IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING * BEFORE THE

AND VARIANCE
(1922 Stockton Road) * OFFICE OF

10th Election District

* ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Edward & Lisa Etchison

Legal Owners

* FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Petitioners * Case No. 2017-0237-SPHA

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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 Edward & Lisa Etchison, legal owners ("Petitioners"). The Special Hearing was filed pursuant to § 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R) as follows: (1) to allow the continued use of a second single family dwelling on the subject property that has been used by family every day and non-conforming since 1974; and (2) to approve an accessory structure that is larger than the principal structure/dwelling. In addition, a Petition for Variance seeks: (1) to permit a garage to be located in the front yard of a dwelling in lieu of the rear yard; and (2) to permit a garage with a maximum height of 18 ft. in lieu of the required 15 ft. A site plan was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioners' Exhibit 1.

Edward & Lisa Etchison and surveyor Bruce Doak appeared in support of the requests. There were no protestants or interested citizens in attendance. The Petition was advertised and posted as required by the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations. Substantive Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received from the Department of Planning (DOP) and the Department of Environmental Protection and Sustainability (DEPS). Neither agency opposed the requests.

The subject property is approximately 4.619 acres in size and is zoned RC-2. The property has been owned for over 50 years by Petitioners' family. The original single-family dwelling on the

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property is 100 +/- years old, and is occupied by Petitioners. In 1974 Petitioners' father built on the property a second dwelling for use by his aging parents. Petitioners were unable to locate permits for the second dwelling, although DEPS apparently has records and reports related to the well and septic serving this home. The home has a separate address (i.e., 1924 Stockton Road) and BGE account, although it is located on the same lot as the principal dwelling. When Petitioners' grandparents died in the early 1980's, family friends (who are now in their 80s) moved into the smaller home, and they still reside in the dwelling.

SPECIAL HEARING

The first special hearing request concerns a detached garage Petitioners propose to construct on the property. Petitioners explained the garage would be for storage of lawn equipment and household items. Based on the plan it appears the ground floor area (i.e., "footprint") of the garage would be roughly the same size as the smaller house, and the zoning office instructed Petitioners to seek special hearing relief for this condition. The proposed garage will be located more than 30 feet from the nearest property line and will be only partially visible from one neighbor's home. As such the request will be granted.

The other special hearing request concerns the status of the second dwelling. It seems unlikely it would qualify as a lawful nonconforming building. Mr. Doak indicated the property was zoned RDP in 1974 when the home was constructed, and that the RDP zone had a one acre minimum lot size. Mr. Doak also noted that unlike other provisions in the B.C.Z.R., the RDP regulations did not explicitly state that only one dwelling may be constructed per lot. Even so, there was a subdivision process in Baltimore County in the 1970s, and it is undisputed this property has never been subdivided. That, in my mind, calls into question whether this would be a "lawful" nonconforming building.

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But I believe the structure is in essence an accessory apartment, although Petitioners should not be required to comply with B.C.Z.R. §400.4. in its entirety since the use predated that regulation by nearly forty years. Accessory apartments are permitted in an accessory building located on the same lot as the owner-occupied principal dwelling. The one-story dwelling in question is approximately 30' x 36', so the structure is within the 1,200 sq. ft. limitation set forth in B.C.Z.R. §400.4. And though the family friends currently living in the apartment are not technically "immediate family members," Petitioners indicated they were amenable to such a restriction for all future occupants.

VARIANCE

A variance request involves a two-step process, summarized as follows:

- (1) It must be shown the property is unique in a manner which makes it unlike surrounding properties, and that uniqueness or peculiarity must necessitate variance relief; and
- (2) If variance relief is denied, Petitioner will experience a practical difficulty or hardship.

Cromwell v. Ward, 102 Md. App. 691 (1995).

Petitioners have met this test. The large site has irregular dimensions and topographical features across the property. As such it is unique. Petitioners would experience practical difficulty if the regulations were strictly interpreted because they would be unable to construct the proposed garage. Finally, as demonstrated by the lack of County and/or community opposition, I do not believe granting the requests would have a detrimental impact upon the community.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this <u>28th</u> day of April, 2017, 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): (1) to allow the continued use of a second single-family dwelling on the subject property, subject to the restrictions noted below; and (2) to approve an accessory structure (garage) that is larger than the principal structure/dwelling, be and is hereby GRANTED.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petition for variance: (1) to permit a garage to be located in the front yard of a dwelling in lieu of the rear yard; and (2) to permit a garage with a maximum height of 18 ft. in lieu of the required 15 ft., be and is hereby GRANTED.

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

- 1. Petitioners may apply for necessary permits and/or licenses upon receipt of this Order. However, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until 30 days from the date hereof, during which time an appeal can be filed by any party. If for whatever reason this Order is reversed, Petitioners would be required to return the subject property to its original condition.
- 2. Prior to issuance of permits for the garage Petitioners must obtain approval from the Ground Water Management section of DEPS.
- 3. Petitioners must provide to the satisfaction of the DOP a vegetative buffer in the area between the proposed garage and the property at 2004 Stockton Road.
- 4. The proposed garage shall not be used for commercial purposes and shall not contain living quarters or kitchen facilities.
- 5. Prior to issuance of permits for the garage Petitioners shall file among the land records of Baltimore County a declaration of understanding indicating the smaller dwelling (accessory apartment) may be occupied or utilized only by immediate family members, as that term is defined in Section 101 of the B.C.Z.R.

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

JOHN'E. BEVERUNGE

Administrative Law Judge

for Baltimore County

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

LAWRENCE M. STAHL
Managing Administrative Law Judge
JOHN E. BEVERUNGEN
Administrative Law Judge

April 28, 2017

Edward and Lisa Etchison 1922 Stockton Road Phoenix, MD 21131

RE: Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance

Case No. 2017-0237-SPHA Property: 1922 Stockton Road

Dear Petitioners:

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 E. BEVERUNGEN Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

JEB:sln Enclosure

c: Bruce Doak, 3801 Baker Schoolhouse Road, Freeland, MD 21053



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 1922 STOCKTON ROAD	which is presently zoned RCZ
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Special Hearing

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- 2) TO APPROVE AN ACCESSORY STRUCTURE THAT IS LARGER THAN THE PRINCIPLE STRUCTURE/DWELLING.

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 - 1) To permit a garage to be located in the front yard of a dwelling in lieu of the rear yard per Section 400.1 BCZR
 - 2) To permit a garage with a maximum height of 18 feet in lieu required 15 feet per Section 400.3 BCZR

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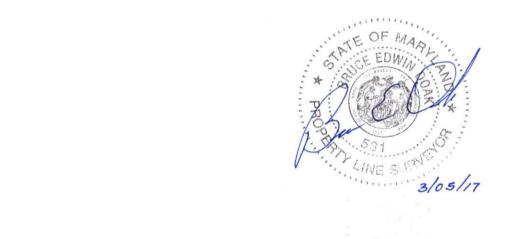
Zoning Description

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Beginning at a point on the north side of Stockton Road, 30 feet from the center line and 485 feet from the centerline of Woodbrook Lane, thence leaving Stockton Road and running on the outlines of the subject property, the four following courses and distances, viz. 1) North 28 degrees 33 minutes 20 seconds East 690.62 feet, 2) South 57 degrees 48 minutes East 289.56 feet, 3) South 27 degrees 10 minutes West 176 feet and 4) South 27 degrees 10 minutes West 490 feet to a point on the north side of Stockton Road, thence running on the north side of Stockton Road 5) North 62 degrees 50 minutes West 305.41 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 4.619 acres of land, more or less.

This description is part of a zoning hearing petition and is not intended for any conveyance purposes.





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VARIANCE: to permit a garage to be located in the front yard of a dwelling in lieu of the rear yard. To permit a garage with a maximum height of 18 ft. in lieu of the required 15 ft. Hearing: Tuesday, April 25, 2017 at 2:30 p.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue,

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

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roperty identified herein as follows: Case: # 2017-0237-SPHA 1922 Stockton Road

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Hearings Office at (410) 887-3868. (2) For information concerning the File and/or Hearing, Contact-the Zoning Review Office at (410) 887-3391 4/616 April 4 4873170

Bruce E. Doak Consulting, LLC

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CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

April 5, 2017

Re:

Zoning Case No. 2017-0237-SPHA

Legal Owner: Edward Lee & Lisa Etchison

Hearing date: April 25, 2017

Baltimore County Department of Permits, Approvals & Inspections County Office Building 111 West Chesapeake Avenue, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Attention: Kristen Lewis

Ladies and Gentlemen,

This letter is to certify under the penalties of perjury that the two necessary signs required by law were posted conspicuously on the property located at 1922 Stockton Road.

The sign was posted on April 4, 2017.

Sincerely,

Bruce E. Doak

MD Property Line Surveyor #531

See the attached sheet(s) for the photos of the posted sign(s)



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TO: PATUXENT PUBLISHING COMPANY Tuesday, April 4, 2017 Issue - Jeffersonian

Please forward billing to:
Edward & Lisa Etchison
1922 Stockton Road
Phoenix, MD 21131

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Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections for Baltimore County

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive

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

March 23, 2017

NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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10th Election District – 3rd Councilmanic District

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C: Mr. & Mrs. Etchison, 1922 Stockton Road, Phoenix 21131 Bruce Doak, 3801 Baker Schoolhouse Road, Freeland 21053

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2017.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS OFFICE AT 410-887-3868.
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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.

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KEVIN KAMENETZ County Executive ARNOLD JABLON
Deputy Administrative Officer
Director, Department of Permits,
Approvals & Inspections

April 18, 2017

Edward Lee & Lisa Etchison 1922 Stockton Road Phoenix MD 21131

RE: Case Number: 2017-0237 SPHA, Address: 1922 Stockton Road

Dear Mr. & Ms. Etchison:

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits, Approvals, and Inspection (PAI) on March 7, 2017. 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
Bruce E Doak Consulting LLC, 3801 Baker Schoolhouse Road, Freeland MD 21053





Larry Hogan, **Governor**Boyd K. Rutherford, **Lt. Governor**Pete K. Rahn, **Secretary**Gregory C. Johnson, P.E., **Administrator**

Date: 3/20/17

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

Dear Ms. Lewis:

Thank you for the opportunity to review your referral request on the subject of the Case number referenced below. 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 Case No. 2017-0237-5PHA

Special Heaving Variance
Edward Lee & Lee Etch ison
1922 Stock ton Road.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Mr. Richard Zeller at 410-229-2332 or 1-866-998-0367 (in Maryland only) extension 2332, or by email at (rzeller@sha.state.md.us).

Sincerely,

Wendy Wolcott, PLA

Metropolitan District Engineer - District 4

Baltimore & Harford Counties

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Arnold Jablon

DATE: 4/4/2017

Deputy Administrative Officer and

Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

Andrea Van Arsdale

Director, Department of Planning

SUBJECT: ZONING ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENTS

Case Number: 17-237

INFORMATION:

Property Address:

1922 Stockton Road

Petitioner:

Edward Lee Etchinson, Lisa Etchinson

Zoning:

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Requested Action:

Special Hearing, Variance

The Department of Planning has reviewed the petition for a special hearing to determine whether or not the Administrative Law Judge should approve the continued non-conforming use of a second single family dwelling and a detached accessory structure being larger than the principal structure. The Department also reviewed the petition for a variance to permit a garage to be located in the front yard of the dwelling with a maximum height of 18 feet in lieu of the required rear yard and 15 feet respectively.

A site visit was conducted on March 24, 2017. Stockton Road is a Baltimore County Scenic Route.

The Department has no objection to granting the petitioned zoning relief conditioned upon the following:

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- Vegetation should be planted or retained to screen the proposed garage. Said garage shall not be used for residential or commercial purposes. No second utility meter shall be allowed.

For further information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact Kaylee Justice at 410-887-3480.

Prepared by:

Division Chief:

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c: Kaylee Justice

Bruce E. Doak, Bruce E. Doak Consulting, LLC James Hermann, R.L.A., Dept. of Permits, Approvals and Inspections Office of the Administrative Hearings

People's Counsel for Baltimore Count

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Arnold Jablon

DATE: 4/4/2017

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Deputy Administrative Officer and

Director of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

Andrea Van Arsdale

Director, Department of Planning

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Kathy Schlabach

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Office of the Administrative Hearings

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People's Counsel for Baltimore Count



Inter-Office Correspondence





TO:

Hon. Lawrence M. Stahl; Managing Administrative Law Judge

Office of Administrative Hearings

FROM:

Jeff Livingston, Department of Environmental Protection and

Sustainability (EPS) - Development Coordination

DATE:

March 17, 2017

SUBJECT:

DEPS Comment for Zoning Item

2017-0237-SPHA

Address

1922 Stockton Road (Etchison Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of March 20, 2017.

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

1. Ground Water Management must review any proposed building permit(s) for a garage/accessory structure, since the property is served by well and septic.

Reviewer:

Dan Esser

Date: 3/17/17

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DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO:

Arnold Jablon, Director

DATE: March 21, 2017

Department of Permits, Approvals

And Inspections

FROM:

Dennis A. Kennedy, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For March 20, 2017

Item No. 2017- 0202, 0223, 0232, 0233, 0235, 0236, 0237, 0238, 0239

and 0240

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

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- RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE 1922 Stockton Road; N/S Stockton Road, 485' c/line of Woodbrook Lane 10th Election & 3rd Councilmanic Districts Legal Owner(s) Edward & Lisa Etchison Petitioner(s)
- * BEFORE THE OFFICE
- * OF ADMINSTRATIVE
- * HEARINGS FOR
- * BALTIMORE COUNTY
- * 2017-237-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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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 20th day of March, 2017, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Bruce E. Doak, 3801 Baker Schoolhouse Road, Freeland, Maryland 21053, Representative for Petitioner(s).

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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

May 31, 2017

TO:

Zoning Review Office

FROM:

Office of Administrative Hearings

RE:

Case No. 2017-0237-SPHA - Appeal Period Expired

The appeal period for the above-referenced case expired on May 30, 2017. 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.'

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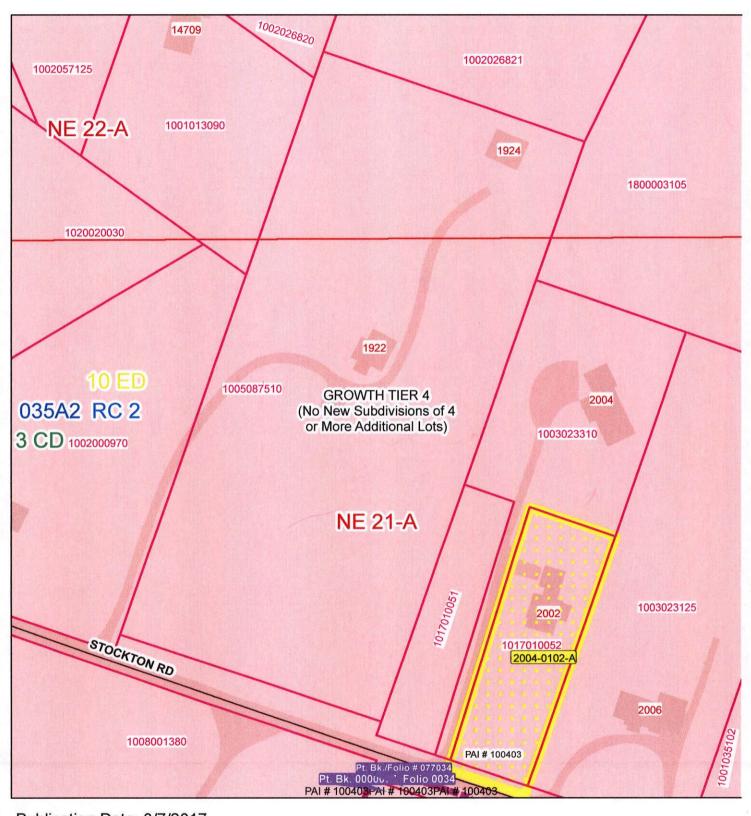
Office of Administrative Hearings

Real Property Data Search

Search Result for BALTIMORE COUNTY

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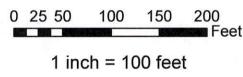


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POTITIONERS

CASE NAME	704/504
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CITIZEN'S SIGN - IN SHEET

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Exhibit Sheet

Petitioner/Developer

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No. 2	Aerial photo	
No. 3	Plan w/ accompanying photos 3A-3N	
No. 4	BCZR provision	
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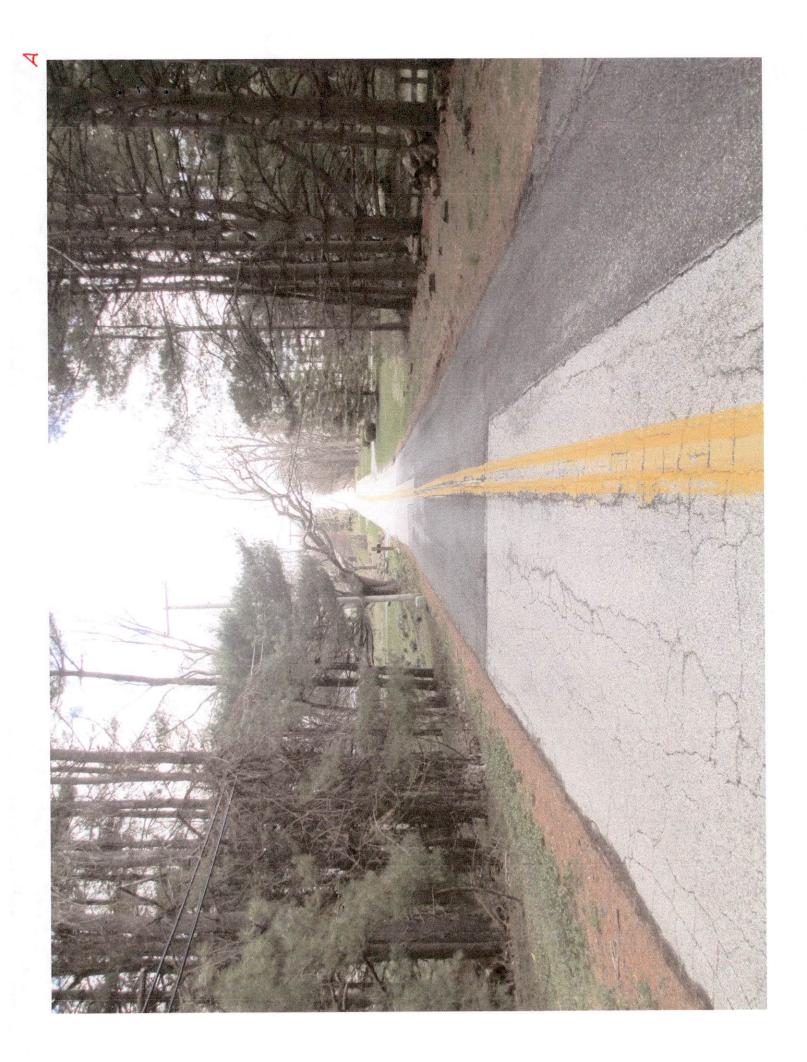


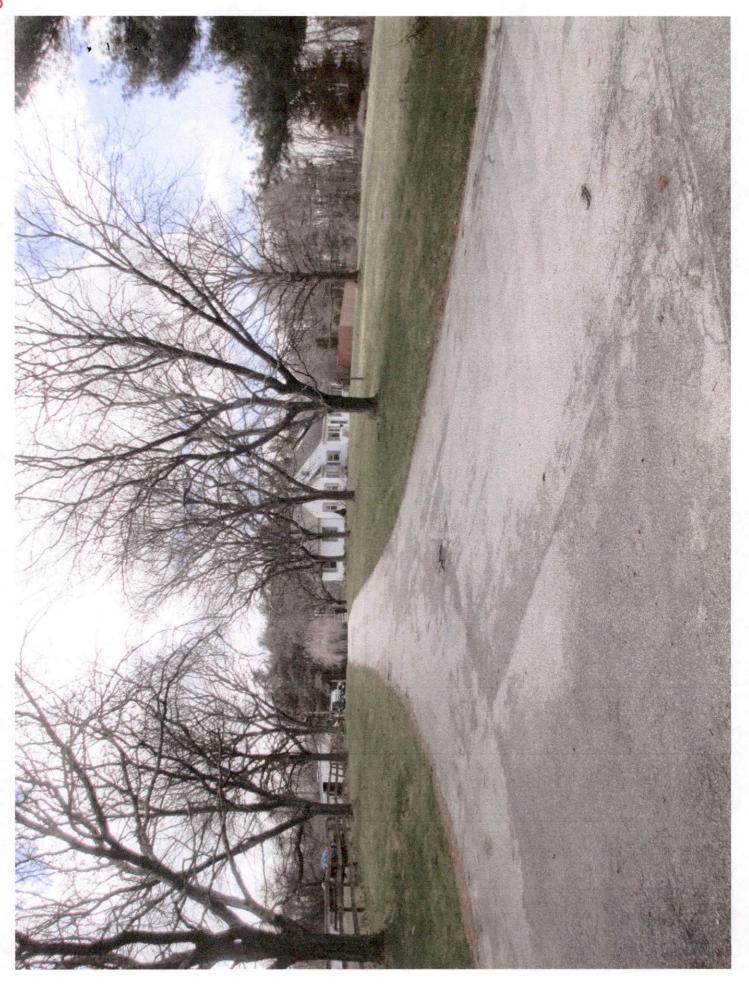


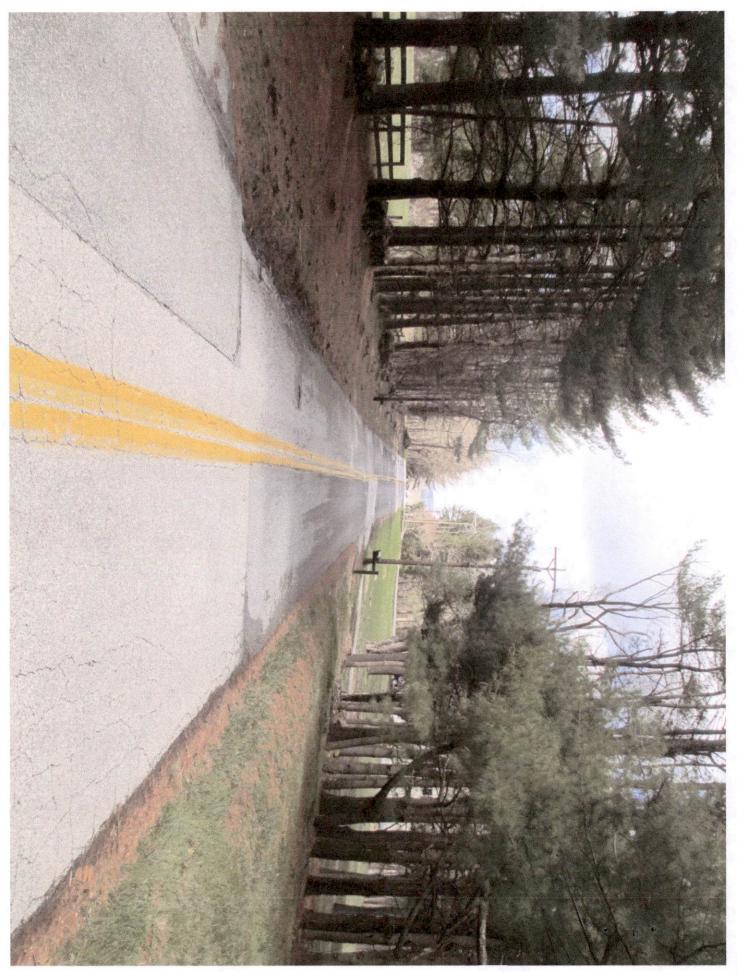


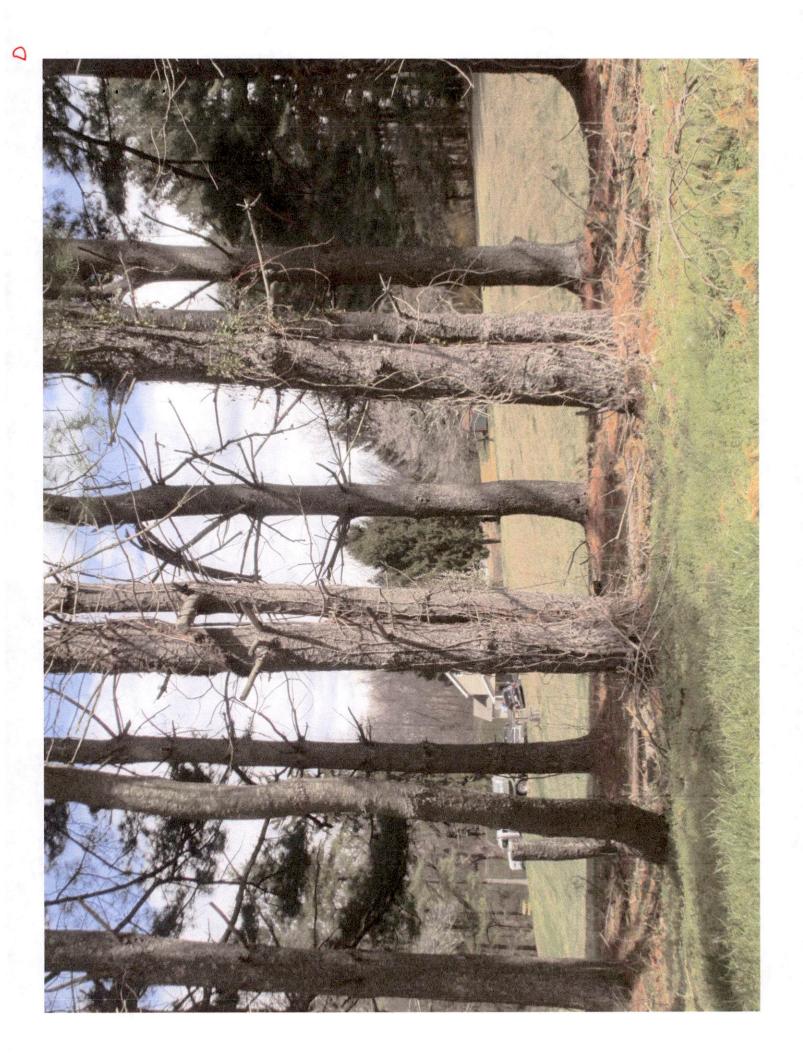
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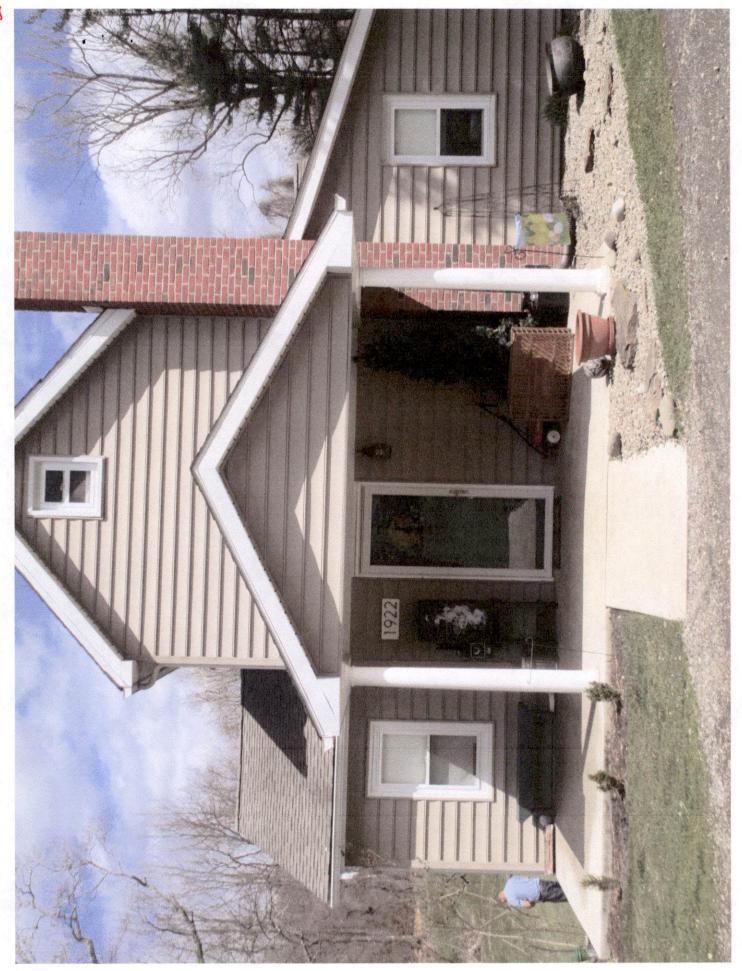
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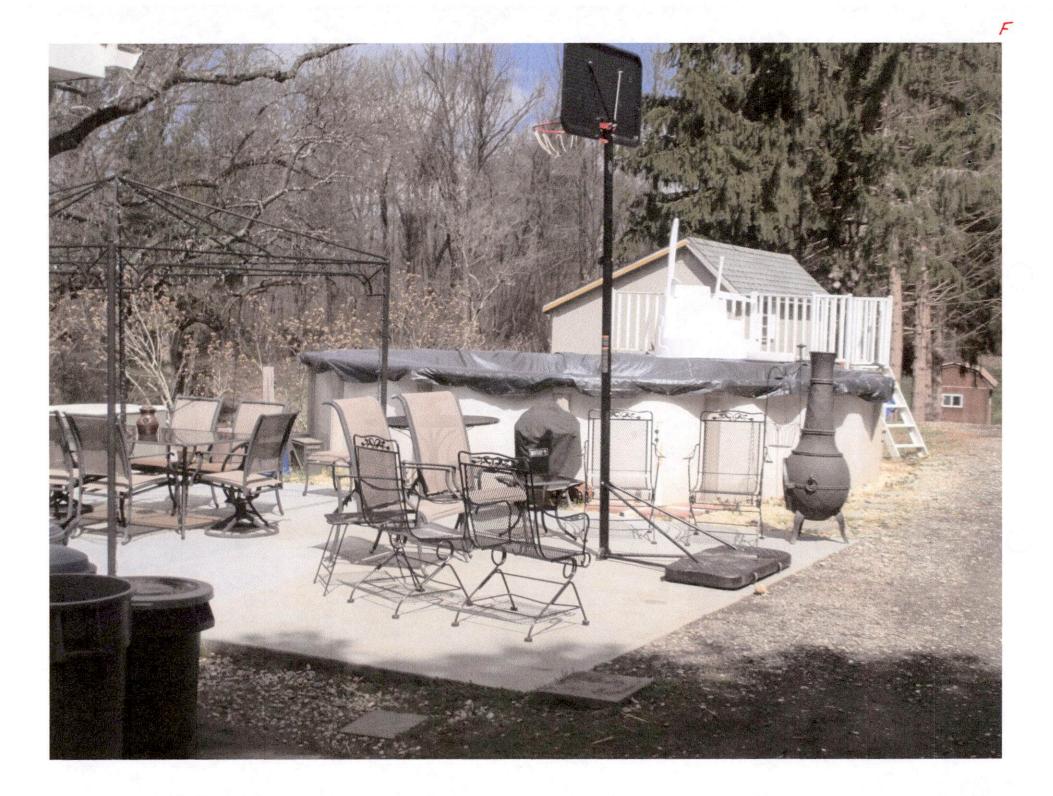








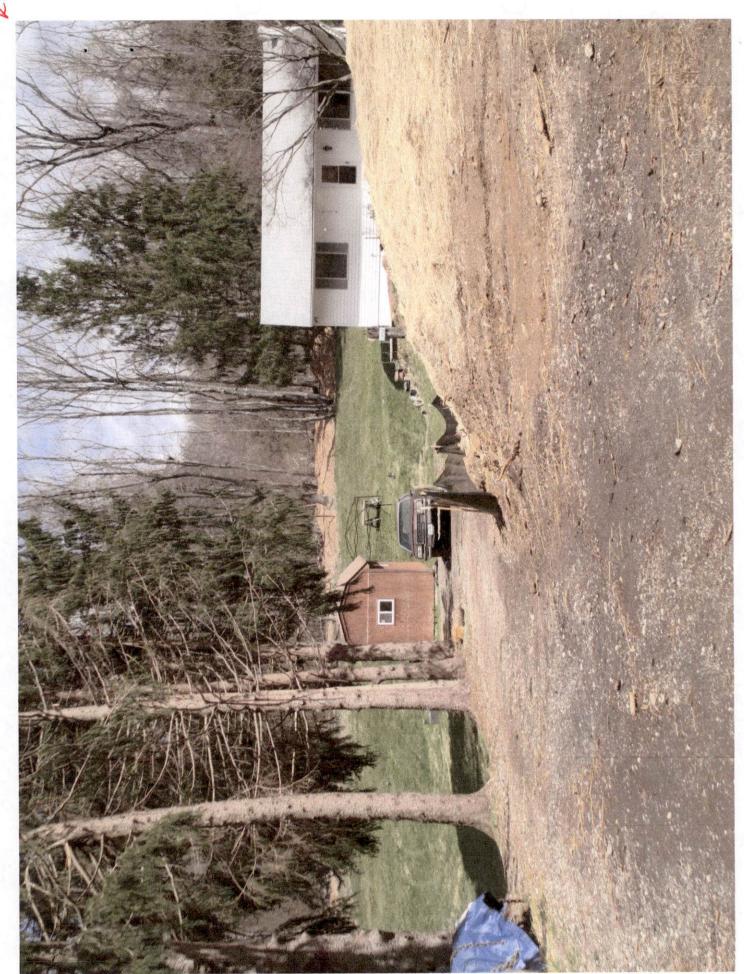


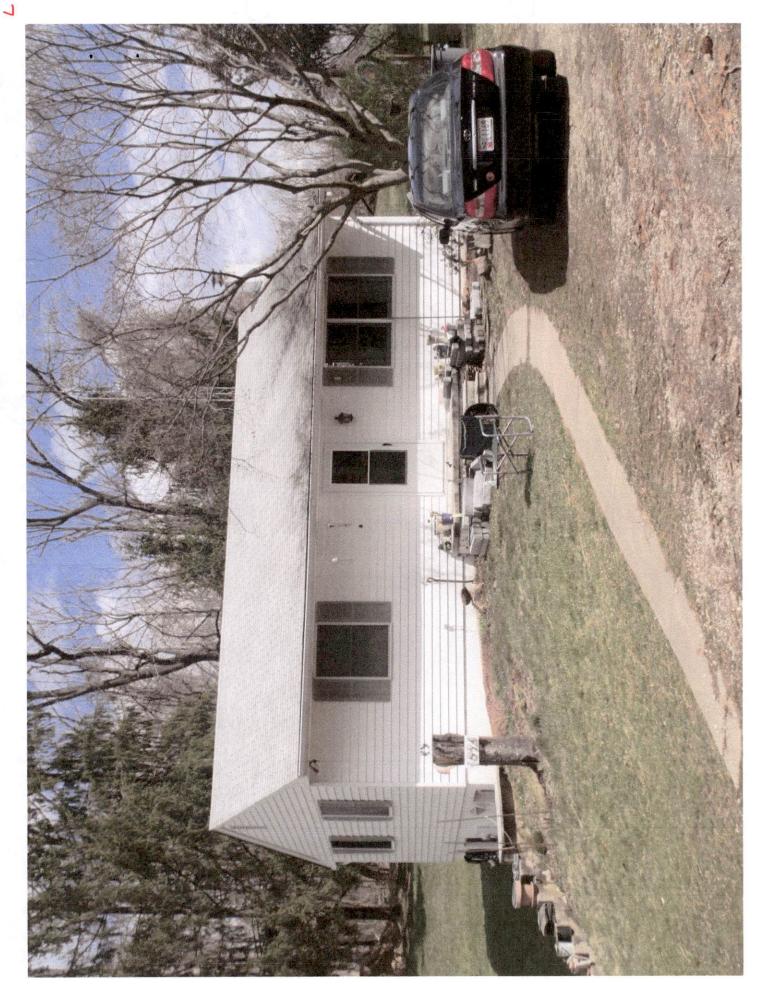




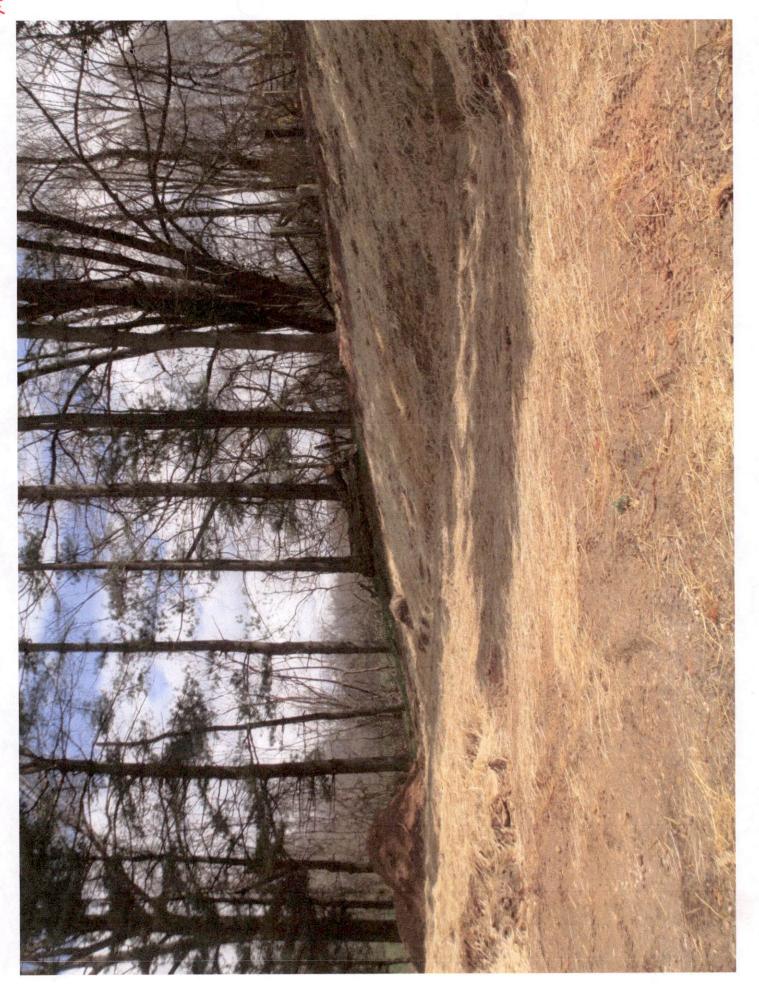














ARTICLE 1A—RURAL AND RURAL-SUBURBAN LOW-INTENSITY ZONES [Bill No. 100, 1970.]

Section IA00—R. D.P. ZONES (RURAL: DEFERRED-PLANNING). [Bill No. 100, 1970.]

IA00.1—General Provisions. [Bill No. 100, 1970.]

- 1. Purpose. The R.D.P. zoning classification is established, pursuant to the legislative findings set forth above, 2 in order to:
 - a. Prevent untimely urban development of relatively open rural land; and
 - b. Foster conditions favorable to agriculture and other low-intensity uses appropriate in rural areas, considering both the magnitude of total land acreage needed for such uses and the current prospective needs for developable urban land.

[Bill No. 100, 1970.]

- 2. Intent as to application of R.D.P. zoning classification to property or removal therefrom. It is intended:
 - a. That rural land shall be classified within R. D. P. zones unless the Capital Budget and Five-Year Capital Program of Baltimore County and duly adopted official Baltimore County master plans, including the "county plan" required under Article 43, Section 387C of the Annotated Code of Maryland, 1957 (1965 Replacement Volume) as amended, all consistently indicate that such land is to be serviced by public sewerage and water-supply systems and, in the case of those said documents which determine the timing of construction, also consistently provide for the adequacy and availability of service to said land by such systems within a period of six years after the time of consideration with respect to zoning classification; provided further, however, that such nonserviced land as is specifically herein described (in this Subparagraph 3 or other provisions in these regulations) as being appropriately otherwise classified shall also be excepted from the category of land which shall be classified as R. D. P.;
 - b. That land classified as R.D.P. shall not be reclassified (rezoned) until such time as the documents hereinabove noted have been officially changed or replaced in kind and thereby then indicate possible appropriateness of reclassification under the criteria hereinbefore stated;

^{1.} The line designating this subparagraph and those immediately following as parts of a Paragraph "A" was deleted from Bill No. 100, 1970 by amendment after introduction.

^{2.} Findings deleted from Bill No. 100, 1970 by amendment after introduction.

^{3.} Now Subparagraph 2, as a result of amendment of Bill No. 100 1970 after introduction.

- c. That reclassification of land as R. D. P. shall not represent a commitment by Baltimore County with respect to type of future, development, but only that more particular planning for the use of such land shall be executed in the future; and
- d. That certain distinct existing areas of compact development, such as certain approved subdivisions or the immediate environs of typical rural business centers, are not normally to be classified as R.D.P.

[Bill No. 100, 1970.]

- 3. Special Policy for Certain Developments. In view of possible overriding public benefits to be derived from certain large-scale unit developments, the establishment of such developments is hereby excepted
 from application of the policy hereinbefore stated to the extent indicated under Section 430 ("Unit Developments"). [Bill No. 100, 1970.]
- B.⁴ Locational Requirement. No R.D.P. zone shall be established or re-established within the urban-rural demarcation line, but said line may be re-established to include an R.D.P. zone or part thereof existing at the time said line is re-established. [Bill No. 100, 1970.]

1A00.2—Use Regulations. [Bill No. 100, 1970.]

- A. Uses Permitted as of Right. The following uses, only, are permitted as of right in R.D.P. zones:
 - 1. Farms, or, on existing undersized lots, limited-acreage wholesale flower farms.⁶
 - 2. One-family detached dwellings.
 - 3. Churches or other buildings for religious worship.
 - 4. Trailers (see Section 415).
 - 5. Research institutes, as defined in Section 101 and as permitted and regulated in D.R. 1 zones (see Section 418).
 - 6. Hospitals.
 - 7. Telephone, telegraph, electrical-power or other electrical lines, all underground with the exception of such lines as are permitted above ground in D.R. zones.
 - 8. Other cables; conduits; gas, water, or sewer mains; or storm-drain systems: all underground.
 - 9. Railroads or other transportation lines.

^{4.} Line designating preceding provisions as Paragraph "A" deleted -- see note 1 above.

^{5.} All provisions of this paragraph from Bill No. 100, 1970.

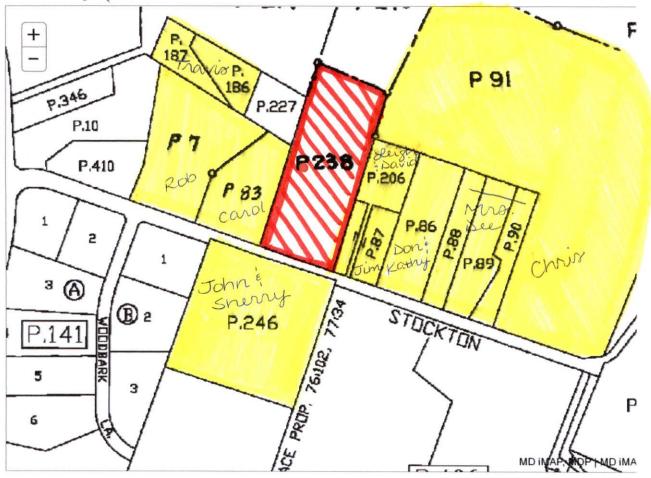
^{6.} Since a limited-acreage wholesale flower farm consists of less than three acres of land (see Section 101), and since the minimum lot size in R.D.P. zones is one acre (rather than ten acres, as set forth in Bill No. 100, 1970 before amendment), there is a question as to the effect of the phrase "on existing undersized lots".

Baltimore County

New Search (http://sdat.c

yland.gov/RealProperty)

District: 10 Account Number: 1005087510



The information shown on this map has been compiled from deed descriptions and plats and is not a property survey. The map should not be used for legal descriptions. Users noting errors are urged to notify the Maryland Department of Planning Mapping, 301 W. Preston Street, Baltimore MD 21201.

If a plat for a property is needed, contact the local Land Records office where the property is located. Plats are also available online through the Maryland State Archives at www.plats.net (http://www.plats.net).

Property maps provided courtesy of the Maryland Department of Planning.

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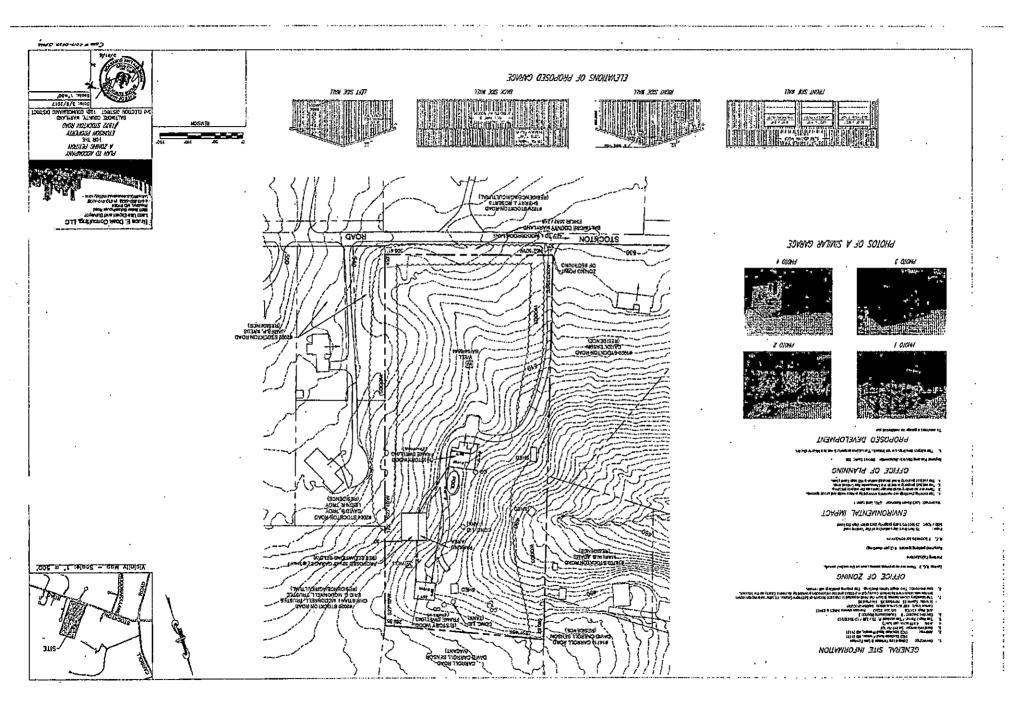
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Sherry Gribble (f.n.a. Sherry Roberts)

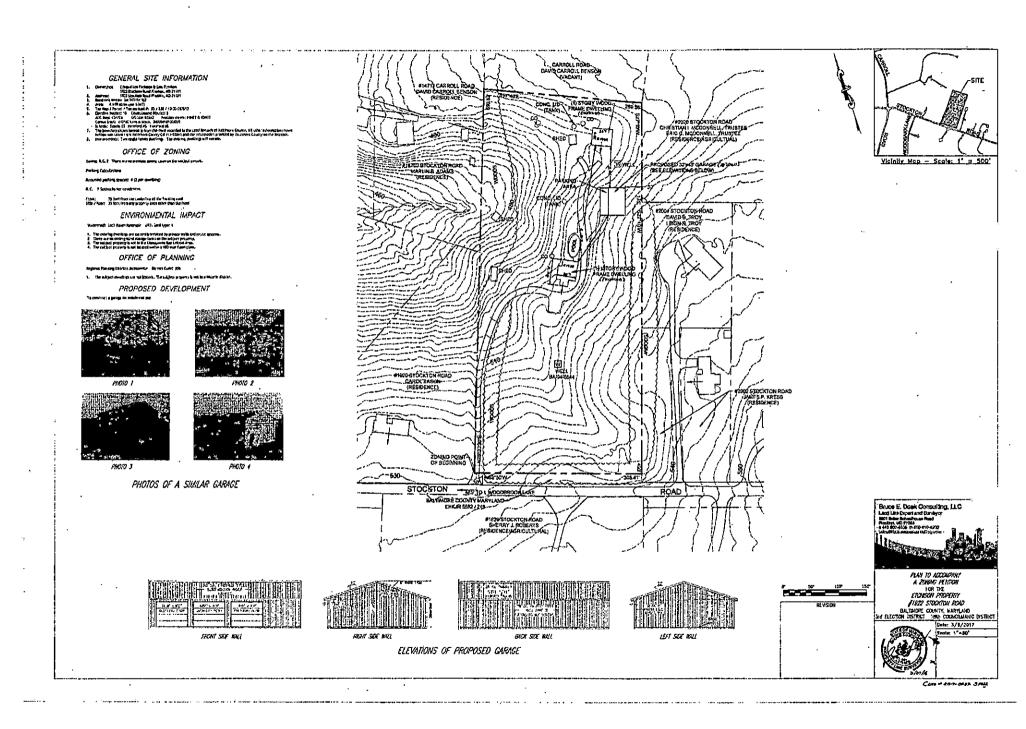
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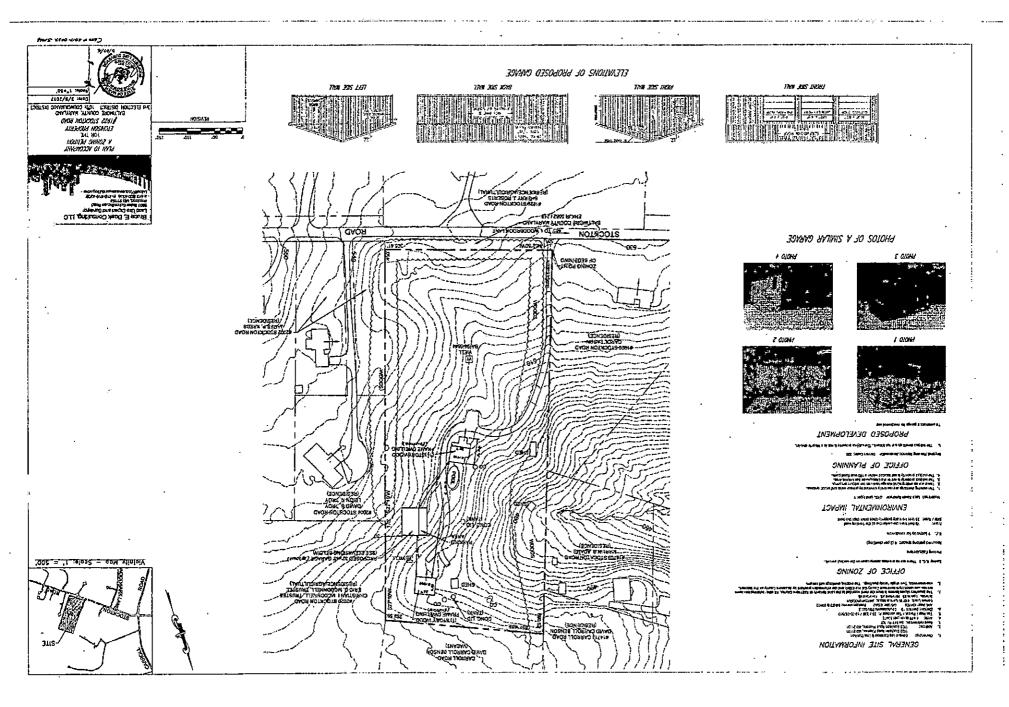


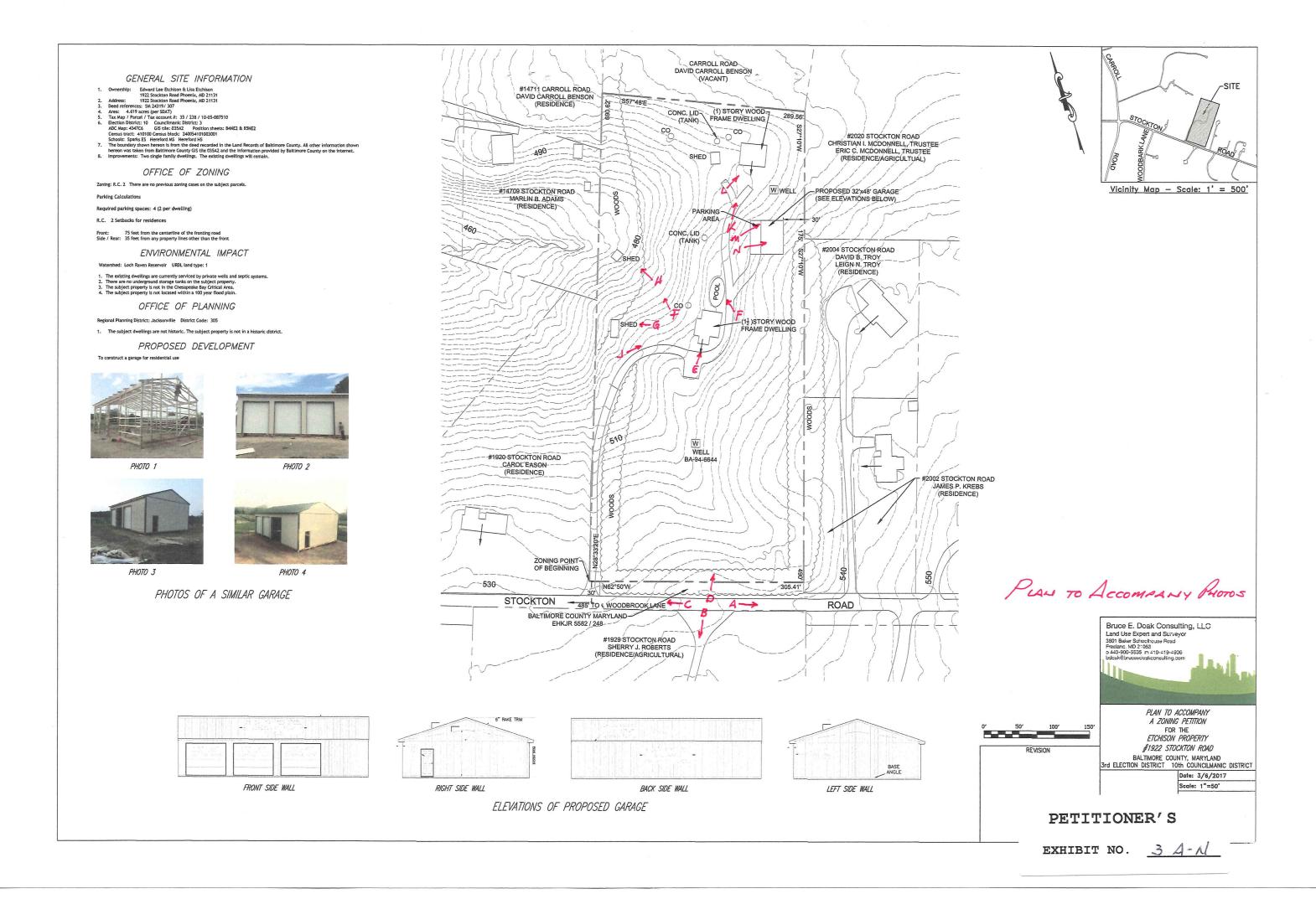
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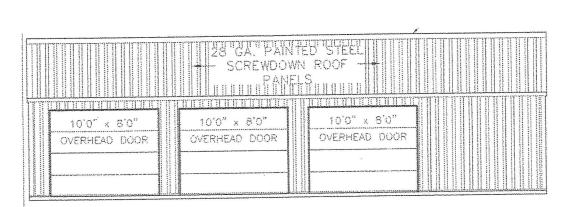
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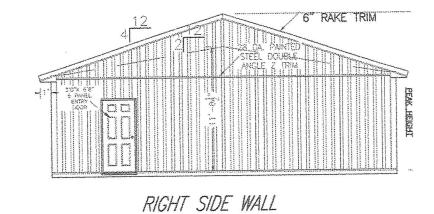




CARROLL ROAD-DAVID CARROLL BENSON GENERAL SITE INFORMATION #1471 CARROLL ROAD DAVID CARROLL BENSON (RESIDENCE) 1. Ownership: Edward Lee Etchison & Lisa Etchison 1922 Stockton Road Phoenix, MD 21131 \$57°48'E 2. Address: 1922 Stockton Road Phoenix, MD 21131 (1) STORY WOOD 3. Deed references: SM 24319/ 307 FRAME DWELLING -(JANK) 4. Area: 4.619 acres (per SDAT) 5. Tax Map / Parcel / Tax account #: 35 / 238 / 10-05-087510 6. Election District: 10 Councilmanic District: 3 ADC Map: 4347C6 GIS tile: 035A2 Position sheets: 84NE2 & 85NE2 CHRISTIAN I. MCDONNELL, TRUSTEE Census tract: 410100 Census block: 240054101003001 Schools: Sparks ES Hereford MS Hereford HS 7. The boundary shown hereon is from the deed recorded in the Land Records of Baltimore County. All other information shown hereon was taken from Baltimore County GIS tile 035A2 and the information provided by Baltimore County on the internet. 8 #1924 8. Improvements: Two single family dwellings. The existing dwellings will remain. OFFICE OF ZONING Vicinity Map - Scale: 1' = 500' PROPOSED 32'X48' GARAGE (18'41GH)
(SEE ELEVATIONS BELOW) #14709 STOCKTON ROAD Zoning: R.C. 2 There are no previous zoning cases on the subject parcels. MARLIN B ADAMS Parking Calculations TRESIDENCE) Required parking spaces: 4 (2 per dwelling) R.C. 2 Setbacks for residences Front: 75 feet from the centerline of the fronting road Side / Rear: 35 feet from any property lines other than the front #2004 STOCKTON ROAD /DAVID'B, TROY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT LEIGN N. TROY (RÉSIDÉNCE) Watershed: Loch Raven Reservoir URDL land type: 1 1. The existing dwellings are currently serviced by private wells and septic systems. 2. There are no underground storage tanks on the subject property. 3. The subject property is not in the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area. 4. The subject property is not located within a 100 year flood plain. OFFICE OF PLANNING /(12) STORY WOOD FRAME DWELLING Regional Planning District: Jacksonville District Code: 305 1. The subject dwellings are not historic. The subject property is not in a historic district. PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT To construct a garage for residential use #1920-STOCKTON ROAD #2002 STOCKTON ROAD JAMES P. KREBS PHOTO 1 (RESIDENCE) ZONING POINT -OF BEGINNING PHOTO 4 PHOTO 3 PHOTOS OF A SIMILAR GARAGE STOCKTON ROAD 485' TO & WOODBROOK LANE BALTIMORE COUNTY MARYLAND EHKJR 5582 / 248---



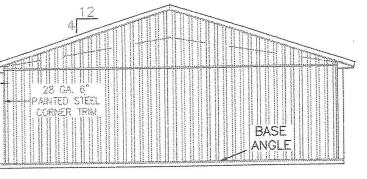
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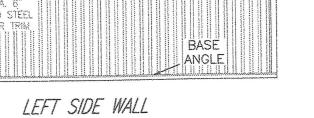


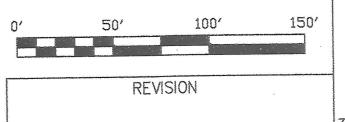
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#1929/STOCKTON-ROAD SHERRY J. ROBERTS

(RESIDENCE/AGRICULTURAL)



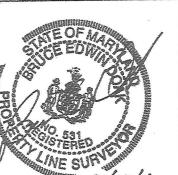




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PLAN TO ACCOMPANY A ZONING PETITION FOR THE ETCHISON PROPERTY #1922 STOCKTON ROAD BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

3rd ELECTION DISTRICT 10th COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT



Date: 3/6/2017 Scale: 1"=50'

ELEVATIONS OF PROPOSED GARAGE

PETITIONER'S

CASE # 2017-0237- 5PHA

EXHIBIT NO.