IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION * BEFORE THE

(825 Dulaney Valley Road)

9th Election District * OFFICE OF

5th Council District

Towson TC, LLC * ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Legal Owner

Round 1 Entertainment, Inc. * FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Lessee

Petitioners * Case No. 2019-0206-X

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OPINION AND ORDER

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings ("OAH") for consideration of a Petition for Special Exception filed on behalf of Towson TC, LLC, legal owner and Round 1 Entertainment, Inc., lessee ("Petitioners"). The special exception petition was filed pursuant to Sections 423 and 502.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("BCZR") to use property as an arcade that has a second exterior entrance in addition to the entrance from the mall's interior concourse.

Landscape architect Mike Pieranunzi appeared in support of the petition. Edward J. Gilliss, Esq. represented the Petitioners. There were no protestants or interested citizens in attendance. No substantive Zoning Advisory Committee ("ZAC") comments were received from any county agencies.

The subject property is approximately 23.8 acres in size, although the area of the proposed special exception is 74,442 sq. ft. (1.71 acres) and is zoned BM-DT. The Towson Town Center is located at the site. Petitioners propose to open a restaurant/arcade/entertainment venue at the mall. The arcade portion of the site is permitted in the BM zone by special exception.

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Special Exception

Under Maryland law, a special exception use enjoys a presumption that it is in the interest of the general welfare, and therefore, valid. Schultz v. Pritts, 291 Md. 1 (1981). The Schultz standard was revisited in Attar v. DMS Tollgate, LLC, 451 Md. 272 (2017), where the court of appeals discussed the nature of the evidentiary presumption in special exception cases. The court again emphasized a special exception is properly denied only when there are facts and circumstances showing that the adverse impacts of the use at the particular location in question would be above and beyond those inherently associated with the special exception use.

Mr. Pieranunzi testified (via proffer) Petitioners satisfied the requirements of BCZR §502.1 and the Maryland case law interpreting that provision. No evidence to the contrary was presented and I believe the petition should be granted. The regulations specifically identify enclosed shopping malls as appropriate locations for such businesses, and Petitioners note that a Dave & Buster's (a similar arcade/dining/entertainment venue) has operated successfully for many years at the White Marsh Mall. As such, I do not believe granting the petition would have a detrimental impact upon the community.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this 19th day of March, 2019, by this Administrative Law Judge, that the Petition for Special Exception pursuant to Sections 423 and 502.1 of the BCZR, to use property as an arcade that has a second exterior entrance in addition to the entrance from the mall's interior concourse, be and is hereby GRANTED.

The relief granted herein shall be subject to 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.

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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

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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 825 Dulaney Valley Road, Towson, MD 21204 which is presently zoned BMCT(DTD)

Deed References: <u>13247/00678</u> Property Owner(s) Printed Name(s) <u>Towson TC</u>	10 Digit Tax Account # <u>2</u> . LLC	200016232
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DESCRIPTION OF AREA SHOWN ON PLAN TO ACCOMPANY SPECIAL **EXCEPTION REQUEST** ROUND ONE ADDITION TOWSON TOWN CENTER Book 13247 Page 678 Baltimore County, Maryland Tax ID 22-00016232

Beginning for the same at a point near the southeast intersection of Dulaney Valley Road and Fairmont Avenue, said point having the coordinate values of North 633403.02 and East 1425524.61, more or less, as referenced to the Maryland Coordinate System (NAD 83/2011), thence running in and through the lands of that parcel of land conveyed to Towson TC, LLC by Deed Dated October 19, 1998 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland in Liber 13247 folio 678, the following twenty-one (21) courses and distances:

- 1) South 58° 06' 56" East 82.68 feet to a point, thence;
- 2) South 31° 51' 09" West 29.92 feet to a point, thence;
- 3) South 58° 20' 22" East 15.55 feet to a point, thence;
- 4) South 31° 56' 07" West 61.86 feet to a point, thence;
- 5) North 58° 03' 53" West 7.15 feet to a point, thence;
- 6) South 31° 50′ 11" West 126.81 feet to a point, thence;
- 7) North 58° 18' 35" West 20.63 feet to a point, thence;
- 8) South 31° 41' 25" West 14.53 feet to a point, thence;
- 9) North 58° 18' 28" West 10.56 feet to a point, thence;
- 10) South 31° 46' 13" West 36.76 feet to a point, thence;
- 11) North 57° 17' 01" West 199.41 feet to a point, thence;
- 12) North 58° 19' 13" West 74.67 feet to a point, thence;
- 13) North 31° 40' 47" East 291.47 feet to a point, thence;
- 14) South 58° 19' 13" East 42.00 feet to a point, thence;
- 15) South 31° 40' 47" West 100.45 feet to a point, thence;
- 16) South 58° 19' 13" East 32.67 feet to a point, thence;
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- 18) South 58° 19' 33" East 63.46 feet to a point, thence;
- 19) North 31° 48' 28" East 22.67 feet to a point, thence;
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Containing 74443 square feet or 1.709 acres of land, more or less.

Being part of the land conveyed to Towson TC, LLC by Deed Dated October 19, 1998 and recorded among the Land Records of Baltimore County, Maryland in Liber 13247 folio 678.

10710 Gilroy Road

Hunt Valley, Maryland 21031

443.589.2400

This description was prepared for the sole purpose of describing the area shown on the above referenced plan and is not suitable for Title Transfer of any type and does not reflect a field survey of the property.

Professional Certification

I hereby certify that this description was prepared by me or under my responsible charge, and that I am a duly licensed Property Line Surveyor under the laws of the State of Maryland, License No. 358, Expiration Date October 19, 2020.



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Case #:

2019-0206-X

Description:

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(Representative Signature)

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Hearing: Monday, March 18, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

Mike Mohler

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.

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Sherry Nuffer

From: Bruce Doak <bdoak@bruceedoakconsulting.com>

Sent: Thursday, March 14, 2019 9:12 PM

To: Sherry Nuffer

Cc: Administrative Hearings; Edward J. Gilliss

Subject: Case 2019-0206-X posting cert

Attachments: Case 2019-0206-X posting cert 3 14 19.pdf

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Bruce

Bruce E. Doak Consulting 410-419-4906 bdoak@bruceedoakconsulting.com 3801 Baker Schoolhouse Road Freeland, MD 21053





CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

February 22, 2019 (amended March 14, 2019)

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Zoning Case No. 2019-0206-X Legal Owner: Towson TC LLC

Contract Lessee: Round 1 Entertainment, Inc., Shane Kaji

Hearing date: March 18, 2019

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 825 Dulaney Valley Road.

The signs were posted on February 22, 2019.

The signs were inspected again on March 13, 2019. At that time I found that one of the signs was missing. A duplicate sign was posted on March 14, 2019.

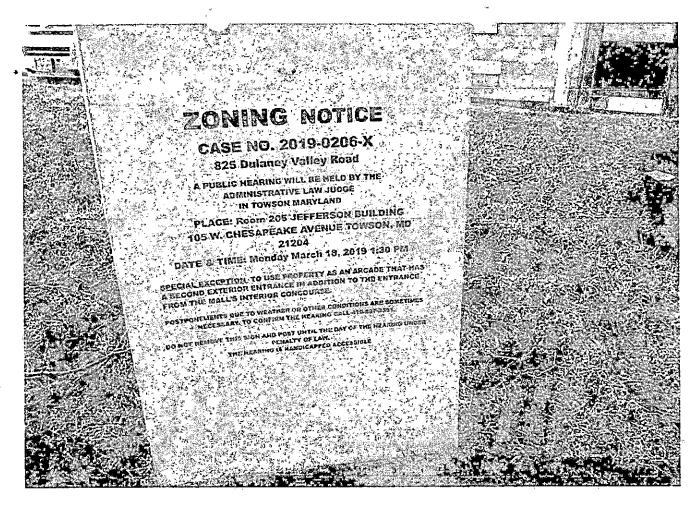
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Bruce E. Doak

MD Property Line Surveyor #531

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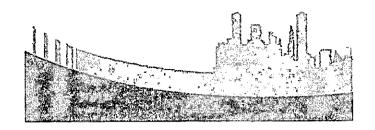
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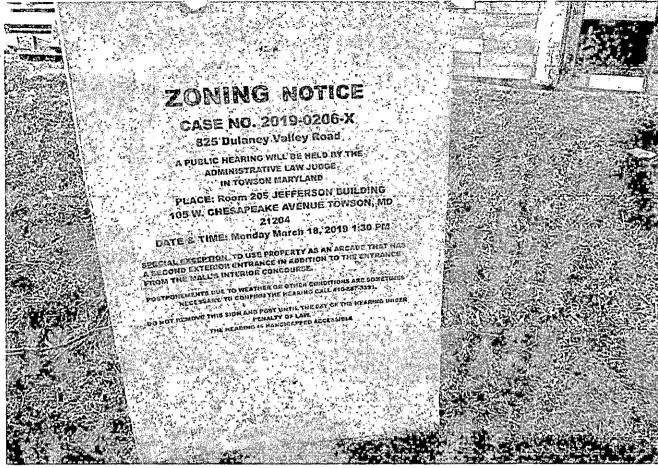
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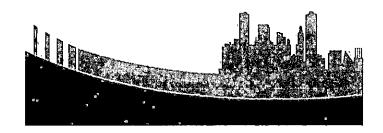
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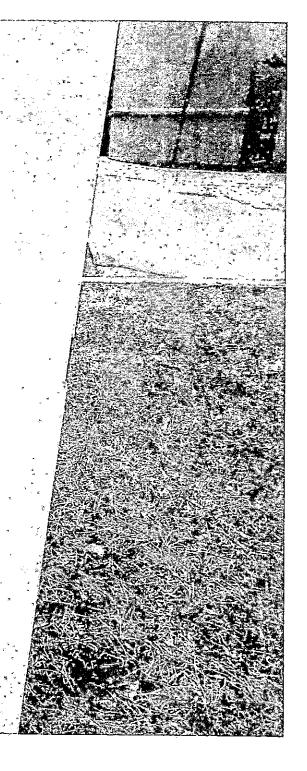
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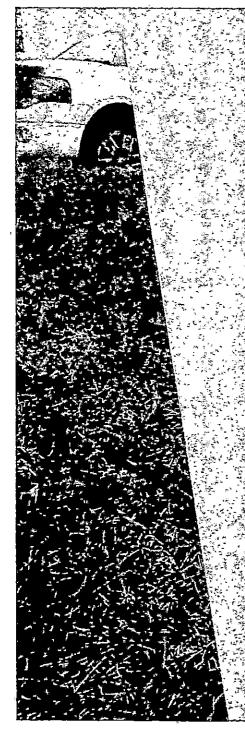
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Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE OFFICE

OF ADMINSTRATIVE

HEARINGS FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

2019-206-X

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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People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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 28th day of January, 2019, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Eric Dinenberg, c/o Brookfield Property REIT Inc., 350 North Orleans Street, Suite 300, Chicago, Illinois 60654 and Edward Gilliss, Esquire, 102 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 600, Towson, Maryland 21204, Attorney for Petitioner(s).

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PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN People's Counsel for Baltimore County



JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

MICHAEL MOHLER, Director Department of Permits, Approvals & Inspections

February 6, 2019

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NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2019.

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TO: THE DAILY RECORD

Tuesday, February 26, 2019 - Issue

Please forward billing to:

Edward Gillis, Esq.

RMMR, LLP

102 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Ste. 600

Towson, MD 21204

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March 13, 2019

Edward J. Gilliss Esquire 102 W. Pennsylvania Ave, Suite 600 Towson MD 21204

RE: Case Number: 2019-0206-X, 825 Dulaney Valley Road

To Whom It May Concern:

The above referenced petition was accepted for processing **ONLY** by the Bureau of Zoning Review, Department of Permits, Approvals, and Inspection (PAI) on January 7, 2019. This letter is not an approval, but only a **NOTIFICATION**.

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

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

Very truly yours,

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR/kl

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel
Towsor TC, LLC 350 North Orleans St, Suite 300 Chicago, Illinois 60654
Shane Kaji 3040 Saturn St, Suite 104 Brea CA 92821

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Mike Mohler

Acting Director, Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

Jeff Mayhew

Acting Director, Department of Planning

SUBJECT:

ZONING ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENTS

Case Number: 19-206

INFORMATION:

Property Address:

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Petitioner:

Towson TC, LLC

Zoning:

BMCT (DTD)

Requested Action:

Special Exception

The Department of Planning has reviewed the petition for a special exception to use the subject property for an arcade that has a second exterior entrance in addition to the entrance from the mall's interior concourse.

A site visit was conducted on 2/5/2019. The subject site is on the first floor of the Towson Town Mall on the north side of the mall having access via the plaza situated next to Fairmont Avenue. The subject site is located in the Downtown Towson District. The applicant applied for, and received DRP administrative approval for an exterior sign at the entrance on Fairmount Avenue (see attached DRP approval letter).

The Department has no objection to granting the petitioned zoning relief.

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

Prepared by:

Lloyd T. Moxley

JM/JGN/LTN

c: Laurie Hay

Eric Dinenberg

Edward J. Gilliss, Esquire

Office of the Administrative Hearings

People's Counsel for Baltimore County

DATE: 2/19/2019

Division Chief:



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:

February 8, 2019

SUBJECT:

DEPS Comment for Zoning Item

2019-0206-X

Address

825 Dulaney Valley Road (Towson, TC, LLC Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of February 4, 2019.

X The Department of Environmental Protection and Sustainability has no comment on the above-referenced zoning item.

Reviewer:

Steve Ford



Governor

Boyd K. Rutherford
Lt. Governor

Pete K. Rahn
Secretary

Gregory Slater
Administrator

Date: 1/28/18

Ms. Kristen Lewis
Baltimore County Department of
Permits, Approvals & Inspections
County Office Building, Room 109
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
Towson, Maryland 21204

Dear Ms. Lewis:

We have reviewed the site plan to accompany petition for variance on the subject of the Case number referenced below, which was received on 1/26/19 A field inspection and internal review reveals that an entrance onto 19046 consistent with current State Highway Administration guidelines is not required. Therefore, SHA has no objection to approval for Social Free har, Case Number 2019 -0206-x

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

Sincerely,

Wendy Wolcott, P.L.A.

Metropolitan District Engineer

Maryland Department of Transportation

State Highway Administration

District 4 - Baltimore and Harford Counties

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PETITIONER'S SIGN-IN SHEET

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CHECKLIST

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	DEVELOPMENT PLANS REVIEW (if not received, date e-mail sent)	
2/8	DEPS (if not received, date e-mail sent)	10 Comment
	FIRE DEPARTMENT	
2/19	PLANNING (if not received, date e-mail sent)	NO Objection
1/58	STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION	NO Objection
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Homestead Application Information

Homestead Application Status: No Application

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Information

Homeowners' Tax Credit Application Date:

Michael J. Pieranunzi, RLA Landscape Architect

BEGAN WITH CENTURY: 2006, October

YEARS WITH CENTURY:

10

YEARS WITH OTHER FIRMS:

27

EDUCATION

1987 B.S. Landscape Architecture, West Virginia University

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION:

1991 RLA Maryland Registered #1008 (exp. 2020) 2009 March LEED Accredited Professional (LEED AP)

WORK BACKGROUND:

Century Engineering
Hunt Valley, MD
Oct. 2006 - present
Daft-McCune-Walker, Inc.
Towson, Maryland
1997 – 2006

Clark, Finefrock & Sackett, Inc. Columbia, Maryland 1987 – 1997

ASSOCIATIONS

American Society of Landscape Architects

Howard County Association of Landscape Architects - Past Vice President

Howard County Homebuilders Association

Howard County Chamber of Commerce

EXPERIENCE

As a project manager, Mr. Pieranunzi provides landscape architecture and land planning services to public and private clients. His extensive background in residential and commercial site planning and land development result in creative and environmentally-sensitive design solutions. Mr. Pieranunzi's experience has assisted in implementing plans from conceptual design through construction on projects that include residential and commercial land use planning, community master planning and landscaping, golf course design, and site planning.



With experience in a variety of project types and justifications, he has gained exceptional skills in managing projects from conceptual design, design development, construction drawings and site inspection. He has proven abilities in managing budgets, clients, county officials and staff on multiple project types and projects.

BALTIMORE COUNTY PROJECTS

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MARYVALE PREPARATORY SCHOOL REVISED DEVELOPMENT PLAN – SCHEME B, Baltimore County, MD. Project Manager for the land planning services for the preparation and submission of the Development Plan showing a 18,000 SF Media Center, 16,880 SF Performing Arts Center, track, lacrosse filed, 3 soccer fields, parking and stormwater management. The 113 acre site, zoned RC-2, consists of existing buildings, ball fields and forest covering.

COPPERMINE ATHLETIC FACILITY (SYNTHETIC FIELD), Baltimore, MD. As project manager, Mr. Pieranunzi was responsible for meeting with the owner, summarizing schedule and devising a plan of action to obtain grading permits prior to the owner's summer camp schedule. Mr. Pieranunzi oversaw the SWM waiver request from Baltimore County DEPS, while simultaneously gaining approval of the grading and sediment control plan. The field construction drawings required detailed grading, coordination of the underdrain system, retaining wall design and perimeter fencing and lighting.

HOLLINS END, Baltimore, MD. Mr. Pieranunzi was the project manager responsible for coordinating and managing the expansion to the existing warehouse and parking lot at Hollins End. The owner required adapting the existing building to conform to a new tenant program. Mr. Pieranunzi reviewed the new tenant requirements and worked with the design team to implement the new building parking, pedestrian connection, stormwater management and landscape revisions. He processed the plans for the approval and assisted with obtaining permits in a timely manner.

MOUNT de SALES ACADEMY GRANDSTAND AND FIELD ADDITIONS, Baltimore County, MD. Michael Pieranunzi was Project Manager for the proposed field conversion. The school proposed conversion of their existing turf field and natural hillside seating area to a synthetic field and grandstand built within the slope. Working with the architect, Michael managed the preparation of the permit drawings for the mass grading, utilities, walls, plaza and electric design.

WINDSOR STATION, Project Manager. Prepared multiple conceptual studies for a 14 acre commercial parcel in order to maximize the potential office, warehouse or flex space. Studies were prepared in accordance with zoning, parking, and stormwater management facilities requirements. The layout maximized the square footage of the office space to ±320,000 s.f. and the flex space of 90,000 s.f. and 1,600 parking spaces.

OWINGS MILLS MALL, Baltimore County, MD. Prepare layout and grading of Hoyt's Cinema, Lord & Taylor, and Sears expansion. Michael was also responsible for the second expansion at Owings Mills Mall in which the Sears Department Store and free standing Tire Center were razed. The overall mall was redesigned to meet the parking requirement while creating a 15 acre residential out parcel. Michael was responsible for the coordination and negotiation with the MTA connection between the Cinema and Outparcel.

TOWSONTOWN MALL EXPANSION, Baltimore County, MD. Mr. Pieranunzi prepared and submitted permit drawings for a 100,000 s.f. expansion which included restaurants and retail space supported by a

750 space parking deck. Michael was responsible for the layout, grading, paving, hardscape components and utilities. The intricate project establishes Towson Mall as the gateway to Towson, Maryland. Michael worked extensively with the architects, owners and land use attorneys to prepare and process the drawings through reviews by the county, business community, economic development and existing tenants.

WHITE MARSH MALL - LIFESTYLE CENTER, Baltimore County, MD. Project Manager. Responsible for the preparation of the conceptual and documents for the 110,000 s.f. "Lifestyle" expansion to White Marsh Mall and for coordinating the zoning, grading, SWM, utility, sediment and erosion control and landscape architecture plan. The retail component is attached to the exterior of the Mall fronting onto a proposed streetscape with special paving lighting and seating. The layout was sensitive to the existing sloping site and parking issues.

OWINGS MILLS RESTAURANT PARK, Baltimore County, MD. Prepared layout and grading of five restaurant buildings, parking lot and landscaping. Mr. Pieranunzi coordinated the construction of restaurants with five different owners; Red Lobster, Don Pablo's, Tony Roma's, HOPS, Red Robin and five different general contractors.

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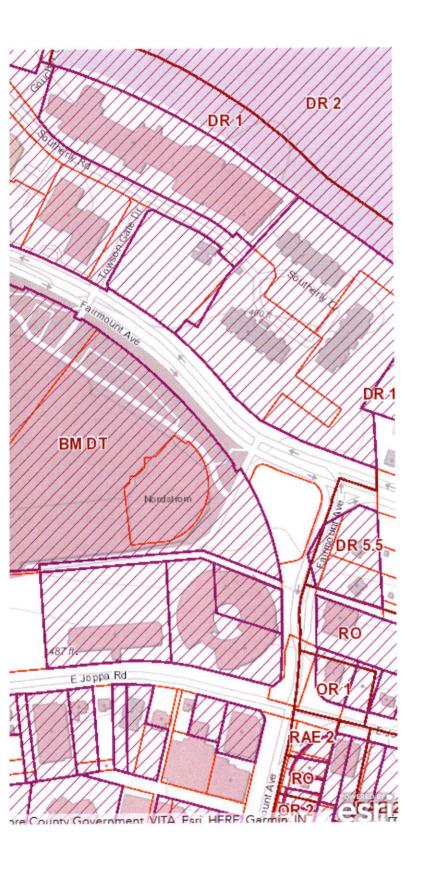
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Petitioner/Developer

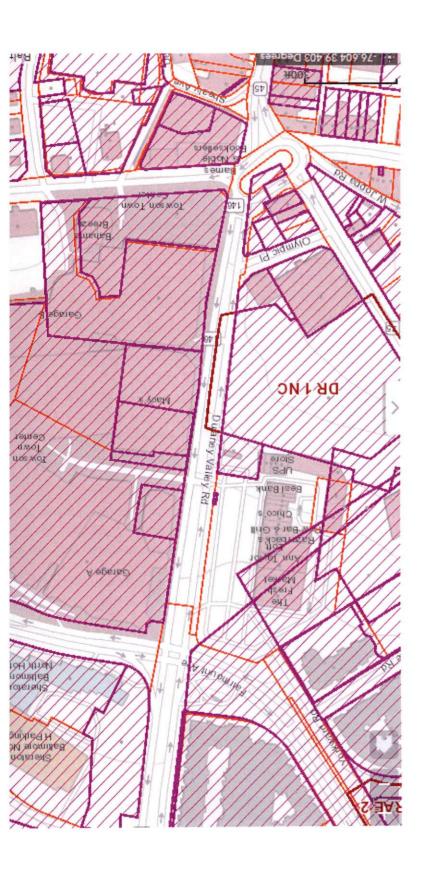
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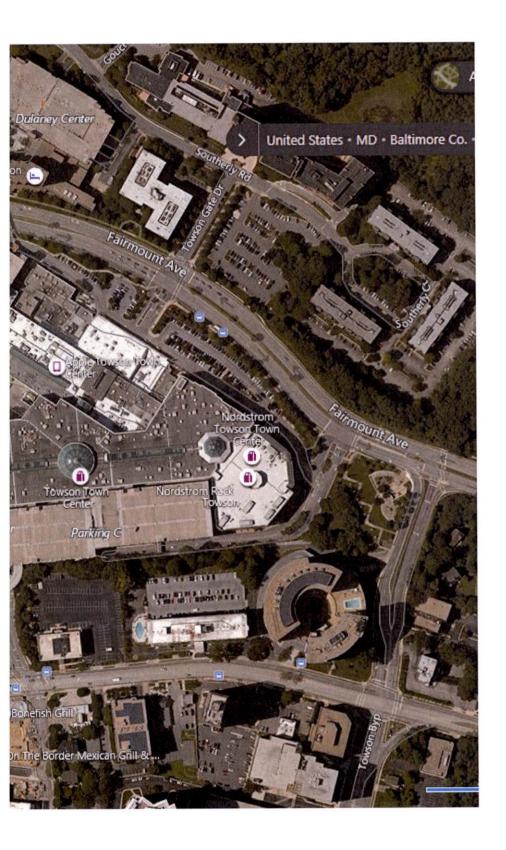
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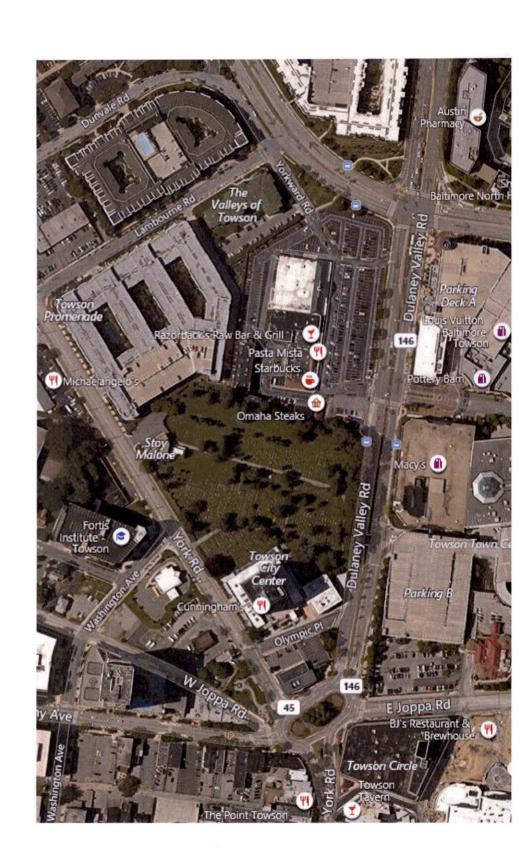
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PETITIONER'S



IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION * BEFORE THE

(8200 Perry Hall Blvd.)

14th Election District * OFFICE OF

6th Council District * ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

White Marsh Mall, LLC * ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Legal Owner

Dave & Buster's of Maryland, Inc. * FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

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Petitioners * Case No. 2017-0185-X

OPINION AND ORDER

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings (OAH) for consideration of a Petition for Special Exception filed on behalf of White Marsh Mall, LLC, legal owner and Dave & Buster's of Maryland, Inc., lessee ("Petitioners"). The Special Exception was filed pursuant to the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("B.C.Z.R.") to use the herein described property for an arcade that has a second exterior entrance in addition to the entrance from the mall's interior concourse.

Jill Valachovic, Joseph Ucciferro, Michael LeFande & Wesley Rebisz appeared in support of the petition. Edward J. Gilliss, Esq. represented the Petitioners. There were no Protestants or interested citizens in attendance. No substantive Zoning Advisory Committee (ZAC) comments were received from County reviewing agencies.

The subject property is approximately 6.59 acres and is zoned BM-CT. The White Marsh Mall is operated at the site, and this case concerns a portion of the mall structure which will become a Dave & Buster's arcade/restaurant. Under the B.C.Z.R., an arcade is permitted by right in a bowling alley, hotel or enclosed mall in a BM zone, but it may have only one means of access, from the interior concourse. B.C.Z.R. §423.1.A. Here, Dave & Buster's proposes to have a mall entrance as well as an exterior entrance. This was precisely the means of ingress/egress used for

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years by the Sports Authority store which previously occupied this space. In any event, the zoning office instructed Petitioners to seek special exception relief for the second entrance.

Under Maryland law "the appropriate standard to be used in determining whether a requested special exception use would have an adverse effect and, therefore, should be denied is whether there are facts and circumstances that show that the particular use proposed at the particular location proposed would have any adverse effects above and beyond those inherently associated with such a special exception use irrespective of its location within the zone." Schultz v. Pritts, 291 Md. 1, 22-23 (1981).

There was no such evidence presented in this case and professional engineer Joe Ucciferro opined Petitioners satisfied the requirements of B.C.Z.R. §§423 (pertaining to arcades) & 502.1. I concur, and do not believe the use would have a detrimental impact upon the community. The same can be said for the exterior entrance. As noted above, the prior tenant in this space had an exterior entrance, and many large retailers (i.e., "big box" stores) and restaurants situated in enclosed malls do as well. Therefore, granting this request will in no way be injurious to the community.

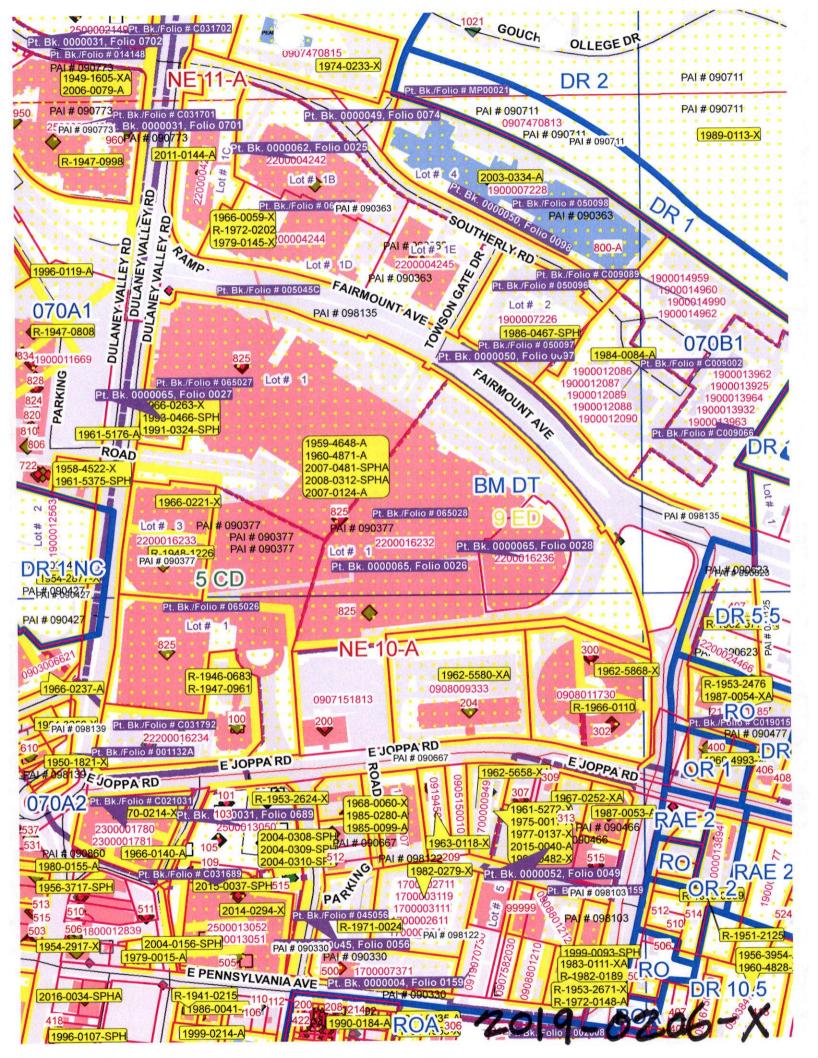
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this 3rd day of March, 2017, by this Administrative Law Judge, that the Petition for Special Exception to use the herein described property for an arcade that has a second exterior entrance in addition to the entrance from the mall's interior concourse, be and is hereby GRANTED.

The relief granted herein shall be subject to the following:

 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. 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



DEPARTMENT OF . RMITS, APPROVALS AND ILLE PECTIONS ZONING REVIEW OFFICE

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

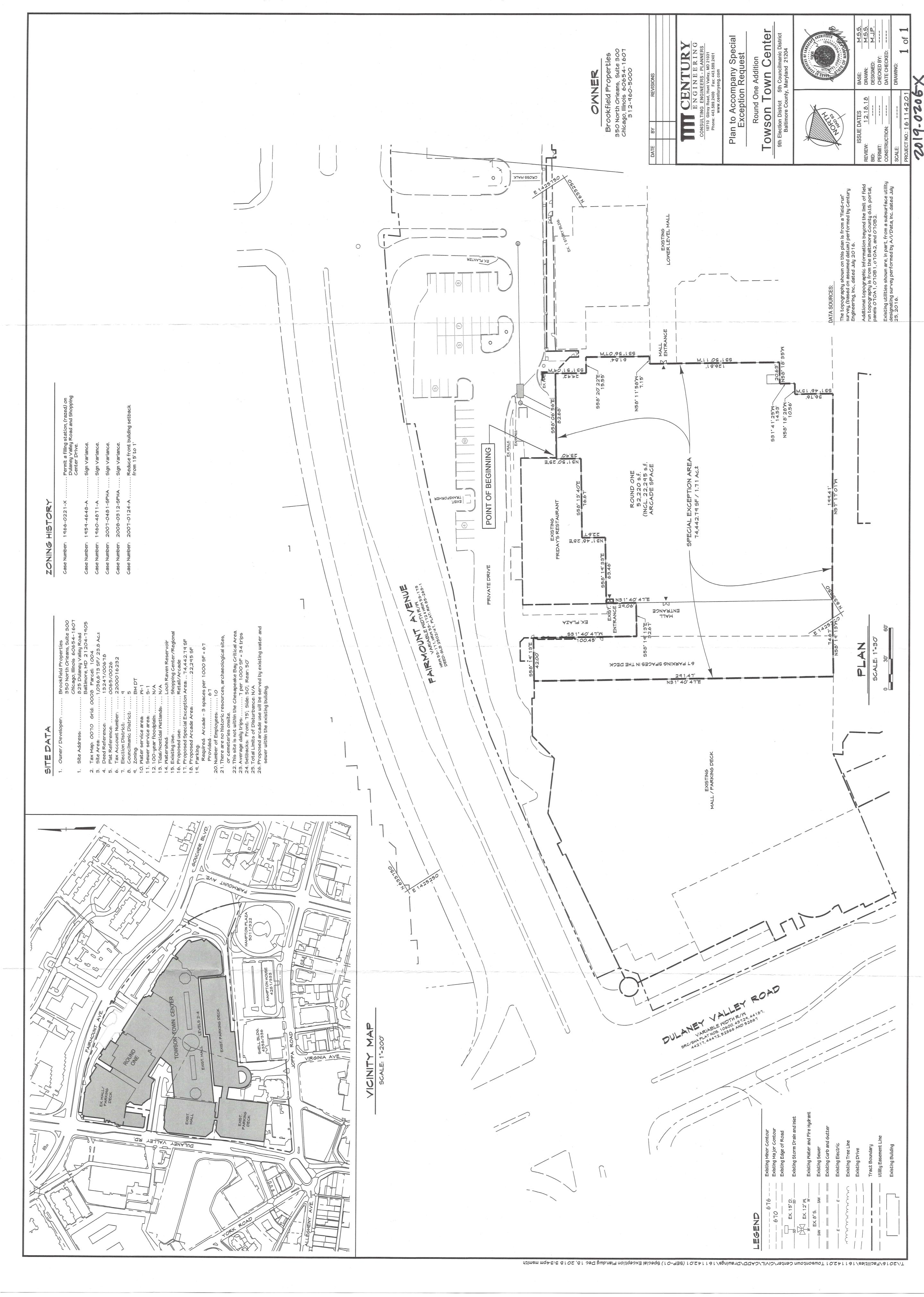
The <u>Baltimore County Zoning Regulations</u> (BCZR) require that notice be given to the general public/neighboring property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning hearing. For those petitions which require a public hearing, this notice is accomplished by posting a sign 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 twenty (20) days before the hearing.

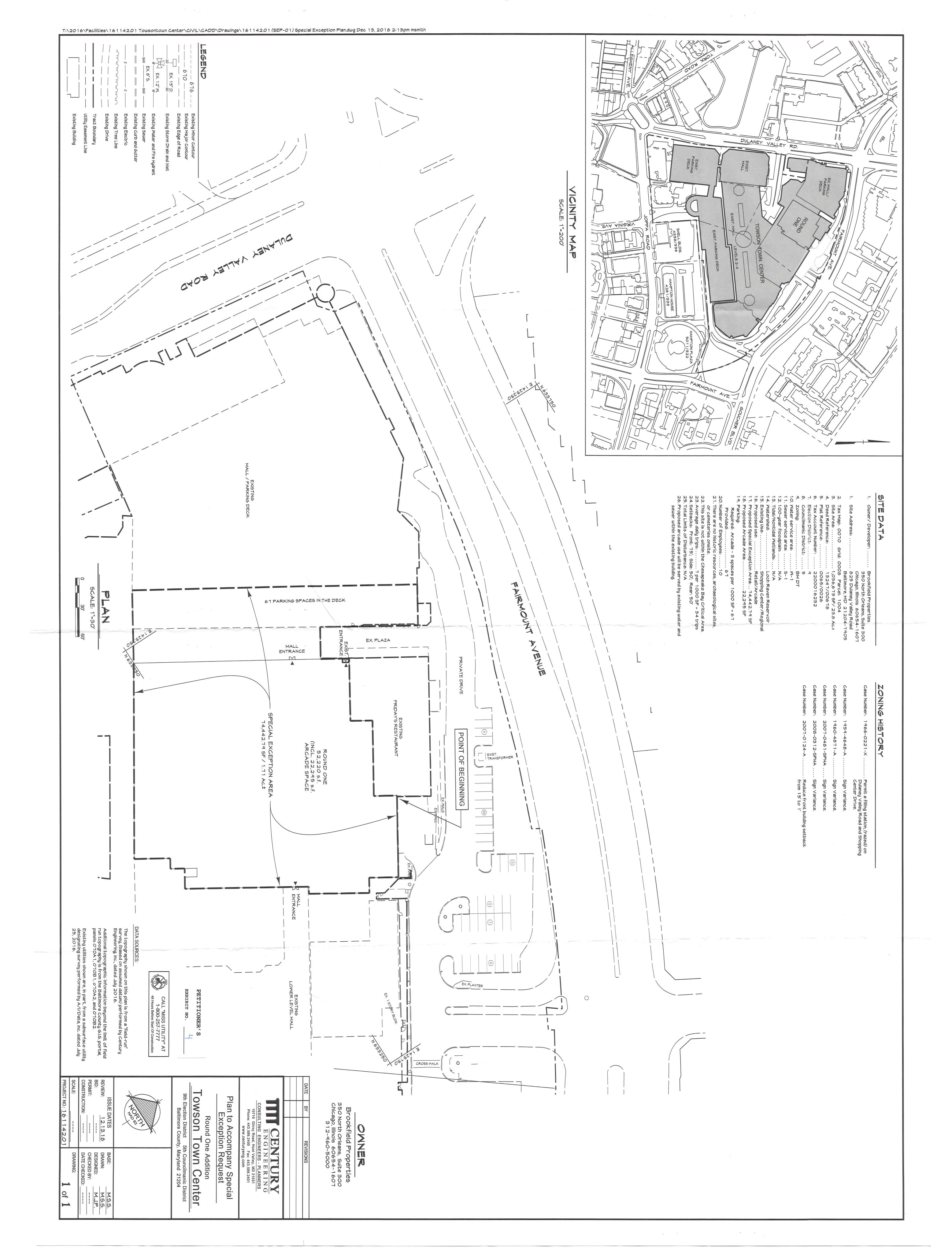
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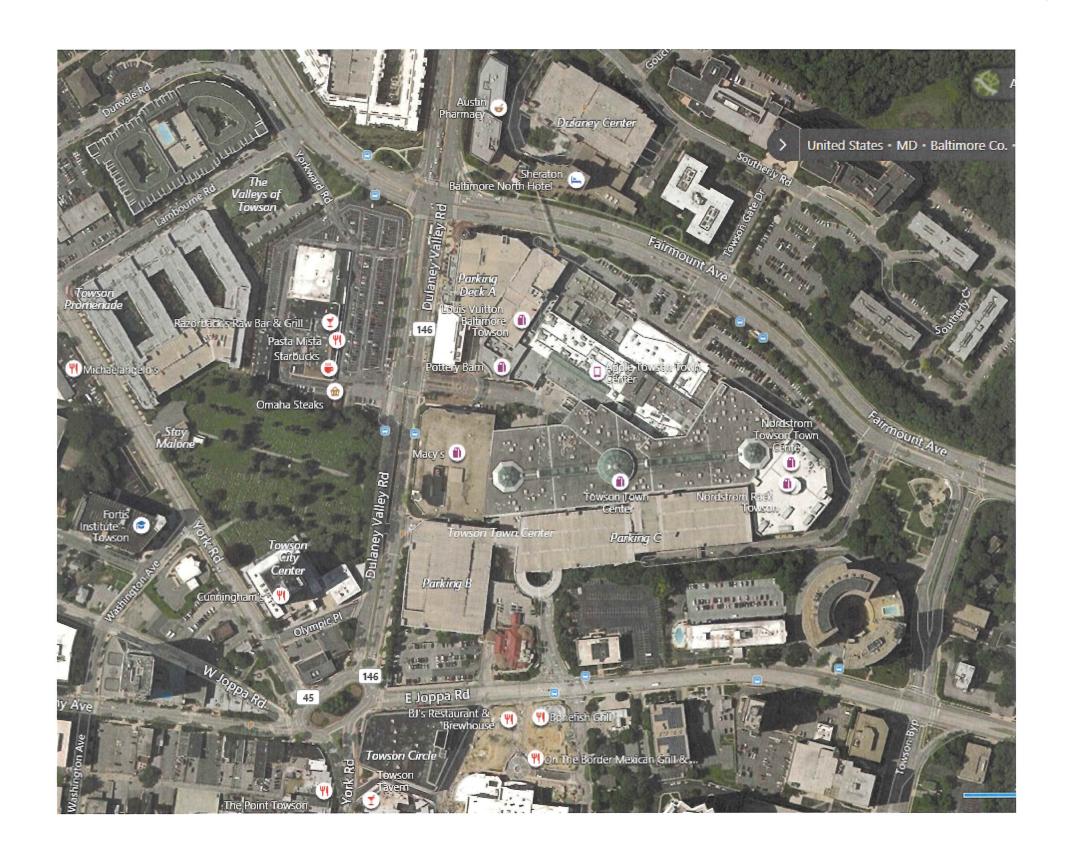
OPINIONS MAY NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL ALL ADVERTISING COSTS ARE PAID.

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