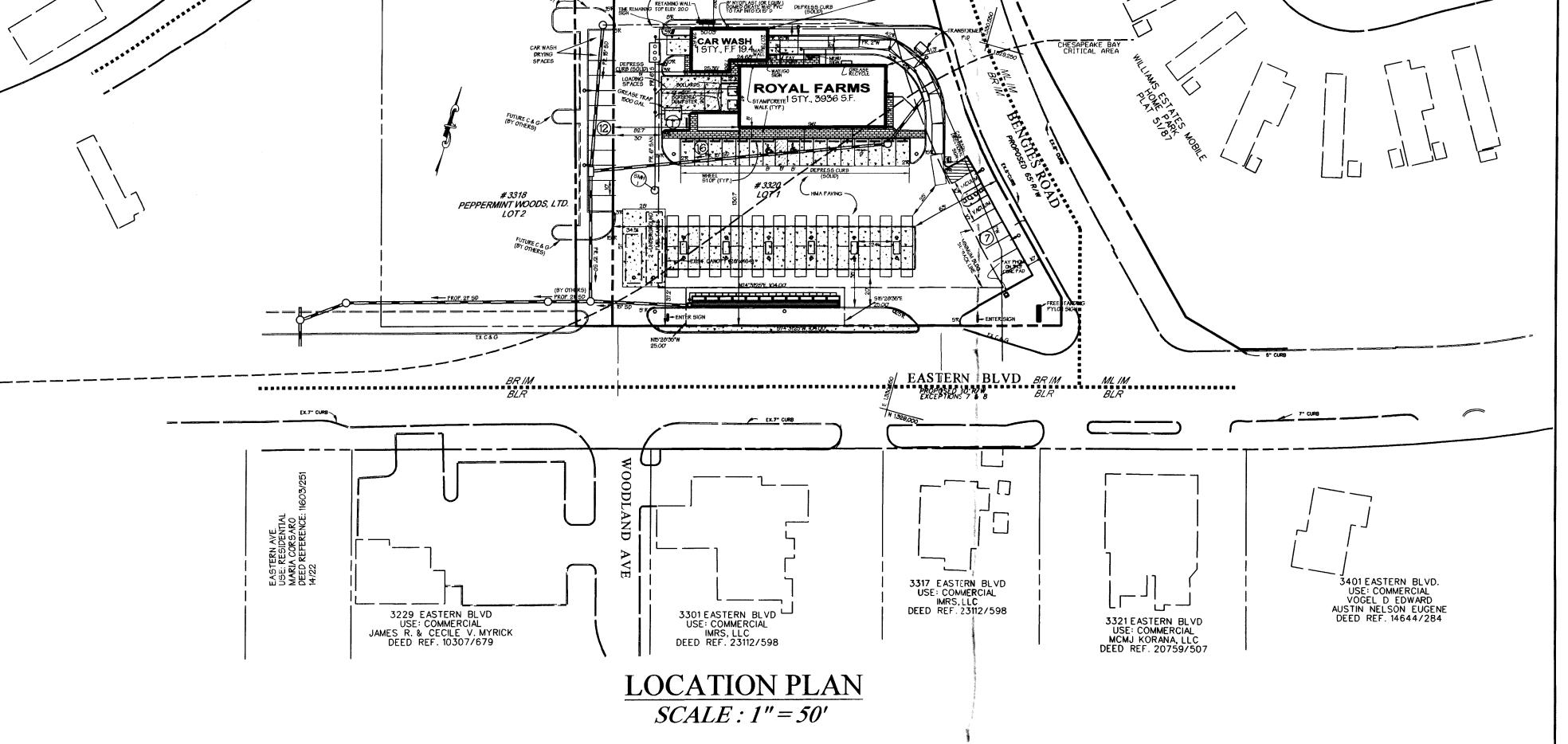
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Peppermint Woods, Ltd., Owners; BP Products North American, Inc., Contract Purchasers

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this And day of January 2003 that the Petition for Special Exception to permit a fuel service station on an individual site and a convenience store, carryout restaurant, and rollover car wash as uses in combination therewith, pursuant to Sections 405.2.B.1, 405.4.E.1, 405.4.E.2 and 405.4.E.10

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of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibits 1 and 4, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

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

- 2) Prior to the issuance of any permits, the Petitioners shall submit a landscape and lighting plan for review and approval by the Office of Planning and Avery Harden, Landscape Architect for Baltimore County. The screening and lighting plan shall provide sufficient screening so that security lights, permanent lighting and vehicle headlights do not inappropriately spill onto adjacent properties, particularly the Bengies Drive-In Movie Theater as more particularly described above.
- 3) The proposed road improvements to Eastern Avenue shall be completed in accordance with the SHA requirements.
- 4) A storm water management plan shall be submitted to DEPRM for review and approval, prior to the issuance of any permits, or a waiver of same obtained. Compliance with all other environmental codes and regulations.
- 5) When applying for a building permit, the site plan and landscape/lighting plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

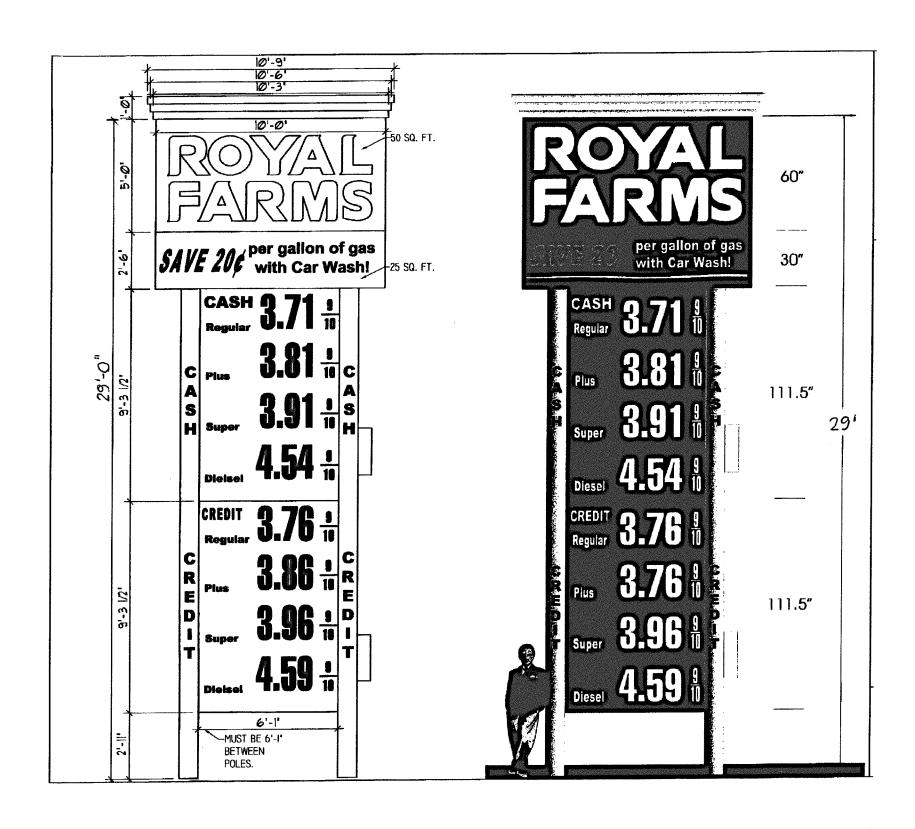
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petitioners shall have five (5) years from the date hereof to utilize the special exception relief granted herein.

for Baltimore County

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ZONING ORDER



FREESTANDING PYLON SIGN

NOTES: PRICE SIGN AREA EXEMPT PURSUANT TO STATE REGULATIONS. AREA OF SIGN ALLOWED = 100 SF AREA OF SIGN PROPOSED = 75 SF PRICES SHOWN ARE FOR ILLUSTRATION ONLY.

SIGN IS ILLUMINATED

CAR WASH MENU SIGN

FINISHED GRADE

20¢ OFF every gallon of gas with ANY wash

CLEAN SHIELD COMBINATITON WASH

\$10

\$8

• Chemical Wheel Cleaner • HP Wheel / Rocker Wash

ULTIMATE WASH

PREMIUM WASH

Soft Touch Wash
Clear Coat Sealant

Soft Touch Wash

Spot Free Rinse

Notes: Sign cabinet is 6.5" in depth. Sign is illuminated. Prices shown are for illustration only. Area of sign = 15 SF

CAR WASH WAIT/GO SIGN

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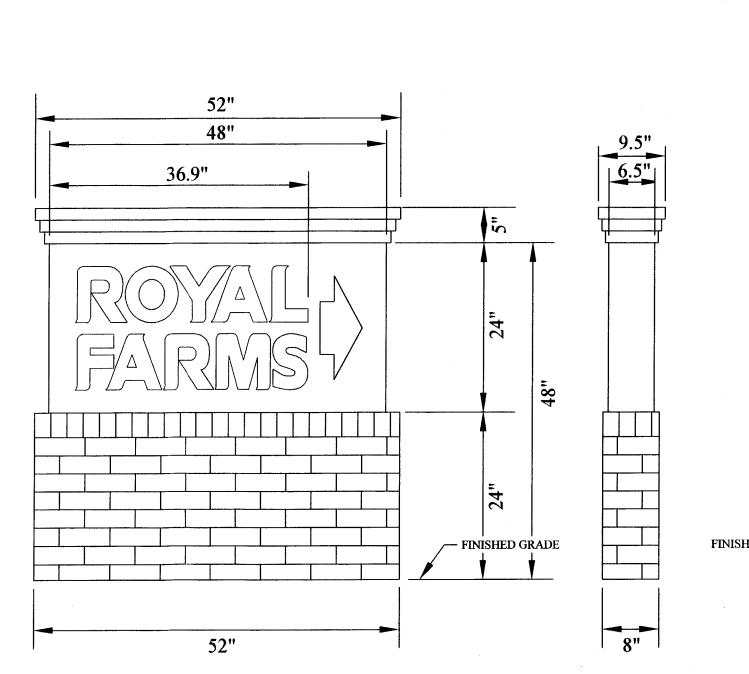
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CAR WASH TIME REMAINING SIGN

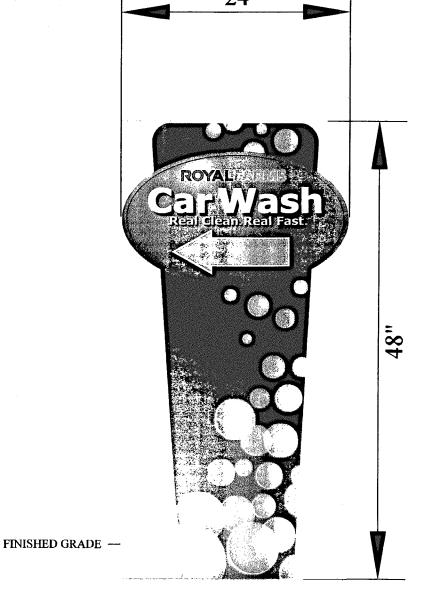
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REMAINING

Note: Sign cabinet is 6" in depth. Sign is illuminated. For exact lettering styles, see manufacturer's cutsheets. Area of sign = 0.81 SF



ROYAL FARMS DIRECTIONAL SIGN NO SCALE



CAR WASH DIRECTIONAL SIGN NO SCALE

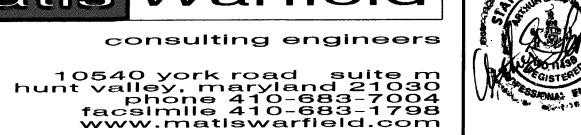
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Area of sign = 5.4 SF

CAR WASH ENTRANCE SIDE NO SCALE

ZONING ORDER & SIGNAGE DETAILS

Matis Warfield consulting engineers



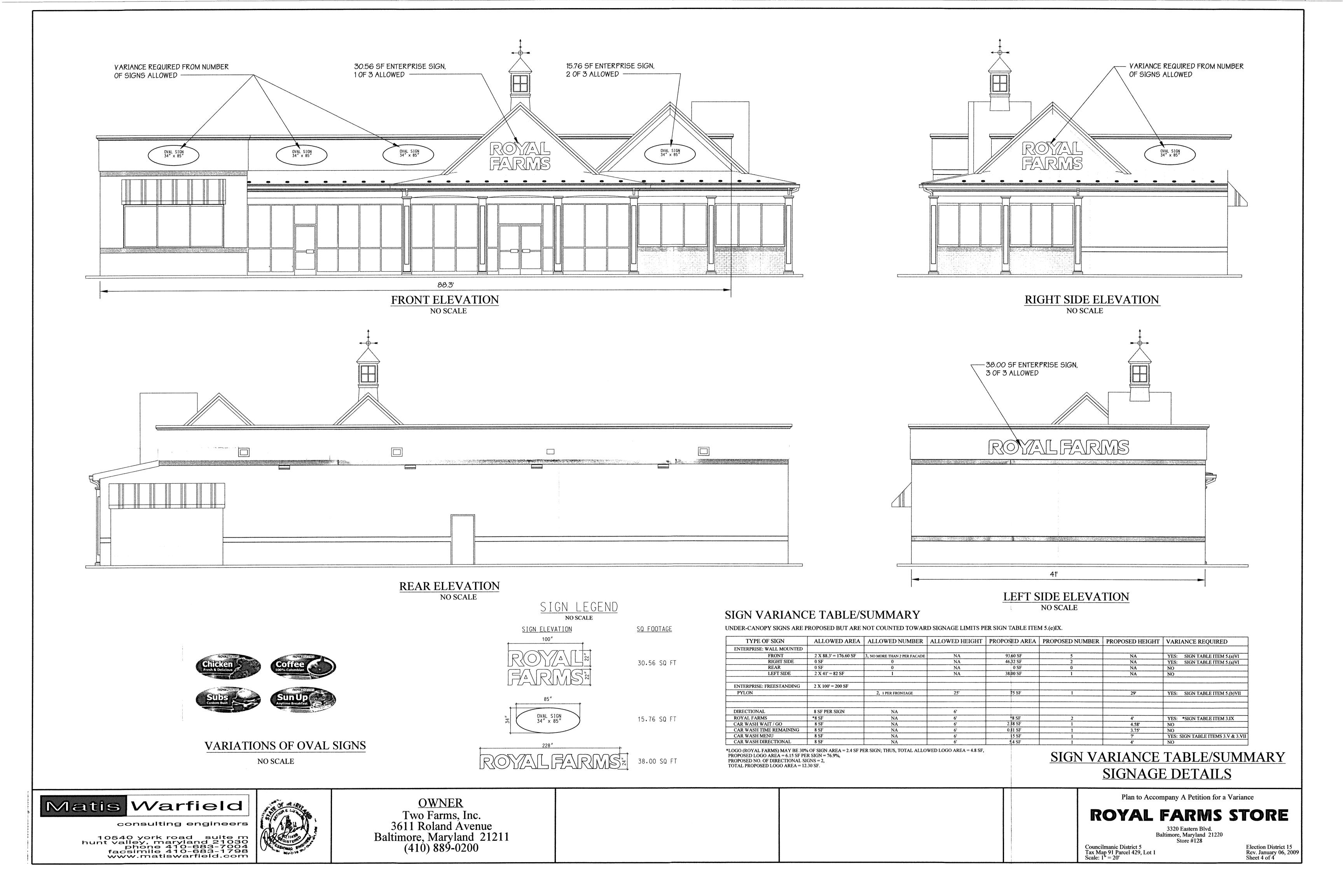
OWNER Two Farms, Inc.
3611 Roland Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21211
(410) 889-0200 Plan to Accompany A Petition for a Variance

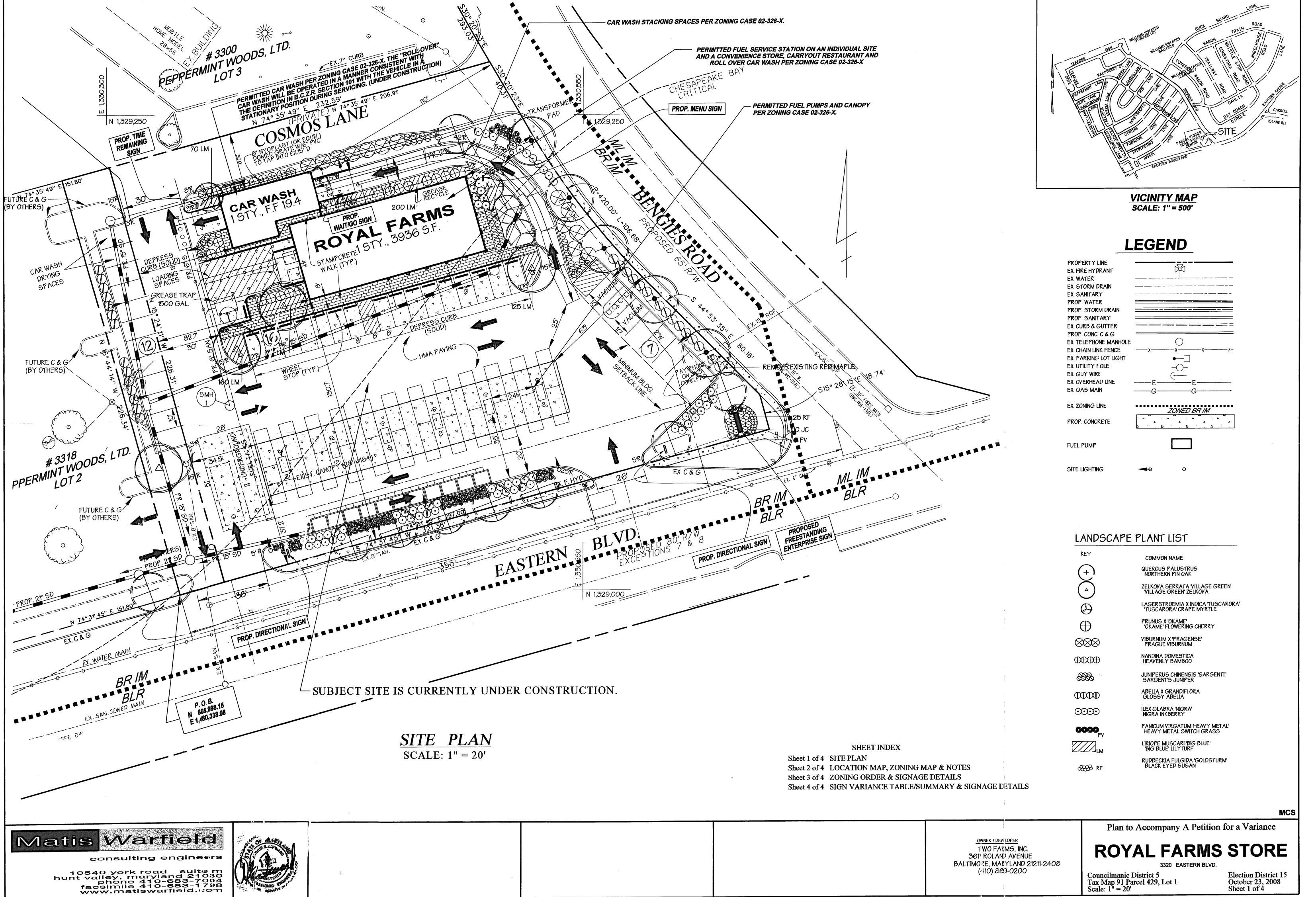
ROYAL FARMS STORE

3320 Eastern Blvd. Baltimore, Maryland 21220 Store #128

Councilmanic District 5
Tax Map 91 Parcel 429, Lot 1
Scale: 1" = 20'

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