IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

N/side of Liberty Road, 552' E of c/l of

Herrara Court

(10240 Liberty Road)

2nd Election District

4th Council District

Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc.

Petitioner

BEFORE THE

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE

HEARINGS FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 2012-0265-SPH

ORDER AND OPINION

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) as a Petition for Special Hearing filed by the legal owner of the subject property, the Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc. The Petitioner is requesting Special Hearing relief pursuant to Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to approve a modification to the site plan previously approved in Case No. 2011-0032-A. The subject property and requested relief is more fully depicted on the site plan that was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 2.

Appearing at the public hearing held for this case were Paul Santos, Pastor, on behalf of Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc., and Deborah C. Dopkin, Esquire, attorney for Petitioner. Also appearing in support of the requested relief was landscape architect John Treuschler with Tessaract Sites, Inc., the firm that prepared the site plan. There were no Protestants or other interested persons in attendance, and the file does not contain any letters of opposition or protest.

The Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received and made a part of the file. A ZAC comment was received from the Department of Planning on May 25, 2012 indicating the following:

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The Department of Planning has reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan. The Department of Planning previously commented on zoning case 2011-032. An Administrative Law Judge's order was issued with conditions that incorporated Planning's recommendations submitted for the aforementioned case. The Department of Planning supports the instant request however the following comments should be made part of any relief granted in the subject case:

- 1. Provide architectural building plans and elevations for all four sides of all of the proposed buildings including building materials and color schemes to the Department of Planning for review and approval. Show all entrances into the buildings.
- 2. Add the following language to note 26 of the site plan that accompanied the special hearing request: Should light fixtures be installed, they will be no higher than 20' within 50' of a residential zone.
- Sign locations have been shown on the site plan. Provide elevation drawings
 with dimensions and materials to the Department of Planning for review and
 approval.

Each of these conditions was discussed during the hearing, and the Petitioner is amenable to their incorporation into any Order granting relief.

A ZAC comment was also received from the Department of Environmental Protection and Sustainability (DEPS), dated May 18, 2012, indicating that the development of the property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Sections 33-6-101 through 33-6-122 of the Baltimore County Code), a Forest Conservation variance request must be submitted for approval for the removal of any specimen trees, and Groundwater Management must review any building permits for this site, since the church will be served by well and septic.

In addition, a ZAC comment was received from the State Highway Administration (SHA) dated May 2, 2012, indicating that as a condition of approval, the applicant must contact the SHA to obtain an entrance permit.

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Testimony and evidence revealed that the subject property is 1.669 acres and is zoned RC 5. The church obtained zoning relief in 2011, and the site plan approved in that case by Deputy Zoning Commissioner Bostwick depicted the church building to the rear of the site (farthest from Liberty Road) with the parking area in front of the church. Mr. Treuschler explained that after he became involved in this case, he determined it would be advantageous to "flip" the church and parking lot, such that the parking lot is now located at the rear of the site, as shown on Exhibit 2.

Mr. Treuschler, who was accepted as an expert in land use and Baltimore County development regulations, explained that the site is less sloped toward the rear of the lot, and thus the surface water would tend to be absorbed into the parking lot's pervious concrete pavement. Moving the parking lot to the rear of the site also streamlined the stormwater management features, and will have a positive environmental impact when compared to the original plan, which had the parking lot at the front of the site on a slope, which would cause more stormwater runoff.

Mr. Treuschler also discussed the redlined revisions to the plan, which reflect that the church has – in the last week or so – installed a new well and septic system. A comment was also added (Note 24) indicating that if and when a dumpster is used at the site, it will be with a masonry enclosure or some other material if approved in writing by the Department of Planning. Finally, Mr. Treuschler explained that the dimensions of the church building (which in essence is a prefabricated structure) were incorrectly stated in the last Order. Instead of being 100' x 60' as noted in Mr. Bostwick's Order, the dimensions will be 110'.8" x 60'.8".

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

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that the proposal satisfies each of the B.C.Z.R. § 502.1 criteria, and I concur. The setting for the church is rural and idyllic, and the new structure will be a positive addition to the community.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, this _____ day of June, 2012 by the Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County, that the Petition for Special Hearing pursuant to Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.), to approve certain modifications (as reflected on the redlined site plan accepted and marked as Petitioner's Exhibit 2) to the site plan previously approved in Case No. 2011-0032-A, be and is hereby GRANTED.

The relief granted herein shall be subject to and conditioned upon the following:

- 1. The Petitioner may apply for its building permits and may be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however the Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the thirty (30) day appellate process from this Order has expired. If for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioner is required to return and be responsible for returning said property to its original condition.
- Petitioner must comply with the ZAC comments submitted by the Department of Planning, DEPS, and the SHA; copies of which are attached and made a part hereof.

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

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JOHN B. BEVERUNGEN Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

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May 6, 2012

DEBORAH DOPKIN, ESQUIRE 409 WASHINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 1000 TOWSON, MD 21204

RE: Petition for Special Hearing

Case No.: 2012-0265-SPH Property: 10240 Liberty Road

Dear Ms. Dopkin:

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 Office of Administrative Hearings at 410-887-3868.

Sincerely,

JOHN B. BEVERUNGEN Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

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Enclosure



PETITION FOR ZONING HEARING(S) To be filed with the Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

To be filed with the Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

To the Office of Administrative Law of Baltimore County for the property located at:

| Property Owner(s) Printed Name(s) <u>Raltimore Christian Faith Center</u> (SELECT THE HEARING(S) BY MARKING X AT THE APPROPRIATE SELECTION AND PRINT OR TYPE THE PETITION REQUEST) The undersigned legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plan attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for: X a Special Hearing under Section 500.7 of the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to determine whether or not the Zoning Commissioner should approve SEE ATTACHED a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County to use the herein described property for a Variance from Section(s) of the zoning regulations of Baltimore County, to the zoning law of Baltimore County, for the following reasons: Indicate below your hardship or practical difficulty or indicate below "TO BE PRESENTED AT HEARING". If you need additional space, you may add an attachment to this petition) TO BE PRESENTED AT HEARING perty is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by the zoning regulations. we, agree to pay expenses of above petition(s), advertising, posting, etc. and further agree to and are to be bounded by the zoning regulations restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County. If you do so solemny declare and affirm, under the penalties of perjury, that I / We are the legal owner(s) of the property th is the subject of this / these Petition(s). | Address 10240 Liberty Road | which is presently zoned RC-3 |
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ATTACHMENT

Special Hearing to approve a modification to the site plan and Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in Case No. 2011-0032A.

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ZONING DESCRIPTION FOR #10240 LIBERTY ROAD BALTIMORE CHRISTIAN FAITH CENTER

Beginning at a point on the North side of Liberty Road, Maryland State Road (Route 26), 37.9 feet from the centerline of Liberty Road, at a distance of 552 feet, more or less, East of the centerline of Herrera Court (which is 50 feet wide).

Thence the following courses and distances:

North 14 degrees 00 minutes 09 seconds East, 493.33 feet;

South 62 degrees 44 minutes 51 seconds East, 149.58 feet;

South 14 degrees 00 minutes 09 seconds West, 519.75 feet; and thence

North 52 degrees 43 minutes 11 seconds West, 153.57 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 1.669 acres, more or less.

Also know as #10240 Liberty Road, located in the 2nd Election District,

4th Councilmanic District.

Landscape Architect MD #502

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

May 8, 2012

ARNOLD JABLON
Deputy Administrative Officer
Director, Department of Permits,
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NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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CASE NUMBER: 2012-0265-SPH

10240 Liberty Road
N/s Liberty Road, 552 feet E/of centerline of Herrara Court
2nd Election District – 4th Councilmanic District
Legal Owners: Baltimore Christian Faith Center

Special Hearing to approve a modification to the site plan and Findings of Fact and Conclusion of Law in Case No. 2011-0032-A.

Hearing: Wednesday, June 6, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

AJ:kl

C: Deborah Dopkin, P.O. Box 323, Brooklandville 21022 Paul Santos, 10308 Liberty Road, Randallstown 21133 John Treuschler, 401 Washington Avenue, Towson 21204

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ATTENTION: KRISTEN LEWIS

DATE: 05/15/2012

Case Number: 2012-0265-SPH

Petitioner / Developer: DEBORAH DOPKIN, ESQ. ~ PAUL SANTOS~

JOHN TREUSCHLER

Date of Hearing (Closing): JUNE 6, 2012

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: 10240 LIBERTY ROAD

The sign(s) were posted on: MAY 12, 2012



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(Printed Name of Sign Poster)

523 Penny Lane

(Street Address of Sign Poster)

Hunt Valley, Maryland 21030

(City, State, Zip of Sign Poster)

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TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY

Thursday, May 17, 2012 Issue - Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:

Baltimore Christian Faith Center

10308 Liberty Road

Randallstown, MD 21133

Attn: Paul Santos, Pastor

410-653-1700

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RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

10240 Liberty Road; N/S Liberty Road,

552' E of /line of Herrera Court

2nd Election & 4th Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): Baltimore Christian Faith Center*

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE OFFICE

OF ADMINSTRATIVE

HEARINGS FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

* 2012-265-SPH

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 Zimmerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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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 4th day of May, 2012, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to John Treuschler, 401 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 and Deborah Dopkin, Esquire, P.O. Box 323, Brooklandville, Maryland 21022, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS, APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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

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

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

| For Newspaper Advertising: |
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| Item Number or Case Number: 2012-0265 SPH |
| Petitioner: Baltimore Christian Faith Center |
| Address or Location: 10240 Liberty Road, RandallsTown W. 21133 |
| PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO: |
| Name: Baltimore Christian Faith Center |
| Address: 10308 Liberty Road |
| Address: 10308 Liberty Road Randallstown MD 21133 |
| Telephone Number: 410 - 653 - 1700 |

MEMORANDUM

DATE:

July 10, 2012

TO:

Zoning Review Office

FROM:

Office of Administrative Hearings

RE:

Case No. 2012-0265-SPH - Appeal Period Expired

The appeal period for the above-referenced case expired on July 6, 2012. There being no appeal filed, the subject file is ready for return to the Zoning Review Office and is placed in the 'pick up box.'

c: Case File

Office of Administrative Hearings

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| DATE | 6-6-12 |

PETITIONER'S SIGN-IN SHEET

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C Prior Zoning 10-25-10

IN RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE

N side of Liberty Road, 540 feet SE of the c/l of Herrera Court

1st Election District

4th Councilmanic District

(10240 Liberty Road)

Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc.
Petitioner

BEFORE THE

DEPUTY ZONING

* COMMISSIONER

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

CASE NO. 2011-0032-A

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before this Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of a Petition for Variance filed by the legal owner of the subject property, the Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc. Petitioner is requesting Variance relief from Section 1A04.3.B.2.b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") to permit a proposed church with side yard setbacks as close as 20 feet in lieu of the required 50 feet. The subject property and requested relief are more fully described on the redlined site plan which was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing in support of the Variance request were Paul Santos, Pastor and President, on behalf of Petitioner Baltimore Christian Faith Center, Inc., and Deborah C. Dopkin, Esquire, attorney for Petitioner. Also appearing in support of the requested relief was Bernadette Moskunas with Site Rite Surveying, Inc., the professional land surveying firm that prepared the site plan. There were no Protestants or other interested persons in attendance.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the subject property is a diagonal-rectangular shaped property consisting of 1.669 acres, more or less, zoned R.C.5. The property is located on the north side of Liberty Road, west of Deer Park Road and east of the intersection

CHECKLIST

| Comment Received | <u>Department</u> | Conditions/ Comments/ No Comment |
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| 5-7 | DEVELOPMENT PLANS REVIEW (if not received, date e-mail sent) | No |
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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon

DATE: May 16, 2012

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OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Deputy Administrative Officer and

Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

Andrea Van Arsdale

Director, Department of Planning

SUBJECT:

10240 Liberty Road

INFORMATION:

12-265

Petitioner:

Item Number:

Baltimore Christian Faith Center

Zoning:

RC 5

Requested Action:

Special Hearing

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Department of Planning has reviewed the petitioner's request and accompanying site plan. The Department of Planning previously commented on zoning case 2011-032. An Administrative Law Judge's order was issued with conditions that incorporated Planning's recommendations submitted for the aforementioned case. The Department of Planning supports the instant request however; the following comments should be made part of any relief granted in the subject case:

- 1. Provide architectural building plans and elevations for all four sides of all of the proposed buildings including building materials and color schemes to this office for review and approval. Show all entrances into the buildings.
- 2. Add the following language to note 26 of the site plan that accompanied the special hearing request: Should light fixtures be installed, they will be no higher than 20' within 50' of a residential zone.
- 3. Sign locations have been shown on the site plan. Provide elevation drawings with dimensions and materials to the Department of Planning for review and approval.

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

Prepared by:

Division Chief:

AVA/LL: CM





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OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

TO:

Hon. Lawrence M. Stahl; Managing Administrative Law Judge

Office of Administrative Hearings

FROM:

David Lykens, Department of Environmental Protection and Sustainability

(DEPS) - Development Coordination

DATE:

May 18, 2012

SUBJECT:

DEPS Comment for Zoning Item

2012-0265-SPH

Address

10240 Liberty Road

(Baltimore Christian Faith Center Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of April 30, 2012.

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

Environmental Impact Review

- 1. Development of this property must comply with the Forest Conservation Regulations (Sections 33-6-101 through 33-6-122 of the Baltimore County Code).
- 2. A Forest Conservation variance request must be submitted and approved for the removal of any specimen trees.

Reviewer: John Russo

Groundwater Management

3. Groundwater Management must review any building permits for this site, since the church will be served by well and septic. As of this date, a new well has not been drilled yet - as required.

Reviewer: Dan Esser





Debra Wiley - ZAC Comments - Distribution Mtg. of April 30th

From:

Debra Wiley

To:

Kennedy, Dennis; Lanham, Lynn; Livingston, Jeffrey; Lykens, David; M...

Date:

5/7/2012 11:30 AM

Subject:

ZAC Comments - Distribution Mtg. of April 30th

Good Morning,

Please see the cases listed below and the hearing date, if assigned. If you wish to submit a ZAC comment, please be advised that you must do so before the hearing date. If it's not received by the hearing date, it will not be considered in our decision.

2012-0258-XA - 8710 Liberty Road No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0262-SPHA - 200 E. Burke Avenue No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0263-SPHA - 601 Tampa Road No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0264-SPH - 10815 Pulaski Highway No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0265-SPH - 10240 Liberty Road No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0267-XA - 7303 Old Battle Grove Road No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

2012-0268-A - 7815 Denton Avenue Administrative Variance - Closing Date: 5/21/12

2012-0269-A - 6808 North Point Road No hearing date assigned in data base as of 5/2

Thanks.

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



KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

ARNOLD JABLON
Deputy Administrative Officer
Director, Department of Permits,
Approvals & Inspections

May 31, 2012

Baltimore Christian Faith Center Paul Santos, Pastor 10308 Liberty Road Randallstown, MD 21133

RE: Case Number: 2012-0265-SPH, Address: 10240 Liberty Road

Dear Pastor Santos:

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits, Approvals, and Inspection (PAI) on April 23, 2012. This letter is not an approval, but only a **NOTIFICATION**.

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

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

Very truly yours,

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W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR: jaf

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel
John Treuschler, 401 Washington Avenue, Towson, MD 21204
Deborah Dopkin, Esquire, P O Box 323, Brooklandville, MD 21022

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



Beverley K. Swaim-Staley, Secretary Melinda B. Peters, Administrator

Date: 5-2-12

Ms. Kristen Lewis
Baltimore County Department of
Permits, Approvals and Inspections
County Office Building, Room 109
Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Baltimore County

Item No. 2012-0265-SPH

Special Hearing
Baltimore Christin Faith
Center - Paul Santos

10240 Liberty Road

MD 26

Dear Ms. Lewis:

We have reviewed the site plan to accompany petition for variance on the subject of the above captioned, which was received on 4-30-12 A field inspection and internal review reveals that an entrance onto MDZ6 consistent with current State Highway Administration guidelines is required. As a condition of approval for Special Heaving, Case Number 2012-0265 the applicant must contact the State Highway Administration to obtain an entrance permit.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter feel free to contact Richard Zeller at 410-545-5598 or 1-800-876-4742 extension 5598. Also, you may E-mail him at (rzeller@sha.state.md.us). Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

Steven D. Foster, Chief

Access Management Division

SDF/raz

\cc: Mr. Michael Pasquariello, Utility Engineer, SHA

Mr. David Peake, District Engineer, SHA

Street Address: 707 North Calvert Street • Baltimore, Maryland 21202 • Phone 410.545.0300 • www.roads.maryland.gov

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

DATE: May 7, 2012

Department of Permits, Approvals

And Inspections

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans

Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For May 14, 2012

Item Nos. 2012-0258, 0262, 0263, 0264, 0265, 0267

And 0269

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

DAK:CEN

cc: File

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Case No.: 2012 -0265-SPH

Exhibit Sheet

Petitioner/Developer

Protestant Protestant

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PETITIONER'S

EXHIBIT NO.

John G. Trueschler

President, Tesseract Sites, Inc.

Washington Avenue, Suite 303 • Towson, Maryland 21204
410-321-7600 • john.trueschler@tesseractsites.com

Education

Doctor of Jurisprudence, With Honors, University of Maryland School of Law, May 1991 Order of the Coif; four American Jurisprudence Awards: Torts, Contracts, Professional Ethics, and Real Estate Negotiating and Drafting

B.S. Landscape Architecture, Magnum Cum Laude, West Virginia University, May 1979 American Society of Landscape Architects Certificate of Honor; various honorary societies including Alpha Zeta, Sphinx, and Phi Kappa Phi

Experience

2006-Current **Tesseract Sites, Inc.** - Founder and President. The company is comprised of licensed civil engineers, landscape architects, CAD technicians, and support staff providing planning and engineering services for all types of private real estate development (residential buildings and subdivisions, office, retail, industrial, hospitals, churches, colleges and schools) and public projects (community buildings, libraries, police & fire stations, recreation centers, parks). In addition to providing traditional design services for mid-sized projects (1 to 25 million dollars), the firm also employs a design-build approach for smaller projects.

2002-2006 Maryland General Assembly House of Delegates - Delegate for District 42 Served on the Economic Matters Committee which deals with Banking, Finance, Insurance, Business Regulation, Maritime issues, and Utilities; appointed to the Speaker's task force on Medical Malpractice Insurance Reform. Elected office provided the opportunity to be engaged in hundreds of public hearings on proposed legislation, numerous public speaking engagements, highly-charged floor debates, and television and radio appearances, and to develop relationships with business and political leaders. I chose not to run for re-election because of family needs.

1995-2006 **Site Resources, Inc.** - Site Planning & Civil Engineering - Vice-President Responsibilities included: being the lead designer and project manager for development projects ranging up to \$60 million; representing the firm before clients, public officials, government agencies, and communities; scheduling work and directing teams of licensed professionals and support staff; preparing proposals and invoices; and bringing key people to the company which grew from 3 people to 30 people during my tenure.

1991-1995 Sole Practitioner - Land Planning; General Practice Law

1987-1991 **Poffel & Walker, Inc.** - Real Estate Development - Project Manager Responsibilities included: finding and evaluating properties to be acquired; preparing feasibility studies, site plans, and cost estimates; representing the firm at public meetings and hearings; managing attorneys and design consultants; providing quality control and value engineering;

Poffel & Walker (continued) - processing plans; obtaining permits; drafting purchase agreements, construction contracts, deeds, easements, and covenants; advertising properties and coordinating with real estate brokers; and bidding projects, selecting contractors, and managing construction.

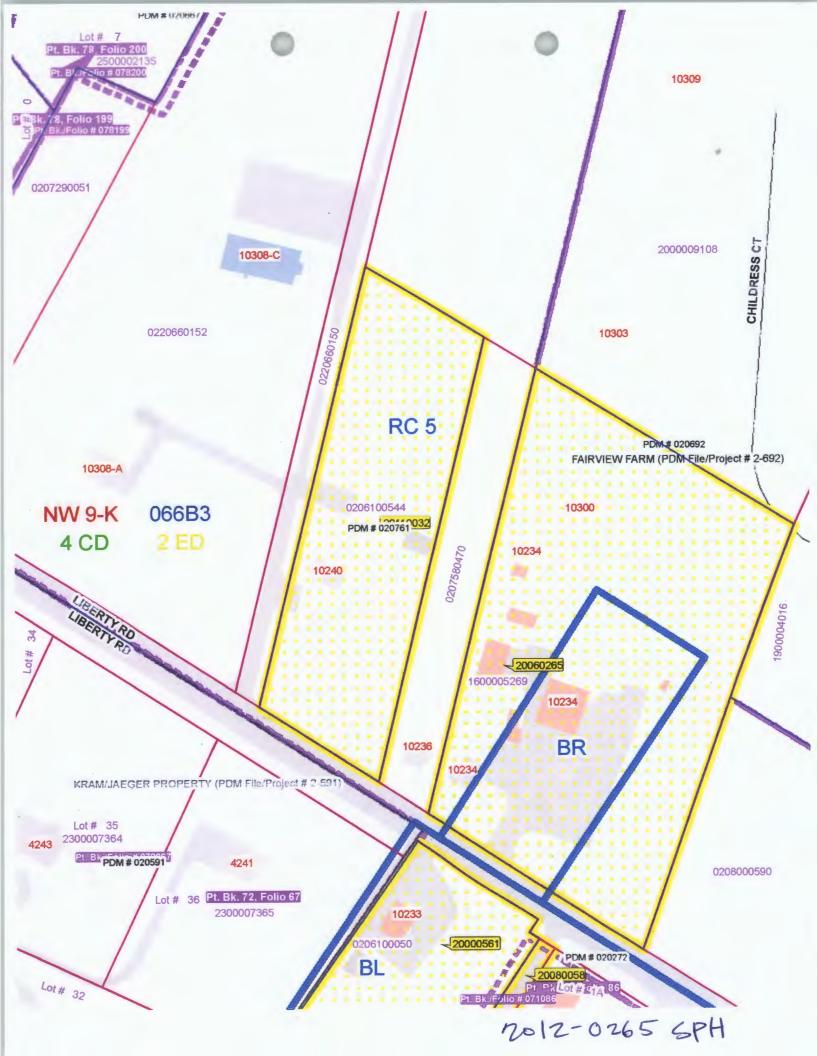
1985-1987 Covenant Hope Church - Administrative Assistant

1979-1985 **Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc.** - Landscape Architect and Project Manager Responsibilities included: preparing master plans, schematic plans, design development drawings, construction documents, subdivision plans, and zoning plans for major private and public projects; presenting projects to elected officials, government agencies, and community groups; preparing and processing plans for zoning reclassification, variances, and special exceptions, and providing expert testimony; designing site layout, grading, sediment control, roads, parking lots, utilities, pavements, walls, fences, signs, site amenities, and planting; providing construction administration.

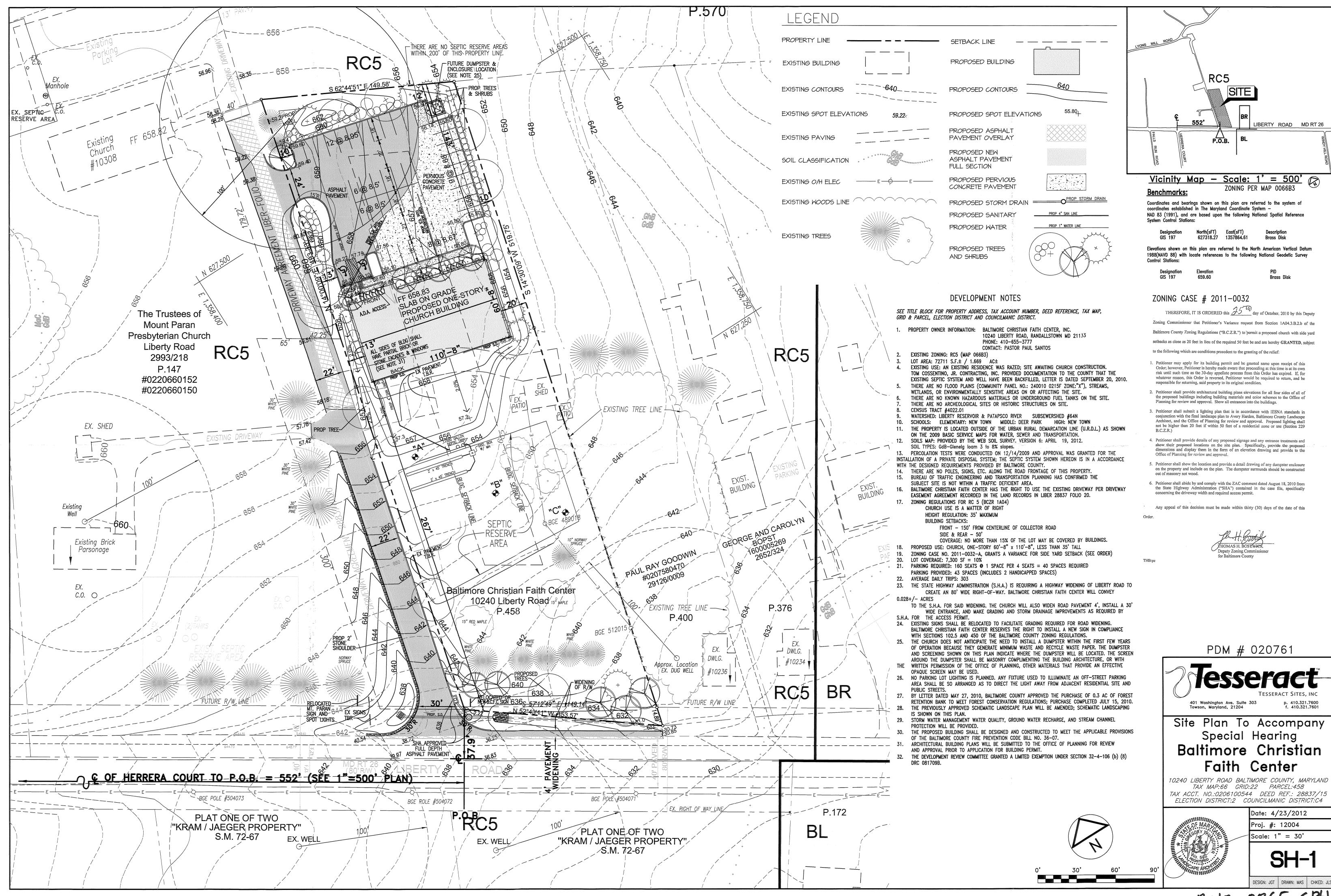
Professional Licenses

Registered Landscape Architect in Maryland since 1981

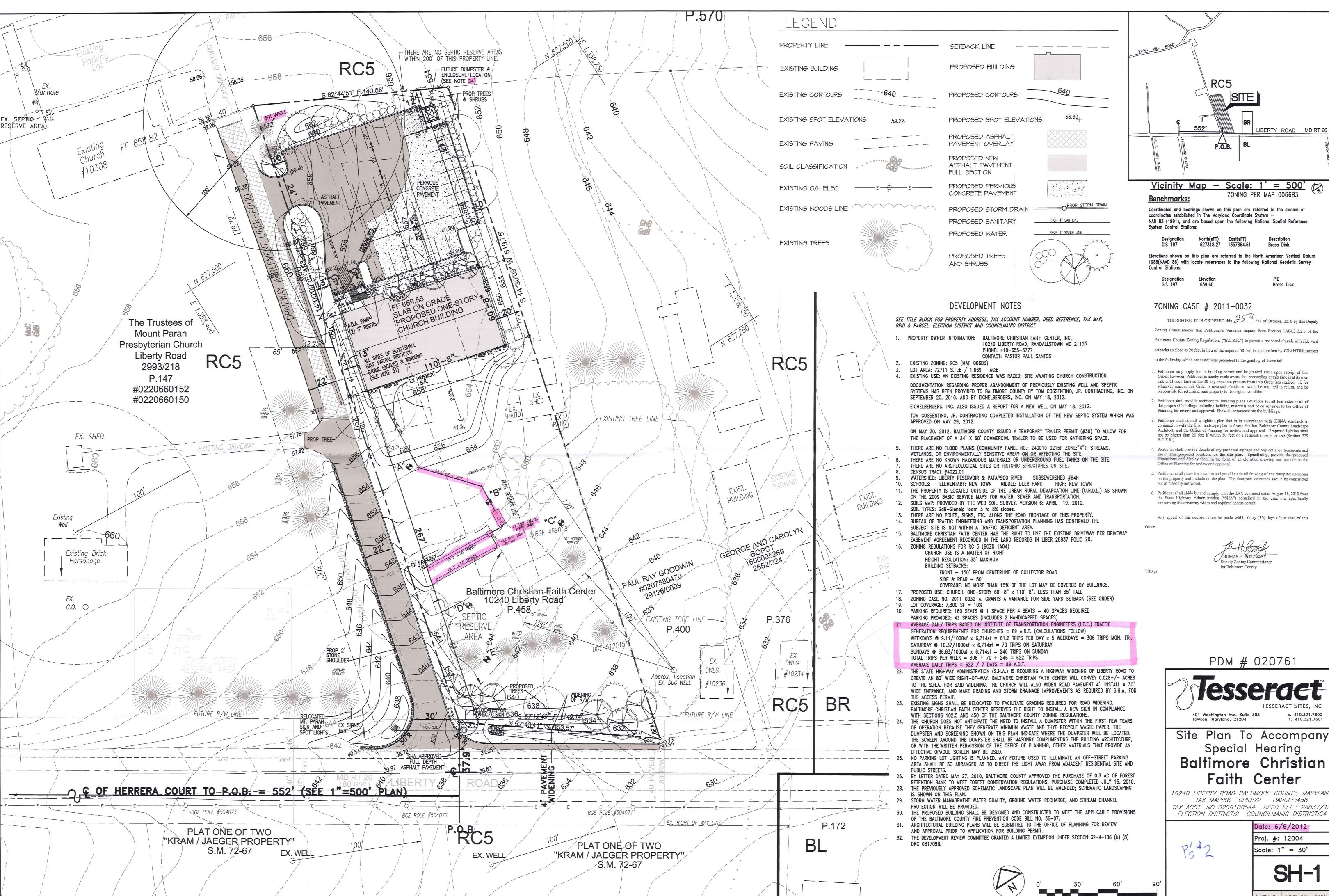
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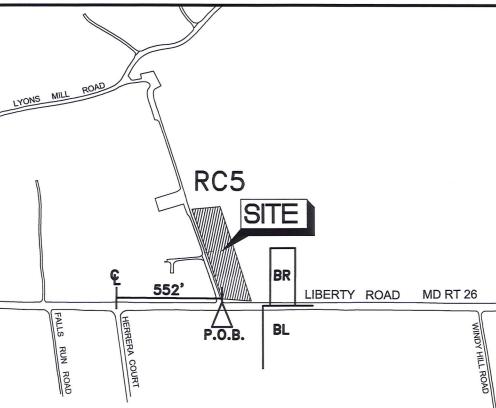






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Vicinity Map - Scale: 1' = 500' ZONING PER MAP 0066B3

Coordinates and bearings shown on this plan are referred to the system of coordinates established in The Maryland Coordinate System -NAD 83 (1991), and are based upon the following National Spatial Reference

Brass Disk

Elevations shown on this plan are referred to the North American Vertical Datum 1988(NAVD 88) with locate references to the following National Geodetic Survey

ZONING CASE # 2011-0032

Zoning Commissioner that Petitioner's Variance request from Section 1A04.3.B.2.b of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") to permit a proposed church with side yard

- to the following which are conditions precedent to the granting of the relief:
- . Petitioner may apply for its building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order, however, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, Petitioner would be required to return, and be
- 2. Petitioner shall provide architectural building plans elevations for all four sides of all of the proposed buildings including building materials and color schemes to the Office of Planning for review and approval. Show all entrances into the buildings.
- . Petitioner shall submit a lighting plan that is in accordance with IESNA standards in conjunction with the final landscape plan to Avery Harden, Baltimore County Landscape Architect, and the Office of Planning for review and approval. Proposed lighting shall not be higher than 20 feet if within 50 feet of a residential zone or use (Section 229)
- 4. Petitioner shall provide details of any proposed signage and any entrance treatments and show their proposed locations on the site plan. Specifically, provide the proposed dimensions and display them in the form of an elevation drawing and provide to the
- 5. Petitioner shall show the location and provide a detail drawing of any dumpster enclosure on the property and include on the plan. The dumpster surrounds should be constructed
- 6. Petitioner shall abide by and comply with the ZAC comment dated August 18, 2010 from the State Highway Administration ("SHA") contained in the case file, specifically concerning the driveway width and required access permit.

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

PDM # 020761



Site Plan To Accompany Special Hearing Baltimore Christian Faith Center

10240 LIBERTY ROAD BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND TAX MAP:66 GRID:22 PARCEL:458 TAX ACCT. NO.:0206100544 DEED REF.: 28837/15

> Date: 6/6/2012 Proj. #: 12004 Scale: 1" = 30'

DESIGN: JGT | DRAWN: MAS | CHKED: JLS