IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING	*	BEFORE THE
AND VARIANCE		
NW/Side Island View Road, 860' W of	*	ZONING COMMISSIONER
Barrison Point Road		
(2500A Island View Road)	*	OF
15 th Election District	*	BALTIMORE COUNTY
6 th Council District		
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David M. Donovan & James S. Brown		
Petitioners	*	Case No. 2010-0145-SPHA

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by David M. Donovan and James S. Brown, property owners. The Petitioners are requesting a special hearing filed pursuant to Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to approve the construction of a new dwelling on existing lots of record and a confirmation that density is not affected. The variance requested is filed pursuant to B.C.Z.R. Section 1A04.3.B.2.b, to permit a setback of 45 feet from the centerline of a street or road in lieu of the required 75 feet for the new dwelling. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on the amended redlined site plan submitted, which was accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioners' Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the requests were David M. Donovan, James S. Brown, property owners, and David Billingsley, of Central Drafting & Design, Inc., the consultant who prepared the site plan(s) and is assisting the Petitioners in the permitting process. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

¹ Petitioners amended their site plan at the onset of the hearing, without objection, to respond to the Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comment received from Dennis A. Kennedy, P.E., on behalf of the Department of Public Works. *See* Bureau of Development Plans Review comment, dated January 6, 2010, regarding driveway access, sewer and water connections for the property and improvements at 2500 Island View Road owned by James L. Grace, et ux.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the property, which is the subject of this variance request, consists of three (3) unimproved lots of record, identified as Lots 21, 22 and 23 on the Amended Plat of Barrison Point. The lots are located on the north side of Island View Road with frontage on the south and east sides of Browns Creek in eastern Baltimore County. The Petitioners, who have lived in the community since 1992, are interested in constructing a 42' x 24' dwelling on the property. In order to proceed with the construction of a home, the setback variance from the centerline of the road (a paper street) is necessary, given that the property is now zoned R.C.5. It should be noted that this community was developed and designed at a time when houses could easily be constructed on these lots without the need for a variance. However, the subject community has been rezoned to R.C.5, which necessitates the variance request. The home would be centrally located on the lots, each being 50-foot wide, having a combined area of 18,896 square feet (0.434 acres) in lieu of the 1.5 acres now required. The special hearing is to approve the density and confirm the overall density of the neighborhood is not affected.

The lots have the potential to have access to public water and sewer via grinder pump. Mr. Billingsley testified that Lots 21, 22 and 23 are wooded with no improvements or connections other than an existing macadam driveway that traverses (east to west) to Lot 26 known as the Grace property.² He noted that many homes in the neighborhood are built on 50-foot wide lots so that a new home on the proposed lots would have less density than others in the neighborhood. Mr. Billingsley further noted that R.C.20 zoned property is located just south of Island View Road and is undeveloped and that there would be no impact on anyone in this

² This road is the sole access to the Grace property. The road also contains a water main and pressure sewer – with the proposed new home being shown on the site plan as located over the water main – that serves the Grace property. The location of this road and utilities are in dispute. Petitioners assert the County inadvertently paved the old existing driveway that ran across their property rather than placing the public improvements in the "paper street" of Island View Road. As stated during the hearing, I cannot determine the ownership of real property as that determination is vested solely in the Circuit Court.

direction. He also supplied photographs of houses in the neighborhood showing the new home would be compatible with the pattern of development. See Exhibit 6. In that the R.C.5 development regulations require a minimum 75-foot setback from the centerline of any street or road, the requested variance relief is necessary. See B.C.Z.R. Section 1A04.3B.2.b. The requested relief is also driven by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management's (DEPRM) insistence that the dwelling be moved closer to Island View Road. The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comment received from David Lykens, DEPRM's Development Coordinator, confirms that tidal wetlands exist in front of the proposed dwelling and in order to minimize to the greatest extent possible in trying to meet the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area (CBCA) requirements, it is their recommendation that the required setback be reduced to locate the proposed dwelling as close as possible to Island View Road in order to protect the critical area buffer.

I find special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land which is the subject of the variance request. These lots were created many years before the R.C.5 regulations were imposed and as such, are impacted differently from lots in the area created after the resource conservation regulations began. I also find strict compliance with the County's Zoning Regulations would result in practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship. There is no land available to increase the area of any of the subject three (3) lots. Given the need to meet the Critical Area law, the new home cannot practically meet the 75-foot centerline setback requirement. I find that no increase in residential density beyond that otherwise allowable by the Zoning Regulations will result by granting this variance when looking at the overall neighborhood density including the large R.C.20 area to the south. Finally, I find this variance can be granted in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of said regulations, and in such a manner as to grant relief without injury to the public, health, safety and general welfare. There

are at least nine (9) other variance cases in the area in which homes have been permitted on undersized lots.³ Many are built on 50-foot wide lots. This new home will be built on a 150-foot wide lot. This will not adversely affect the pattern of development in this neighborhood. However, due to the properties close proximity to Browns Creek and the ongoing dispute concerning the location of the existing paved road, a number of restrictions are appropriate here. Pursuant to Section 307.1 of the B.C.Z.R., the Zoning Commissioner is empowered to impose restrictions for the protection of the surrounding and neighboring properties. Those conditions are set forth below.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this

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day of April 2010 that the Petition for Special Hearing, pursuant to Section
500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.). to approve the construction of a
new dwelling on existing lots of record and a confirmation that density is not affected, be and is
hereby granted; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance requesting relief from Section 1A04.3.B.2.b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit a setback of 45 feet from the centerline of a street or road in lieu of the required 75 feet for a new dwelling, in accordance with Petitioners' Exhibit 1, be and is hereby granted, subject to the following restrictions, which are conditions precedent to the relief granted herein:

³ Records maintained by this Commission disclosed zoning relief granted for lots on Island View Road adjacent to Browns Creek as follows: Case Nos. 1994-0015, 2002-0472, 2002-0962, 2004-0259, 2005-0690, 2006-0062, 2008-0303, 2008-0596 and 2010-0123.

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- 1. A building permit for the new single-family dwelling on combined Lots 21, 22, and 23 to be known as 2500A Island View Road shall not be issued until the "proposed driveway, water house connection and sewer house connections", illustrated on Petitioners' Exhibit 1, are available for operation at 2500 Island View Road.
- 2. Compliance with the Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM) and the Development Plans Review (DPR) of the Department of Permits and Development Management (DPDM) relative to the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area (CBCA) regulations and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A. regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams wetlands and floodplains. Copies of those comments, both dated April 21, 2010 respectively, have been attached hereto and are made a part hereof.
- 3. In addition to Condition No. 1 above, Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings to the Office of Planning for review and approval prior to the issuance of the building permit to ensure that the proposed 42' x 24' house is compatible with homes in this area.
- 4. When applying for any permits, the site plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

Any appeal of this decision must be taken in accordance with Section 32-3-401 of the

Baltimore County Code.

JW:dlw

WILLIAM I. WISEMAN, III

Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN III

Zoning Commissioner

April 26, 2010

David M. Donovan James S. Brown 2502 Island View Road Baltimore, Maryland 21221

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NW/Side Island View Road, 860' W of Barrison Point Road

(2500A Island View Road)

15th Election District - 6th Council District

David M. Donovan & James S. Brown - Petitioners

Case No. 2010-0145-SPHA

Dear Messrs. Donovan and Brown:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter.

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.

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

WJW:dlw Enclosure

c: David Billingsley, Central Drafting & Design, Inc., 601 Charwood Court, Edgewood, MD 21040

Douglas N. Silber, Esquire, 40 West Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 412, Towson, MD 21204

Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Commission, 1804 West Street, Suite 100, Annapolis, MD 21401

Adam Rosenblatt, Esquire, Assistant County Attorney, Office of Law People's Counsel; Office of Planning; DEPRM; DPR; File



Petition for Special Hearing

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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This Petition shall be filed with the Department of Permits and Development Management. The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Hearing under Section 500.7 of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to determine whether or not the Zoning Commissioner should approve

THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW DWELLING ON EXISTING LOTS OF RECORD CONFIRMING THAT DENSITY IS NOT AFFECTED.

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

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

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

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Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 2500A 15 LAND VIEW ROAD

which is presently zoned RC 5

Deed Reference: 27071 / 330 Tax Account # 151660 0142

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)

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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 PRESENTED AT HEARING

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ZONING DESCRIPTION 2500A ISLAND VIEW ROAD

Beginning at a point on the northwest side of Island View Road (40 feet wide) distant 860 feet from it's intersection with the northwest side of Barrison Point Road (40 feet wide), thence being all of Lots 21, 22, and 23, Section C as shown on the plat entitled Barrison Point recorded among the plat records of Baltimore County in Plat Book 8 Folio 82. Containing 18,896 square feet or 0.434 acre of land, more or less.

Being known as 2500A Island View Road. Located in the 15TH Election District, 6TH Councilmanic District of Baltimore County, Md.

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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NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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Timothy Kotroco

Director

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C: David Donovan, James Brown, 2502 Island View Road, Baltimore 21221
David Billingsley, Central Drafting & Design, 601 Charwood Ct., Edgewood 21040

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22,2009

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

TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

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James Brown 2502 Island View Road Baltimore, MD 21221 410-574-8476

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Tuesday, December 15, 2009 Issue - Jeffersonian

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TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO, Director

Department of Permits and

Development Management

December 29, 2009

David Donovan & James Brown 2502 Island View Rd. Baltimore, MD 21221

Dear: David Donovan & James Brown

RE: Case Number 2010-0145-SPHA; 2500A Island View Rd.

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on November 02, 2009. 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,

U. Carl Richal &

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

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Enclosures

c: People's Counsel
David Billingsley: Central Drafting & Design, Inc.; 601 Charwood Ct.; Edgewood, MD 21040



Inter-Office Correspondence



TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

DATE:

April 21, 2010

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item

10-145-SPHA

Address

2500 A Island View Road

(Donovan & Brown Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of November 9, 2009

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

X 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). In addition, the development of this property must meet all requirements of Section 27.01.02.08 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Lot Consolidation and Reconfiguration.

Additional Comments: The property is located in a Limited Development Area in the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area. If the property area above mean high water is equal to or greater than 8,000 square feet, the lot coverage is limited to 25%, or a maximum of 31.25%, if approved, and with mitigation. If the property area above mean high water is less than 8,000 square feet, the lot coverage is limited to 25%, or a maximum of 25% plus 500 square feet, if approved, and with mitigation. The site is forested, and in this case, it appears that the proposed development may not be able to meet the maximum forest clearing limit of 30%. In addition, the property appears to be entirely within the 100-foot buffer measured off mean high water/tidal wetlands. Tidal and non-tidal wetlands, and mean high water must be accurately identified. Based on the delineation of these resources, additional requirements may apply. Therefore, it appears that this site may require a Critical Area administrative variance to exceed 30% clearing, and to have a reduced Critical Area buffer and primary structure setback off of the Critical Area buffer. A variance may be required for wetland or wetland buffer impacts as well. Impacts need to be minimized to the greatest extent possible to try to meet the requirements. For example, relief to the roadside setback, size of the primary structure, size and need of any proposed accessory structures, and maximization of the buffer need to be addressed. Granting of a Critical Area administrative variance requires that the applicant meet all criteria set forth in the Critical Area law. Please be advised that mitigation on and/or off-site, or by payment of a fee-in-lieu may be required if development of this site is approved. As stated above, lot consolidation and reconfiguration requirements must also be met.

Reviewer:

Paul Dennis

Date: December 4, 2009

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

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, 2010 Item No.: 2010-145 **DATE:** April 21, 2010

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APR 21 2010

ZONING COMMISSIONER

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject zoning item and we have the following comment(s).

The base flood elevation for this site is 9.4 feet Baltimore County Datum.

The flood protection elevation for this site is 10.4 feet.

In conformance with Federal Flood Insurance requirements, the first floor or basement floor must be at least 1 foot above the flood plain elevation in all construction.

The property to be developed is located adjacent to tidewater. The developer is advised that the proper sections of the Baltimore County Building Code must be followed whereby elevation limitations are placed on the lowest floor (including basements) of residential (commercial) development.

The building engineer shall require a permit for this project.

The building shall be designed and adequately anchored to prevent flotation, collapse, or lateral movement of structure with materials resistant to flood damage.

Flood-resistant construction shall be in accordance with the Baltimore County Building Code which adopts, with exceptions, the International Building Code.

DAK:CEN:cab

cc: File

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

Beverley K. Swaim-Staley, Secretary Neil J. Pedersen, Administrator

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Date: Wov. 17,2009

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

Baltimore County RE:

Item No. 2010-0145-3PHA 2500-A IGLAND VIEW RD DONOVAN/BROWN PROPERTY VARIANCE -SPECIAL HEARING

Dear Ms. Matthews:

Thank you for the opportunity to review your referral request on the subject of the above captioned. We have determined that the subject property does not access a State roadway and is not affected by any State Highway Administration projects. Therefore, based upon available information this office has no objection to Baltimore County Zoning Advisory Committee approval of Item No. 2010 - . 0145-SPHA .

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please 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).

Very truly your

For Steven D. Foster, Chief Engineering Access Permits

Division

SDF/mb



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 18, 2009

ATTENTION: Zoning Review Planners

Distribution Meeting Of: November 9, 2006

Item Numbers: 0139,0140,0141,0142,0143,0144,0145,0146,0147

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

Inter-Office Correspondence



TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

DATE:

November 27, 2009

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item # 10-123-SPHA

Address

2499 Island View Road

(Donovan Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of October 19, 2009

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

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Reviewer:

Paul Dennis

Date: November 10, 2009

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: December 8, 2009

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

SUBJECT:

2500A Island View Road

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

10-145

Petitioner:

David M. Donovan

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action:

Variance and Special Hearing

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Office of Planning does not oppose the petitioner's request. However, this office is required to provide a statement of finding to the Zoning Commissioner indicating how the proposed construction complies with the current RC 5 requirements. To prepare the statement of finding, the following information must be submitted to this office:

- 1. Photographs of existing adjacent dwellings.
- 2. Submit building elevations (all sides) of the proposed dwelling to this office for review and approval prior to the hearing. The proposed dwelling shall be compatible in size and architectural detail as that of the existing dwellings in the area. Ensure that the exterior of the proposed building(s) uses the same finish materials and architectural details on the front, side, and rear elevations. Use of quality material such as brick, stone, or cedar is encouraged.
- 3. Design all decks, balconies, windows, dormers, chimneys, and porches as a component of the building following dominant building lines. Decks shall be screened to minimize visibility from a public street.

4. Design all accessory structures at a scale appropriate to the dwelling and design garages with the same architectural theme as the principal building on the site, providing consistency in materials, colors, roof pitch, and style.

5. Provide landscaping along the public road, if consistent with the existing streetscape.

For further questions or additional information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact Laurie Hay with the Office of Planning at 410-887-3480.

Prepared By:

Division Chief:

CM/LL

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Tim Kotroco, Director

DATE: January 6, 2010

Department of Permits & Development

Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For Item No. 2010-0145 SPHA

The site plan submitted with this petition portrays a proposed dwelling being placed over top of an existing paved road. The road is the sole access to the Grace Property at 2500 Island View Road and therefore, the petitioner may need permission from Grace to move the road. The road also contains a water main and pressure sewer with the house being shown over the water main. The main and pressure sewer also serve the Grace Property. Due to these unusual circumstances, I am requesting additional time to prepare comments.

On behalf of the Department of Public Works, I am requesting a continuance of the public hearing in the above-captioned matter, which is scheduled for Friday, January 8, 2010.

Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

DAK cc:file RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE

2500A Island View Road; NW/S Island View *

Road, 860' W Barrison Point Road

15th Election & 6th Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): David Donovan & James Brown

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

10-145-SPHA

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Baltimore County Charter § 524.1, please enter the appearance of People's Counsel for Baltimore County as an interested party 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

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CAROLE S. DEMILIO
Deputy People's Counsel

Jefferson Building, Room 204 105 West Chesapeake Avenue

Towson, MD 21204 (410) 887-2188

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 23rd day of November, 2009, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to David Billingsley, Central Drafting & Design, Inc, 601 Charwood Court, Edgewood, MD 21040, Representative for Petitioner(s).

Peter Max Zummerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN People's Counsel for Baltimore County



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

JOHN E. BEVERUNGEN

County Attorney

Office of Law

January 7, 2010

William Wiseman, Jr. Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

Re:

Island View Road

Case No. 10-0145-SPHA

Request for Continuance of Public Hearing

Commissioner Wiseman:

This correspondence is in regard to the above-captioned matter, which is scheduled for a public hearing on January 8, 2010. I have been advised that the Bureau of Development Plans Review has requested a postponement of the public hearing, and I am writing to second the request for continuance.

As the Bureau explained in its request, this Petition raises issues beyond those presented in a standard Petition for Variance. Specifically, the County has installed sewer grinder pumps and paved the section of the subject property on which the Petitioners are now proposing to construct a dwelling. Clearly, the Petitioners are disputing the authority of the County to install the grinder pumps on their property, and this is an issue that warrants further inquiry from the Office of Law.

Your consideration in continuing the public hearing in this matter is greatly appreciated, and I intend to personally contact the Petitioners or their attorney, if they are represented, to discuss this matter before the Petition for Variance and Special Hearing is presented to your office. I hope through discussion with the Petitioners to greatly simplify the issues that will be presented at a future public hearing.

It would be extremely helpful if you could inform the parties today as to whether this request is granted as we could prevent any unnecessary travel tomorrow. This is especially true in light of the potentially hazardous driving conditions due to projected inclement weather. I look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

Adam M. Rosenblatt Assistant County Attorney From:

Ashley Hofmeister

To:

Keller, Bruce; Stroupe, Joyce

Date:

12/18/2009 12:32 PM

Subject:

Re: Island View Road

Bruce and Joyce:

Should we perhaps meet on this again soon? I feel like these letters of permission may alter how we want to approach this.

Ashley

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Bruce F. Keller Chief of Design (410)887-3702 bkeller@baltimorecountymd.gov

CC:

Adams, Edward; Kennedy, Dennis; Walsh, Steven

I have been involved in this project.

Ashley

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>>> John Beverungen 12/17/2009 1:17 PM >>> Please let me know if you are familiar with or involved in a matter involving Island View Rd. in the Eastern part of the County.

Apparently, the County (DPW) hired contractors (Gannett Fleming and Matricciani) who paved a road, and they allegedly failed to stay within the boundaries of a "paper street," and instead went onto and paved private property.

John.

John E. Beverungen County Attorney Baltimore County Office of Law 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 (410) 410-887-4420

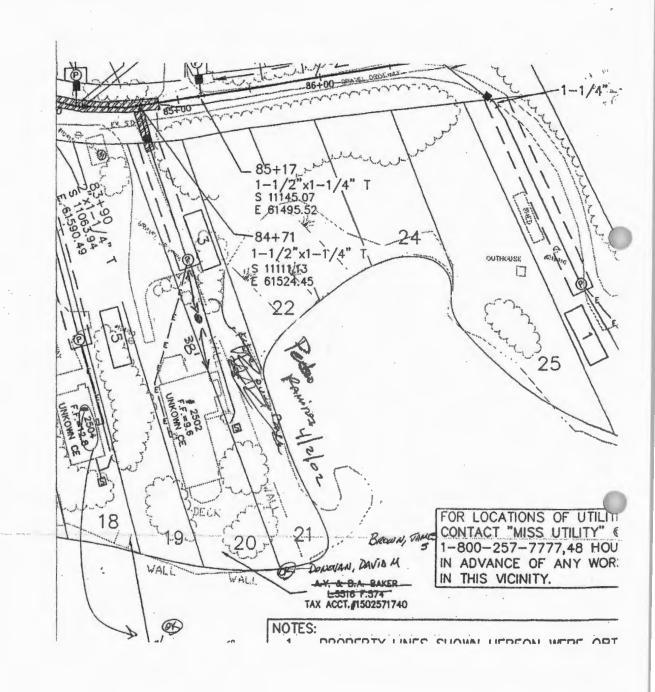
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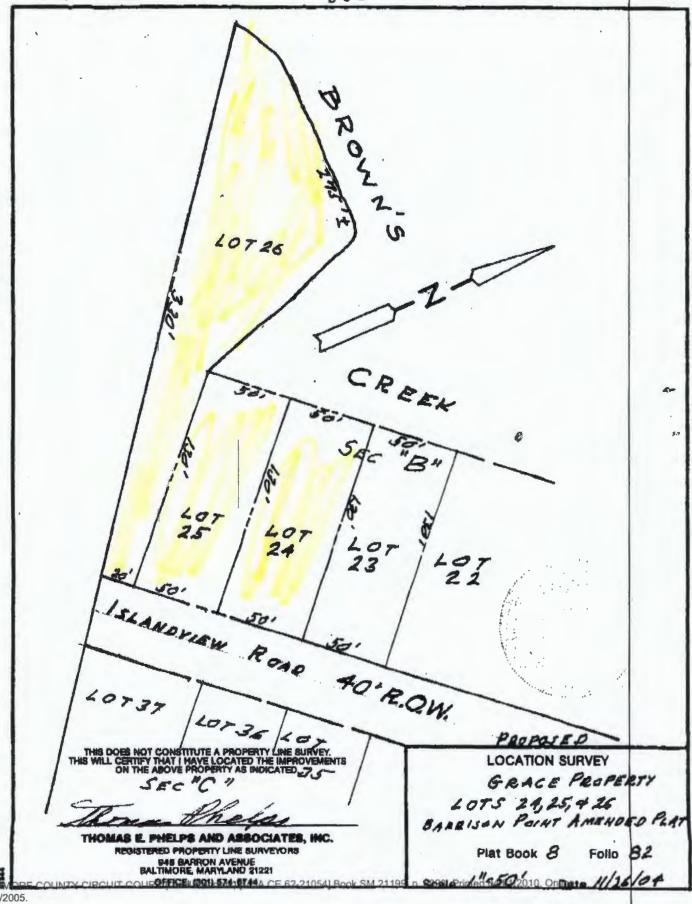
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CC: Beverungen, John

RW 98-018 Item

Permission is hereby granted this DAVIO M. DONOVAN	2 Nd	day of May	200 2 , 200 1 by
JAMES S. BROWN	, owne	ars of the property	located at
(please print names) 2502 Island View Rd	to enter	r the property for	the purpose of
(please print address)		the property for	the purpose of
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The attached drawing shows an approxima	ate location	of the grinder pu	mp as
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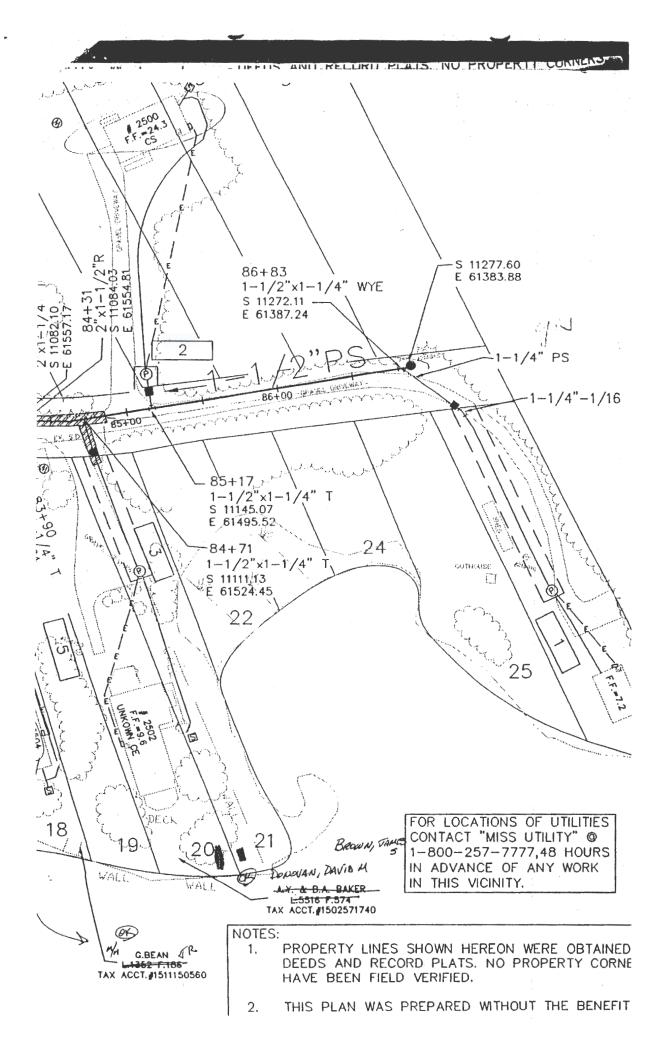




01/13/2005.

RW 98-018 Item

Permission is hereby granted this 12th day of June, 2002 by
William R. Porter owners of the property located at
(please print names) Z 501 T3284 VIEW ROAD to enter the property for the purpose of
(please print address)
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Witness: Property Owners Signatures:
She below WERF



Ashley Hofmeister

To:

Wiseman, Bill

Date:

12/18/2009 11:38 AM

Subject:

Re: question-Island View Road

Bill:

Feel free to call or send me an e-mail. I've been involved in this matter for awhile now, so I have a good handle on it.

Ashley

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>>> John Beverungen 12/18/2009 10:15 AM >>>

Thanks Ashley. I am copying Bill on this, and he'd like to chat with you about this, since he has a pending zoning/development case that involves some of these issues, and I think he'd like to get your take on this. JB.

John E. Beverungen County Attorney Baltimore County Office of Law 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 (410) 410-887-4420

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>>> Ashley Hofmeister 12/18/2009 7:51 AM >>> John:

Bill Wiseman - Fwd: Island View Road

From:

John Beverungen

To:

Wiseman, Bill

Date:

1/5/2010 10:08 AM

Subject:

Fwd: Island View Road

Bill, attached is a comment from Bruce Keller, and I thought it might be germane to the appeal you are handling...happy new year! JB.

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>>> Joyce Stroupe 1/4/2010 8:02 PM >>>

John,

just fyi, I was not certain if I sent you a copy of this \dots we still must remit payment for the taking of property, but this may further undermine any claim Doug Silber may have for additional monies for his client \dots

Joyce

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Bruce F. Keller Chief of Design (410)887-3702 bkeller@baltimorecountymd.gov

Bill Wiseman - 2500A Island View Road variance application

From:

David Donovan <ddonovan0@yahoo.com>

To:

<dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date:

3/10/2010 11:02 AM

Subject: 2500A Island View Road variance application

CC:

dave iim donovan <dmdisb@comcast.net>, dave donovan <ddonovan0@yahoo.com>,

<arosenblatt@baltimorecountymd.gov>, Douglas Silber <dsilber@silberlawfirm.com>

Hello Mr. Wiseman,

We received the note below from Mr. Rosenblatt after not receiving a single proposed solution to the problem. The 60 days you delayed the variance decision to allow a resolution to surface has expired. I hope you agree that Mr. Brown and I have been exceedingly patient waiting for the county to propose a solution to correct this ~2 year trespass.

I look forward to hearing your decision on the 2500A Island View Road variance application at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely, Dave

David M. Donovan 2502 Island View Road Baltimore, MD 21221 home 410-574-8476 cell 443-690-4251 ddonovan0@yahoo.com (that is a zero after my name)

----Original Message----

From: Adam Rosenblatt [mailto:arosenblatt@baltimorecountymd.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 10:22 AM

To: Douglas Silber

Subject: Re: Island View Road: for settlement purposes only

Unfortunately, there does not seem to be a situation where "everyone wins" so to speak. I will have all of the documents you requested per your PIA request ready for your review this week before you leave. However, despite multiple efforts, I simply cannot come up with a scenario that pleases all parties. When is the 60 days from the zoning petition up?

Adam M. Rosenblatt **Assistant County Attorney** Baltimore County Office of Law Old Courthouse, Second Floor 400 Washington Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204 (410) 887-4420

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CC:

dmdjsb@comcast.net; dsilber@silberlawfirm.com

Adam Rosenblatt

To:

Wiley, Debra; ddonovan0@yahoo.com

Date:

3/10/2010 11:51 AM

Subject:

Re: 2500A Island View Road variance application

Commissioner Wiseman,

I agree with Mr. Donovan that the Petitioners in your variance case have been patient and deserve an answer to their request. I appreciate you granting the 60 day continuance and am not requesting any additional time to discuss this matter with the Petitioners.

However, the email that Mr. Donovan attached was a communication written from attorney to attorney in furtherance of efforts to settle an ongoing dispute. Accordingly, the communication should not be considered a part of the record in the pending zoning case and should have no effect on the evidence presented at the public hearing. In fact, Mr. Silber had requested that I direct all communications to his attention rather than his clients, and I assumed he would offer me the same courtesy going forward.

In any event, thank you for your time and consideration in this matter,

Adam M. Rosenblatt
Assistant County Attorney
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>>> David Donovan 03/10/10 11:02 AM >>>

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----Original Message----

From: Adam Rosenblatt [mailto:arosenblatt@baltimorecountymd.gov]

David Lykens

To:

Livingston, Jeffrey; Wiley, Debra

Date:

12/30/2009 4:05 PM

Subject:

Re: DEPRM & DPR Comments Needed (out of the office)

Debbie,

You scared me, when you said Friday, I thought you ment this Friday January 1! We'll get them to you early next week. Thanks. Have a good new year.

Dave

David Lykens, Manager Development Coordination Baltimore County, DEPRM 105 W. Chesapeake Ave. Towson, Maryland 21204 Phone 410-887-5859 Fax 410-887-4804

>>> Jeffrey Livingston 12/30/2009 3:52 PM >>>

I will be out of the office until January 4, 2010. If you need assistance before then, you can contact my supervisor, Dave Lykens, at dlykens@baltimorecountymd.gov or at (410) 887-5859.

Thank you and have a happy holiday, Jeff >>> Debra Wiley 12/30/09 15:52 >>>

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Debra Wiley

To:

Lykens, David

Date:

12/30/2009 3:53 PM

Subject:

Fwd: Re: DERRM & DPR Comments Needed (out of the office)

Attachments: Re: DEPRM & DPR Comments Needed (out of the office)

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

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From: Jeffrey Livingston

To: dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov

Date: 12/30/2009 3:52 PM

Subject: Re: DEPRM & DPR Comments Needed (out of the

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Thank you and have a happy holiday, Jeff

>>> Debra Wiley 12/30/09 15:52 >>>

Hi Jeff & Dennis,

In reviewing next week's case files, it appears that comments are needed for Friday's 9 AM hearing for Bill. I have provided a case description below for your convenience as follows:

CASE NO. 2010-0145-SPHA

2500A Island View Road (CBCA & Flood)

N/W Side of Island View Road, 860 feet west of the intersection of Barrison Point Road
15th Election District - 6th Council District
Legal Owners: David Donovan, James Brown

<u>Special Hearing</u> for the construction of a new dwelling on existing lots of record confirming that density is not affected.

<u>Variance</u> to permit a setback of 45 feet from the centerline of a street or road in lieu of the required 75 feet for a new dwelling.

Hearing: Friday, January 8, 2010 at 9:00 a.m., Room 104, Jefferson Building, 105 W. Chesapeake Ave., Towson 21204

Thanks and Happy New Year!

Debra Wiley

To:

Beverungen, John

CC:

Kennedy, Dennis; Rosenblatt, Adam; ahofmeister@baltimorecountymd.gov

Date:

1/5/2010 3:12 PM

Subject:

Island View Road

John,

Bill thanks you for your recent email with enclosed comments from Bruce Keller. He's not certain what bearing the grinder pump locations on the subject lots have with regard to the location of Island View Road through Lots 21 through 25 of the Barrison Point subdivision.

In any event, he's delaying any action on the case he had involving 2499 Island View Road but hastens to inform you that he has been assigned a new hearing for Friday, 1/8/10 at 9 AM @ Rm. 104, Jefferson Bldg., for property known as 2500A Island View Road (Case No. 2010-0145-A) that involve these lots. Very briefly, the site plan submitted for Friday's case uses the "paper street" of Island View Road completely ignoring what is currently paved.

Any assistance by having Adam attend and/or Dennis Kennedy from DPR would be appreciated in this unusual matter.

David Donovan <ddonovan0@yahoo.com>

To: CC: Debra Wiley <dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>, <wwiseman@baltimorecountymd.... <dmdjsb@comcast.net>, <JIMLG1@WETZEXC.COM>, <dwb0209@yahoo.com>,

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Date:

1/7/2010 11:52 AM

Subject:

Re: Case No. 2010-0145-SPHA - Island View Road

Attachments:

letter weissman 1-7-09.pdf

Dear Debra,

Thanks for your informative e-mail. We will watch for the closures you mention. Please find attached a pdf of our response for Mr. Wiseman, that I have copied into the e-mail below.

Best Regards.

Dave

DATE:

January 7, 2010

TO:

William J. Wiseman, III, Zoning Commissioner

wwiseman@baltimorecountymd.gov

c/o Debbie Wiley

Legal Administrative Secretary Office of the Zoning Commissioner

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Mr. Kennedy further states: "The road also contains a water main and pressure sewer with the house being shown over the water main. The main and pressure sewer also serve the Grace Property."

These comments are correct, that the water and sewerage lines do serve the Grace Property, but the county does not have the rights to the use of the 2500A property and needs to relocate both the road and the pipes that constitute this trespass.

Mr. Kennedy states: "Due to these unusual circumstances, I am requesting additional time to prepare comments."

The county has been aware of this 'unusual' situation for more than 18 months. It is incomprehensible that the county would need a further continuance to prepare comments.

If you feel a continuance is required, we hope that you will agree to initiate the hearing, take testimony and allow for the continued collection of comments from the Bureau of Development Plans Review as available within a reasonable time limit of two weeks, thus avoiding the additional expense and inconvenience of readvertising and rescheduling the hearing.

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<dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

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1/7/2010 10:02 AM

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Case No. 2010-0145-SPHA - Island View Road

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"Grace, Jeanette F." < jgrace2@bcps.org>

To:

Debra Wiley <dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date:

1/7/2010 12:03 PM

Subject:

RE: Case No. 2010-0145-SPHA - Island View Road

Dear Sir/ Madam

My name is Jeanette Grace and am an owner by entierty as I am still married to Mr. James Grace. I may not be able to attend this hearing for tomorrow as I teach for Baltimore County public schools, however I have a vested intrest in the out come.

I would like to state and have placed on record under NO circustance is my husband to sign my name as agreeance to ANYTHING.

Pleased be advised that if I feel it necessary I will contact my attorney in regard to this matter. I am aware of the long and very difficult prosses that this has been and it is not my intention to bring about anymore delays. I am sending this only as a matter of notification due to the strained relationship between James Grace and myself.

You may use this email to correspond with me or via regular mail.

My cell phone number is (443) 691-4000.

Thank you for your attention and your future cooperation in this matter.

Jeanette Grace

From: Debra Wiley [dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov]

Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2010 10:01 AM

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Date: Subject: 1/7/2010 9:44 PM

Subject: Re: Attachments: 250

Re: Island View Road 2500A variance.pdf

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Regards, Dave

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Debra Wiley

To:

Rosenblatt, Adam 1/13/2010 1:30 PM

Date: Subject:

2010-0123-SPHA.doc (Donovan)

Attachments: 2010-0123-SPHA.doc

Adam,

FYI - This is Bill's Order for Donovan's property on the other side of Island View Road. With regard to that case (other side of the road), David Billingsley dropped off a revised redlined site plan that is available for your review should you want to look at it.

Thanks.

Debra Wiley

To:

ddonovan0@yahoo.com

Date:

3/12/2010 8:42 AM

Subject:

2500A Island View Road

Good Morning,

Bill Wiseman wanted me to let you know he has received and read your e-mail in reference to the above. Since he is enjoying a vacation he will address your request to issue an Order upon his return after March 23rd. Sorry if this has caused you any further delay or inconvenience.

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Adam,

Per Bill -

As discussed, this Order should follow shortly. Thanks.

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(3/10/2010) Debra Wiley - Re: 2500A Island w Road variance application

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From: Adam Rosenblatt [mailto:arosenblatt@baltimorecountymd.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 10:22 AM

To: Douglas Silber

Subject: Re: Island View Road: for settlement purposes only

Unfortunately, there does not seem to be a situation where "everyone wins" so to speak. I will have all of the documents you requested per your PIA request ready for your review this week before you leave. However, despite multiple efforts, I simply cannot come up with a scenario that pleases all parties. When is the 60 days from the zoning petition up?

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Jeffrey Livingston

To:

Wiley, Debra

Date:

4/21/2010 1:37 PM

Subject:

Re: Case No. 2010-0145-SPH - 2500A Island View Rd. (Hearing Held 1/18/10)

Attachments: ZAC 10-145-SPHA.doc

It doesn't look like it was.

Here it is.

>>> Debra Wiley 4/21/2010 12:56 PM >>>

Jeff,

It appears from reviewing the case file that when we originally requested a comment, you were on vacation (12/30 - 1/4) and Dave Lykens was kind enough to respond on your behalf that, "We'll get them to you early next week". Unfortunately, we haven't been able to locate that comment. Can you double check to see if it was, in fact, done. We need a copy.

Thanks.

David Billingsley <dwb0209@yahoo.com>

To:

Debra Wiley <dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date:

4/21/2010 12:45 PM

Subject:

Re: Case No. 2010-0145-SPH - 2500A Island View Road (Hearing Held 1/8/10)

Hi Debra

Let Bill know that the property is in a flood zone so Dennis's comments should state so

Thanks Dave

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Subject: Case No. 2010-0145-SPH - 2500A Island View Road (Hearing Held 1/8/10)

To: "Dennis Kennedy" < DKennedy@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date: Wednesday, April 21, 2010, 12:41 PM

Hi Dennis,

Bill's asking if the above needs building height elevation consideration(s).

Please advise. Thanks.

David Billingsley <dwb0209@yahoo.com>

To:

Debra Wiley <dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date:

4/21/2010 4:30 PM

Subject:

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Debbie

These are the comments I picked up from EIR prior to the hearing

Dave

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Please see attached. Did you receive anything?

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Correspondence



TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item

10-145-SPHA

Address

2500 A Island View Road (Donovan & Brown Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of November 9, 2009

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

X 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). In addition, the development of this property must meet all requirements of Section 27.01.02.08 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, Lot Consolidation and Reconfiguration.

Additional Comments: The property is located in a Limited Development Area in the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area. If the property area above mean high water is equal to or greater than 8,000 square feet, the lot coverage is limited to 25%, or a maximum of 31.25%, if approved, and with mitigation. If the property area above mean high water is less than 8,000 square feet, the lot coverage is limited to 25%, or a maximum of 25% plus 500 square feet, if approved, and with mitigation. The site is forested, and in this case, it appears that the proposed development may not be able to meet the maximum forest clearing limit of 30%. In addition, the property appears to be entirely within the 100-foot buffer measured off mean high water/tidal wetlands. Tidal and non-tidal wetlands, and mean high water must be accurately identified. Based on the delineation of these resources, additional requirements may apply. Therefore, it appears that this site may require a Critical Area administrative variance to exceed 30% clearing, and to have a reduced Critical Area buffer and primary structure setback off of the Critical Area buffer. A variance may be required for wetland or wetland buffer impacts as well. Impacts need to be minimized to the greatest extent possible to try to meet the requirements. For example, relief to the roadside setback, size of the primary structure, size and need of any proposed accessory structures, and maximization of the buffer need to be addressed. Granting of a Critical Area administrative variance requires that the applicant meet all criteria set forth in the Critical Area law. Please be advised that mitigation on and/or off-site, or by payment of a fee-in-lieu may be required if development of this site is approved. As stated above, lot consolidation and reconfiguration requirements must also be met.

Reviewer:

Paul Dennis

Date: December 4, 2009

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Debra Wiley

To:

Livingston, Jeffrey

Date:

4/22/2010 9:15 AM

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<dsilber@silberlawfirm.com>, Adam Rosenblatt <arosenblatt@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Date: Friday - January 8, 2010 4:02 PM

Hello Mr. Wiseman,

Thanks for agreeing to allow the hearing on our variance request this morning and for your informative discussions regarding the variance and surrounding issues.

I am writing to confirm to you that we have discussed with Adam Rosenblatt the 60 day time limit on the continuance for the 2500A variance request. Through communciation with Doug Silber, Adam agreed to meet with us this morning and Doug, Adam, Jim and I had a fruitful initial conversation that established well-defined end points for a speedy resolution to this conflict. We are confident that Adam brings a renewed energy to the trespass/variance issue.

Thank you for your continued efforts on our behalf and we will keep you posted as to our progress in resolving the many issues surrounding the 2500A Island View Road property as regards our variance request.

Stay warm. Dave

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Kristen Matthews - Re: change of hearing date for case # 2010-0145-SPHA

From:

David Donovan <ddonovan0@yahoo.com>

To:

Kristen Matthews kmatthews@baltimorecountymd.gov

Date:

12/3/2009 3:02 PM

Subject: Re: change of hearing date for case # 2010-0145-SPHA

CC:

dave jim donovan <dmdjsb@comcast.net>, <dwb0209@yahoo.com>

New date Jan 8, Friday, 9AM.

Dave B., can you send us a copy of exactly what you filed...drawings etc. Not sure we have seen them. thanks dave

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From: Kristen Matthews kmatthews@baltimorecountymd.gov Subject: Re: change of hearing date for case # 2010-0145-SPHA

To: "David Donovan" <ddonovan0@yahoo.com>

Cc: "dave jim donovan" <dmdjsb@comcast.net>, dwb0209@yahoo.com

Date: Wednesday, December 2, 2009, 8:31 AM

Hello,

After checking the calendar there are no further available dates in December. The following in January 4th and 5th available, both beginning at 9. Please let me know what works as soon as possible, so I can cancel the ad request sent to the Jeffersonian for advertisement and reissue a new notice of zoning hearing.

Thanks,

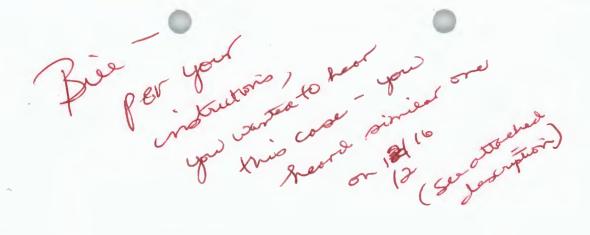
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>>> David Donovan <ddonovan0@yahoo.com> 12/1/2009 7:43 AM >>> Hi Kristen,

I am writing to ask that we can change a hearing date.

I have a conflict with case # 2010-0145-SPHA hearing date of December 29. Can you please reply to all and suggest a few new dates so I can check with Jim Brown and Dave Billingsly to see if they fit. I am available 12/30 and 12/31 and all of January (at this time).

Thanks in advance, Dave



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-	Property Address: 2499 Island View Rd Location: SE side of Island View Road; 1,050 feet W of Barrison Point Road. 15th Election District, 6th Councilmanic District Legal Owner: David Donovan	
_	SPECIAL HEARING The constuction of a new residence on an existing lot of record confirming that density is not affected. VARIANCE To permit side yard setbacks of 21 feet and 21 feet for a new dwelling and a side yard setback of 16 feet for an open deck in lieu of the required 50 feet, 50 feet and 37.5 feet respectively.	
_	Hearing: Wednesday, 12/16/2009 at 9:00:00 AM, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Room 104, Towson, MD 21204	
	CASE NUMBER: 2010-0116-SPHXA Property Address: 8212 Liberty Rd Location: N side of Liberty Road; NE corner of Liberty Road and Rolling Road. 2nd Election District, 4th Councilmanic District Legal Owner: Anna B. Beauty Contract Purchaser: Marco Holding, LLC SPECIAL HEARING 1) In the alternative to the petition for Variance, to approve a modified parking plan; 2) For such other and further relief as may be required by the Zoning Commissioner. SPECIAL EXCEPTION 1) To approve a drive-in restaurant in accordance with B.C.Z.R. section 230.3; 2) For such other and further relief as may be required by the zoning commissioner. VARIANCE 1) To permit 394 parking spaces in lieu of the required 500 spaces; 2) To permit the drive- through lane to cross the principal pedestrian access to the facility; 3)	
_	For such other and further relief as may be required by the Zoning Commissioner. Hearing: Wednesday, 12/16/2009 at 10:00:00 AM, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Room 104, Towson, MD 21204	
-	CASE NUMBER: 2010-0109-SPH Property Address: 7404 Mount Vista Rd Location: NE side of Mount Vista Road; 730 feet N of the c/l of Old Landing Road. 11th Election District, 3rd Councilmanic District Legal Owner: Linua Schulte	
	SPECIAL HEARING 1) To waiver a non density transfer of 1.21 acres of land more or less from parcel 1 to parcel 2; 2) To allow a non density transfer of 2.59 acres of land more or less from parcel 1 to parcel 3; 3) To allow a non density transfer of 0.46 acres of land more or less from parcel 2 and parcel 3; 4) To allow access for the land locked parcel 1 to a public street through an existing 20 foot right of way in lieu of the required in fee simple strip as stated in section 32-4-409 (b)(1) and per exception as stated in section/32-4-409(c) of the BCC; 5) For such other matters and further relief as may be deemed necessary by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County.	

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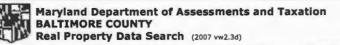
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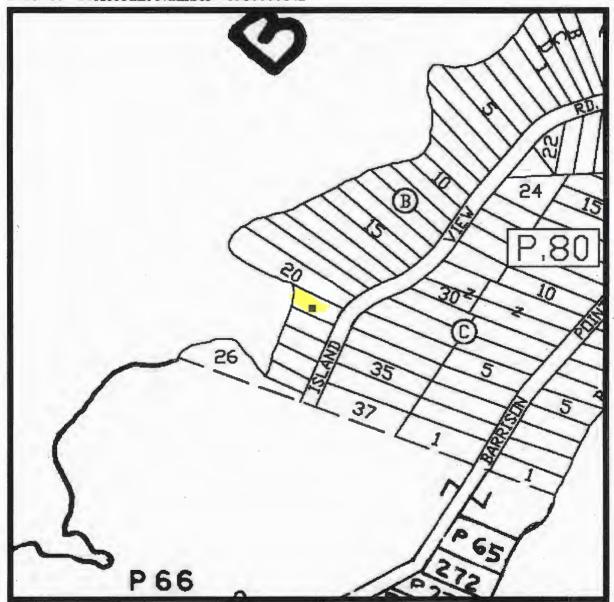
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§ 500.14 Within Chesapeake Bay Critical Area.

[Bill Nos. 32-1988; 9-1996]

No decision may be rendered by the Zoning Commissioner on any petition for special exception, variance or special hearing unless the Zoning Commissioner has received from the Director of the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management, or his designated representative, written recommendations describing how the proposed request would:

- A. Minimize adverse impacts on water quality that result from pollutants that are discharged from structures or conveyances or that have run off from surrounding lands;
- B. Conserve fish, wildlife and plant habitat; and
- C.
 Be consistent with established land use policies for development in the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area which accommodate growth and also address the fact that, even if pollution is controlled, the number, movement and activities of persons in that area can create adverse environmental impacts.



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WILLIAM R. PORTER

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WILLIAM R. PORTER AND MARGARET H. PORTER, TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILLIAM R. PORTER REVOCABLE TRUST

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has granted, released, and forever quit-claimed, and do

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lying and being in the

State of Maryland, County of Baltimore

and distinguished as

BEING KNOWN and designated as Lots 9, 10, 11,12,13,21,22,23,24,25 and 26 of Sec. 8, and Lots 34,35,36 and 37 of Section "C" all as shown on the Amended Plat of Barrison Print which is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Plat Book W.P.C. No. 8, folio 82.

BEING those same properties described in Deeds recorded in Liber 6642 at folio 469 and Liber 6642 folio 471 among the Land Records of Baltimore County.

THIS IS A TRANSFER OF PROPERTY FOR ESTATE PLANNING PURPOSES WITHOUT FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION AND WITHOUT MONETARY CONSIDERATION.

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together with all and singular the improvements, ways, easements, rights, privileges, and appurtenances to the same belonging, or in anywise appertaining, and all the estate, right, title, interest and claim, either at law or in equity, or otherwise however, of the part Y of the first part, of, in, to, or out of the said land and premises.

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do hereby certify that

William R. Porter

part to certain Deed bearing

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William R. Porter

being personally well known to me as the person who

executed the said Deed, and acknowledged the same to be his own act and deed.

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This is to certify that the within instrument was prepared by or under the supervision of the undersigned, an attorney duly admitted to practice before the Court of Appeals of Maryland.

Kenneth B. Tecler

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FEE SIMPLE DEED- INDIVIUAL GRANTOR AND GRANTEE- 2-12

This Deed, Made this 23th day of December, 2004, by and between

WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, Trustees under the William R. Porter Revocable Trust dated September 16, 1997, of Baltimore County, Maryland, of the first part, and JAMES GRACE and JEANETTE GRACE, his wife, of the second part.

Witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00), receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said parties of the first part do hereby grant and convey unto the said parties of the second part, as Tenants by the Entireties, their personal representatives, heirs and assigns, in fee simple, all those lot(s) of ground situate, lying and being in Baltimore County, State of Maryland and described as follows, that it to say:--

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT FOR LEGAL DESCRIPTION AND PLAT.

By execution hereof, the grantors do hereby acknowledge, certify, and affirm under penalty of perjury that they are residents of the State of Maryland, actually reside therein, and that the total payment amount received for transfer of title to the above property is \$150,000.00.

Together with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected, made or being and all and every the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages, to the same belonging, or anywise appertaining.

To Have and To Hold the said lot of ground and premises, above described and mentioned, and hereby intended to be conveyed; together with the rights, privileges, appurtenances and advantages thereto belonging or appertaining unto and to the proper use and benefit of the said parties of the second part, as Tenants by the Entireties, their personal representatives, heirs and assigns, in fee simple.

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Description of the property
To be acquired by
James Grace
Islandview Road
As shown on amended plat
Barrison Point

BEING KNOWN and designated as Lots 24, 25, and 26 of Section B, all as shown on the Amended Plat of Barrison Point which is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore Count in Plat Record W. P. C. No 8, folio 82.

BEING 3 lots of the property of William R. Porter, as described and recorded in Liber 12853 at folio 220 of the Land Records of Baltimore County, and dated on November 12, 1997.

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not done or suffered to be done any act, matter or thing whatsoever, to encumber the property hereby conveyed; that they will warrant specially the property granted and that they will execute such further assurances of the same as my be requisite.

Witness the hands and seals of said grantor

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WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, Trustees
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TO
JAMES GRACE and JEANETTE GRACE,
his wife

DONALD P. MAZOR, ATTORNEY AT LAW 114 SLADE AVE. BALTIMORE, MD. 21208 410-486-0115 File No. 17658 Grace DPM/jmk

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the within instrument was prepared by or under the supervision of the undersigned, an attorney duly admitted to practice before the Court of Appeals of Maryland.

DONALD P. MAZOR, Attorney

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MID-ATLANTIC TITLE COMPANY 100 West Road, Suite 215 Towson, Maryland 21204 08-W-11630

DEED

File # 08-M-11630 Tax ID# 15-16-600142

THIS DEED, Made this day of May, 2008, by and between WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, TRUSTES UNDER THE WILLIAM R. PORTER REVOCABLE TRUST, of the State of Maryland, Parties of the First Part, and DAVID M. DONOVAN and JAMES S. BROWN, of the State of Maryland, Parties of the Second Part.

WITNESSETH:

That in consideration of the sum of TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED Dollars (\$25,800.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said Parties of the First Part do hereby grant and convey to the said Parties of the Second Part, DAVID M. DONOVAN and JAMES S. BROWN, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, the survivor of them, his personal representatives, heirs or assigns; all that lot of ground situate, lying and being in Baltimore County, State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:

BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS Lots numbers 21, 22 and 23, of Section B, all as shown on the "Amended Plat of Barrison Point," which is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County at Plat Book W.P.C. No. 8, folio 82.

BEING some of the lots of ground which by Deed dated November 12, 1997 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber 12853, Folio 220, were granted and conveyed by William R. Porter unto William R. Porter and Margaret H. Porter, Trustees under the William R. Porter Revocable Trust, the within grantors.

TOGETHER with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected, made or being, and all and every the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging, or anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described lot of ground and premises to the said Parties of the Second Part, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, the survivor of the, his personal representatives, heirs or assigns forever, in fee simple.

WITNESS the hand and seal of said Grantors.

WILLIAM R. PORTER, TRUSTEE R. Under the William

Porter

Revocable Trust

MARGARET H. PORTER, TRUSTEE Under the William R. Porter

Revocable Trust

STATE OF MARYLAND,

, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this day of May, 2008, before the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, personally appeared WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, Trustees, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged the foregoing Deed to be their act as Trustees under The William R. Porter Revocable Trust, and with the powers to 30 so, in my presence signed and sealed the same.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial

My Commission expires: CHRIST/SPIPER DUSTING TRANSMIN MY COmmission Expires February 20, 2010

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the within instrument was prepared by or under the supervision of the undersigned Maryland attorney.

> CONNIE STRAUSS DANNA,

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08-M-11630CJT

IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

W/S Island View Road, 1,000' W of
Barrison Point Road

(2500 Island View Road)

* OF

15th Election District
6th Council District

* BALTIMORE COUNTY

James L. Grace, et ux

Petitioners

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Variance filed by the owners of the subject property, Jeanette F. Grace, and her husband, James L. Grace. The Petitioners request variance relief from Section 1A04.3B.2.b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit side lot line setbacks of 20.4 feet (west side) and 35 feet (east side) and a rear yard setback of 36 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet for a proposed one-story replacement dwelling. The subject property and requested relief are more particularly described on the site plans submitted which were accepted into evidence and marked as Petitioners' Exhibits 1 and 2.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the request was the property owner, James Grace. Appearing as concerned adjacent property owners and neighbors were James S. Brown and David M. Donovan with their consultant, David W. Billingsley.

Testimony and evidence offered disclosed that the property under consideration consists of three (3) lots of record (Lots 24, 25 and 26) as shown on Tax Map 105 and when combined

¹ The subject property is irregularly shaped with 275 feet of frontage on Browns Creek aka Browns Cove with a pier extending 85 feet out into the water. The Zoning Commissioner's Policy Manual (ZCPM), Sections 400.1A and 400.2A, provides a determination of what constitutes the front yard on waterfront lots based on the orientation of the houses and accessory buildings. In most cases, as is the situation here, waterfront lots refer to the front of the structure facing the water. Accordingly, the Petition was amended, without objection, to provide for a "front yard" setback of 36 feet as opposed to a rear yard setback as originally filed.

form an irregular, rectangularly shaped waterfront parcel located at the end of Island View Road with frontage on the south and west sides of Browns Cove in the Barrison Point area of eastern Baltimore County. The properties contain a gross area of 24,088 square feet (0.553 acres), more or less, zoned R.C.5 and improved with a modest one-story residential structure built in 1955, which was damaged and rendered structurally unsound by Hurricane Isabel in September 2003. As is often the case with older subdivisions, the Amended Plat of Barrison Point was laid out many years ago, well prior to the adoption of the zoning regulations in Baltimore County. Thus, many of the lots in the neighborhood are undersized and do not meet current area and width requirements. As shown on the site plan, the subject property has 117 feet of road frontage (Paper Road – Island View Road) and is 340 feet deep. The property has been in the Petitioners' possession since 2004 but they have resided in the area since 1985. As shown on the plan, they are now desirous of redeveloping the property with a one-story retirement home (35' wide x 54' deep) removing the existing dwelling and placing the new home on portions of the existing foundation. They will also improve the properties overall appearance by removing existing sheds and a trailer currently located on Lot 26 In that the R.C.5 development regulations require a minimum 50-foot setback to any property line, the requested variance relief is necessary. In support of the request, testimony indicated that the proposed dwelling would be consistent with other homes in the community and feature similar setbacks as those on Island View Road. Mr. Grace points out that the R.C.5 zoning classification was placed on the property when utility services were non-existent and now that they have been provided, the zoning classification should rightly be changed to D.R.5.5. Further, he indicates that this is to be considered a larger lot in the community where many of the existing homes were built on 50-foot wide lots. Thus, he submits that the relief requested is appropriate and is consistent with the neighborhood.

The adjacent neighbors in attendance, Messrs. Brown and Donovan, were on one hand not opposed to the Petitioners proposed home and improvements to the property making it compatible and in scale and rhythm with the Barrison Point community. They did, however, oppose the substantial variances being requested. Mr. Donovan presented as Protestants' Exhibit 1, a site plan showing an alternate home location that evidences the property can be developed without the need for a front yard setback of 36 feet or a side yard setback of 28 feet on the northeast side of the property. They point out that these two variances could be eliminated and thus more in keeping with the spirit and intent of the regulations which require a Petitioner to request the minimum relief necessary to permit a replacement dwelling to be located on the lot. Mr. Brown states that they have resided at their property (2502 Island View Road) since 1993 and aptly points out that the Petitioners' Lots 24, 25 and 26 have one tax account number and that the driveway and utility services for the existing and proposed dwelling run through Lots 24 and 25.

This is not a simple case. From the facts before me, I must first conclude from a zoning standpoint that the prior owner(s) intended to merge the subject Lots 24 and 25 with the principal dwelling Lot 26. Erecting an access driveway and running water and sewer utilities through these lots for purposes accessory to the improved lot is the kind of overt action that demonstrates an intent to merge the undersized lots. There is no physical evidence that the lots were ever treated separately. See Friends of the Ridge v. Baltimore Gas & Electric Company, 352 Md. 645 (1999) and Remes v. Montgomery County, 387 Md. 52 (2005) for Maryland cases on the doctrine of zoning merger. As noted by the Court in the Remes case, the doctrine of merger prohibits the undoing of the process once merger occurs. I find that the lots have merged into one larger parcel as Lots 24 and 25 have been employed in the service of Lot 26 for zoning purposes, and

there are no internal divisions between lots recognized by zoning against which variances can in the future be granted.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, I find that the proposed home in the location depicted on Petitioners' Exhibit 2 is in keeping with the homes in the area and meets the spirit and intent of Section 307 and Cromwell v. Ward, 102 Md. App. 691 (1995) for variance relief to be granted. As noted above, the subject property has been a lot of record since 1929, well prior to the adoption of the R.C.5 zoning regulations in 1979. It is clear that strict compliance with the regulations would result in practical difficulty for the Petitioners and prevent the further improvements of the property for a permitted purpose. As to the alternate location favored by adjacent neighbors, the ground elevation in this area is two feet lower than the location favored by the Petitioners. Additionally, and as corroborated by the Real Property Data Sheet (Petitioners' Exhibit 5), a residential structure has been located on the property since 1955. Moreover, there were no adverse Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments submitted by any County reviewing agency. Thus, I find that relief can be granted without detrimental impact to the health, safety, or general welfare of the surrounding locale. However, due to the property's close proximity to Browns Creek, the proposed improvements must comply with Chesapeake Bay Critical Area (CBCA) regulations as set forth in the attached ZAC comments submitted by the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management (DEPRM) and the Bureau of Development Plans Review.

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

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this

______ day of September 2008, that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section

1A04.3B.2.b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to permit side yard lot line setbacks of 24.4 feet and 35 feet and a front yard setback of 36 feet for a proposed one-story replacement dwelling in lieu of the required 50 feet respectively, in accordance with Petitioners' Exhibits 1 and 2, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

- 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, the Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at his 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) Compliance with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area (CBCA) regulations and the Limited Development Area (LDA) requirements and all other appropriate environmental, floodplain and B.O.C.A regulations relative to the protection of water quality, streams, wetlands and floodplains. Copies of these comments, dated August 22, 2008 and July 18, 2008 are attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 3) Prior to the issuance of any permits, the Petitioners shall submit building elevation drawings (a copy of the proposed dwelling is contained in the file as Petitioners' Exhibit 3) to the Office of Planning for review and approval to ensure that the proposed house is compatible with existing homes in the area.
- 4) When applying for any permits, the site plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

Any appeal of this decision must be taken in accordance with Section 32-3-401 of the Baltimore County Code.

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Case No.: 2010 - 0145 - SPHA 2500 A ISLAND VIEW RD.

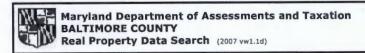
Exhibit Sheet

Petitioner/Developer

Protestant

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DEED

MID-ATLANTIC TITLE COMPANY 100 West Road, Suite 215 Towson, Maryland 21204 08-M-11630

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THIS DEED, Made this day of May, 2008, by and between WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILLIAM R. PORTER REVOCABLE TRUST, of the State of Maryland, Parties of the First Part, and DAVID M. DONOVAN and JAMES S. BROWN, of the State of Maryland, Parties of the Second Part.

That in consideration of the sum of TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED Dollars (\$25,800.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said Parties of the First Part do hereby grant and convey to the said Parties of the Second Part, DAVID M. DONOVAN and JAMES S. BROWN, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, the survivor

BROWN, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, the survivor of them, his personal representatives, heirs or assigns; all that lot of ground situate, lying and being in Baltimore County, State of Maryland, and described as follows, that is to say:

BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS Lots numbers 21, 22 and 23, of Section B, all as shown on the "Amended Plat of Barrison Point," which is recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County at Plat Book W.P.C. No. 8, folio 82.

BEING some of the lots of ground which by Deed dated November 12, 1997 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County in Liber 12853, Folio 220, were granted and conveyed by William R. Porter unto William R. Porter and Margaret H. Porter, Trustees under the William R. Porter Revocable Trust, the within grantors.

TOGETHER with the buildings and improvements thereupon erected, made or being, and all and every the rights, alleys, ways, waters, privileges, appurtenances and advantages to the same belonging, or anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said described lot of ground and premises to the said Parties of the Second Part, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, the survivor of the, his personal representatives, heirs or assigns forever, in fee simple.

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WITNESS the hand and seal of said Grantors.

WILLIAM R. PORTER, TRUSTEE the William R. Under

Revocable Trust

Under the William R. Porter

Revocable Trust

STATE OF MARYLAND,

, to wit:

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this day of May, 2008, before the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland, personally appeared WILLIAM R. PORTER and MARGARET H. PORTER, Trustees, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged the foregoing Deed to be their act as Trustees under The William R. Porter Revocable Trust, and with the powers to do so, in my presence signed and sealed the same.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial

Notary Public

My Commission expires: CHRIST/PHER DUSTIN TRUMP
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THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the within instrument was prepared by or under the supervision of the undersigned Maryland attorney.

CONNIE STRAUSS DANNA, ESQUIRE

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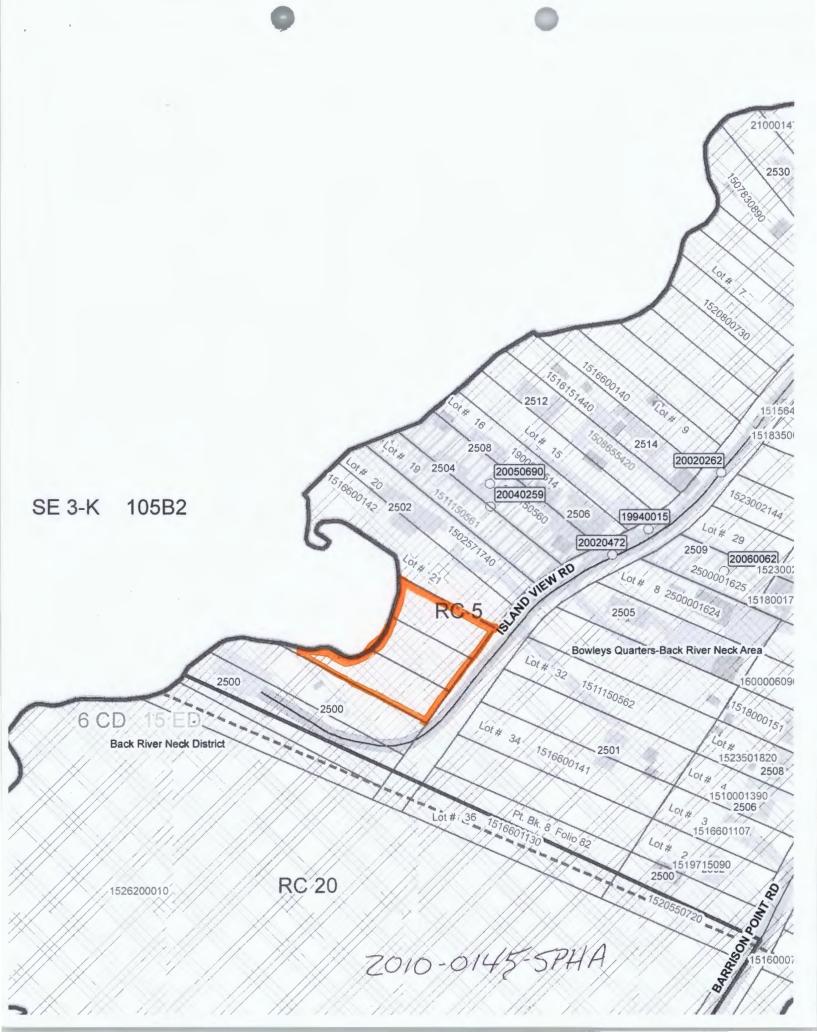
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