# MEMORANDUM

DATE:

June 10, 2015

TO:

Zoning Review Office

FROM:

Office of Administrative Hearings

RE:

Case No. 2015-0203-SPHA - Appeal Period Expired

The appeal period for the above-referenced case expired on June 8, 2015. 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

IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING \*

AND VARIANCE

(311 International Circle)

8<sup>th</sup> Election District

3<sup>rd</sup> Council District

LSOP 3MD 4, LLC

c/o Greenfield Partners, LLC

Petitioner

**BEFORE THE** 

OFFICE OF

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Case No. 2015-0203-SPHA

**OPINION AND ORDER** 

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed on behalf of the legal owner. The Special Hearing was filed pursuant to § 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") as follows: (1) to amend the previously approved site plan in Case No. 97-559-SPHA; (2) to confirm the continuation of the non-conforming use of commercial parking in the R.C. 6 zone; and (3) to determine whether the storage of communication equipment (accessory use) must be located within permanent containment structures. In addition, a Petition for Variance (sought in the alternative if the petition for special hearing is not granted) pursuant to B.C.Z.R. §209.7.D seeks to permit storage of communication equipment (accessory use) outside of permanent containment structures.

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 1. Appearing at the public hearing in support of the requests was Gerard J. Wit, Iwona-Rostek-Zarska and Valek Zarski. G. Scott Barhight, Esq. and Jennifer Busse, Esq. represented the Petitioner. There were no Protestants or interested citizens in attendance. The Petition was advertised and posted as required by the

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Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. A substantive Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comment was submitted by the Department of Planning (DOP).

The subject property is improved with a commercial office park complex, situated at the intersection of Shawan Road and I-83. This property is zoned OR-1, OT & RC-6, and as pertains to this case concerns two parcels of land: Lot 2A, Parcel 1, approximately 14.12 acres, and Lot 2, Parcel 2, approximately 2 acres. Parcel 1 is improved with three large, multi-story office buildings. Parcel 2 is unimproved, but contains an existing commercial parking lot. Petitioner proposes to use Parcel 2 for storage of certain telecommunications equipment and parking of work vans that will be loaded and unloaded from the storage area.

# PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

The first aspect of special hearing relief seeks confirmation of the non-conforming use status of the commercial parking in the R.C. 6 zone. The R.C. 6 zone encompasses only a small portion of Parcel 2, as shown on the site plan. Though the zoning of this portion of Parcel 2 has changed throughout the years (i.e., D.R.-1, R.C.-4, R.C.-6) it has always had a residential classification. Site plans submitted in connection with 1995 and 1997 zoning cases (Ex. Nos. 2B & 3B) indicate this portion of the site was used for "commercial parking," and improved with "bituminous paving" to accommodate vehicles.

Petitioner also noted that Baltimore County issued many years ago a "use permit" for commercial parking in the residential zone, though Petitioner's engineer (Iwona Zarska) testified that county staff could not locate those documents in the archived files. Since it appears that the commercial parking was permitted by Baltimore County and has continued without interruption, the Petitioner has established a non-conforming use for commercial parking in the small R.C.-6 zoned portion of Parcel 2.

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The other aspect of the special hearing request concerns whether the electronics equipment must be stored within permanent storage enclosures per B.C.Z.R. §209.7.D, which contains "performance requirements" for the O.T. zone. Like much of the B.C.Z.R., this section is not a model of clarity, and would appear in successive sentences to both permit <u>and</u> prohibit outside storage of "materials and supplies." The O.T. zone regulations are designed to ensure "a high quality environment in regards to health, safety and aesthetics." B.C.Z.R. §209.7. In this case, the DOP undertook a thorough analysis of the site and surrounding neighborhood, and has suggested certain fencing and landscaping be provided to complement the neighborhood. In my opinion, these are sound recommendations, and will ensure that the use is appropriate for the site and will not be detrimental to the health, safety and/or aesthetic concerns of the surrounding community.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this 7th day of May, 2015, by this Administrative Law Judge, that the Petition for Special Hearing filed pursuant to § 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R") as follows: (1) to amend the previously approved site plan in Case No. 97-559-SPHA, in accordance with the terms of this Order and the site plan submitted herein; (2) to confirm the continuation of the non-conforming use of commercial parking in the R.C. 6 zone; and (3) to determine that the storage of communication equipment (accessory use) need not be located within permanent containment structures, be and is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance pursuant to B.C.Z.R. §209.7.D to permit storage of communication equipment (accessory use) outside of the permanent containment structures, be and is hereby DISMISSED AS MOOT.

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

1. Petitioner may apply for necessary permits and/or licenses upon receipt of this Order. However, Petitioner is hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until 30 days from the date hereof, during which time an appeal can be filed by any party. If for whate the property of the line of the lin

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this Order is reversed, Petitioner would be required to return the subject property to its original condition.

2. Petitioner must comply with the ZAC comment of DOP, a copy of which is attached hereto.

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

JOHN E. BEVERUNGEN Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

JEB/sln

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive LAWRENCE M. STAHL
Managing Administrative Law Judge
JOHN E. BEVERUNGEN
Administrative Law Judge

May 7, 2015

G. Scott Barhight, Esq.
Jennifer Busse, Esq.
Whiteford, Taylor & Preston
1 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 300
Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Petition for Special Hearing and Variance

Property: 311 International Circle Case No. 2015-0203-SPHA

Dear Counsel:

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 Baltimore County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact the Baltimore County Office of Administrative Hearings at 410-887-3868.

Sincerely,

JOHN E. BEVERUNGEN Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

JEB:sln Enclosure

PETITION FOR ZONING HEARING(S)

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:

Address 311 International Circle

which is presently zoned OR-1, OT, RC-6

Deed References: 34710/68

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000 Property Owner(s) Printed Name(s) LSOP 3 Md 4, LLC c/o Greenfield Partners, LLC

(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

### PLEASE SEE ATTACHED

2	_a Special	Exception u	under the Zoning	Regulations	of Baltimore	County to	use the herein	described property for	r
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3.	_X_	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 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

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

I, or 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 and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the zoning law for Baltimore County.

Legal Owner(s) Affirmation: I / we do so 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 / these Petition(s).

# Mailing Ad ORDER RECEIVED FOR FILING N/A State

**Email Address** 

Attorney for Petitioner:

Telephone

Zip Code

Contract Purchaser/Lessee:

G. Scott Barhight, Esquire Name- Type or Print Signature Whiteford, Taylor & Preston W. Pennsylvania Ave., Ste. 300, Towson MD Mailing Address City State 21204 /410-832-2050/ gbarhight@wtplaw.com Zip Code **Email Address** Telephone #

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egal Owners (Petitione	rs).

LSOP 3 Md 4, LLC

c/o Greenfield Partners, LLC, Michael Bradley, CIO

Signature #1

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Two Post Road West, Westport, CT

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# Representative to be contacted:

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ATTACHMENT TO PETITIONS

# SPECIAL HEARING REQUEST

- 1. TO AMEND PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SITE PLAN IN CASE NO. 97-559-SPHA.
- TO CONFIRM THE CONTINUATION OF THE NON-CONFORMING USE OF COMMERCIAL PARKING IN THE R.C.6 ZONE.
- 3. TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE STORAGE OF COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT (ACCESSORY USE) MUST BE LOCATED WITHIN PERMANENT CONTAINMENT STRUCTURES, PER BCZR SECTION 209.7.D.

# VARIANCE REQUEST

PETITION FOR VARIANCE FROM BCZR SECTION 209.7.D. TO PERMIT THE STORAGE OF COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT (ACCESSORY USE) OUTSIDE OF THE PERMANENT CONTAINMENT STRUCTURES.

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DESCRIPTION TO ACCOMPANY PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND ZONING VARIANCES PARCEL 1, LOT 2A, LONGVIEW EXECUTIVE PARK BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND 8<sup>TH</sup> ELECTION DISTRICT; 3<sup>RD</sup> COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

# March 11, 2015

Beginning for the same at the point at the end of the second of the two following courses and distances measured along the centerline of International Circle from the intersection of the centerline of McCormick Road (70 feet wide) with the centerline of International Circle (70' wide) (1) Southwesterly, Northwesterly, and Northeasterly along the centerline of said International Circle 2,634 feet, more or less, and thence leaving said centerline (2) South 86° 31' 28" West, 35.00 feet, more or less, thence leaving said point of beginning and thence running the following courses and distances:

- 1. South 86° 31' 28" West, 606.60 feet; thence,
- 2. North 05° 44' 58" West, 319.62 feet; thence,
- 3. North 19° 08' 59" East, 104.47 feet; thence,
- 4. South 86° 36' 20" East, 70.00 feet; thence,
- 5. North 41° 31' 47" East, 1,335.14 feet; thence,
- 6. South 00° 58' 03" East, 636.60 feet; thence
- 7. Running southwesterly by a left line curve, R=411.43 feet for 308.76 feet; thence
- 8. Running southwesterly by a left line curve, R=751.20 feet for 472.00 feet; thence,
- 9. South 03° 12' 50" East, 50.36 feet; thence,
- 10. Running southwesterly by a right line curve, R= 360.00 feet for 63.69 feet, to the point of beginning.

Containing 615,067.20 square feet or 14.12 acres, more or less.

# PARCEL 2, PART OF LOT 2

Beginning for the same at the point located 2,470 feet, more or less, Northwesterly (North 49°01'52" West) from the intersection of the centerline of McCormick Road (70 feet wide) with the centerline of International Circle (70 feet wide) thence running the following courses and distances:

- 1. North 48° 28' 13" West, 90.00 feet; thence,
- 2. North 41° 31' 47" East, 280.00 feet; thence,
- 3. North 48° 28' 13" West, 80.00 feet; thence,
- 4. North 41° 31' 47" East, 355.00 feet; thence,

- 5. South 48° 28' 13" East, 170.00 feet; thence,
- 6. South 41° 31' 47" West, 635.00 feet, to the point of beginning.

Containing 85,550 square feet or 1.964 acres, more or less.

This description is intended for zoning purposes only and shall not be used for conveyance of land.

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# DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS, APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS ZONING REVIEW OFFICE

# 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 legal owner/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 legal owner/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:
Case Number: 2015-0203-SPHA
Property Address: 311 International Circle
Property Description:
Legal Owners (Petitioners): LOSP 3 Md 4 LLC
Contract Purchaser/Lessee: NA
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Name: 6. Scott Barhight, Esq.
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Towson, MD 21204

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# NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

The Administrative Law Judge 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 NUMBER: 2015-0203-SPHA

311 International Circle

NW/s International Circle, 2470 ft. NW of centerline of McCormick Road

8<sup>th</sup> Election District – 3<sup>rd</sup> Councilmanic District

Legal Owners: LSOP 3 Md 4, LLC, Michael Bradley, CIO

**Special Hearing** to amend previously approved site plan in Case No. 97-559-SPHA; to confirm the continuation of the non-conforming use of commercial parking in the RC-6 zone; to determine whether the storage of communication equipment (accessory use) must be located within permanent containment structures. **Variance** to permit the storage of communication equipment (accessory use) outside of the permanent containment structures.

Hearing: Monday, May 4, 2015 at 1:30 p.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

Arnold Jablon

Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections for Baltimore County

NOTES: (1) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS OFFICE AT 410-887-3868.

(2) FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THE ZONING REVIEW OFFICE AT 410-887-3391.



KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

March 24, 2015

ARNOLD JABLON
Deputy Administrative Officer
Director, Department of Permits,
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C: G. Scott Barhight, Esq., 1 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Ste. 300, Towson 21204 Michael Bradley, Two Post Road West, Westport CT 06880

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2015.

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# **CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

**ATTENTION: KRISTEN LEWIS** 

**DATE:** 4/13/2015

Case Number: 2015-0203-SPHA

Petitioner / Developer: G. SCOTT BARHIGHT, ESQ. of WHITEFORD,

TAYLOR & PRESTON, L.L.P. ~ MICHAEL BRADLEY

Date of Hearing (Closing): MAY 4, 2015

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: 311 INTERNATIONAL CIRCLE

The sign(s) were posted on: APRIL 12, 2015



Linda O'Keefe
(Signature of Sign Poster)

Linda O'Keefe
(Printed Name of Sign Poster)

523 Penny Lane (Street Address of Sign Poster)

Hunt Valley, Maryland 21030 (City, State, Zip of Sign Poster)

410 – 666 – 5366 (Telephone Number of Sign Poster)



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ARNOLD JABLON, DIRECTOR OF PERMITS, APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY NOTES: (1) Hearings are Handicapped Accessible; for special accommodations Please Contact the Administrative Hearings Office at (410) 887-3868.

(2) For information concerning the File and/or Hearing, Contact the Zoning Review Office at (410) 887-3391. T 4/103 April 14

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE

311 International Circle; NW/S International Circle, 2470' NW of c/line of McCormick Rd 8<sup>th</sup> Election & 3<sup>rd</sup> Councilmanic Districts

Legal Owner(s): LSOP # Md 4 LLC c/o

Greenfield Partners by Michael Bradley CIO

Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE OFFICE

OF ADMINSTRATIVE

**HEARINGS FOR** 

**BALTIMORE COUNTY** 

2015-203-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.

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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 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2015, a copy of the foregoing

Entry of Appearance was mailed to G. Scott Barhight, Esquire, Whiteford, Taylor & Preston,

One West Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 300, Towson, Maryland 21204, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

Peter Max Zummerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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Exhibit Sheet

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Petitioner/Developer

No. 1	Site plan	
No. 2	2A-Order#95-305-X 2B-Sitz plan for above	·
No. 3	3A-Order# 97-559-SPH 3B-Siteplan in above	
No. 4	Overall Aerial Exhibit	
No. 5	Aerial photo exhibit	
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CASE NUMBER 2015 - 203-58-4A
DATE 5415

# PETITIONER'S SIGN-IN SHEET

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# CHECKLIST

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING \* BEFORE THE

AND VARIANCE - NW/S International

Circle, 2,634' NW McCormick Road \* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

(309 International Circle)

8th Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

3rd Councilmanic District

\* Case No. 97-559-SPHA

Light Street Partners Longview L.P. Petitioners \*

# FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the Owners of the subject property, Light Street Partners Longview Limited Partnership, by Charles R. Werhane, President, through their attorney, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. The Petitioners seek approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in Case No. 95-305-X and a variance from Section 205.4.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to modify the permitted building height from 60 feet to 71 feet for an existing building. The subject property, also known as Lot 2A of Parcel 1 of the Longview Executive Park, is located across from Shawan Center in Hunt Valley, and is more particularly described on the site plan submitted, which was accepted and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Appearing at the hearing on behalf of the Petitions were John Howard and Robert A. Hoffman, Attorneys at Law with Venable, Baetjer and Howard, Ed Haile and Melanie Moser with Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc. who prepared the site plan for this property, and Bill Mihn, a representative of USF&G Pegasus Partners, a General Partner. There were no Protestants or other interested persons present.

Testimony and evidence offered revealed that the property which is the subject of these requests consists of 14.12 acres, more or less,

lished that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the subject building and that strict compliance with the zoning regulations would be impractical inasmuch as the building has existed in its present condition for over five years. It is clear that the relief requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare, and meets the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

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

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 205.4.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to modify the permitted building height from 60 feet to 71 feet for the existing building, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restriction:

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

TIMOTHY M. KUTROCO

Deputy Zoning Commissioner

for Baltimore County

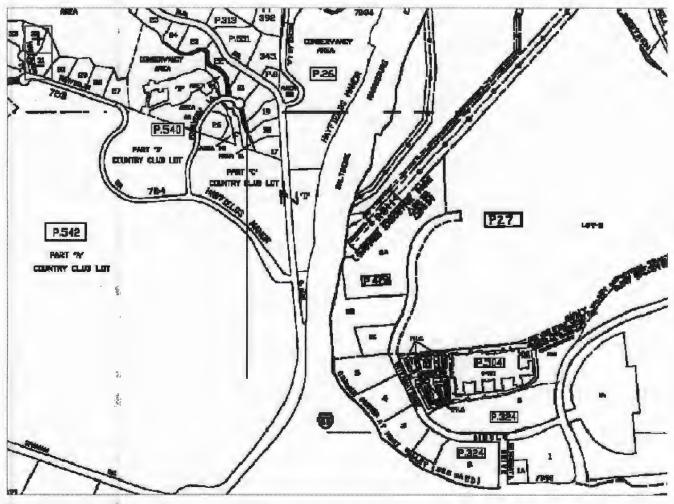
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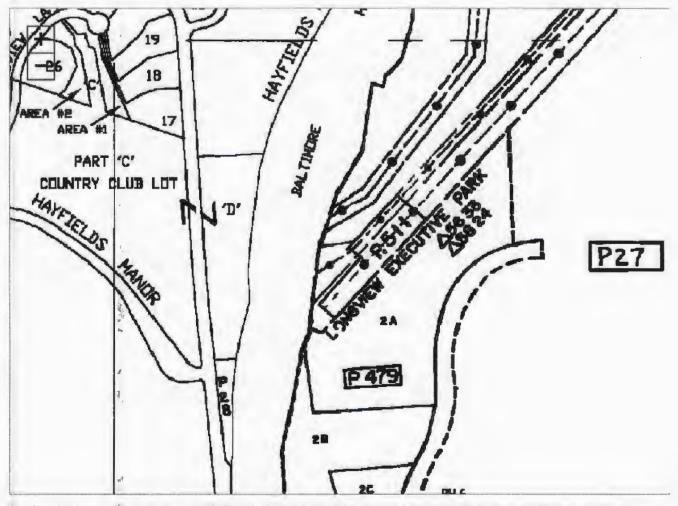
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Deputy Administrative Officer
Director, Department of Permits,
Approvals & Inspections

April 29, 2015

LSOP 3 Md 4, LLC C/O Greenfield Partners, LLC Michael Bradley CIO Two Post Road West Westport CT 06880

RE: Case Number: 2015-0203 SPHA, Address: 311 International Circle

Dear Mr. Bradley:

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits, Approvals, and Inspection (PAI) on March 17, 2015. 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

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Enclosures

c: People's Counsel G. Scott Barhight, Esquire, 1 W Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 300, Towson MD 21204

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

# INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon

**DATE:** April 27, 2015

Deputy Administrative Officer and

Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

Andrea Van Arsdale

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Director, Department of Planning

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SUBJECT:

311 International Circle

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

INFORMATION:

Item Number:

15-203

Petitioner:

LSOP 3 Md 4 LLC

c/o Greenfield Partners, LLC - Michael Bradley, CIO

Zoning:

RC 6, OT

Requested Action:

Special Hearing, Variance

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Deputy Director: AVA/KS

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Larry Hogan, Governor Boyd Rutherford, Lt. Governor

Pete K. Rahn, Secretary Melinda Peters, Administrator

Date: 3/23/15

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

RE: **Baltimore County** 

Item No 2015 - 8203-5PHA Special Heaving Variance 150P# Md4 LLC of Greenfield Partners LLC MichaelBradley 311 Taternationa Circle.

Dear Ms. Lewis:

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. 2015-0203-SPAIA.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Richard Zeller at 410-545-5598 or 1-800-876-4742 (in Maryland only) extension 5598, or by email at (rzeller@sha.state.md.us).

Sincerely

Steven D. Foster, Chief/ Development Manager

Access Management Division

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# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

**DATE:** March 25, 2015

Department of Permits, Approvals

And Inspections

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

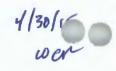
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Item No. 2015-0203, 0204 and 0205

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

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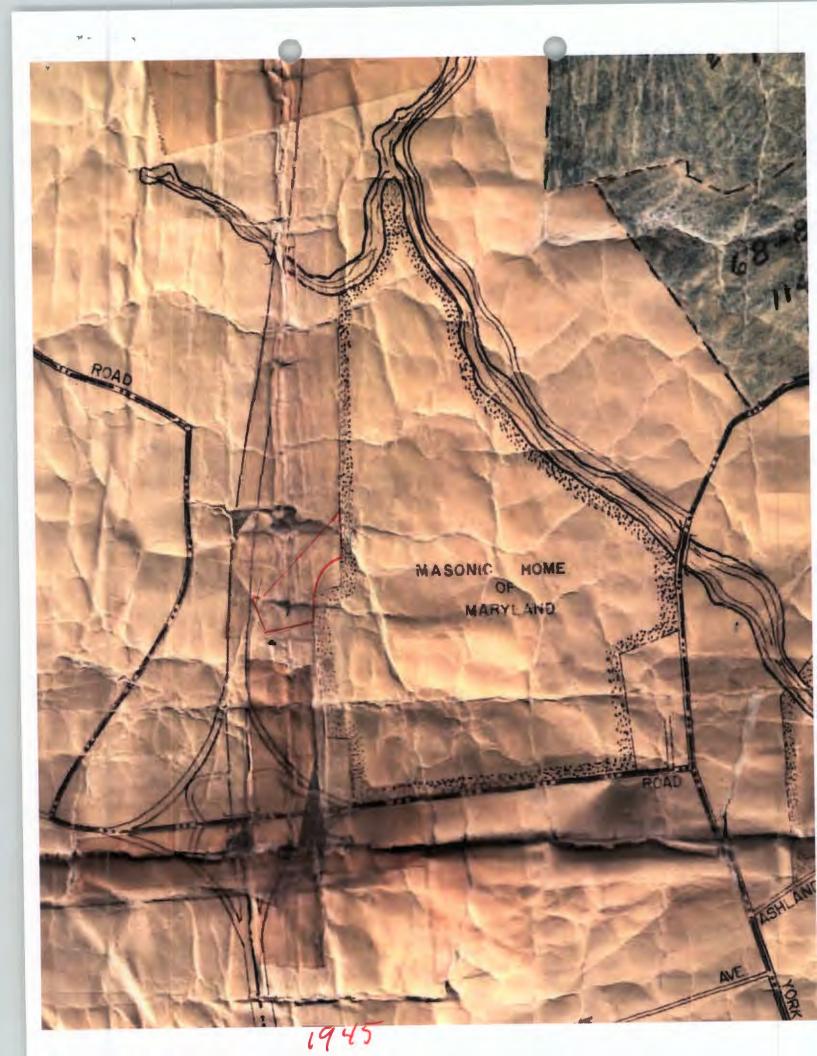
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**Deputy Director:** 



# ELECTION DISTRICT OF BALTIMORE SECTION "C"

SCALE-1"= 1250"

### LEGEND

- "A" RESIDENCE ZONE- R-6

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- "D" RESIDENCE ZONE - R G

- "E" COMMERCIAL ZONE- BL

-"F"INDUSTRIAL ZONE - ML

- "6" INDUSTRIAL ZOES - MH

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IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION

NW/S International Circle, 1580'

+/- NW of c/l International Dr. \* ZONING COMMISSIONER

307 International Circle 8th Election District 3rd Councilmanic District

Legal Owner: Longview Executive \* Case No. 95-305-X

Park Ltd. Partnership

Lessee: American PCS, L.P.

BEFORE THE

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception for the property located at 307 International Circle in Hunt Valley section of Baltimore County. The Petition is filed by the Longview Executive Park Limited Partnership, property owner, and Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire on behalf of American PCS, L.P., (hereinafter known as "APC"), Lessee. APC is a cellular communications company which, through the Petition, seeks approval to install a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing held for this case was Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire, General Counsel on behalf of APC. Also appearing from APC were Greg Sarro and Stacey M. Mudd. Andrew Werchniak a consultant with Moffet, Larson and Johnson, Inc., and Mike Maguire from Daft, Mcune and Walker also appeared on behalf of the Petition. The Petitioners were represented by Christine K. McSherry, Esquire. William C. McDonnell also appeared as an interested person.

Testimony and evidence offered was that the subject site is 14.12 acres in area and is zoned 0-1. The property is adjacent to International Circle and Shawan Road in Hunt Valley. The property abuts I-83, (Baltimore-Harrisburg Expressway). Presently the site is improved with a six story Class C office building which is leased to PH&H Corporation. The building is approximately 70 to 80 ft. high.

APC is in the business of providing cellular communication to the public. The company offers not only cellular telephone technology but also information and data transmission through a cellular network. As is the case with all cellular communication providers, the communication network established is connected by a series of grids in which interconnected communication towers and antennas are situated. APC is presently establishing its communication infrastructure in Baltimore County. The cell which would be located in northern Baltimore County is in need of a location to place antennas so as to provide uninterrupted service. The Petitioners have entered into a tentative lease agreement with the property owner for the subject site to place six antennas on top of the existing building. equipment cabinets will also be installed. The antennas are relatively small approximately 53-1/2" tall, 6.3" wide and 2.7" deep. The equipment cabinets, themselves, are also small, approximately 4-1/2 ft. The antennas, once installed, will be unmanned. Moreover, they will not interfere with radio or television transmission traffic in the vicinity. They would not generate any traffic but for routine maintenance calls. Per the envi-

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, all of which was uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Special Exception. It is clear that the proposed use at the subject site will not be detrimental to the health, safety and general welfare of the locale. The proposed use, as shown on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1, the site plan, shall, therefore, be approved.

ronmental impact statement submitted (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 3), the

antennas will cause no detriment to the surrounding locale.

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

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THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this 13 day of April, 1995 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Exception, approval to allow a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

1. The Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING \* BEFORE THE

AND VARIANCE - NW/S International

Circle, 2,634' NW McCormick Road \* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

(309 International Circle)

8th Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

3rd Councilmanic District

Case No. 97-559-SPHA

Light Street Partners Longview L.P.

Petitioners

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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the Owners of the subject property, Light Street Partners Longview Limited Partnership, by Charles R. Werhane, President, through their attorney, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. The Petitioners seek approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in Case No. 95-305-X and a variance from Section 205.4.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to modify the permitted building height from 60 feet to 71 feet for an existing building. The subject property, also known as Lot 2A of Parcel 1 of the Longview Executive Park, is located across from Shawan Center in Hunt Valley, and is more particularly described on the site plan submitted, which was accepted and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

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An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

- 1) whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;
- 2) whether a grant of the variance would do a substantial justice to the applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give sufficient relief; and,
- 3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28 (1974).

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship will result if the special hearing and variance are not granted. It has been estab-

lished that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the subject building and that strict compliance with the zoning regulations would be impractical inasmuch as the building has existed in its present condition for over five years. It is clear that the relief requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare, and meets the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of July, 1997 that the Petition for Special Hearing seeking approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in Case No. 95-305-X to reflect the proposed modification, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance seeking relief from Section 205.4.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to modify the permitted building height from 60 feet to 71 feet for the existing building, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restriction:

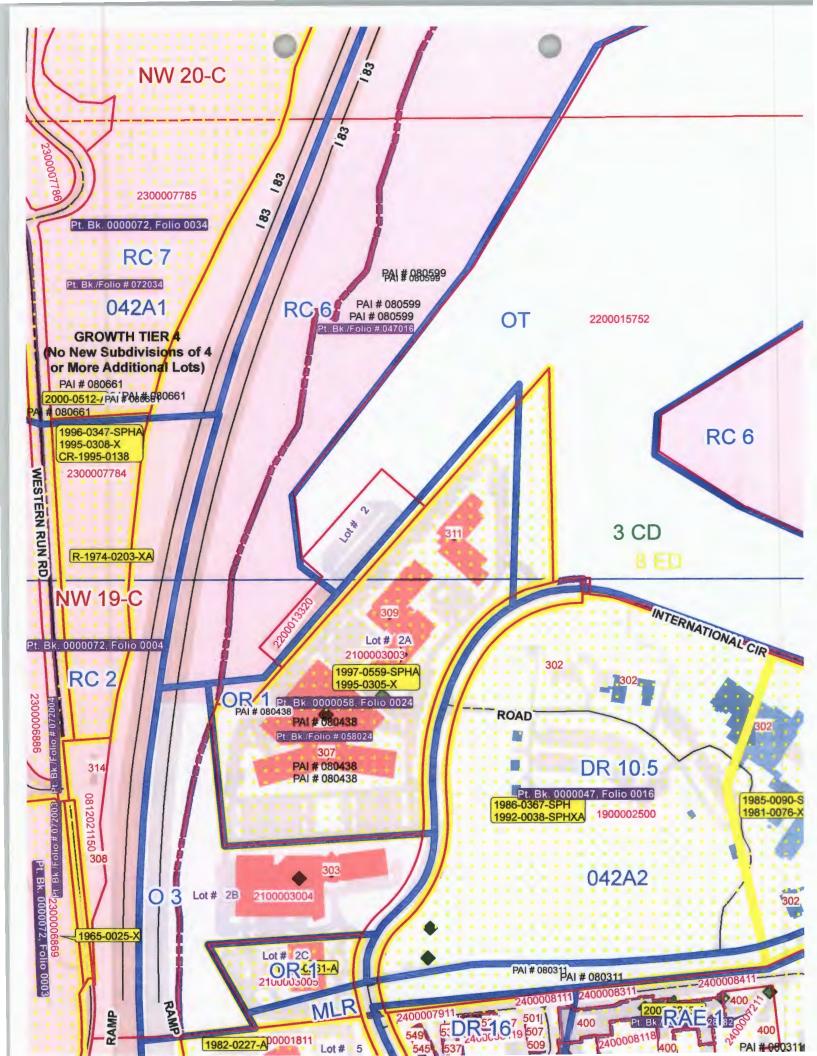
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Deputy Zoning Commissioner

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March 16, 2015

Via Hand Delivery
W. Carl Richards
Baltimore County Zoning Office

Baltimore County Zoning Office 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

Re: 311 International Circle

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Dear Mr. Richards:

JOHN B. GONTRUM

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Thank you for your kind consideration in this matter. In accordance with conversations between yourself and Scott Barhight of this office, I am now "drop filing" a Petition for Special Hearing and Variance for the above referenced property on behalf of our client, the property owner and applicant herein.

There are no active or outstanding violation cases on the property. Enclosed please find all required materials, as well as a check in the amount of \$1,000.00 covering the filing fee. Please set this matter in for a hearing as soon as possible. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

John B. Gartner Jb

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Re:

LSOP 3 MD 4, LLC c/o Greenfield Partners, LLC

311 International Circle Case No. 2015-203-A

Dear Judge Beverungen,

Upon further review of this case, having had the opportunity to speak with Petitioner's counsel, and considering the totality of circumstances, history of the matter, location near the interstate highway, and existing development, I have reconsidered the position expressed in my letter dated April 28, 2015. My concerns do not rise to the level of public interest to warrant continued concern or challenge to this petition.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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This petition requests an amendment to the site plan in Case 97-559-SPHA. It asks "To confirm the continuation of the non-conforming use of commercial parking in the R.C. 6 Zone" (BCZR Sec. 1A07, Rural Conservation and Residential Zone) and "to determine whether the storage of communication equipment (accessory use) must be located within permanent containment structures per BCZR Section 209.7.D." The latter request involves the O.T. (Office and Technology) Zone.

#### The Property

There are two adjoining parcels shown on the site plan. They have separate SDAT real property data reports, attached. The corporate (LLC) petitioner owns both parcels.

307 International Circle is Parcel 2A, 14.115 acres. The primary structure is stated as built in 1988. There are actually three office buildings on the parcel -- one six-story building and two one-story brick and glass buildings – and a two-story parking garage. Shawan Road, named Lot 2, has 1.964 acres. There is no listed primary structure. We could not find an SDAT for 311 International Circle, the address on the petition.

#### The Current Zone Splits

Parcel 2A is zoned OR-1 (BCZR Sec. 205, Office Building-Residential). Parcel 2 is split-zoned O.T. and R.C. 6.The My Neighborhood Map is attached. The zoning history is relevant to the nonconforming use issue. We shall discuss it below.

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#### The Site Plan

The site plan is a marked-up version of the site plan in Case 97-559-SPHA. This makes it difficult to parse. Based on the markup, the main new addition appears to be a new a new proposed storage facility of 13,050 feet in the O.T. Zone portion of Parcel 2, effectively removing existing parking spaces. The site plan states that the storage area will be used for communication equipment and will include outdoor storage area and permanent containment structures. However, it does not delineate the location and extent of the outdoor area and/or the structures. According to Note 8:

"Existing use: macadam lot for commercial parking"

"Proposed use: establishment for service and repair of communication equipment, parking lot, and accessory uses"

The site plan shows the R.C. 6 Zone has replaced the R.C. 4 Zone on the 1997 site plan. The site plan also mentions a 1995 case, No. 95-305-X. The same area was then zoned D.R. 1. We attach microfilm records of both these cases, with the 1995 case followed by the 1997 case.

#### The 1995 and 1997 Cases

The 1995 case involved a petition for special exception to place antennas atop the existing office building on Parcel 2A (the primary structure apparently built in 1988, according to SDAT). Zoning Commissioner Lawrence Schmidt granted the special exception on April 13, 1995. The opinion described the zoning classification as O-1, but the O-1 Zone was renamed and replaced as the O.R. 1 Zone by Bill 186-1994. Apparently, it took a while for that change to be reflected on the available maps.

The 1997 case involved the same office building on Parcel 2A. This time, it was for a variance for the height of the existing building. In the course of contract negotiations for a change in ownership, the zoning review reflected that the six-story building height of 71 feet exceeded the permitted 60 feet in the OR-1 Zone. Deputy Zoning Commissioner Timothy Kotroco granted the variance on July 28, 1997.

#### Discussion: The Purported Non-Conforming Use

The present petition focuses on a different location and subject-matter from the 1995 and 1997 petitions. The proposed storage area is on a different parcel and involves a different use than previously at issue. To present it merely as a modification of the 1997 site plan does not reflect the significant differences in these cases.

The R.C. 6 Zone parking area involves business parking in a residential zone, traditionally subject to BCZR Sec. 409.8.B use permit/special exception review. The R.C. 6 Zone is a defined residential zone. BCZR Sec. 101.1. The R.C. 4 and D.R. 1 Zones likewise are residential zones. We requested from the zoning office the zoning history, and we attach the documents received to date. This particular section has historically been zoned residential. The entire property was zoned residential until 1984, when the greater part was comprehensively zoned to O-1, which apparently made possible an office development.

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There is no information that there ever has been a petition for use permit under BCZR Sec. 409.8.B for parking in this residential zone. This parking likely came about in 1988, at the time of the development of the primary structure on Lot 2A. All of the available information shows there is no legal non-conforming use. BCZR Sec. 101.1, 104. Rather, there was an oversight in failing to file the requisite petition for the parking section within the D.R. 1 Zone circa 1988; and this has never been corrected.

Even if there were ever a legal non-conforming use, the change and expansion to add the storage area with attendant parking would terminate such use. BCZR Sec. 104.1. Prince George's County v. E.L. Gardner 293 Md. 259 (1982); Purich v. Draper Properties 395 Md. 694 (2006). Also, with the change to the R.C. 6 Zone, BCZR Sec. 1A07.3.A.7.D provides explicitly for parking as an accessory use, subject to BCZR Section 409.

There is no basis for the acceptance of this parking area as a non-conforming use.

#### R.C. 6 and OR-1 Zone and CMDP Standards

The proposed parking area in the R.C. 6 Zone does not meet R.C. 6 Zone area and performance standards. BCZR Sec. 1A07.8.B.6 limits impervious surface coverage for nonresidential development to 10% of the lot. The proposed coverage here is about 100%. According to the law, there should not be a parking lot in this R.C. 6 Zone.

There is also a requirement for screening of offstreet parking areas from public roads. BCZR Sec. 1A07.C.3.D. The adjacent public road here is I-83. This issue appears to be academic because the impervious surface coverage limit precludes the parking lot.

According to the data for Parcel 2A, it appears that there are more than enough parking spaces on the entire site to satisfy the parking requirements without the need to maintain a parking lot in the R.C. 6 Zone. So, this parking lot section can be eliminated without any conflict with the minimum parking requirement numbers.

Meanwhile, the OR-1 Zone incorporates the performance standards of the OR-2 Zone. BCZR Sec. 205.4.B, except the height is limited to 60 feet. OR-2 performance standards for Class B office buildings include a minimum net lot area of 25% amenity open space. BCZR Sec. 206.4.C.3. This translates to 3.5 acres on Parcel 2A. It is not shown or indicated on the site plan. In addition, the CMDP requires landscaping and open space network for office developments. Pages 129-132. These are not shown or indicated on the site plan.

#### Note: Off-street Parking Requirements Generally

The site plan shows the parking spaces and aisles meet the dimension and access requirements of BCZR Sec. 409.2 and 409.3. There is no indication, however, of the design, screening, and landscaping required by BCZR Sec. 409.8.A.1 for either the R.C. Zone section or any other part of the larger parking area in the O.T. and O.R. 1 Zones.

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#### Discussion: the Outdoor Storage Area for Communications Equipment

The O.T. Zone "Performance Requirements" explicitly require, among other things, that "Materials and supplies stored outside of the building shall be stored within permanent containment structures." BCZR Sec. 209.7.D. The question is whether a variance is potentially available under BCZR Sec. 307.1. This depends on whether the performance standard is a use or an area requirement. If a use requirement, there is no eligibility for a variance and the request must be denied. If an area requirement, then the petitioner must file a petition for variance. The site plan should also better delineate the location and extent of the outdoor area.

Assuming eligibility for an area variance, we observe that outdoor storage for communications equipment is a matter of choice or convenience. It has nothing to do with "uniqueness" of the property which causes any "practical difficulty." <u>Cromwell v. Ward</u> 102 Md. App. 691 (1995); <u>McLean v. Soley</u> 270 Md. 208 (1974); <u>Trinity Assembly of God v. People's Counsel</u> 407 Md. 53 (2008). It is insufficient to say that outdoor storage may not cause adverse impact to the neighborhood. The legislative policy precludes outdoor storage.

#### Conclusion

The zoning history reflects a serious inattention to compliance with several important relevant zoning laws. The first order of business is to bring this site into compliance before consideration of allowance any communications equipment storage area.

The R.C. 6 Zone parking lot, subject to the use permit requirement for business parking in a residential zone, is not permitted anyway in this R.C. 6 Zone because of the impermeable surface requirements. It must be removed. The existing office building area must comply with the required amenity open space network and landscaping. Once that is done, the proposed storage area may be approved, but only within permanent containment structures.

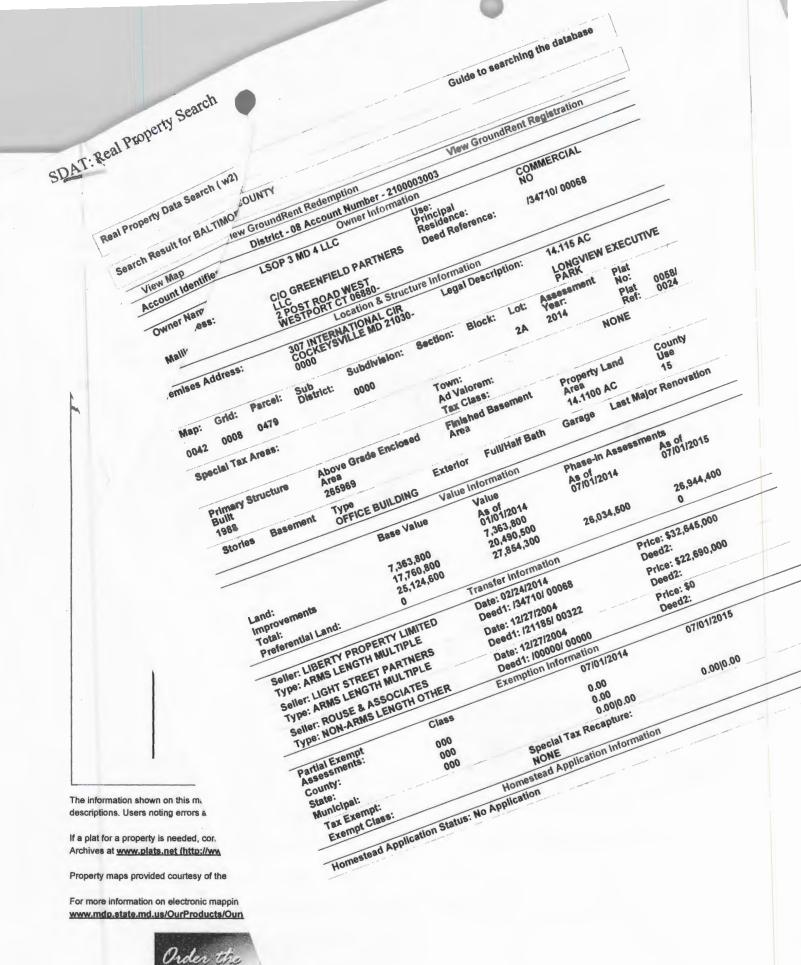
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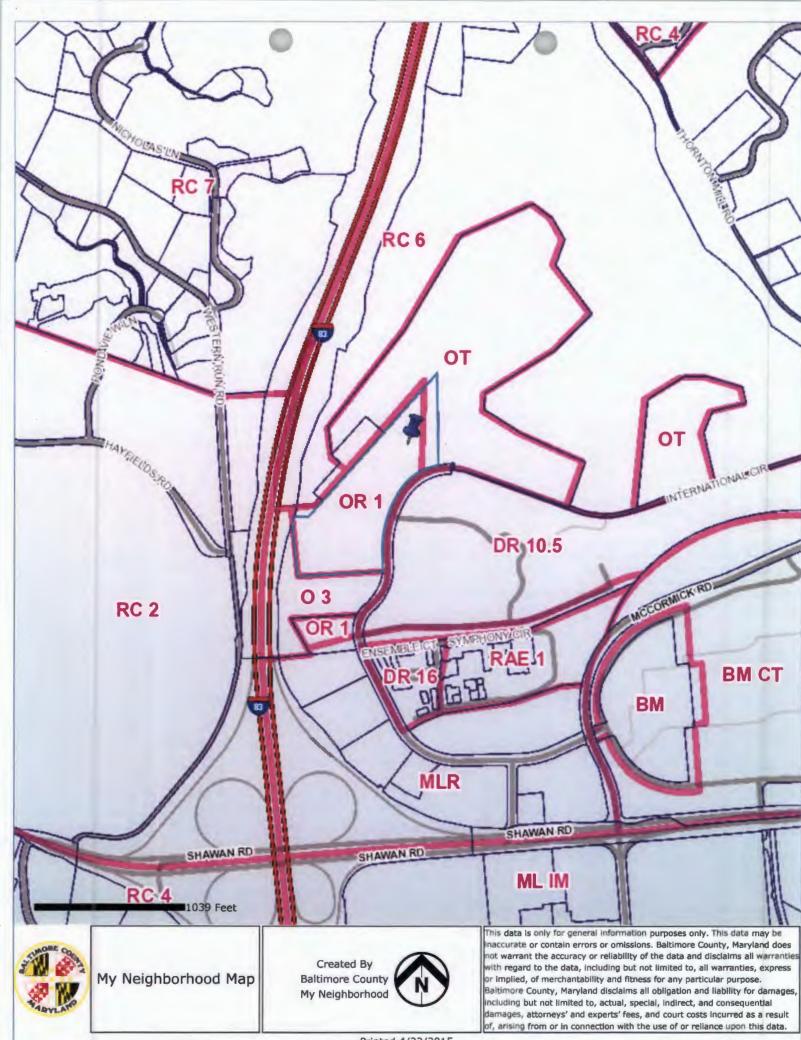
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#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception for the property located at 307 International Circle in Hunt Valley section of Baltimore County. The Petition is filed by the Longview Executive Park Limited Partnership, property owner, and Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire on behalf of American PCS, L.P., (hereinafter known as "APC"), Lessee. APC is a cellular communications company which, through the Petition, seeks approval to install a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing held for this case was Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire, General Counsel on behalf of APC. Also appearing from APC were Greg Sarro and Stacey M. Mudd. Andrew Werchniak a consultant with Moffet, Larson and Johnson, Inc., and Mike Maguire from Daft, Moune and Walker also appeared on behalf of the Petition. The Petitioners were represented by Christine K. McSherry, Esquire. William C. McDonnell also appeared as an interested person.

Testimony and evidence offered was that the subject site is 14.12 agres in area and is zoned 0-1. The property is adjacent to International Circle and Shawan Road in Hunt Valley. The property abuts I-83, (Baltimore-Harrisburg Expressway). Presently the site is improved with a six story Class C office building which is leased to PHSH Corporation. The building is approximately 70 to 80 ft. high.

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APC is in the business of providing cellular communication to the public. The company offers not only cellular telephone technology but also information and data transmission through a cellular network. As is the case with all cellular communication providers, the communication network established is connected by a series of grids in which interconnected communication towers and antennas are situated. APC is presently establishing its communication infrastructure in Baltimore County. The cell which would be located in northern Baltimore County is in need of a location to place antennas so as to provide uninterrupted service. The Petitioners have entered into a tentative lease agreement with the property owner for the subject sits to place six antennas on top of the existing building. Two equipment cabinets will also be installed. The antennas are relatively small approximately 53-1/2" tall, 6.3" wide and 2.7" deep. The equipment cabinets, themselves, are also small, approximately 4-1/2 ft. The antennas, once installed, will be unmanned. Moreover, they will not interfere with radio or television transmission traffic in the vicinity. They would not generate any traffic but for routine maintenance calls. Per the environmental impact statement submitted (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 3), the antennas will cause no detriment to the surrounding locale.

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, all of which was uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Special Exception. It is clear that the proposed use at the subject site will not be detrimental to the health, safety and general welfare of the locale. The proposed use, as shown on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1, the site plan, shall, therefore, be approved.

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

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this Brday of April, 1995 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Exception, approval to allow a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

> 1. The Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

> > AMRENCE E. SCHMIDT

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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## Petition for Special Exception

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at

307 International Circle Hunt Valley, MD 20817

which is presently sound

This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoolog Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal concepts of the property altuate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Exception under the Zonling Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the wheel property for a wireless transmitting and receiving facility.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. L, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon Wing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Saltimers County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Saltimers County.

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Description

To Accompany Petition for Special Exception

14.115 Acre Parcel

Lot 2A, Longview Executive Park

305 - 311 International Circle

Eighth Election District, Baltimore County, Maryland

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Duft-MCune-Waller, Inc

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A Team of Land Planner

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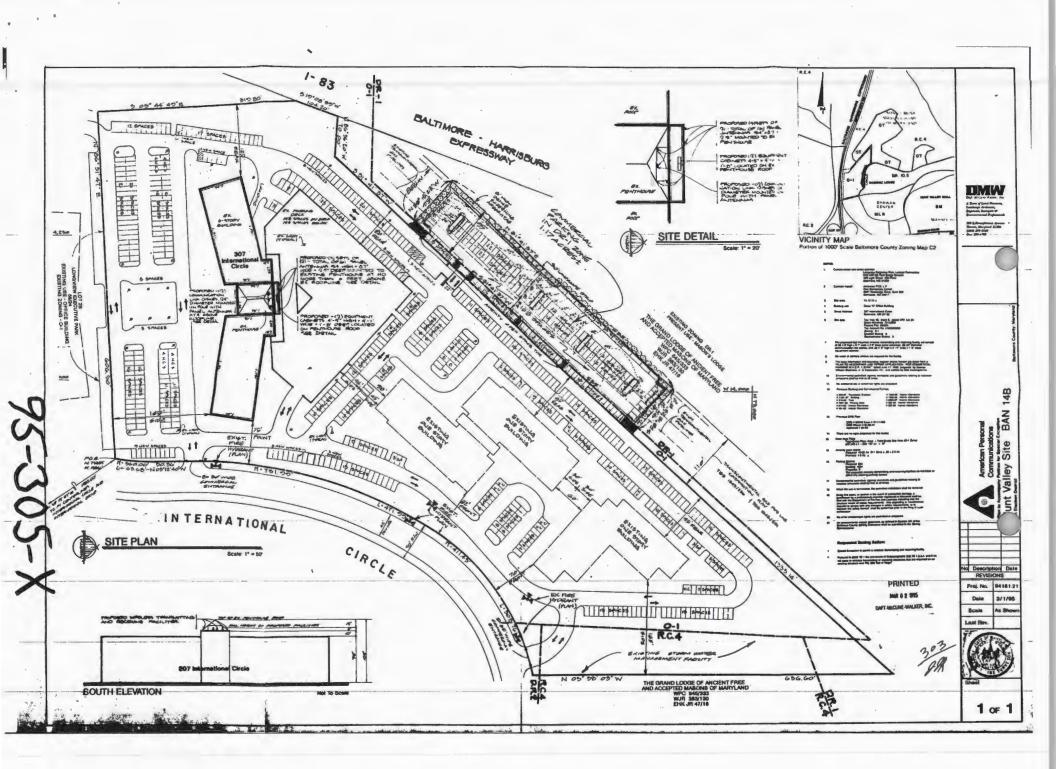
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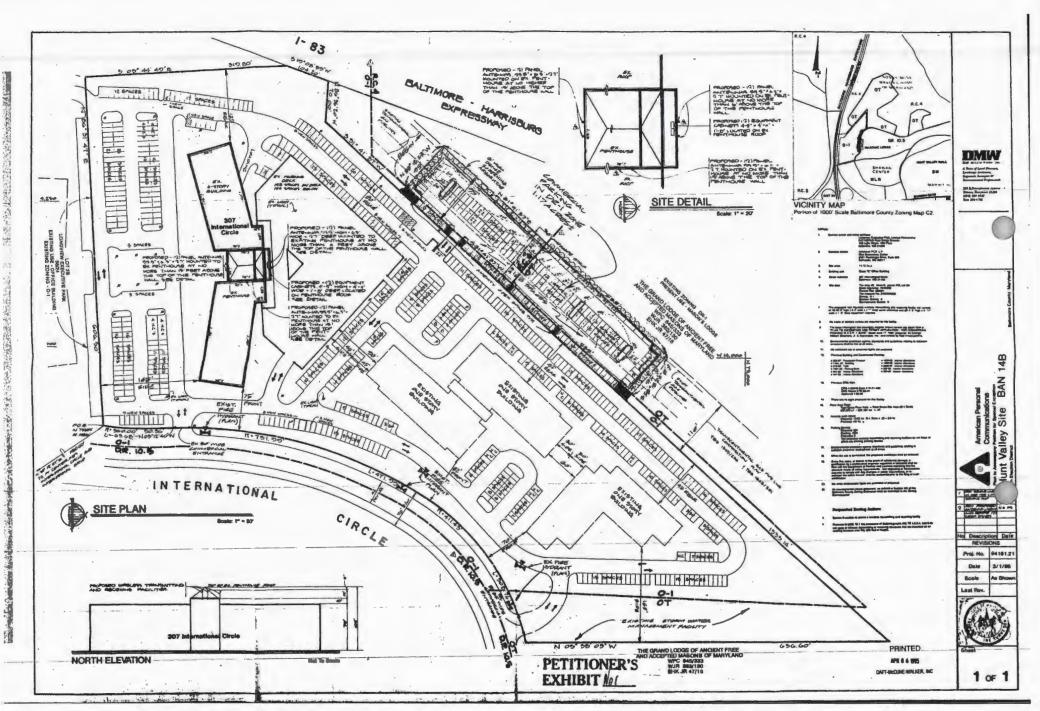
North 54 degrees 17 minutes 17 seconds East 301.57 feet), thence leaving said right-of-way and running the six following courses and distances, viz: (5) North 05 degrees 58 minutes 03 seconds West 636.60 feet, thence (6) South 31 degrees 41 minutes 37 seconds West 1335.14 feet, thence (7) North 86 degrees 36 minutes 20 seconds West 70.00 feet, thence (8) South 19 degrees 08 minutes 59 seconds West 104.20 feet, thence (9) South 05 degrees 44 minutes 49 seconds East 319.80 feet, thence (10) North 86 degrees 31 minutes 47 seconds East 606.50 feet to the point of beginning; containing 14.115 acres of land, more or less.

THIS DESCRIPTION HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR ZONING PURPOSES
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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING \* BEFORE THE

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(309 International Circle) 8th Election District

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

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\* Case No. 97-559-SPHA Light Street Partners Longview L.P.

Petitioners

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Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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## Petition for Special Hearing

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

for the property located at 309 International Circle which is presently zoned on the circle

This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zoning Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the properly situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made part of 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

an amendment to the previously approved site plan in Case No. 95-305-X.

Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.

I, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Hearing advertising, posting, etc., upon filling this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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# Petition for Variance 559

## to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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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 part of hereof, hereby patition for a Variance from Section(s)

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July 28, 1997

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

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE NW/S International Circle, 2,634' NW McCormick Road (309 International Circle) 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District Light Street Partners Longview L.P. - Petitioners Case No. 97-559-SPHA

Dear Messrs. Howard & Hoffman:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance have been granted, in accordance with the attached Order.

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

Very truly yours,

TIMOTHY M. KOTROCO Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

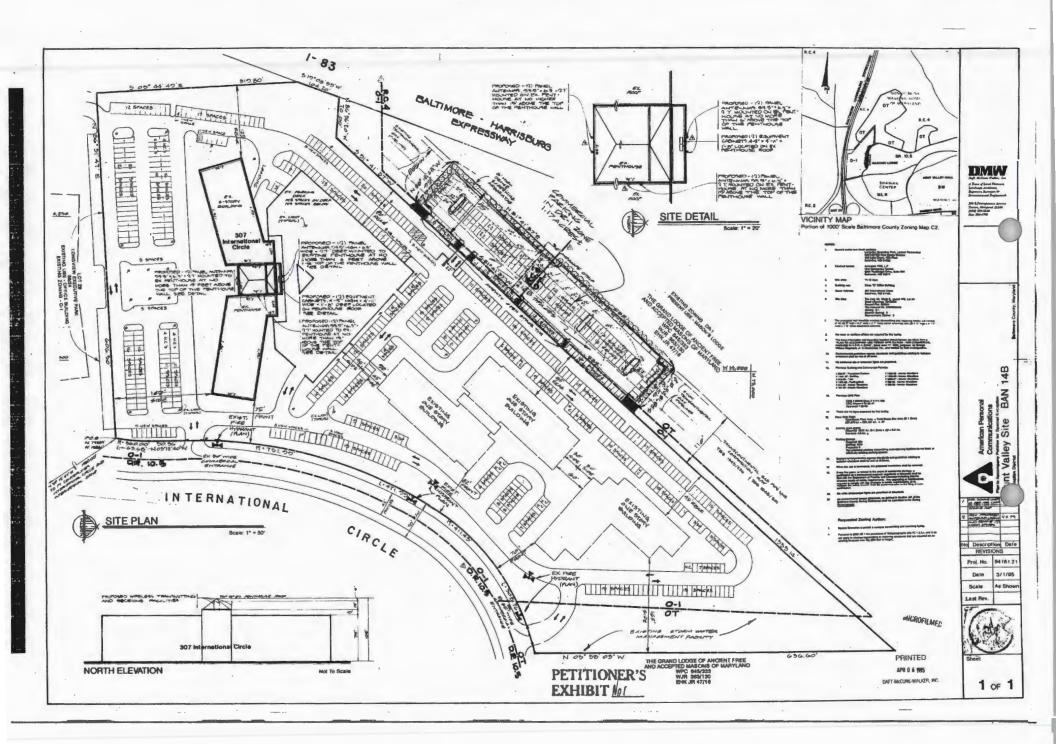
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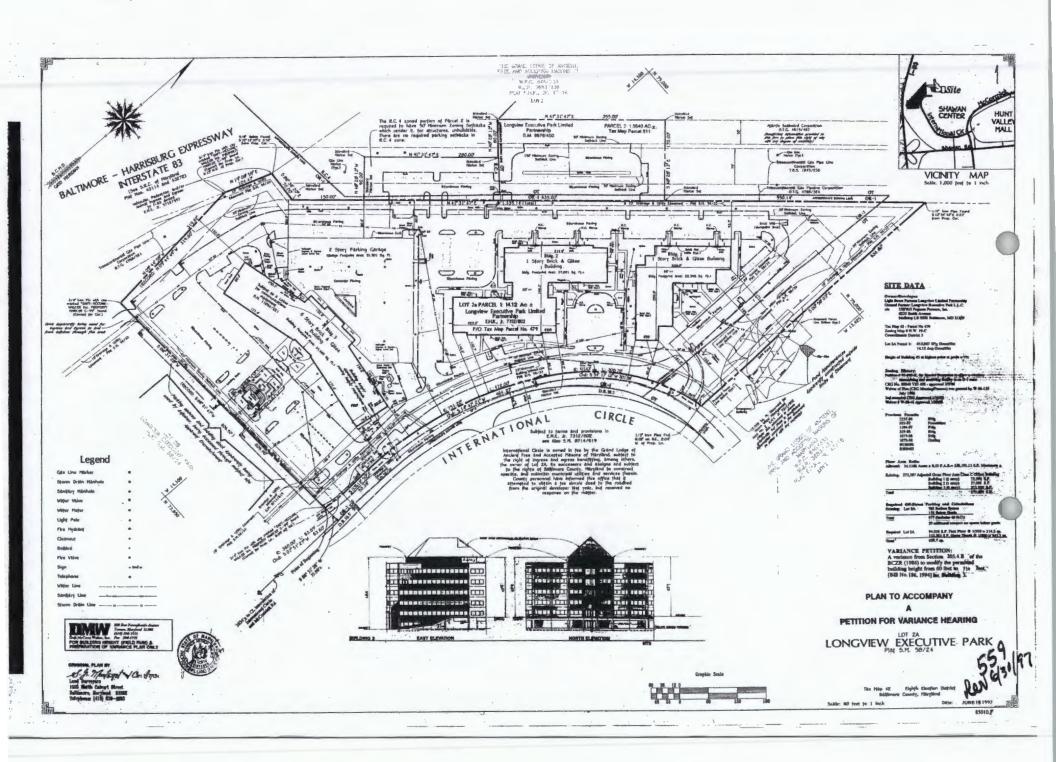
cc: Mr. Charles R. Werhane, President, Light Street Partners c/o Lisa F. Pliskin, Esquire, USF&G Corporation, 6225 Smith Avenue, M.S. LB0301, Baltimore, Md. 21209

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#### **Rebecca Wheatley**

From:

**Peoples Counsel** 

Sent:

Wednesday, April 22, 2015 9:59 AM

To:

Robert David Duvall

Cc:

Carl Richards Jr

Subject:

Zoning History - 307--311 International Circle, Case No.: 2015-203-SPHA

Mr. Duvall

Our office kindly requests a complete zoning history for 307-311 International Circle. The SDAT property Account numbers associated with the properties are 2100003003 and 2200013320. We ask that you send us the information at your earliest convenience. This case will be going before the ALI on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

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NW/S International Circle, 1580'

+/- NW of c/l International Dr. \* ZONING COMMISSIONER

307 International Circle

8th Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

3rd Councilmanic District

Legal Owner: Longview Executive \* Case No. 95-305-X

Park Ltd. Partnership

Lessee: American PCS, L.P. \*

#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception for the property located at 307 International Circle in Hunt Valley section of Baltimore County. The Petition is filed by the Longview Executive Park Limited Partnership, property owner, and Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire on behalf of American PCS, L.P., (hereinafter known as "APC"), Lessee. APC is a cellular communications company which, through the Petition, seeks approval to install a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone.

Appearing at the requisite public hearing held for this case was Margaret C. Ruggieri, Esquire, General Counsel on behalf of APC. Also appearing from APC were Greg Sarro and Stacey M. Mudd. Andrew Werchniak a consultant with Moffet, Larson and Johnson, Inc., and Mike Maguire from Daft, Mcune and Walker also appeared on behalf of the Petition. The Petitioners were represented by Christine K. McSherry, Esquire. William C. McDonnell also appeared as an interested person.

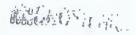
Testimony and evidence offered was that the subject site is 14.12 acres in area and is zoned 0-1. The property is adjacent to International Circle and Shawan Road in Hunt Valley. The property abuts I-83, (Baltimore-Harrisburg Expressway). Presently the site is improved with a six story Class C office building which is leased to PH&H Corporation. The building is approximately 70 to 80 ft. high.

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APC is in the business of providing cellular communication to the public. The company offers not only cellular telephone technology but also information and data transmission through a cellular network. As is the case with all cellular communication providers, the communication network established is connected by a series of grids in which interconnected communication towers and antennas are situated. APC is presently establishing its communication infrastructure in Baltimore County. The cell which would be located in northern Baltimore County is in need of a location to place antennas so as to provide uninterrupted service. The Petitioners have entered into a tentative lease agreement with the property owner for the subject site to place six antennas on top of the existing building. equipment cabinets will also be installed. The antennas are relatively small approximately 53-1/2" tall, 6.3" wide and 2.7" deep. The equipment cabinets, themselves, are also small, approximately 4-1/2 ft. The antennas, once installed, will be unmanned. Moreover, they will not interfere with radio or television transmission traffic in the vicinity. They would not generate any traffic but for routine maintenance calls. Per the environmental impact statement submitted (Petitioner's Exhibit No. 3), the antennas will cause no detriment to the surrounding locale.

Based upon the testimony and evidence offered, all of which was uncontradicted, I am persuaded to grant the Petition for Special Exception. It is clear that the proposed use at the subject site will not be detrimental to the health, safety and general welfare of the locale. The proposed use, as shown on Petitioners' Exhibit No. 1, the site plan, shall, therefore, be approved.

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



THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County this 13 day of April, 1995 that, pursuant to the Petition for Special Exception, approval to allow a wireless transmitting and receiving facility in an 0-1 zone, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restriction which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

1. The Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at its own risk until such time as the 30 day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner for

Baltimore County

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING \* BEFORE THE

AND VARIANCE - NW/S International

Circle, 2,634' NW McCormick Road \* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER

(309 International Circle)

8th Election District \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

3rd Councilmanic District

\* Case No. 97-559-SPHA

Light Street Partners Longview L.P.

Petitioners

#### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

This matter comes before the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by the Owners of the subject property, Light Street Partners Longview Limited Partnership, by Charles R. Werhane, President, through their attorney, Robert A. Hoffman, Esquire. The Petitioners seek approval of an amendment to the previously approved site plan in Case No. 95-305-X and a variance from Section 205.4.B of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to modify the permitted building height from 60 feet to 71 feet for an existing building. The subject property, also known as Lot 2A of Parcel 1 of the Longview Executive Park, is located across from Shawan Center in Bunt Valley, and is more particularly described on the site plan submitted, which was accepted and marked into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

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24 English Saddle Court Parkton, Maryland, 21120 410-343-1208

## **Professional Registration**

Licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Maryland (1995) PE 21245

#### Education

Masters of Science in Civil Engineering, Polytechnic of Bialystok / Technical University, Bialystok, Poland, June 1981, with honors

Essex Community College, Baltimore, MD (1982 - 1984) placed on the Dean's Highest List for Fall, 1983

- Computer Programming
- · Engineering Courses and Learning English language

Continuing Professional Competency: Various courses of study, seminars, webinars, conferences, in-house training

# **Summary of Qualifications**

- Licensed professional engineer with over 30 years of experience in site development engineering, planning and management for various commercial, industrial, institutional and residential projects.
- Background in design, budget management, project scheduling, project coordination with the
  design team, design and construction supervision, obtaining regulatory land-use approvals and
  permits, bidding procedures, and employees training.
- Experience in developing innovative and the most cost effective design solutions.
- Strengths in design and analysis of storm water management facilities, water and wastewater systems, close and open channel drainage systems, site grading, erosion and sediment control, site planning, roads, flood plains.
- Knowledge and experience with preparation of drawings using CADD

# Work Experience:

February 1999 - present

Principal with the engineering firm of Baltimore Land Design Group, Inc., Baltimore, Maryland. Responsible for overall engineering and administrative tasks. Directly responsible for seeking work, contract negotiation, and project management.

Engineering tasks include: comprehensive site planning and design, construction cost estimating, project scheduling, preparation of contract documents or agreements, design of sediment control, storm water management facilities, flood plain studies, public and private infrastructure design.

#### November 1997 - February 1999

Senior Engineer, Matis Warfield, Inc., Baltimore, Maryland. Responsible for all tasks related to management, design and coordination of civil engineering projects. Coordinated work with construction and design teams.

Engineering tasks included: general site planning and design; flood plain studies; design of erosion and sediment control, storm water management facilities, utilities, roads and storm drainage systems; grading studies; earth quantities take-offs; preparation of contract documents; construction cost analysis; obtaining plan approvals and construction permits; on-site inspection; preparation of construction drawings using CADD

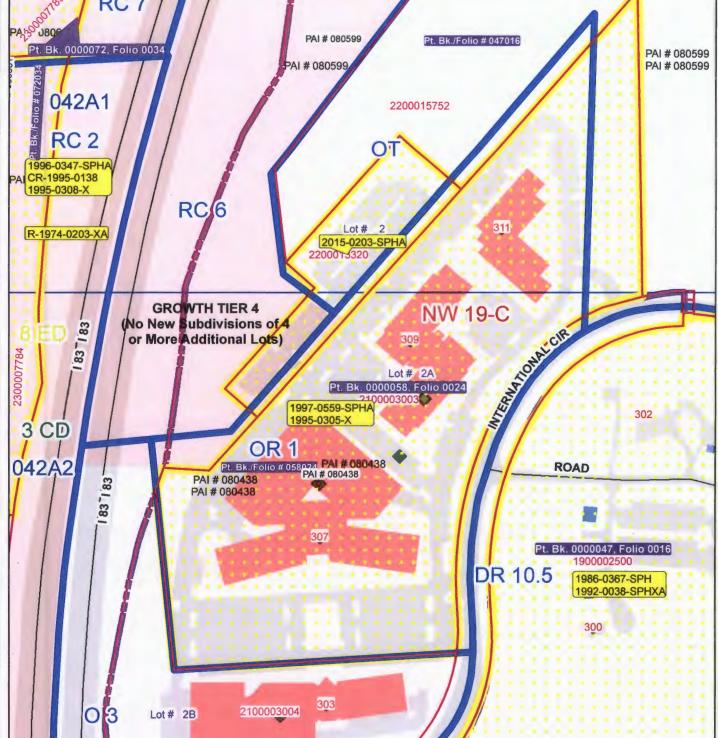
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Senior Associate and Project Manager, George William Stephens, Jr. and Associates, Inc., Baltimore, Maryland. Responsible for overall engineering tasks related to management, design, budgeting and scheduling of the civil engineering projects.

Assisted with preparation of marketing plan for the Company. Prepared competitive proposals for the new projects. Handled employees evaluation. Supervised engineering staff and served as trainer for other engineers and new employees. Assisted with implementing standards for CADD users.

Engineering tasks included: comprehensive site planning and design; design of storm water management, erosion and sediment, grading, utilities, road plans; flood plain studies; analysis and design of storm water systems such as pipes, culverts, bridges; design of sites located within Chesapeake Bay Critical Area; earth quantity take-offs; project scheduling and budgeting; assistance in bidding and contracting construction work; preparation of contract documents; specification writing; expediting submittals and approvals to complete project ahead of schedule.

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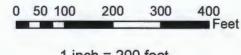


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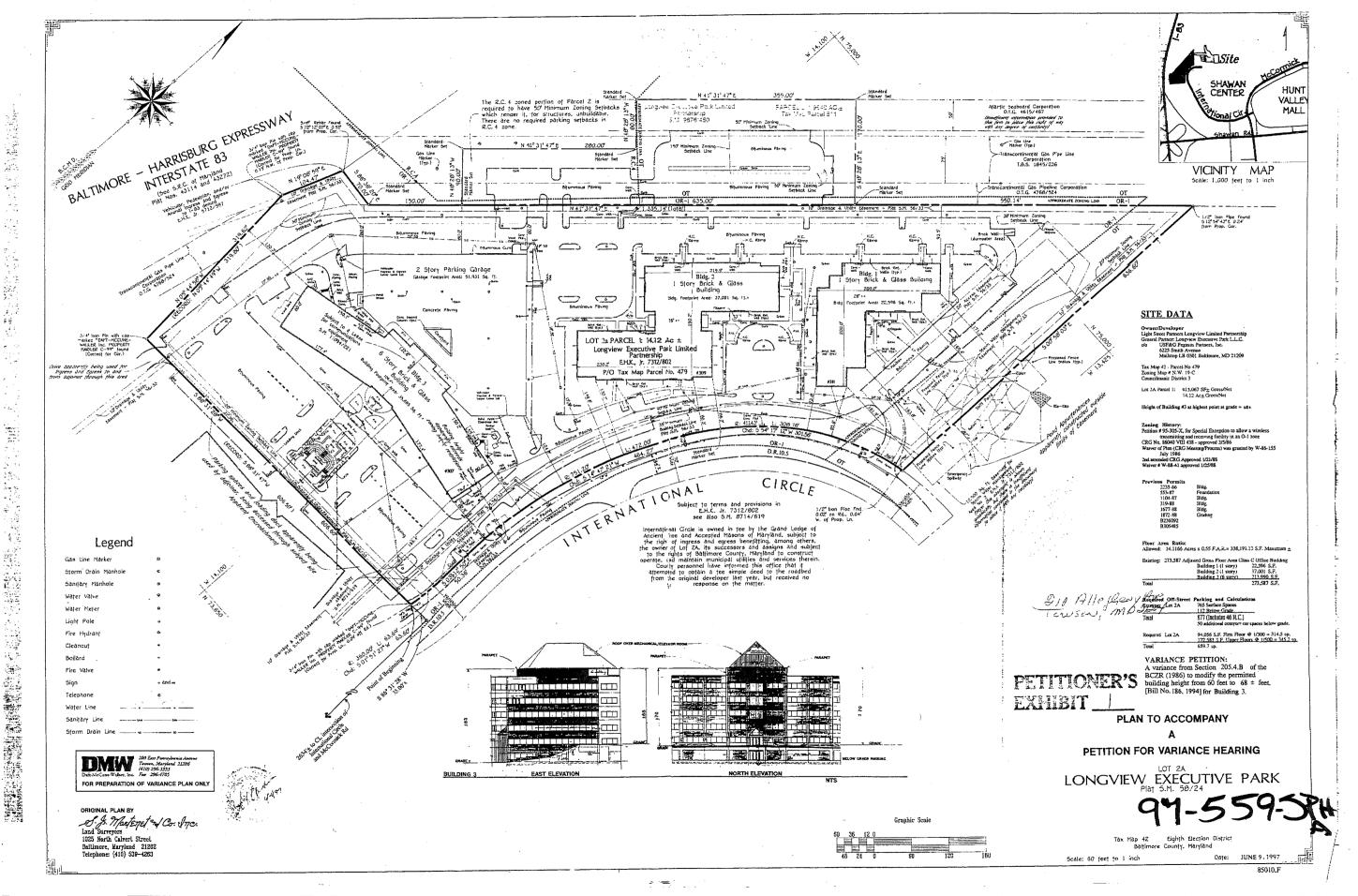


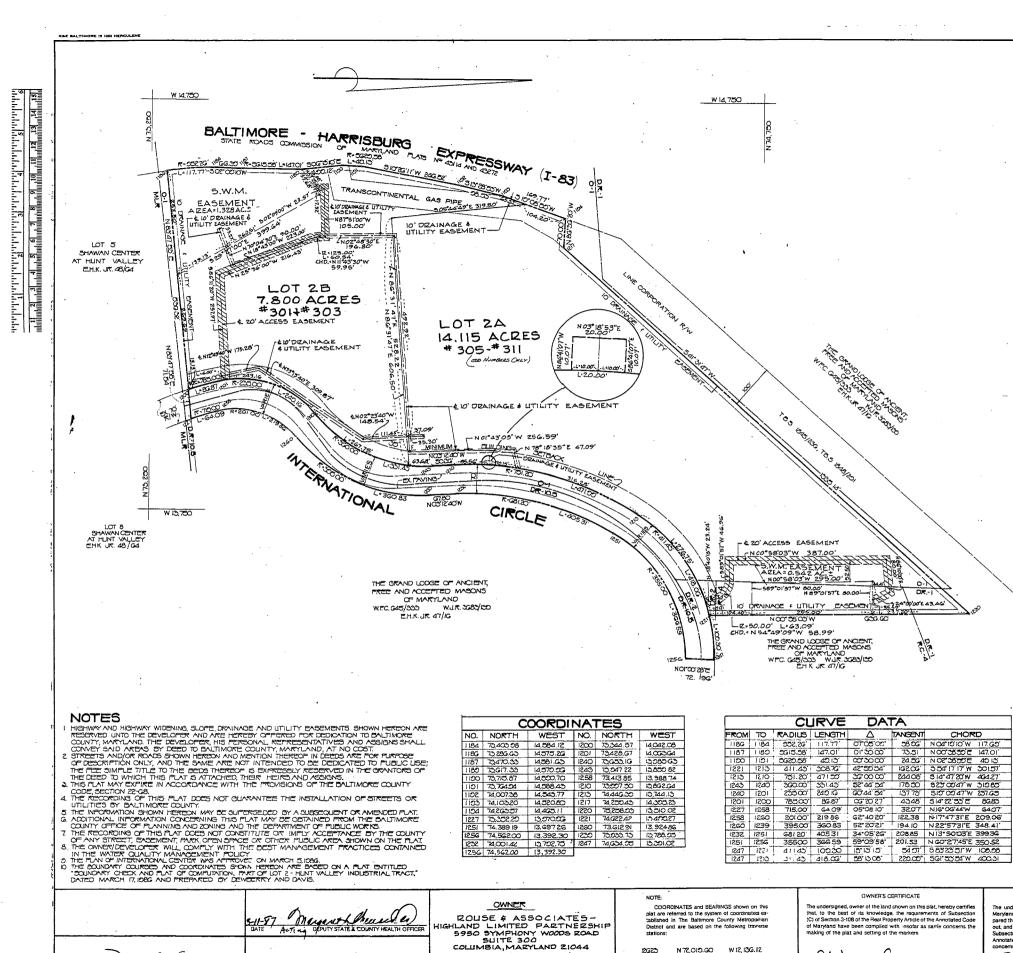
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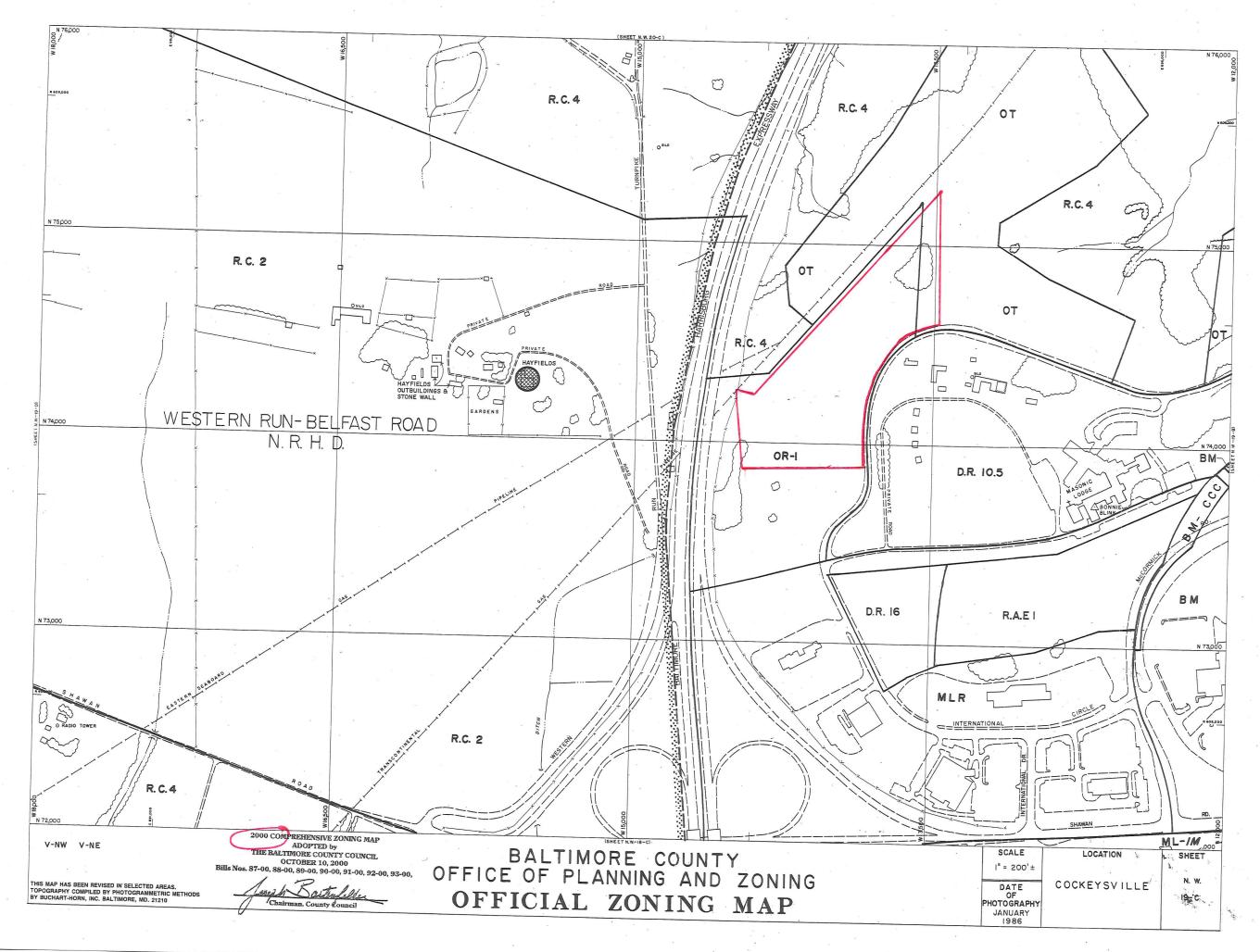
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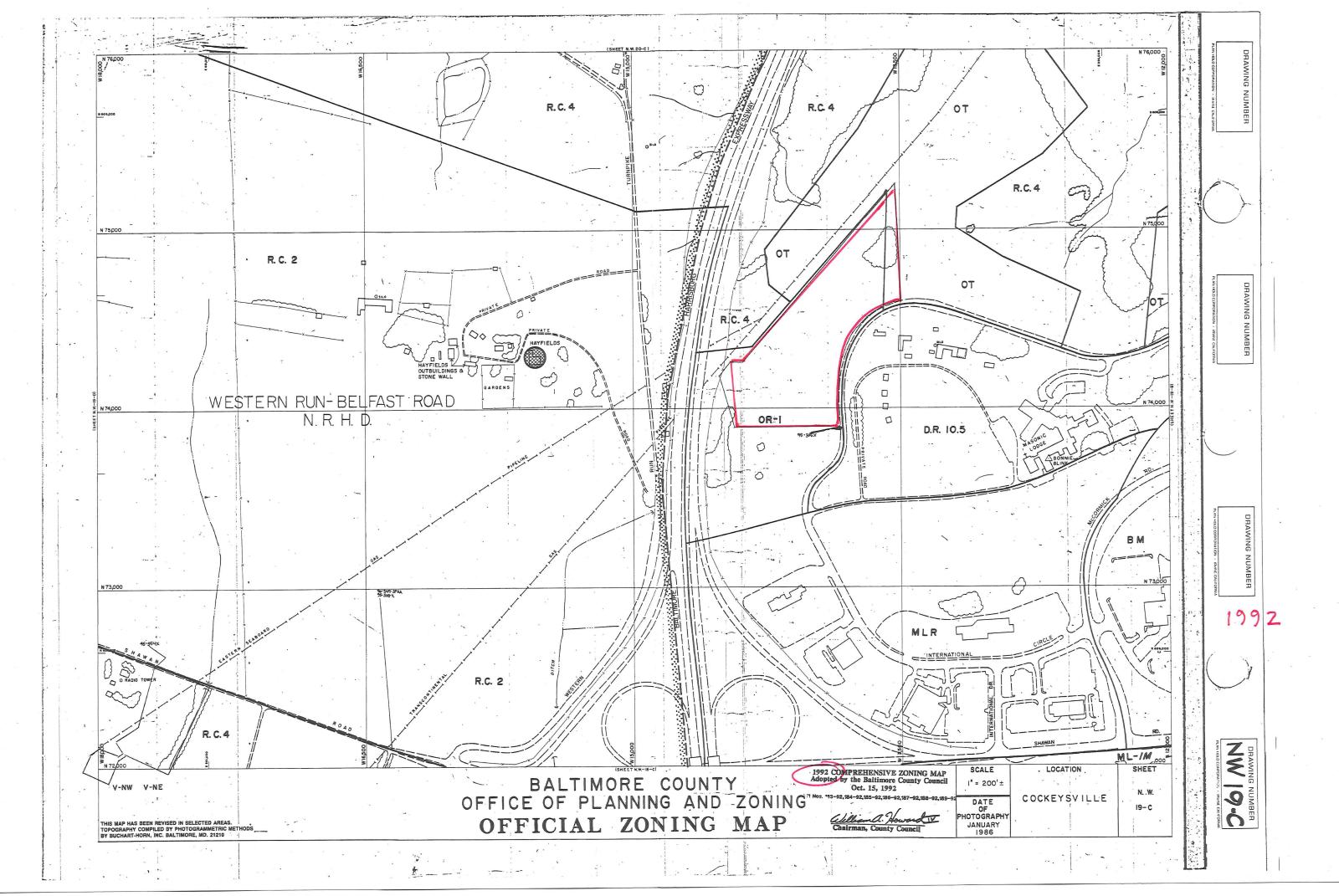


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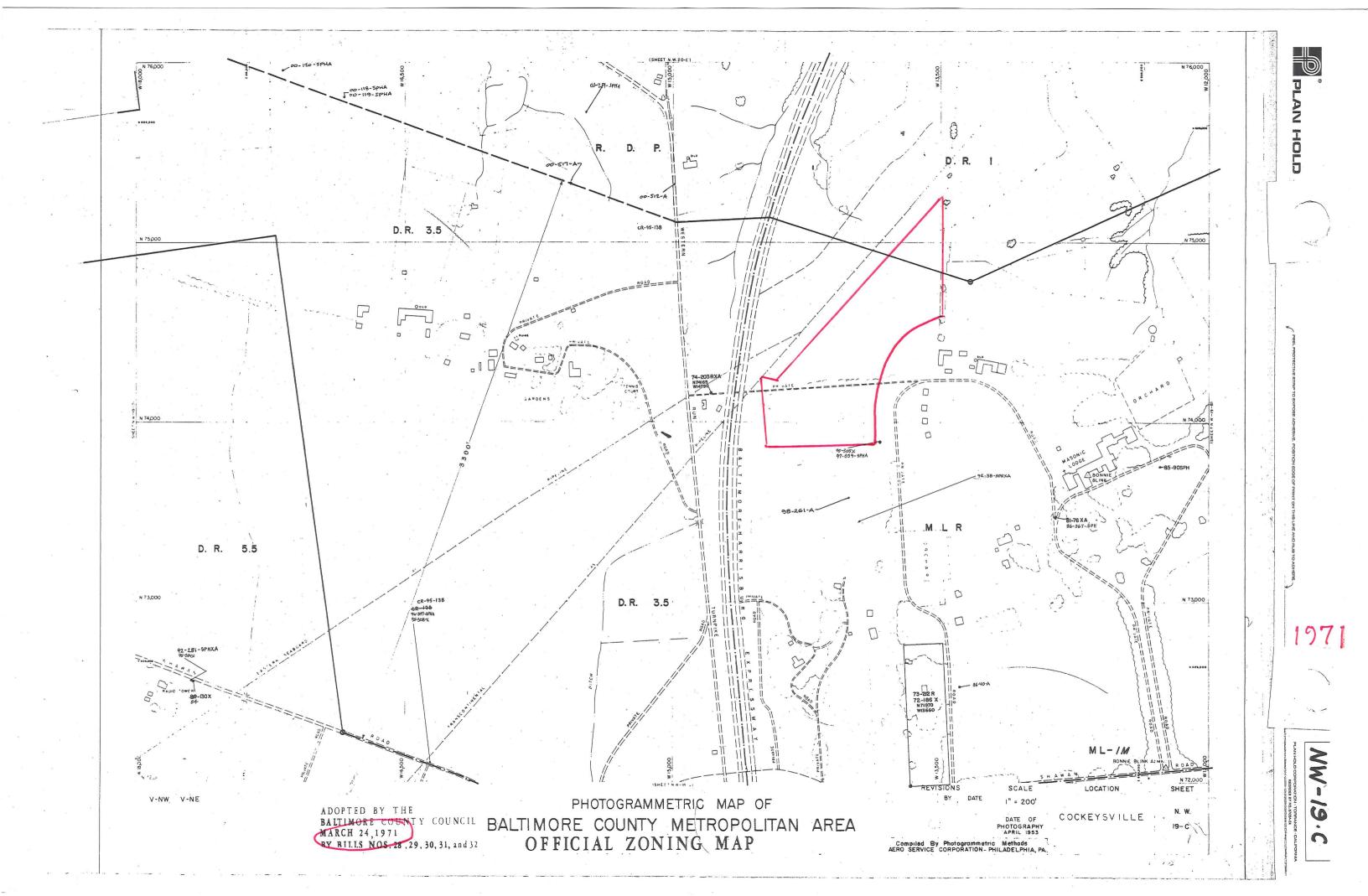


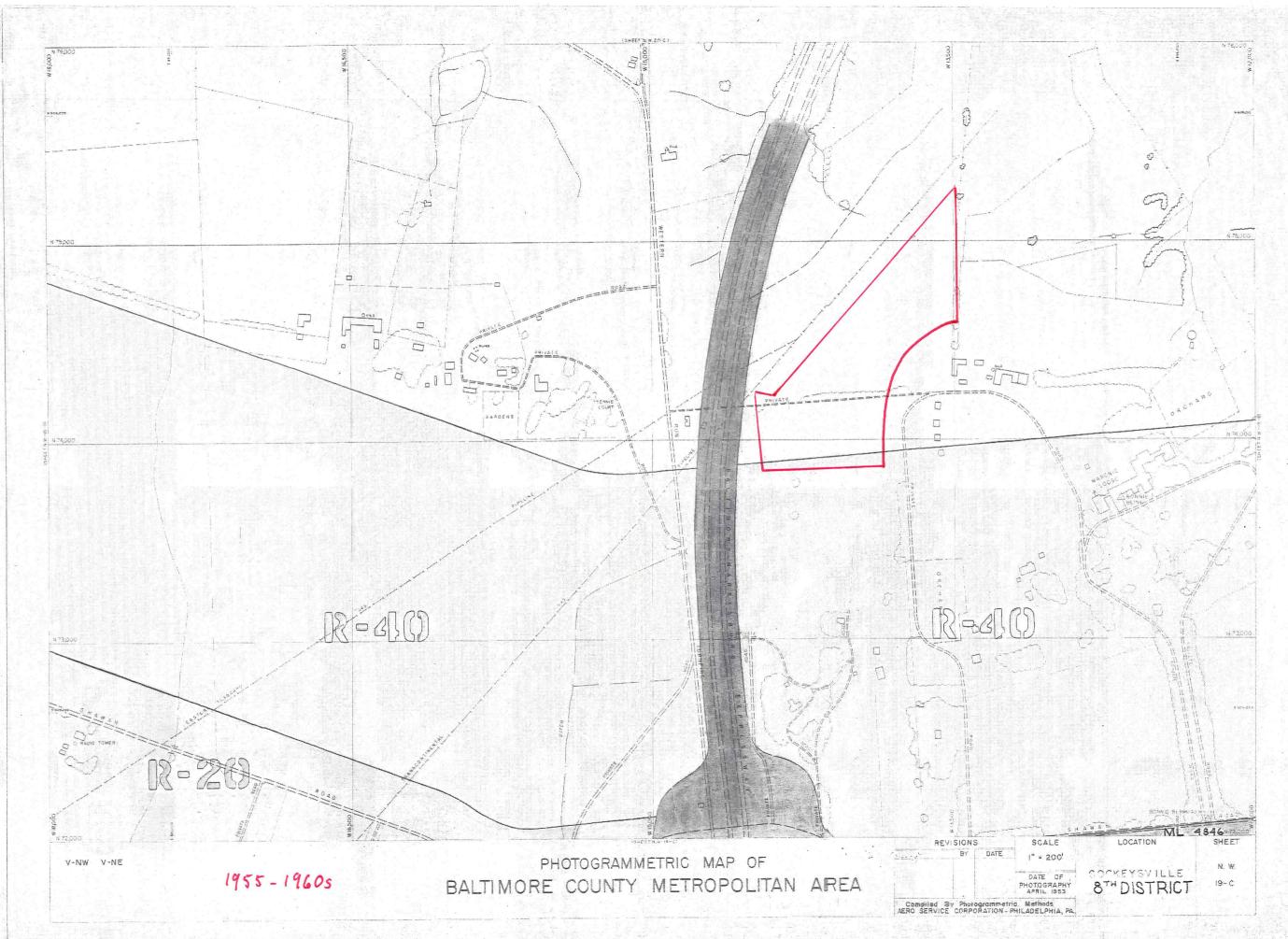
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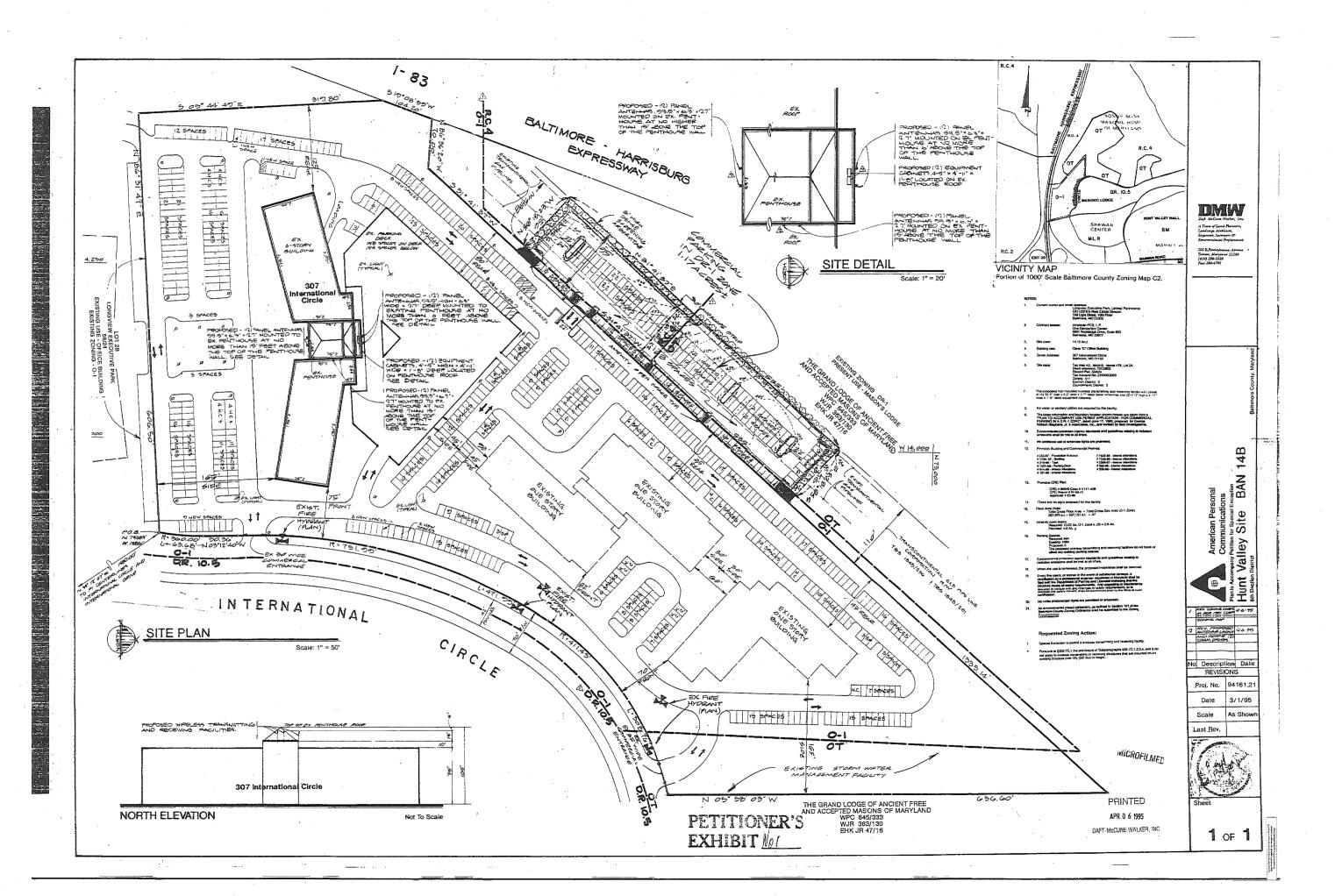
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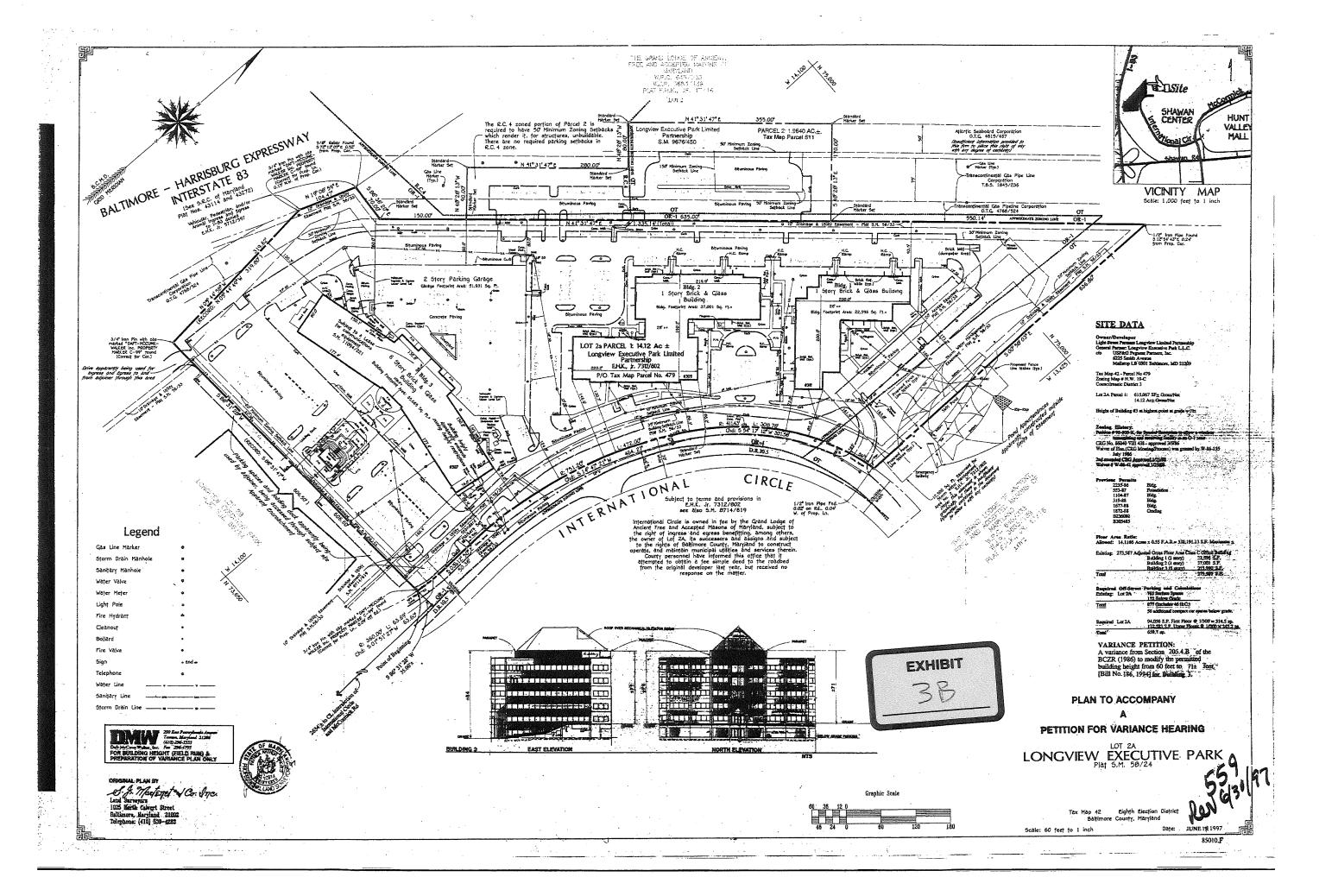












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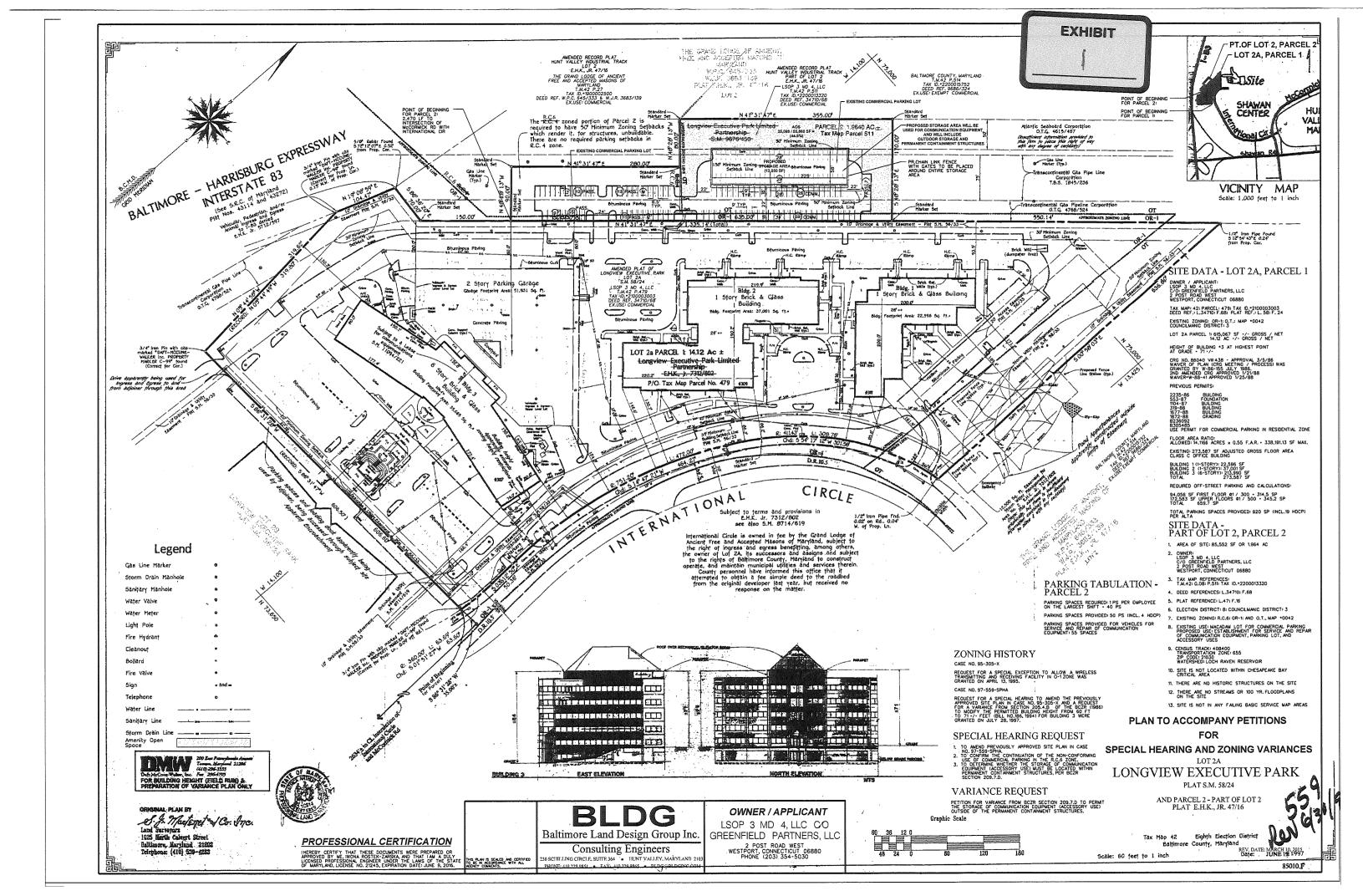


**AERIAL PHOTO EXHIBIT** TO ACCOMPANY PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND ZONING VARIANCES LOT 2A

LONGVIEW EXECUTIVE PARK

PLAT S.M. 58/24

AND PARCEL 2 - PART OF LOT 2
PLAT E.II.K., JR. 47/16
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