IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE

W side Reisterstown Road; 225 feet S of the c/l of Old Court Road

3rd Election District

2nd Councilmanic District

(1504-1508 Reisterstown Road)

Chong O. and Hye S. Ryee

Legal Owners

Pramukh Swami Donuts, LLC

Contract Lessee

- BEFORE THE
- * DEPUTY ZONING
- * COMMISSIONER
- * FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 2011-0015-SPHA

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the legal property owners, Chong O. and Hye S. Ryee, and the contract lessee, Neil Patel, Authorized Member, on behalf of Pramukh Swami Donuts, LLC (hereinafter "Petitioner"). Special Hearing relief is requested in accordance with Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") to approve the amendment of the approved site plans and Orders including restrictions in those Orders in Case Nos. 70-73-A and 91-424-SPHA, such that the approved site plan will be the site plan that is the subject of this Petition. If determined to be necessary given prior approvals, the Variance request is from Section 409.6 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit the existing 18 parking spaces in lieu of the required 43 spaces in accordance with the site plan that is the subject of this Petition. The subject property and requested relief are more fully described on site plan that was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the requested relief were Neil Patel and Gaurang Patel on behalf of Petitioner Pramukh Swami Donuts, LLC, the contract

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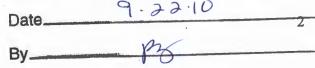
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lessee, and Stuart D. Kaplow, Esquire, attorney for Petitioner. Also appearing in support of the requested relief was Paul Weiner, the professional engineer who prepared the site plan. Appearing as an interested citizen was Alan Zukerberg of 7919 Long Meadow Road in Pikesville. There were no other interested persons in attendance.

The testimony and evidence was presented by way of a proffer from Mr. Kaplow and revealed that the subject property is irregular shaped and consists of approximately 15,363 square feet or 0.35 acre, more or less, zoned B.L.-C.T. The property is located on the southwest side of Reisterstown Road, south of Old Court Road and just north of Clovelly Road, in the Pikesville area of Baltimore County. As shown on the site plan, the property is improved with a one-story commercial building consisting of 4,800 square feet and 18 off-street parking spaces. Access to the property is via a 30 foot wide entrance at Reisterstown Road. There is also a 35 foot wide entrance that is shared with the adjacent property to the north. The commercial building contains several different businesses, including the China King carry out, the Pizza Man restaurant, a dry cleaner, and the Dunkin Donuts carry out that is the subject of the instant requests for zoning relief.

Further evidence revealed that Petitioner has been in business since 2004 and has been a Dunkin Donuts franchisee since 2007 -- and at the present location since 2008. In addition, Mr. Kaplow pointed out that this particular franchise is one of only two kosher Dunkin Donuts' in the State of Maryland. The subject Dunkin Donuts location is popular in the community, but is relatively small, measuring only 20 feet wide by 40 feet deep, for a total of about 800 square feet. Interior space is at a premium, with no seating and very little room inside for patrons. At this juncture, Petitioner is planning to make some improvements to the interior and also is desirous of additional space. As such, Petitioner proposes to add a dry box storage addition to

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the end of the building, as depicted on the site plan. The addition would measure 16 feet wide by 9 feet deep and would be used primarily as an overflow stock room.

There are currently four parking spaces at that end of the building. As a result of the proposed addition, one of the existing parking spaces must be eliminated; however, the four parking spaces will be maintained by adding the eliminated space to the other end of the row of spaces, as shown and labeled on the site plan. All other aspects of the property layout, and in particular the existing parking configuration, remain the same as before. Mr. Weiner, Petitioner's engineer, also noted that the proposed addition would be relatively small, and due to the diagonal layout of the building and the end of the building where the Dunkin Donuts is located being furthest from Reisterstown Road, the visibility of the addition should be relatively minor. Because of the requested amendment to the prior site plans and Orders for the subject property, Mr. Weiner also offered his expert opinion that the proposed addition would not be detrimental to the health, safety or general welfare of the locality, nor would it have any negative or detrimental impacts on the other applicable criteria set forth in Section 502.1 of the B.C.Z.R. Mr. Kaplow also mentioned that, other than updating and amending the previously approved site plans and Orders from prior cases and the movement of one parking space, the proposed addition does not require any additional zoning relief.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received and are made a part of the record in this case. Comments were received from the Office of Planning dated August 16, 2010 which indicates that the property is within the Pikesville Revitalization District. The new construction of a storage cooler box is subject to the Pikesville Commercial Revitalization

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¹ Presently, Petitioner is utilizing a temporary storage container in the location where the addition is proposed; obviously, Petitioner is looking for a more permanent solution to its storage issues and believes the planned addition would solve the problem.

Guidelines and should be reviewed by the Planning staff as part of the administrative review process. The property is improved with a commercial strip shopping center and what appears to be a metal storage container which Petitioner's engineer states is temporary and will be removed. The site plan and application do not provide detail concerning amendments to prior restrictions. The recommendations of staff in the Design Review Panel areas are binding upon the Zoning Commissioner and the Department of Permits and Development Management. Architectural elevation drawings, submitted for staff review are acceptable. The Planning Office supports approval of the special hearing provided the property owners submit a letter to the County indicating they will give the right of entry for future construction of 3 foot sidewalk widening and streetscape. This will allow for a smooth transition between the proposed sidewalk improvements to the northwest of the site (along the future Walgreen's frontage) and southwest of the site (Club Centre frontage).

In response to the Office of Planning's comments, Mr. Kaplow submitted the architectural elevation drawings that had been submitted to that office and they were marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 2. The drawings provide details as to the front and side elevations and the appearance of the building with the new addition and finishes, as well as the interior demolition plan and the proposed new layout of the interior. In addition, as requested, Mr. Kaplow submitted a letter authored by the property owners dated August 13, 2010 giving the County a right of entry for a period of five years in order to make the referenced sidewalk improvements. This letter was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 3. Finally, Mr. Kaplow submitted a Petition in Support that was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 4. This Petition was signed by 103 individuals, presumably patrons of the Dunkin Donuts, and asks that the requested relief be granted.

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After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, I am persuaded to grant the requested relief. As to the request for special hearing, this is merely to update and amend the previously approved site plans and Orders from the prior zoning cases. The granting of this relief will not change the fundamental nature of the previously granted relief, but merely serves to incorporate the proposed new addition and the slightly reconfigured parking layout.

As to the Petition for Variance, I am also persuaded to grant this relief. Although in my view, this matter seems to be less of a variance case and more of a special hearing to approve a modified parking plan, I shall nonetheless grant the relief as requested. In my judgment, there are certainly special circumstances or conditions existing that are peculiar to the land or structure which is the subject of the variance request. The property itself is an irregular triangle shape. It also has two access points on Reisterstown Road and backs up to Clovelly Road, which is no longer a thru-street but still constitutes a drive aisle behind the property. These constraints limit the extent to which improvements can be made on the property. Hence, in my view, strict interpretation of the B.C.Z.R. would impose a practical difficulty and unreasonable hardship upon Petitioner.

Finally, I find that the variance request 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.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 22 ml day of September, 2010 that Petitioner's Special Hearing request in

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accordance with Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") to approve the amendment of the approved site plans and Orders including restrictions in those Orders in Case Nos. 70-73-A and 91-424-SPHA, such that the approved site plan will be the site plan that is the subject of this Petition, be and is hereby **GRANTED**; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's Variance request from Section 409.6 of the B.C.Z.R. to permit the existing 18 parking spaces in lieu of the required 43 spaces in accordance with the site plan that is the subject of this Petition be and is hereby **GRANTED**.

The relief granted herein is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Petitioner is advised that it may apply for any required 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 the 30-day appeal period from the date of this Order has expired. If for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, Petitioner would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.
- 2. Architectural elevation drawings shall be submitted to the Office of Planning for review and approval prior to the issuance of any building permit.
- 3. As depicted in Petitioner's Exhibit 3, the property owners shall submit a letter to Baltimore County giving the right of entry for future construction of 3 foot sidewalk widening and streetscape to allow a smooth transition between the proposed sidewalk improvements to the northwest of the site (along the future Walgreen's frontage) and southwest of the site (Club Centre frontage).

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

THOMAS H. BOSTWICK Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

THOMAS H. BOSTWICK
Deputy Zoning Commissioner

September 22, 2010

STUART D. KAPLOW, ESQUIRE 15 EAST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE TOWSON MD 21286

> Re: Petition for Special Hearing and Variance Case No. 2011-0015-SPHA Property: 1504-1508 Reisterstown Road

Dear Mr. Kaplow:

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

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

Very truly yours,

THOMAS H. BOSTWICK Deputy Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County

THB:pz

Enclosure

c: Chong O. and Hye S. Ryee, 7237 Preservation Court, Fullerton MD 20759 Neil Patel, 7000 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore MD 21215 Gaurang Patel, 512 Timber Springs Court, Reisterstown MD 21136 Paul Weiner, 2812 Laurelwood Court, Baltimore MD 21209 Alan Zukerberg, 7919 Long Meadow Road, Pikesville MD 21208



Petition for Special Hearing

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

MARYLAHU	for the property located at 1504 -1508 Reisterstown Road 21208
	which is presently zoned BL-CT
(This petition	must be filed in person, in the zoning office, in triplicate, with original signatures.

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

See Attachment 1

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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Contract Purchaser/Lessee:	Legal Owner(s):
Pramukh Swami Donuts, LLC	Chong O. Ryee
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1508 Reisterstown Road 410-653-8182	Signature Hye S. Ryee
Address Telephone No.	Name - Type or Print
Pikesville, MD 21208	
City State Zip Code	Signature
Attorney For Petitioner:	7237 Preservation Ct. 410-339-3910
Stuart Kaplow	Address Telephone No.
	Fulton, MD 20759
Name - Type or Print	City State Zip Code
	Representative to be Contacted:
Signature Charles D. Kopley D. A.	Stuart Kaplow
Stuart D. Kaplow, P.A.	Name
15 East Chesapeake Ave. 410-339-3910	15 East Chesapeake Ave. 410-339-3910
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Petition for Special Hearing <u>Attachment 1</u>

To approve the amendment of the approved site plans and orders, including restrictions in those orders, in cases 70-73-A and 91-424-SPHA; such that the approved site plan will be the site plan that is the subject of this petition.



Petition for Variance

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 1504-1508 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville 21208

which is presently zoned BL-CT

Deed Reference: 10065 / 014 Tax Account # 03 0304002

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 Attachment #1A

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

See Attachment #1B

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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.

	perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition.
Contract Purchaser/Lessee:	Legal Owner(s):
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Attorney For Petitioner:	7237 Preservation Ct. 410-339-3910 Address Telephone No.
Stuart Kaplow	Fulton, MD 20759
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Signature Stuart D. Kaplow, P.A.	Stuart Kaplow
Company 15 East Chesapeake Ave. 410-339-3910	Name 15 East Chesapeake Ave. 410-339-3910
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Petition for Zoning Variance <u>Attachment 1</u>

#1A

If the Zoning Commissioner determines it necessary to reaffirm the existing variance, a variance from BCZR Section 409.6 to permit the existing 18 parking spaces in lieu of the required 43 spaces, in accordance with the site plan that is the subject of this petition.

#1B

This commercially improved BL-CT zoned property, that is the subject of prior zoning approvals, is unique and unusual in a manner different from the nature of the surrounding properties (i.e., topography, shape, historical significance, etc.) such that the uniqueness causes the zoning regulations to impact disproportionately upon this property. And practical difficulty or undue hardship resulting from the disproportionate impact of the ordinance caused by the property's uniqueness exists.

ZONING DESCRIPTION

Beginning at a point on the west side of Reisterstown Road (MD State Route 140) which is 66 feet wide at the distance of 225' south of the centerline of the nearest improved intersecting street, Old Court Road, which is 80' wide. Thence the following courses and distances: S. 41°37'30" E. 118.45', S. 72°22'30" W. 48.35', N. 89°0'30" W. 128.50', S. 71°8'30" W. 9.76', N. 41°37'41" W. 52.18', N 48°22'19" E 147.90' to the place of beginning.

ZONING DESCRIPTION

This Zoning Description above is for ZONING PURPOSES ONLY. The description is from the prior zoning actions for this property, including specifically case 70-73-A and is consistent with the prior site plans. This Zoning Description does not reflect a boundary survey or benefit from a title search.



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 that is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions that 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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Item Num	ber or Case Number: 2011-0015-SPHA			
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Dunkin Donuts				
	1508 Reisterstown Rd			
	Pikesville, MD 21208			
Telephone	410-653-8182			



ATTORNEYS AT LAW
15 EAST CHESAPEAKE AVENUE
TOWSON, MARYLAND 21286-5306
TELEPHONE 410-339-3910
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July 6, 2010

Via Hand Delivery

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director Department of Permits and Development Management 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: **Drop Off Filing**

Special Hearing/Variance - 1504-1508 Reisterstown Rd.

Dear Mr. Kotroco:

This is a Drop Off filing for petitions for special hearing and variance to permit a very modest 16 feet by 9 feet addition to the existing Dunkin Donuts at 1508 Reisterstown Road. Specifically, please find attached:

- 1. Three copies of the petition for special hearing;
- 2. Three copies of the petition for variance;
- 3. Twelve copies of the plat;
- 4. One copy of the 200' scale zoning map, with the property identified;
- 5. Three copies of the property description;
- 6. One copy of the advertising requirement form;
- 7. The client's check, payable to Baltimore County in the amount of \$650.

There are no known zoning violations on this property. Jeff Perlow authored a zoning verification letter on this property last month.

Please have the notice sent to me and I will cause the property to be appropriately posted. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Stuart D. Kaplow

Stuart Kaplow

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cc: Mr. Neil Patel

Mr. Paul Weiner



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NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County will hold a public hearing in Towson, Maryland on the property identified herein as follows:

Case: # 2011-0015-SPHA
1504-1508 Reisterstown Road
W/side of Reisterstown Road, 225 feet south of the centerline of Old Court Road
2nd Election District — 3rd Councilmanic District
Legal Owner(s): chong & Hye Ryee
Special Hearing: to approve the amendment of the approved site plans and orders, including restrictions in those orders, in case 70-73 and 92-424-SPHA, such that the approved site plan will be the site plan that is the subject of this petition. Variance: to permit the existing 18 parking spaces in lieu of the required 43 spaces, in accordance with the site plan that is the subject of this petition.

Hearing: Thursday, September 2, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 106, County Office Building, 111 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204.

WILLIAM J. WISEMAN, III
Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County
NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handicapped Accessible; for special accommodations Please Contact the Zoning Commis-

sioner'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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CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

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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
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☐ Catonsville Times
☐ Towson Times
Owings Mills Times
☐ NE Booster/Reporter
☐ North County News

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ATTENTION: KRISTEN MATHHEWS

DATE: 08/15/10

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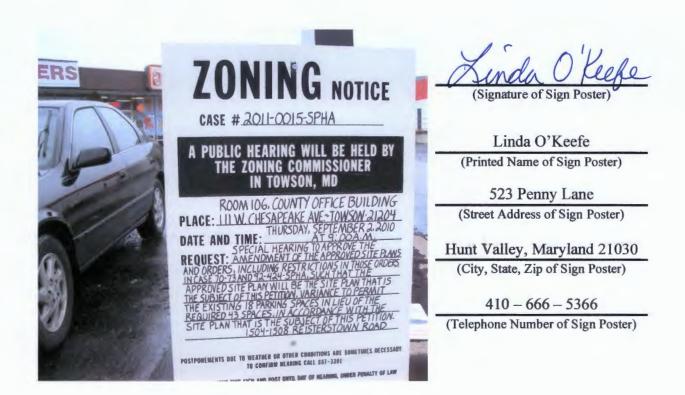
Petitioner / Developer: STUART KAPLOW, ESQ.~PRAMUKH SWAMI

DONUTS~MR. & MRS. RYEE

Date of Hearing (Closing): SEPTEMBER 2, 2010

This is to certify under the penalties of perjury that the necessary sign(s) required by law were posted conspicuously on the property located at: 1504-1508 REISTERSTOWN ROAD (ON-SITE)

The sign(s) were posted on: AUGUST 15, 2010





JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO. Director
Department of Permits and
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Timothy Kotroco Director

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C: Stuart Kaplow, 15 East Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21286 Pramukh Swami Donuts, 1508 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville 21208 Mr. & Mrs. Ryee, 7237 Preservations Court, Fulton 20759

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2010.

(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

Tuesday, August 17, 2010 Issue - Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:

Neil Patel Dunkin Donuts 1508 Reisterstown Road Pikesville, MD 21208

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WILLIAM J. WASENAN TO V. ZONING COMMISSIONER FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

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

August 27, 2010

Stuart Kaplow 15 East Chesapeake Ave. Towson, MD 21286

Dear: Stuart Kaplow

RE: Case Number 2011-0015-SPHA, 1504 – 1508 Reisterstown Rd.

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing ONLY by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits and Development Management (PDM) on July 09, 2010. This letter is not an approval, but only a NOTIFICATION.

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

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

Very truly yours,

W. Carl Richards, Jr.

Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR:lnw

Enclosures

People's Counsel c: Chong & Hye Ryee; 7237 Preservation Ct.; Fulton, MD 20759 Pramukh Swami Donuts, LLC; 1508 Reisterstown Rd.; Pikesville, MD 21208



JAMES T. SMITH, JR. County Executive

JOHN J. HOHMAN, Chief Fire Department

July 20, 2010

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

ATTENTION: Zoning Review

Distribution Meeting of: August 2, 2010

Item No.: Special Hearing / Variance: 2011-0015SPHA

Pursuant to your request, the referenced plans have been reviewed by the **Baltimore** County Fire Marshal's Office and the comment below is applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the above listed properties.

Special Hearing: The above site shall be made to comply with all applicable parts of the Baltimore County Fire Prevention Code prior to occupancy or the beginning of operation. (**Approved Site Plan**)

Variance: The Fire Marshal's Office has no comments at this time. (Parking Spaces)

Don W. Muddiman, Acting Lieutenant Baltimore County Fire Marshal's Office 700 E. Joppa Road, 3RD Floor Towson, Maryland 21286 410-887-4880 Mail Stop: 1102

cc: File

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

Department of Permits and Development Management **DATE:** August 16, 2010

FROM:

Arnold F. 'Pat' Keller, III

Director, Office of Planning

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SUBJECT:

1504-1508 Reisterstown Road

Item Number:

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ZONING COMMISSIONER

AUG 17 2010

Petitioner:

Pramukah Swami Donuts, LLC

Zoning:

BL-CT

Requested Action:

Special Hearing and Variance

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The property in question is within the Pikesville Revitalization District. The new construction of a storage cooler box is subject to the Pikesville Commercial Revitalization Guidelines and should be reviewed by the Planning staff as part of the Administrative Review process. The property is improved with a commercial strip shopping center and what appears to be a metal storage container, which the petitioner's engineer states is temporary and will be removed. The instant case is a special hearing to amend a previously approved site plan including restrictions in cases 70-73a and 91-424spha, and if the Zoning Commissioner determines it necessary to reaffirm the existing parking variance for 18 spaces in lieu of the required 43 parking spaces. The site plan and application does not provide detail concerning amendments to prior restrictions.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The recommendations of the staff in Design Review Panel areas are binding upon the Zoning Commissioner and the Department of Permits and Development Management. Architectural elevation drawings, submitted for staff review are acceptable.

The Office of Planning supports approval of the special hearing provided the property owners submit a letter to the county indicating they will give the right of entry for future construction of 3 foot sidewalk widening and streetscape. This will allow for a smooth transition between the proposed sidewalk improvements to the northwest of the site (along the future Walgreen's frontage) and southwest of the site (Club Centre frontage).

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

Prepared by

Division Chief:

AFK/LL: CM

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco, Director

DATE: July 30, 2010

Department of Permits & Development Management

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For August 2, 2010

Item Nos. 2010-363, 2011-008, 009, 010, 011, 012, 013, 014, 015, 018, 019 and 020

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

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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: JULY 26,2010

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

RE: Baltimore County
Item No. 2011-0015-SPHA
1504-1508 REISTERSTOWN RD
MD 140

RYEE PROPERTY Special HEARING

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 7/23/2010. A field inspection and internal review reveals that an entrance onto MD140 is consistent with current State Highway Administration guidelines is not required. Therefore, SHA has no objection to approval for 1508 Peters 1000 ND Case Number 2011-0015-SPHA.

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 email him at (mbailey@sha.state.md.us). Thank you for your attention.

Very truly yours,

on Steven D. Foster, Chief

Engineering Access Permits

Division

SDF/MB

Cc: Mr. David Malkowski, District Engineer, SHA

Mr. Michael Pasquariello, Utility Engineer, SHA

TB- 9/2-9AM-106

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Correspondence



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ZONING COMMISSIONER

TO:

Timothy M. Kotroco

FROM:

Dave Lykens, DEPRM - Development Coordination

DATE:

August 20, 2010

SUBJECT:

Zoning Item # 11-015-SPHA

Address

1504-1508 Reisterstown Road

(Ryee Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of July 19, 2010

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

Reviewer:

JWL

Date: 8/20/10

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

AND VARIANCE

1504-1508 Reisterstown Road; W/S Reisterstown*

Road, 225' S of c/line Old Court Road

2nd Election & 3rd Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): Chong & Hje Ryee

Contract Purchaser(s): Pramukh Swami Donuts*

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE

ZONING COMMISSIONER

FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

2011-015-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

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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 27th day of July, 2010, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Stuart Kaplow, Esquire, 15 East Chesapeake Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21286, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

Peter Max Zimmerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Page 1 of 1

Thomas Bostwick - Case 2011-0015-SPHA on Sept. 2

From:

Patricia Zook

To:

Bostwick, Thomas; Lewis, Kristen

Date:

8/18/2010 3:29 PM

Subject: Case 2011-0015-SPHA on Sept. 2

Allen Zuckerburg, with a Pikesville Community Association, called to complain that the advertising for this case lists an incorrect election district and councilmanic district. He believes this is a fatal flaw in the advertising and the hearing needs to be postponed.

His phone number is 410 484 5047.

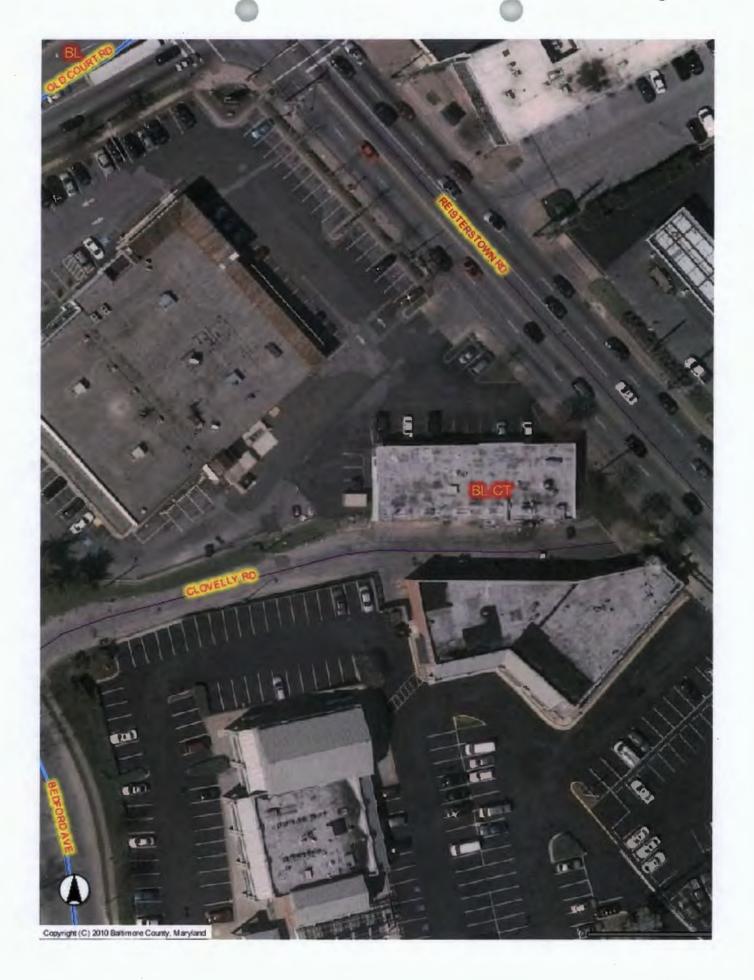
Patti Zook **Baltimore County** Office of the Zoning Commissioner 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 103 Towson MD 21204

410-887-3868

pzook@baltimorecountymd.gov

CHECKLIST

Comment Received	Department	Support/Oppose/ Conditions/ No Comment
7-30	DEVELOPMENT PLANS REVIEW	None
8-23	DEPRM (if not received, date e-mail sent)	None
7-20	FIRE DEPARTMENT	SPH - Congry w/
8-17	PLANNING (if not received, date e-mail sent)	Comments
7-26	STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION	No objection
	TRAFFIC ENGINEERING	
	COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION	
	ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS	
ZONING VIOLA		91-424-5PHA
NEWSPAPER A	DVERTISEMENT Date: 8-17-10	
SIGN POSTING	Date: 8 -15-10	_
	NSEL APPEARANCE Yes No C]
Elect. Distr	v: A Note re: Zukarberg complaint int + Council District on advertising	



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CASE NAME

CASE NUMBER 2011 - 6015 - 58HA

DATE 9-2-10

PETITIONER'S SIGN-IN SHEET

NAME	ADDRESS	CITY, STATE, ZIP	E- MAIL
STARTE KARLOW	18 Eldosaforen hur	Tenser MD 2008	SYMBURSTARES KAROW SOY
NEIL PATEL	7000 REISTERSTOWN RD	BACTIMORG MD 21215	
PAUL WGINER	2812 LAURELWOOD CT	BALTIMORE, MD 21209	Paulweinere yahoo, com
GAURANG PATEL	SIZ TIMBER SPRINGS CT	RGISTGRS TOWN MD 2 1136	Grater 31 @ gmail. com
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2011-0015-5PHA

Exhibit Sheet

Petitioner/Developer

Protestant

No. 1	site plan	
No. 2	elevation drawings	
No. 3	letter of entry for future sidewolf widening petition of support	
No. 4	petition of support	
No. 5		
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Chong O. Ryee
Hye S. Ryee
7237 Preservation Court
Fulton, Maryland 20759

August 13, 2010

Baltimore County Maryland Attn: Arnold F. Keller, III, Director, Office of Planning 101 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: Right of Entry 1504 - 1508 Reisterstown Road

Dear Mr. Keller:

This letter is written incident to Baltimore County's review and consideration of zoning petitions filed as case no 2011-0015-SPHA for the property known as 1504-1508 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville, Maryland.

We are the owners of that property.

Baltimore County Office of Planning staff has suggested that a uniform network of sidewalks along Reisterstown is desirable. We are aware that the property to the north of ours (what is now the Staples site) has committed to make sidewalk improvements incident to the redevelopment of that site. The precise nature and style of improvements has yet to be determined, although the improvements will widen the area of the existing sidewalk beyond the road right of way.

By this letter we are granting to Baltimore County, Maryland a right of entry to enter upon our property at 1504 – 1508 Reisterstown Road, during all reasonable times, for a period of 5 years from the date of this letter, to make sidewalk improvements including the replacement of the existing sidewalk, construction, installation, maintenance and repair of a new sidewalk, the precise nature and style of which has yet to be determined, but with the intent that such will be consistent with that done on the Staples site and transition to the property on the south of ours.

Nothing in this letter shall be deemed in any way to grant any easement in, over, under or through any of the property.

We agree to enter into or otherwise execute such other writings as may be reasonable required to memorialize and facilitate this grant of a right of entry.

Thank you,

Live C Pugo

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EXHIBIT NO.

Chong O. Ryes

Petition in Support

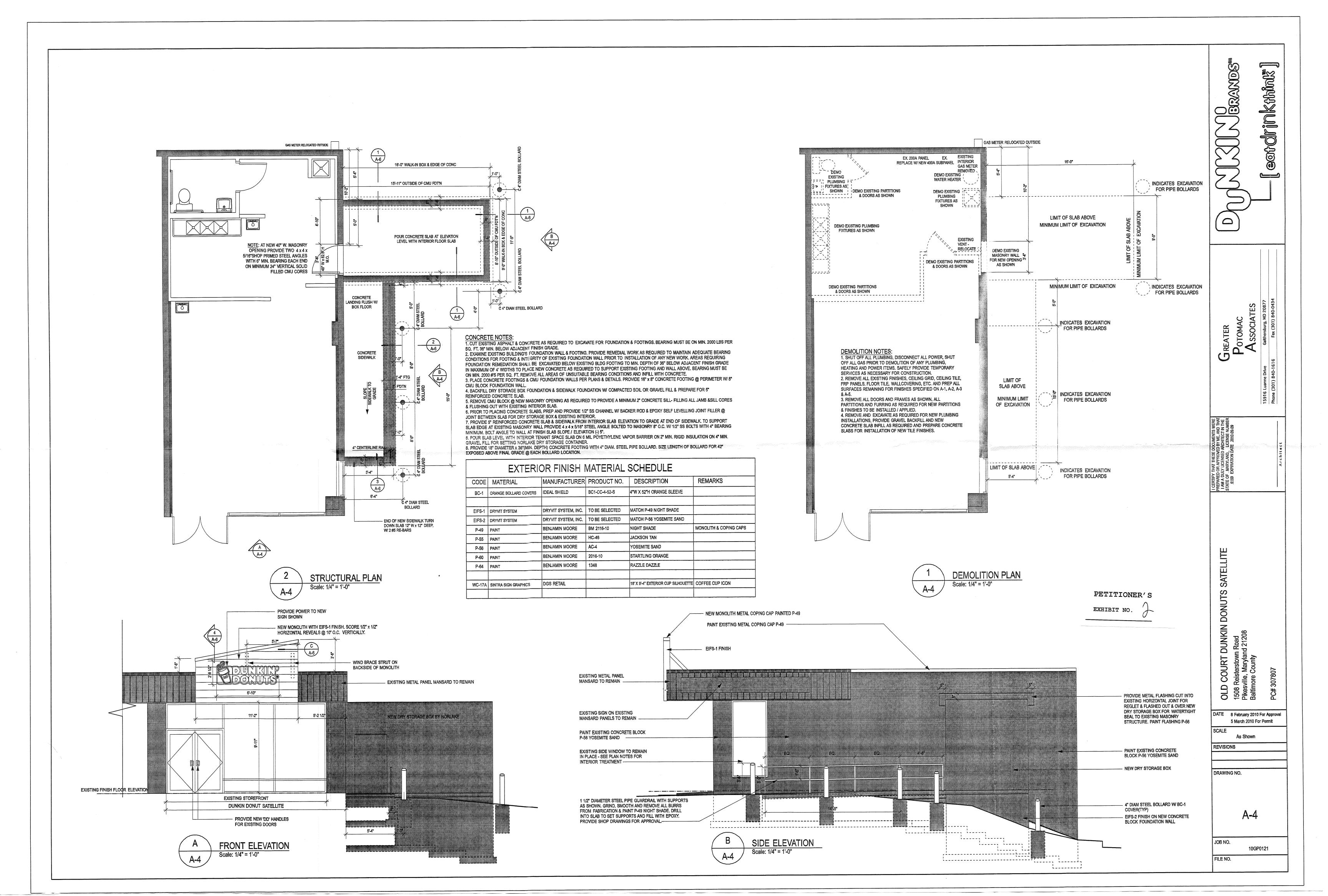
Renovation and Building Addition to 1508 Reisterstown Road

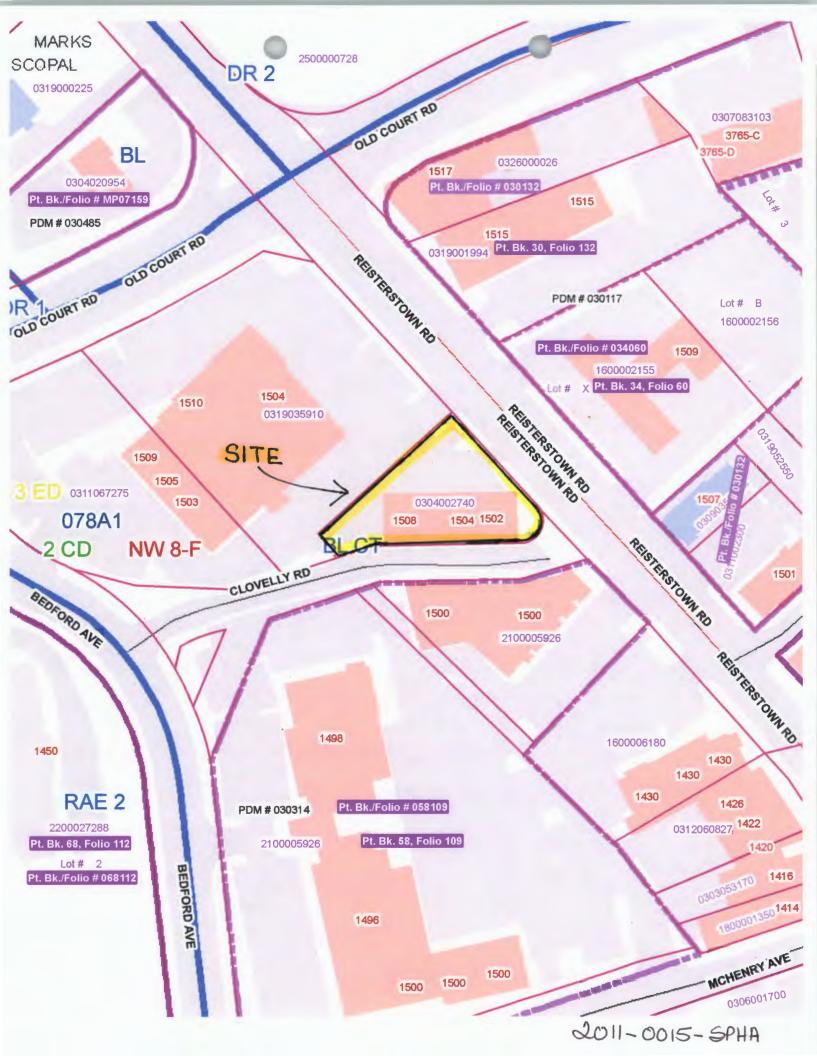
I am signing this Petition in Support to indicate that I support the request by the operator of the Dunkin Donuts at 1508 Reisterstown Road and ask the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County to grant the relief necessary to permit the renovation and 9 feet by 16 feet addition to the building, as described in case no. 2011-0015 SPHA.

Name	Address
David Necker	3913 Pinedale Dr. Baltimore
PAUL EVANSS.	7846 SMITH DE MD 21208
Sirody	1777 REISTERTOWN Ry.
Robert Johnson	3624 Park Height Aue Bultimore
HARVEY L. OKUN	10461 MILL RUN GROLF BHNINGS- MILL
Thomas Neary	8840 Stonford Blud, Columbia
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Richard Lynas	2 market PI, Dnd/k,21222

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EXHIBIT NO.





SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE **ZONING HISTORY** 301 Course SPECIAL HEARING CASE NO. 70-73 A VARIANCE TO PERMIT 18 PARKING SPACES IN LIEU OF Orus Ruge REQUIRED 24 PARKING SPACES, 10' FRONT YARD SETBACK IN LIEU OF REQUIRED TO APPROVE THE AMENDMENT OF THE APPROVED SITE PLANS AND ORDERS, 58' AND A SIDE YARD SETBACK OF O' IN LIEU OF REQUIRED 10'. GRANTED BY $(\overline{1}\overline{3}\overline{3})$ INCLUDING RESTRICTIONS IN THOSE ORDERS, IN CASES 70-73-A AND (123) 91-424-SPHA; SUCH THAT THE APPROVED SITE PLAN WILL BE THE SITE PLAN AMENDED ORDER 11-28-69 (129)THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF THIS PETITION. (140) CASE NO. 79-83-A A VARIANCE TO PERMIT 18 PARKING SPACES IN LIEU OF REQUIRED 48 PARKING SPACES. PETITION DENIED BY BOARD OF APPEALS. Parada ZONING VARIANCE Strapping Center Suburbanic CASE NO. 91-424-SPHA A SPECIAL HEARING TO ALLOW AN AMENDMENT TO THE Pikesville IF THE ZONING COMMISSIONER DETERMINES IT NECESSARY TO REAFFIRM THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SITE PLAN IN CASE NO. 70-73-A. A VARIANCE TO EXISTING VARIANCE, A VARIANCE FROM BCZR SECTION 409.6 TO PERMIT THE PERMIT 18 SPACES IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 60 PARKING SPACES. GRANTED EXISTING 18 PARKING SPACES IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 43 SPACES, IN 9-18-1991. ACCORDANCE WITH THE SITE PLAN THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF THIS PETITION. LOW COMP. P.D. VICINITY MAP REISTERSTOWN ROAD (MD RT. 140) SCALE:1"=2000' (66' r/w) 225'± TO OLD COURT ROAD SITE INFORMATION 36" Water (BC W 108 106535) EX. 30' ENTRANCE COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT ELECTION DISTRICT S 41°37'30" ZONING 162.7 Conc. Walk 15,363 SF (.35 ACRES) TAX MAP 78 P. 32 AREA EX. 35' SHARED ENTRANCE PER 4100/028 0304002740 TAX ACCT NO. 90 OWNER CHONG AND HYE RYEE\ 7237 PRESERVATION COURT \sim FULTON, MD 20759 2 PARKING SPACES NO NEW SIGNAGE IS PROPOSED. ALL EXISTING SIGNAGE TO COMPLY WITH BCZR SITE IS NOT IN A CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA 10' Utility Easement^ Ex. Asphalt Parking 48.22,19 THERE ARE NO STREAMS ON THE SITE. NOT AN HISTORIC PROPERTY. Contraction of the contraction o GENERAL NOTES RE-STRIPE SPACES 1508 Tenant 1. ALL FEATURES SHOWN ON THIS SITE PLAN ARE APPROXIMATE. CONTRACTOR, Dunkin Donuts OWNER OR OTHERS SHALL VERIFY LOCATIONS. METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIBING THIS PROPERTY ARE FROM PLAN TO ACCOMPANY ZONING CASE DIA. 70-73-A DATED AUGUST 5, 1969. FOR THE PURPOSE OF ZONING ONLY. STL. BOLLARDS PARKING CALCULATIONS RETAIL SPACE 1,744 SF X 5/1000 = 9 SPACES. RESTAURANT (CARRY OUT) 1,600 SF X 5/1000 = 8 SPACES RESTAURANT (WITH SEATING) 1,600 SF X 16/1000= 26 SPACES TOTAL SPACES REO'D = 43 SPACES CONC./ SIØEWALK SCALE:1"=20" ADDITIONAL PARKING SPACE 2011-0015-SPHA PETITIONER'S 1586 Reisterstown Road N 41°37'41" 52.18' Walgreen Co./0319035910 PROPOSED 16'X 9 EXHIBIT NO. 1 Story Building— Retail STORAGE AREA °0° 0°. PLAN TO ACCOMPANY PETITION 64 ELIMINATED PARKING FOR SPECIAL HEARING Drain (BC SPACE & ZONING VARIANCE **LEGEND** 1508 REISTERSTOWN ROAD PROPERTY LINE EXISTING BUILDING EXISTING CURB Paul Weiner, LLC PROPOSED BUILDING CIVIL ENGINEER 443-248-1337 Scale: As Shown Date: JUNE 30, 2010