MEMORANDUM

DATE:

November 2, 2020

TO:

Zoning Review Office

FROM:

Office of Administrative Hearings

RE:

Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA- Appeal Period Expired

The appeal period for the above-referenced cases expired on October 29, 2020. 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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c: Case File

Office of Administrative Hearings



JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

PAUL M. MAYHEW
Managing Administrative Law Judge
LAWRENCE M. STAHL
Administrative Law Judge

September 29, 2020

Clyde Slacum 547 Ensemble Court Cockeysville, MD 21030

RE: MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance

Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA Property: 2301 Walnut Avenue

Dear Mr. Slacum:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter.

Pursuant to Baltimore County Code § 32-3-401(a), "a person aggrieved or feeling aggrieved" by this Decision and Order 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,

PAUL M. MAYHEW

Managing Administrative Law Judge

for Baltimore County

PMM:dlw Enclosure

c: Patrick (Rick) Richardson, Richardson Engineering, LLC, 30 E. Padonia Rd., Suite 500, Timonium, MD 21093 Matt Kibler, 2313 Walnut Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21227 IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING *

BEFORE THE

AND VARIANCE

(2301 Walnut Ave.) 13th Election District

OFFICE OF

1st Council District

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Clyde Slacum Legal Owner

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Petitioner

Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA

ORDER ON MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings ("OAH") for Baltimore County. The Petitioner (Clyde Slacum) originally filed a Special Hearing pursuant to §§ 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("BCZR") to permit the construction of a new warehouse building in a riverine floodplain. In addition, a Petition for Variance was filed pursuant to BCZR §§ 255.2 and 243.1 to allow a front setback of 53 ft. in lieu of the required 75 ft.; per §§ 255.2 and 243.2 to allow a side yard setback of 3 ft. in lieu of the required 50 ft.; and per §§ 255.2 and 243.3 to allow a rear yard setback of 4' in lieu of the required 50 ft.

By Opinion and Order dated August 26, 2020, the undersigned denied the Petition for Special Hearing and granted with conditions the Petition for Variance.

On September 21, 2020, Patrick Richardson, the engineer who represented the Petitioner. filed via e-mail a timely Motion for Reconsideration of the August 26, 2020 Opinion and Order. In the Motion, Mr. Richardson urges1 that the facts of this case are like those in Case No. 2019-0032-SPHA, and that the relief requested here should have been granted.

I disagree. The reason I granted the Motion for Reconsideration in that case was that I had

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¹ In my view Mr. Richardson, in addition to highlighting certain facts in the case, is also advancing a legal argument by citing a prior ALJ ruling as supposed precedent for this case. This he is not licensed to do. As a member of the bar and the ALJ in this case this puts me in an awkward position, since I am not supposed to condone or facilitate the practice of law without a license.

admittedly misconstrued certain testimony and exhibits, and had therefore applied the wrong sections of the County Code. The construction activities that were planned to occur within the riverine floodplain in that case were of the type permitted in a riverine floodplain as exceptions under BCC § 32-4-414 (c)(2), i.e., for "[t]he installation of a pond, culvert, bridge, street, utility or drainage facility." In that case, once these flood amelioration measures were constructed the proposed project would no longer be in the floodplain.

But in this case no such flood amelioration measures were proposed in the site plan or described at the hearing; nor are they proposed in the Motion for Reconsideration. To the contrary, all that is proposed in this case is the adding of fill directly in/on over one thousand square feet of riverine floodplain for the purposes of then constructing a *new building* on that foundation. Although the building would thereby be raised out of the floodplain, its foundational structure, which would not be a "pond, culvert, bridge, street, utility or drainage facility," would remain in the riverine floodplain. In my view, this is therefore still prohibited by BCC § 32-8-304(2), and by Part 125 of the Building Code, which both flatly bar "new buildings" in a riverine floodplain.

In addition, even if this were a case where a floodplain waiver were permissible, such as construction of a new building within a *tidal* floodplain, the petitioner would still have been required to obtain a request for such relief from the Director of Public Works under BCC § 32-4-107(a)(1). No such request has been made here.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County, this <u>29th</u> day of **September**, 2020, that the Motion for Reconsideration be, and is hereby DENIED.

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PAUL M. MAYHEW

Managing Administrative Law Judge

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IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING *

AND VARIANCE

(2301 Walnut Ave.)

13th Election District

Clyde Slacum

Petitioner

Legal Owner

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BEFORE THE

OFFICE OF

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA

OPINION AND ORDER

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings ("OAH") for consideration of a revised Petition for Special Hearing and Variance filed on behalf of Clyde Slacum, legal owner ("Petitioner") filed on July 21, 2020. The Special Hearing was filed pursuant to §§ 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("BCZR") to permit development of a site that is in a riverine floodplain. In addition, a Petition for Variance was filed pursuant to BCZR §§ 255.2 and 243.1 to allow a front setback of 53 ft. in lieu of the required 75 ft.; per §§ 255.2 and 243.2 to allow a side yard setback of 3 ft. in lieu of the required 50 ft.; and per §§ 255.2 and 243.3 to allow a rear yard setback of 4' in lieu of the required 50 ft. A site plan was marked and accepted into evidence as Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, a public WebEx hearing was conducted in lieu of an inperson public hearing. The Petition was advertised and posted in conformance with the BCZR.

Petitioner Clyde Slacum appeared in support of the requests. Patrick (Rick) Richardson, Jr., the
engineer who prepared the site plan, assisted with presenting the case. There were no protestants
or interested person in attendance; however, a letter of opposition was submitted by a Mr. Matt
Kibler who owns the adjacent properties at 2313 and 2317 Walnut Avenue, which both have
residential structures.

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FINDINGS OF FACT

Both Special Hearing and Variance relief are sought in this case. The Petitioner, Clyde Slacum, owns a construction business and wishes to build a 3200 sq. ft. storage warehouse on this site, which lies partially within a riverine floodplain. The site is bounded on the west by I-695. To the south is I-895. To the north is Hollins Ferry Road and to the east is Hammonds Ferry Road. The site is accessible only via a panhandle driveway off of Walnut Avenue, which essentially dead-ends near the front of the site but also serves as the only access to Mr. Kibler's properties at 2313 and 2317 Walnut Avenue.

Substantive Zoning Advisory Committee ("ZAC") comments were received from the Department of Planning ("DOP"). They did not oppose the requested relief, subject to proposed conditions. A comment dated February 13, 2010 was also received from the Department of Public Works ("DPW"). DPW observed that according to their files ("Landsdowne Area Study"), "the subject site is in the riverine flood plain." The DPW comment states further that "FEMA has provided updates to the FIRM (flood insurance rate maps) that have not become effective but flood plain elevations have been provided. These maps also show the subject site in the riverine flood plain based on existing conditions." DPW notes that, per Baltimore County Code § 32-4-414, and Baltimore County Building Code Part 125, there shall be "no building in a riverine flood plain." DPW therefore opined that "[a]n ultimate flood plain study of the property must be submitted for verification of the flood plain boundary. Once the flood plain boundary has been established, the Building Code requirements for riverine floodplain must be observed."

The property is approximately 38,244 sq. ft. in size and is zoned ML-IM. Mr. Richardson explained that the riverine floodplain on this property is caused by "backwater" coming from the

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nearby Patapsco River. He submitted as Petitioner's Exhibit 4 a letter that he wrote to Thomas Kiefer, P.E., the Acting Director of DPW, on May 28, 2020. Presumably this letter was written in response to the DPW Comments referenced above. The letter states, in relevant part, that "[t]he location is in the fringe of the floodplain. The location and grading of the site to add a building that is accessed from the north will result in 1187 square feet of the building being in the floodplain area as determined by a survey of the property." Mr. Richardson goes on to state that "while determining the exact area of the floodplain to be impacted by the Patapsco River is not known, the area impacted between the Baltimore Beltway and Hollins Ferry Road is approximately 32 acres. The impact from this building is 0.03 acres, and a total volume of 0.0078 acre feet, which is negligent (sic) in size or scope of the overall floodplain. Therefore, based on my opinion, the construction of the building in this location will not have any adverse impacts on the upstream or downstream property owners. The owner understands that Baltimore County will not be responsible for any flooding issues that might occur as a result of this work being done."

Petitioner's Exhibit 5 is a reply letter dated July 2, 2020 from Mr. Kiefer. It states, in relevant part, that "[t]his project involves development in the form of grading and construction in the 1% annual special flood hazard, 100 year, riverine flood plain." The letter then cites Baltimore County Code § 32-8-303 (a) (3), which provides that a waiver of the prohibition on building in a floodplain may only be granted upon "a determination that the granting of a waiver will not increase flood heights, impact public safety, incur extraordinary public expense, create nuisances, cause fraud or victimization of the public, or conflict with existing local and state laws and ordinances." Mr. Kiefer notes that according to Mr. Richardson's May 28, 2020 letter, the floodplain on the site is due to the backwater condition from the Patapsco River, and that "the impact to the fringe floodplain from the building will be 0.03 acres and a total volume of 0.0078

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acre-feet." Subject to several conditions, Mr. Kiefer concluded that "[a]fter careful consideration of the Code above (presumably referring to B.C.C. § 32-8-303 (a) (3)), the Department finds that the grading and construction for this project in riverine floodplain areas is not detrimental to floodplain management programs."

At the hearing the undersigned questioned Mr. Richardson about the stormwater runoff and drainage concerns raised by the neighbor, Mr. Kibler. Richardson stated that Kibler's properties are upstream from the subject site and that this new structure should not impact those parcels. I note that Mr. Kibler is also opposed to the substantial setback variances that are requested in this case and he states in his letter that he assumes that such extreme variances would not be granted.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. Special Hearing

Pursuant to BCZR § 500.7 the Petitioner asks me "to approve a waiver of BCC Sections 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 to permit development of a site that is in a riverine floodplain." For the reasons that follow I do not believe that this relief can be granted.

The analysis of this issue must start with BCC § 32-4-414 (c), which is captioned "Development in floodplain prohibited; exceptions." This section states in very clear language that "[t]he County may not permit development in a riverine floodplain except for:

- (1) The establishment of property subdivision lines; and
- (2) The installation of a pond, culvert, bridge, street, utility, or drainage facility that the county finds is not detrimental to floodplain management programs."

The instant case does not fall under either one of these exceptions. There is no issue of property subdivision lines, and the Petitioner is not seeking to build a "pond, culvert, bridge, street, utility of drainage facility" – all structures designed to ameliorate flooding. Rather, Petitioner

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seeks to construct a 3200 sq. ft. warehouse building with 1187 sq. ft. of it within the riverine floodplain.

Petitioner, however, seeks a waiver of the floodplain building prohibition. It is true that pursuant to BCC § 32-4-107 floodplain waivers can be granted in some limited situations; but *not* in the case of *new buildings* in a *riverine* floodplain. BCC § 32-4-107(a)(1) states in relevant part that "[a]t the request of a department director, the Hearing Officer *may grant a waiver of any or all requirements of Subtitles 3, 4, or 5* of this this title if the Hearing Officer finds that:

- (i) 1. The size, scope, and nature of a proposed development does not justify strict compliance with this title;
 - 2. A waiver would be within the scope, purpose, and intent of this title; and
 - 3. All other county laws and regulations have been complied with; or
- (ii) Compliance with this title would cause unnecessary hardship." (emphasis added)

However, the very next subsection, BCC § 32-4-107(a)(2) states that "[a] waiver can be granted only in accordance with Title 8 of this article." (emphasis added). Read together, these Code sections give the Hearing Officer discretion to grant floodplain waivers of any or all of the requirements of Subtitles 3, 4 or 5, but only to the extent Title 8 is complied with. This unambiguous condition is fatal to Petitioner's request. That is because BCC § 32-8-304, entitled "Waivers Prohibited" states, point blank, that "Waivers may not be granted for the following: (1) Placement of fill or any development in the floodway if any increase in flood levels would result; or (2) New buildings in the riverine floodplain." (emphasis added).

It is therefore clear that the requested waiver cannot be granted because according to the site plan and the other relevant record evidence the proposed new warehouse building would have

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1187 sq. ft. within the riverine floodplain. I am mindful that two professional engineers, Mr. Richardson and Mr. Keifer, are of the opinion that this relatively small incursion into the riverine floodplain would not have substantial negative impacts on the floodplain. And I am sympathetic to Mr. Slacum, a Baltimore County business owner and resident. But in my view the law is clear: no new buildings are permitted in a riverine floodplain, and no waiver of that prohibition is permitted.¹

B. Variances

Petitioner also seeks variances from the applicable front, rear and side setbacks. 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).

As described above, the parcel in question is somewhat unique in that it is bounded by two interstates and is a long, narrow lot that is accessed only via a panhandle drive. As also noted, it is partially within a riverine floodplain. Without the requested variances the Petitioner will be unable to construct this proposed warehouse, or virtually any other structure. This would obviously cause him hardship and practical difficulty. I can therefore grant the requested variance relief if it is within the spirit and intent of the BCZR and would not cause harm to the public health, safety or welfare. However, I must also factor into my analysis the general rule that "the authority to grant a variance should be exercised sparingly and only under exceptional circumstances." *Mueller v.*

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¹ Because I have denied the Special Hearing floodplain waiver relief I need not reach the question of whether the variance relief should be granted. However, in the event this Decision and Order are appealed I will also rule on the request for variance relief.

People's Counsel for Baltimore County, 177 Md. App. 43, 71(2007). This is because "a variance is an authorization for that which is prohibited by a zoning ordinance." Cromwell, supra, 102 Md. App. at 699. And because "citizens [of a given county or municipality] are entitled to strict enforcement of the existing zoning regulations." Salisbury Bd. Of Zoning Appeals v. Bounds, 240 Md. 547, 555-56 (1965).

As noted above, the adjoining residential property owner has voiced opposition to the requested variance relief based on storm water and drainage concerns. Therefore, "[t]he burden is on the applicant to show facts to warrant a variance," and "the specific need for the variance must be substantial and urgent and not merely for the convenience of the applicant." *Mueller, supra*, 177 Md. App. at 70.

The variance requests present a close question under the law and facts of this case. In my layperson's view it is hard to see how the addition of 3200 square feet of impervious surface, plus the necessary access paving will not impact the floodplain and the existing drainage conditions. However, I do give weight to the professional opinions of Mr. Richardson and Mr. Kiefer, who state that this relatively small structure will have a negligible impact on the 32 acre floodplain in which it is located. Further, this is an unusual site that is otherwise ideally suited for the proposed warehouse use. And the requested setback variances, although substantial, will not significantly impact any adjoining properties, as the proposed structure remains a good distance from any surrounding structures. I am also mindful of the substantial investment that Mr. Slacum has made in the property. Therefore, in the final analysis I am convinced that the hardships to Petitioner outweigh any impacts to the public health, safety and welfare, and that the variance relief can be granted within the spirit and intent of the BCZR and subject to the comments of the DOP which will be incorporated in this case.

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THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this <u>26th</u> day of August 2020, by this Administrative Law Judge, that the revised Petition for Special Hearing seeking relief pursuant to approve a waiver of BCC §§ 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 to permit development of a new building in a riverine floodplain is hereby **DENIED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the revised Petition for Variance seeking relief pursuant to BCZR §§ 255.2 and 243.1 to allow a front setback of 53 ft. in lieu of the required 75 ft., per §§ 255.2 and 243.2 to allow a side yard setback of 3 ft. in lieu of the required 50 ft., and per §§ 255.2 and 243.3 to allow a rear yard setback of 4' in lieu of the required 50 ft. be and hereby is **GRANTED**.

The relief granted herein shall be subject to the following:

- 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 his 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, Petitioner would be required to return the subject property to its original condition.
- Prior to issuance of permits Petitioners must comply with the ZAC comment submitted by the DOP, which a copy is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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

PAUL M. MAYHEW

Managing Administrative Law Judge

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Zoning Relief for 2301 Walnut Avenue

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30 E. Padonia Road, Suite 500 Cockeysville, Maryland 21030

tel. 410-560-1502 fax 443-901-1208

ZONING DESCRIPTION PATAPSCO PIPELINE PROPERTY 2301 WALNUT AVENUE 13TH ELECTION DISTRICT 1ST COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

First, BEGINNING FOR THE SAME at a point on the South side of Walnut Avenue at a point where it intersects the Baltimore Beltway (Interstate 695), thence running on the south side of the Walnut Avenue right-of-way 15' wide (1) South 00 degrees 27 minutes 00 seconds East 387± feet, (2) North 80 degrees 03 minutes East 67± feet, (3) North 00 degrees 52 minutes West 136± feet, (4) South 87 degrees 17 minutes 52 seconds West 61.21 feet, (5) North 06 degrees 12 minutes West 239.65 feet, thence binding on the south side of the right of way of Walnut Avenue, (6) South 84 degrees 44 minutes West 11± feet, and the point of beginning;

Second, BEGINNING FOR THE SAME at a point on the South side of Walnut Avenue at a point 111'± from where it intersects the Baltimore Beltway (Interstate 695), thence running on the south side of the Walnut Avenue right-of-way 15' wide (1) South 07 degrees 50 minutes 35 seconds East 387± feet, (2) North 80 degrees 03 minutes East 67± feet, (3) North 00 degrees 52 minutes West 136± feet, (4) South 87 degrees 17 minutes 52 seconds West 61.21 feet,

Containing a net area of 24,449 square feet, or 0.56 acres of land, more or less.

Together with a 20' access easement along the rear of Parcel 2 with the use of others on the land of Eskow Property, LLC.



PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THESE DOCUMENTS WERE PREPARED OR APPROVED BY ME, AND THAT I AM A DULY LICENSED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, LICENSE NUMBER 16597, EXPIRATION DATE: 08-15-2021

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

	2020-0032-SPHA RE: Case No.:
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	Clyde Slacum
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Attn: Kristen Lewis:	
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From:

Richardson, Patrick <rick@richardsonengineering.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, August 11, 2020 9:22 AM

To:

Administrative Hearings zoning case 2020-0032

Subject: Attachments:

19174 zp1-exhibit 1.pdf; Exhibit 2 aerial.pdf; Exhibit 3 SHA plat.pdf; 19174 Kiefer

05-28-20.pdf; Walnut Avenue #2301 Flood Plain Waiver.pdf

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Attached are the exhibits for this case for August 20 hearing. Thanks.

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OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS



JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

July 28, 2020

PAUL M. MAYHEW
Managing Administrative Law Judge
LAWRENCE M. STAHL
Administrative Law Judge

AMENDED 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 virtual hearing on the property identified herein as follows:

Case Number: 2020-0032-SPHA

Property Address: 2301 WALNUT AVE

Location: South side of Walnut Ave North West 580 to the center line of Hollins Ferry Road.

Election District: 13 Council District: 1

Legal Owner: Clyde Slacum

Contract Purchaser: No Contract Purchaser was set.

SPECIAL HEARING: Special Hearing to approve a waiver of BCC Section 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 to permit development of a site that is in a riverine floodplain.

<u>VARIANCE</u>: Per section 255.2 and 243.1 to allow a front setback of 53' in lieu of the required 75'. Per section 255.2 and 243.2 to allow a side yard setback of 3' in lieu of the required 50'. Per section 255.2 and 243.3 to allow a rear yard setback of 4' in lieu of the required 50'.

Hearing: Monday, August 20, 2020 at 10:00 AM

For information on how to participate in the hearings, please go to www.baltimorecountymdgov/adminhearings. You will be asked to provide your contact information and the case number provided above. You may also call 410-887-3868, press 0 for operators.

PAUL M. MAYHEW

Managing Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

Office of Administrative Hearings

ON AUTHORITY OF: Michael Mallinoff, Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

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c: Patrick Richardson, Jr. (via email: rick@richardsonengineering.net)

Clyde Slacum (via email: clydesclacum@comcast.net)

<u>NOTE:</u> THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY FRIDAY, JULY 31, 2020.

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From:

Kristen L Lewis

Sent:

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 8:47 AM

To:

Donna Mignon

Subject:

Corrected Hearing Notice 2020-0032-A (2301 Walnut Avenue)

Good morning,

Below is the new wording for the notice you did back on 7/17. This can just be added after the Variance wording that was already on the previous notice.

"Special Hearing to approve a waiver of BCC Section 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 to permit development of a site that is in a riverine floodplain"

Rick Richardson's email is Rick@RichardsonEngineering.net

Thanks have a great day.

Kristen Lewis PAI – Zoning Review 410-887-3391



JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

July 17, 2020

PAUL M. MAYHEW

Managing Administrative Law Judge

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Administrative Law Judge

NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

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Election District: 13 Council District: 1

Legal Owner: Clyde Slacum

Contract Purchaser: No Contract Purchaser was set.

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Hearing: Monday, August 20, 2020 at 10:00 AM

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ON AUTHORITY OF: Michael Mallinoff, Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

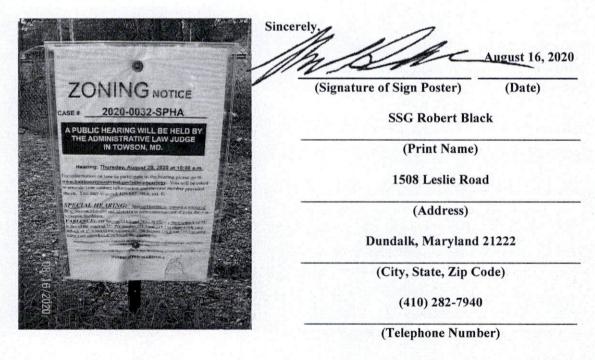
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c: Patrick Richardson, Jr. (via email: <u>rick@richardsonengineering.net</u>)
Clyde Slacum (via email: clydeslacum@comcast.net

<u>NOTE:</u> THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY FRIDAY, JULY 31, 2020

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

	2020-0032-SPHA
RE: Case No.:	
Petitioner	r/Developer:
	Clyde Slacum
Date of H	August 20, 2020 Hearing/Closing:
Baltimore County Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections	RECEIVED
County Office Building, Room 111 11 West Chesapeake Avenue	AUG 1 7 2020
Towson, Maryland 21204 Attn: Kristen Lewis:	ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING
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From:

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Sent:

Tuesday, July 21, 2020 9:29 AM

To:

Gary M Hucik

Subject:

RE: File No: 2020-0032 A - 2301 Walnut Avenue

Okay, thank you so much.

From: Gary M Hucik <ghucik@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 9:27 AM

To: Donna Mignon <dmignon@baltimorecountymd.gov>
Subject: RE: File No: 2020-0032 A - 2301 Walnut Avenue

Kristin needs the folder give her a call Rick is doing an amended petition

Thanks Gary

From: Donna Mignon

Sent: Tuesday, July 21, 2020 9:24 AM

To: Gary M Hucik <ghucik@baltimorecountymd.gov>
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Importance: High

Good Morning,

I left you a voicemail message. Rick Richardson indicated that he spoke to you yesterday regarding his amended petition and you needed the file. I wanted to bring it over.

Please let me know when would be a good time to run it over to you. Thank you so much.

Donna Mignon, Legal Assistant
Baltimore County Office of Administrative Hearings
105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 103
Towson, Maryland 21204
410-887-3868

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From:

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Sent:

Monday, July 20, 2020 11:29 AM

To:

'Richardson, Patrick'

Subject:

RE: Hearing on August 20, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

We are teleworking today. I can get it over there first thing tomorrow morning, when I get in.

From: Richardson, Patrick < rick@richardsonengineering.net>

Sent: Monday, July 20, 2020 11:12 AM

To: Donna Mignon dmignon@baltimorecountymd.gov> **Subject:** RE: Hearing on August 20, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

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Rick Richardson

Richardson Engineering, LLC 30 E. Padonia Road Suite 500 Timonium, MD 21093 410-560-1502-x112

fax: 443-901-1208

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Subject: Hearing on August 20, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

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Hearing Notice - 2301 Walnut Avenue.pdf

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ON AUTHORITY OF: Michael Mallinoff, Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

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From:

Richardson, Patrick < rick@richardsonengineering.net>

Sent:

Friday, July 17, 2020 1:19 PM

To:

Donna Mignon

Subject:

Accepted: Invitation to join Web seminar as a panelist: Zoning Hearing/2301 Walnut

Avenue

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JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

MICHAEL D. MALLINOFF, Director Department of Permits, Approvals & Inspections

February 14, 2020

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2301 Walnut Avenue

S/s Walnut Avenue, n/w of centerline of Hollins Ferry Road

13th Election District – 1st Councilmanic District

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Hearing: Friday, March 13, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

Michael Mallinoff

Director

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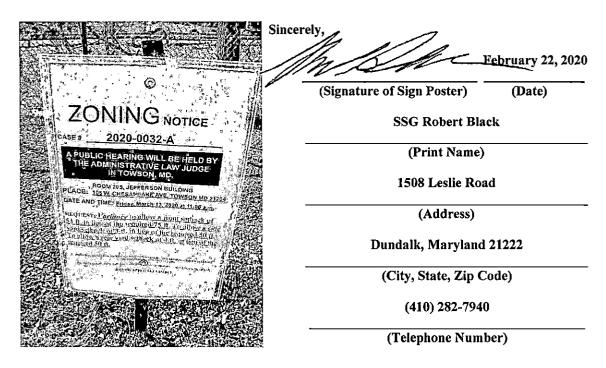
C: Clyde Slacum, 547 Ensemble Court, Cockeysville 21030 Richardson Engineering, 30 E. Padonia Road, Ste. 500, Timonium 21093

NOTES: (1) THE PETITIONER MUST HAVE THE ZONING NOTICE SIGN POSTED BY AN APPROVED POSTER ON THE PROPERTY BY SAT., FEBRUARY 22, 2020.

- (2) HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS PLEASE CALL THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS OFFICE AT 410-887-3868.
- (3) FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING THE FILE AND/OR HEARING, CONTACT THE ZONING REVIEW OFFICE AT 410-887-3391.

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Attn: Kristen Lewis:	
Ladies and Gentlemen:	
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RE: PETITION FOR VARIANCE
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13th Election & 1st Councilmanic Districts
Legal Owner(s): Clyde Slacum
Petitioner(s)

BEFORE THE OFFICE

OF ADMINSTRATIVE

HEARINGS FOR

BALTIMORE COUNTY

2020-032-A

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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 Zimmerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

Carle S Dembio

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 14th day of February, 2020, a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was mailed to Richardson Engineering, LLC, 30 W. Padonia Road, Suite 500, Timonium, Maryland 21093, Representative for Petitioner(s).

Peter Max Zummerman

PETER MAX ZIMMERMAN
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

The Daily Record

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Order #:

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Case #:

2020-0032-A

Description:

NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING - CASE NUMBER: 2020-0032-A

We hereby certify that the annexed advertisement was published in The Daily Record, a daily newspaper published in the State of Maryland 1 times on the following dates:

2/21/2020

(Representative Signature)

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Michael Mallinoff

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Debra Wiley

From:

SGT ROBERT BLACK <1opie@comcast.net>

Sent:

Monday, March 9, 2020 2:37 PM

To:

Rick Richardson; Administrative Hearings

Subject:

Recertification's for 2020-0032-A

Attachments:

Re-Cert 1 2020-0032-A.doc; Re-Cert 2 2020-0032-A.doc

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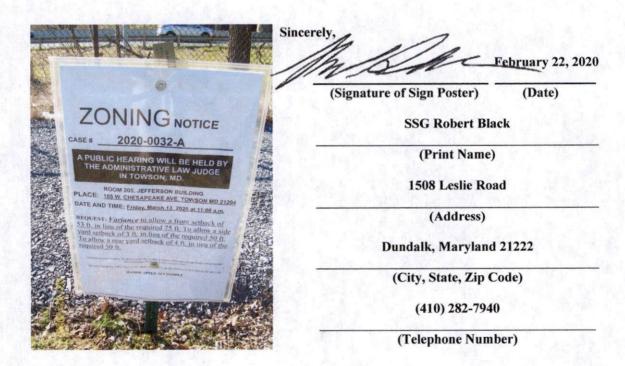
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	2020-0032-A
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	Petitioner/Developer:
	Clyde Slacum
	March 13, 2020 Date of Hearing/Closing:
Baltimore County Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections County Office Building, Room 111 111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204	
Attn: Kristen Lewis:	
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TO: THE DAILY RECORD

Friday, February 21, 2020 - Issue

Please forward billing to:

Clyde Slacum

547 Ensemble Court
Cockeysville, MD 21030

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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: 2020-0032-A

2301 Walnut Avenue

S/s Walnut Avenue, n/w of centerline of Hollins Ferry Road

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Legal Owners: Clyde Slacum

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Hearing: Friday, March 13, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 205, Jefferson Building, 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Towson 21204

Michael Mallinoff

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.

DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS, APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

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

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

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

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March 3, 2020

Richardson Engineering LLC, 30 E. Padonia Road Timonium MD 21093

RE: Case Number: 2020-0032-A, 2301 Walnut Avenue

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 February 5, 2020. 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.

W. Carl Richards, Jr. Supervisor, Zoning Review

WCR/kl

Enclosures

c: People's Counsel Clyde Slacum 547 Ensemble Court Cockeysville MD 21030



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Date: 2/12/26

Ms. Kristen Lewis
Baltimore County Office of
Permits and Development Management
County Office Building, Room 109
111 West Chesapeake Avenue
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. 2020-0032-A

Variance Clyde Stacum 2301 Walnut Avenue.

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@mdot.maryland.gov).

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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3-13-2020

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

Inter-Office Correspondence



TO:

Hon. Paul M. Mayhew; Managing Administrative Law Judge

Office of Administrative Hearings

FROM:

Jeff Livingston, Department of Environmental Protection and

Sustainability (EPS) - Development Coordination

DATE:

February 18, 2020

SUBJECT:

DEPS Comment for Zoning Item

2020-0032-A

Address

2301 Walnut Avenue

(Slacum Property)

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of February 17, 2020.

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

Reviewer:

Steve Ford

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TO:

Michael Mallinoff, Director,

Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

ATTN:

Kristen Lewis

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FROM:

Steven A. Walsh, Director

Department of Public Works

DATE:

February 13, 2020

SUBJECT:

Case No: 2020-0032-A

2301 Walnut Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21227

The subject case is to determine whether or not the Administrative Law Judge should approve a Variance to allow reductions in the front, side and rear yard setbacks.

During the review of this property the Department of Public Works has found that there is a riverine flood plain on the property that may impact the proposed development. The "Plan to Accompany a Zoning Petition for Patapsco Pipeline Warehouse" dated January 28, 2020 shows a proposed warehouse building not in the riverine flood plain. The flood plain delineation shown on the plan is taken from the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) panel number 2400100510G dated May 5, 2014. These maps are based on existing conditions.

The Department of Public Works has a study on file, Lansdowne Area Study, that shows the subject site in the riverine flood plain. FEMA has provided updates to the FIRM that has not become effective but flood plain delineations have been provided. These maps also show the subject site in the riverine flood plain based on existing conditions.

Baltimore County Code Sections 32-4-414, 32-8 and the 2015 Baltimore County Building Code Part 125 all state "no building in a riverine flood plain".

The Baltimore County Design Manual dated August 2, 2010 page 7-48 states that flood studies must be based on ultimate conditions. An ultimate conditions flood plain study of the property must be submitted for verification of the flood plain boundary. Once the flood plain boundary has been established, the Building Code requirements for riverine flood plain must be observed.

SAW/TWC/s

CC: Vishnubhai K. Desai, Chief, Development Plans Review and Building Plan Review Kevin G. Wagner, Maryland Department of the Environment Peter M. Zimmerman, People's Council

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: 3/5/20

TO:

Michael D. Mallinoff

Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM:

C. Pete Gutwald

Director, Department of Planning

SUBJECT: ZONING ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENTS

Case Number: 20-032

INFORMATION:

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Petitioner: Clyde Slacum Zoning: ML IM Requested Action: Variance

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Date: 3/5/2020

Subject: ZAC # 20-032

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Reviewer:

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TO:

File

DATE: March 17, 2020

FROM:

Paul M. Mayhew Phr (See

Managing Administrative Law Judge

SUBJECT:

Case No. 2020-0032-A – Petition for Variance

2301 Walnut Avenue - Petitioner Clyde Slacum

This matter was scheduled for a public hearing on March 13, 2020 at 11:00 AM. The case was not opened and/or continued, no testimony was taken, and no citizens attended the hearing.

Rick Richardson of Richardson Engineering, Inc. is planning to work it out regarding the riverine floodplain per DPW's ZAC comment. In addition, he may revise the petition to add a special hearing.

Therefore, the case file is being returned to the OZR.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

Michael D. Mallinoff

DATE: 8/13/2020

Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

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TO:

Michael Millanoff, Director

DATE: 03/10/2020

Department of Permits, Approvals

FROM:

Vishnu Desai, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT:

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For February 17, 2020 Item No. 2020-0032- A

The Bureau of Development Plans Review has reviewed the subject zoning items and we have the following comments.

If Zoning Relief is granted, a Landscape Plan is required per the requirements of the Landscape Manual. A Lighting Plan is also required.

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Donna Mignon

From:

Donna Mignon

Sent:

Friday, July 17, 2020 1:19 PM

To: Cc:

Kristen L Lewis Debra Wiley

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Zoning Hearing/2301 Walnut Avenue

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Thursday, August 20, 2020 10:00 am

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2301 Walnut Avenue Case No: 2020-0032-A

Clyde Slacum

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Debra Wiley, Henry Ayakwah, Paul Mayhew

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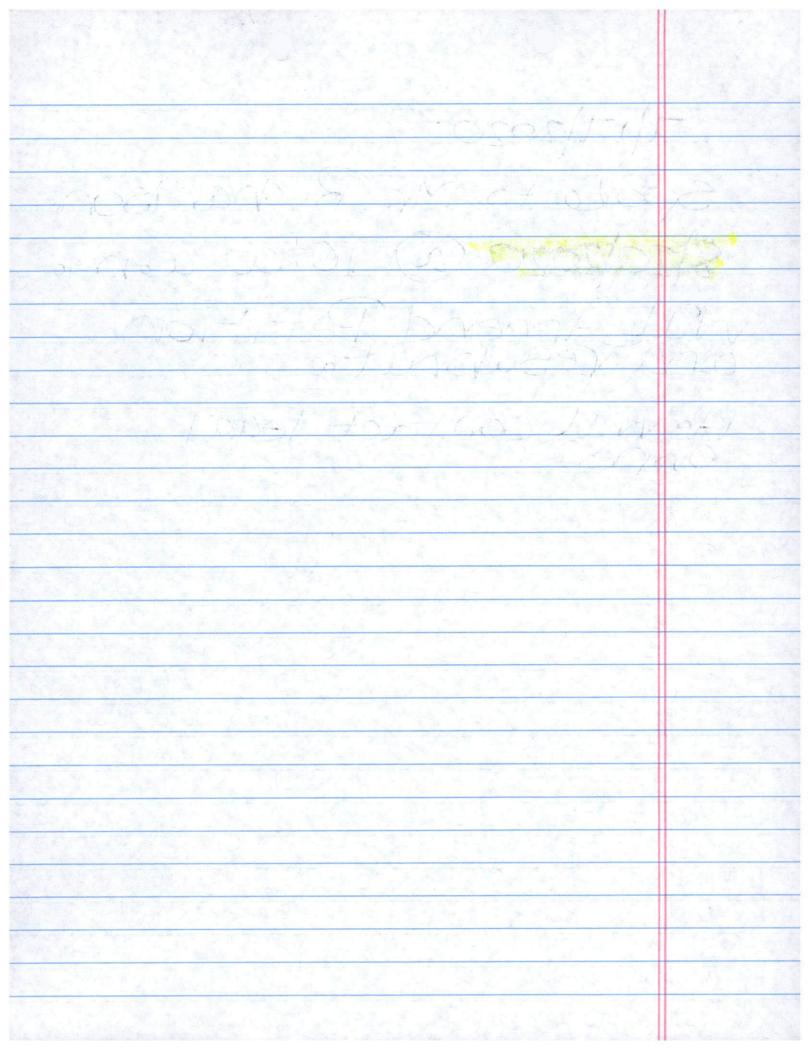
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Debra Wiley

From:

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Sent:

Friday, September 25, 2020 12:19 PM

To:

Peter Max Zimmerman

Subject:

Motion for Reconsideration - Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA

Attachments:

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Pete,

Per your request, please find attached a copy of the Motion for Reconsideration filed by Rick Richardson for the above-referenced case.

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Sent: Friday, September 25, 2020 12:22 PM

To: Debra Wiley <dwiley@baltimorecountymd.gov>

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Queries to: adminhearingscpr@baltimorecountymd.gov

Donna Mignon

From:

Donna Mignon

Sent:

Tuesday, September 22, 2020 8:40 AM

To:

'Richardson, Patrick'; Paul Mayhew

Cc:

clydeslacum@comcast.net; Debra Wiley

Subject:

RE: 2301 Walnut Avenue - 2020-0032-SPHA

Good Morning,

Our office is in receipt of the Motion for Reconsideration and will be given to ALI Mayhew for his review and decision.

Thank you.

Donna Mignon, Legal Assistant Baltimore County Office of Administrative Hearings 105 West Chesapeake Avenue, Suite 103 Towson, Maryland 21204 410-887-3868

From: Richardson, Patrick < rick@richardsonengineering.net>

Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 10:14 PM

To: Paul Mayhew <pmayhew@baltimorecountymd.gov>

Cc: Donna Mignon <dmignon@baltimorecountymd.gov>; clydeslacum@comcast.net

Subject: 2301 Walnut Avenue - 2020-0032-SPHA

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Mr. Mayhew, I am herewith submitting a Motion for Reconsideration of the decision rendered for this case. If you have any questions regarding same, please feel free to contact me. Thank you for your consideration.

Rick Richardson

Richardson Engineering, LLC 30 E. Padonia Road Suite 500 Timonium, MD 21093 410-560-1502-x112 fax: 443-901-1208

Debra Wiley

From:

Peter Max Zimmerman

Sent:

Friday, September 25, 2020 1:31 PM

To:

Debra Wiley: Paul Mayhew

Cc:

Richardson, Patrick; Terry Curtis; Thomas Kiefer

Subject:

RE: Motion for Reconsideration - Case No. 2020-0032-SPHA

Dear Judge Mayhew,

Thanks to your office for sending a copy of the motion for reconsideration dated September 21 filed by Mr. Richardson for Petitioner Clyde Slacum, 2301 Walnut Avenue.

We have forwarded it to Terry Curtis and Thomas Kiefer of the Department of Public Works and requested their comments on the subject.

We will await their comments before providing input on the issue.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely, Peter Max Zimmerman, People's Counsel, 410 887-2188

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§ 32-8-303. - REASONS FOR GRAI.....G A WAIVER.

- (a) In general. Waivers may only be issued upon:
 - (1) A showing of good and sufficient cause;
 - (2) A determination that failure to grant a waiver would result in exceptional hardship, other than economic hardship, to the applicant; and
 - (3) A determination that the granting of a waiver will not increase flood heights, impact public safety, incur extraordinary public expense, create nuisances, cause fraud or victimization of the public, or conflict with existing local and state laws and ordinances.
- (b) *Minimum necessary.* The waiver action shall be the minimum necessary, considering the flood hazard, to afford relief.
- (c) *Comments.* In considering a waiver action, comments from the state coordinating office and the County Department of Public Works shall be taken into account and maintained with the permit file.

(1988 Code, § 26-670) (Bill No. 173-93, § 2, 11-17-1993; Bill No. 112-02, § 2, 7-1-2004)

§ 32-8-304. - WAIVERS PROHIBITED.

Waivers may not be granted for the following:

- (1) Placement of fill or any development in the floodway if any increase in flood levels would result; or
- (2) New buildings in the riverine floodplain.

(1988 Code, § 26-670) (Bill No. 173-93, § 2, 11-17-1993; Bill No. 112-02, § 2, 7-1-2004)



ZAC AGENDA



Case Number: 2020-0032-A Reviewer: Gary Hucik
Existing Use: INSTITUTIONAL Proposed Use: INSTITUTIONAL

Type: VARIANCE, SPECIAL HEARING

Legal Owner: Clyde Slacum

Contract Purchaser: No Contract Purchaser was set.

Critical Area: No Flood Plain: No Historic: No Election Dist: 13 Council Dist: 1

Property Address: 2301 WALNUT AVE

Location: South side of Walnut Ave North West 580 to the center line of Hollins Ferry Road.

Existing Zoning: ML-IM

Area: 38,244 SQ FT

Proposed Zoning:

VARIANCE:

Per section 255.2 and 243.1 to allow a front setback of 53' in lieu of the required 75'. Per section 255.2 and 243.2 to allow a side yard setback of 3' in lieu of the required 50'. Per section 255.2 and 243.3 to allow a rear yard setback of 4' in lieu of the required 50'.

SPECIAL HEARING:

To approve a waiver of BCC Section 32-4-107 and 32-4-414 to permit development of a site that is in riverine floodplain.

Attorney: Not Available Prior Zoning Cases: None Concurrent Cases: None Violation Cases: None

Closing Date:

Miscellaneous Notes:

Petition has been revised, recirculated to the appropriate departments.; This matter was scheduled for a public hearing on March 13, 2020 at 11:00 AM. The case was not opened and/or continued, no testimony was taken, and no citizens attended the hearing.

Rick Richardson of Richardson Engineering, Inc. is planning to work it out regarding the riverine floodplain per DPW's ZAC comment. In addition, he may revise the petition to add a special hearing.

Therefore, the case file is being returned to the OZR.



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Attorney: Not Available Prior Zoning Cases: None Concurrent Cases: None Violation Cases: None

Closing Date:

Miscellaneous Notes:

Reviewer: Jun Fernando Case Number: 2020-0033-A Existng Use: RESIDENTIAL Proposed Use: RESIDENTIAL

Type: VARIANCE

Legal Owner: Gonzalez Eliseo

Contract Purchaser: Rolando Morales

Critical Area: No Flood Plain: No Election Dist: 1 Council Dist: 1 Historic: No

Property Address: 2000 OKA DR

Location: NW corner of Clifton Ave and Oak Drive.

Existing Zoning: DR 5.5

Proposed Zoning:

VARIANCE:

1,802.3,C.1 and 104.3 To permit extension/addition of a non-conforming residential structure which will have a 17'-6'

Area: 17,200 SQ FT

setback in lieu of the required 25' side setback for a corner lot.

Attorney: Not Available Prior Zoning Cases: None Concurrent Cases: None Violation Cases: None

Closing Date:

Miscellaneous Notes:

Ms. Donna Mignon

8/20/2020

Dear Ms. Mignon,

I appreciate the opportunity to express my concern about the zoning petition 2020-0032-spha.

I own 2313 Walnut and 2317 Walnut Avenue which are both adjacent to the subject property.

When this property became available for purchase, I had an interest in buying so that my properties would be protected but through a due diligence process I found that circumstances existed that would make the property virtually unbuildable. Those circumstances include a difficult access with utility easements that include 3 main water lines, 3 electric poles, very limiting setbacks and of course drainage issues (Floodplain).

While one may expect a 5 or 10% variation of a setback for special circumstances, I cannot imagine granting a 94% reduction of any property much less in a floodplain zone.

My largest concern at this point is my ability to continue to own and enjoy my properties specifically when it comes to drainage concerns. It would appear that the access already has a ton of recent activity that includes elevated fill (stone). I just cannot quite comprehend how something can be built along with the necessary driveways that won't create a drainage problem for me.

I'll look forward to any feedback you can supply and would appreciate you keeping me in the loop with these discussions.

Matt Kibler

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Donna Mignon

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Richardson, Patrick < rick@richardsonengineering.net>

Sent:

Monday, September 21, 2020 10:14 PM

To:

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September 21, 2020

Mr. Paul N. Mayhew, Managing Administrative Law Judge Office of Administrative Hearings 105 W. Chesapeake Avenue Suite 103 Towson, MD 21204

Subject: 2301 Walnut Avenue – 2020-0032-SPHA

Dear Mr. Mayhew:

I am hereby requesting a Motion for Reconsideration on your decision on this case. We believe that we may not have totally explained the plan and presentation made regarding the floodplain special hearing request.

The issue we believe is the proposed elevation of the building. The elevation of the ground after construction will remove the building from the floodplain. The filling of the floodplain per section BCC §32-4-107 is to obtain an area of land whereby the building will be above the floodplain and therefore no longer in the floodplain. By doing this the new building will be meeting the requirements for buildings to be constructed near a floodplain; not in a floodplain.

I direct your attention to the first floor elevation shown on Petitioner's Exhibit #1. The proposed building shows the finished floor elevation designated as "FF=25.0". The floodplain elevation is 23.3, as stated in Petitioner's Exhibit #4. That letter outlines the rational for the impacts to the floodplain not being a detrimental condition if the small area of land is filled in up to the floodplain elevation. The filled floodplain is evaluated up to the 23.3 elevation, not to the floor elevation of 25.0 for the building. If the ground is raised to fill in the floodplain portion of the site and there is not a detrimental impact to the floodplain, then a building can be constructed above it. The result is that the building will not be in the floodplain area, which will be outside the building footprint if the relief is granted.

I emphasize that Mr. Kiefer agreed with this assertion and therefor sent a reply to my analysis agreeing that the filling of the small area of floodplain would not have an adverse impact to the neighboring properties.

I point to another case where this relief has been granted for a project that I was personally involved in. Specifically case 2019-0453-SPH that you heard last year for a site located at 5401 Campbell Boulevard. In this case you initially determined that the request should be dismissed as you felt there was no reason for you to rule. The result of Mr. Gillis's request for reconsideration was that you granted the motion and determined the building to be out of the floodplain. So in that case you made approval conditioned on satisfying all conditions of BCC §32-4-207 before any permits are issued.

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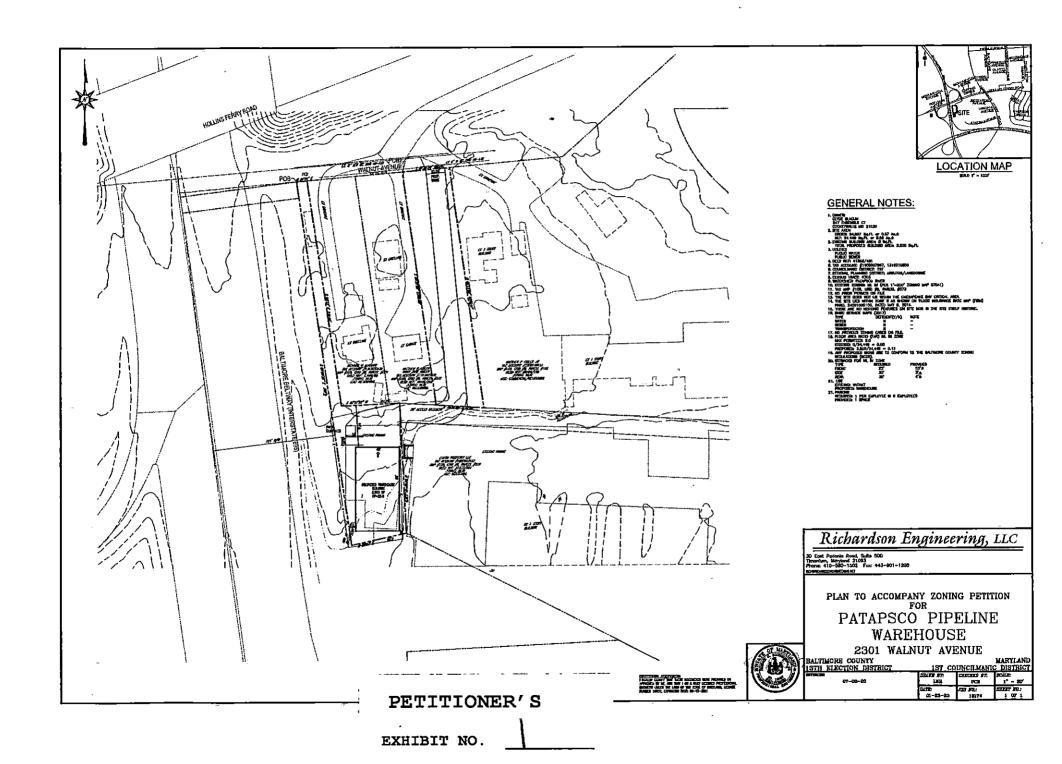
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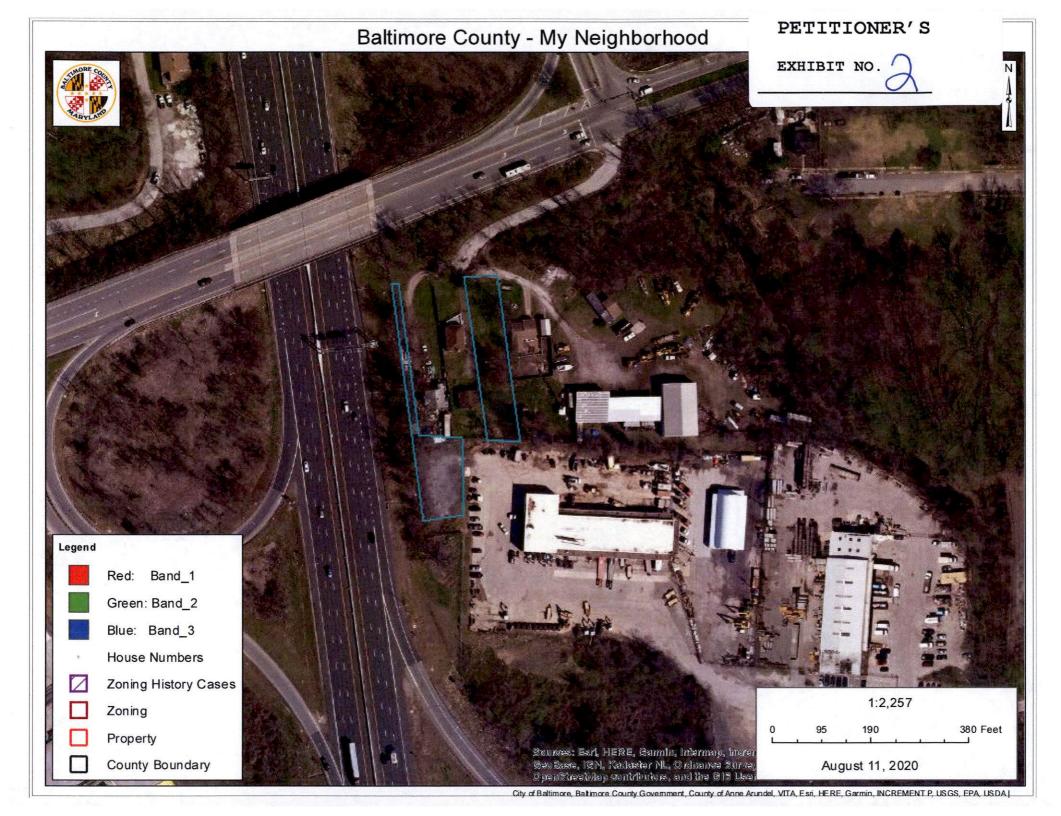
We believe that the consideration of this project is in the same context as that case, and can be approved with similar restrictions to the development of that project.

We thank you for your consideration of the above request.

Sincerely,

Patrick C. Richardson, Jr., P.E.

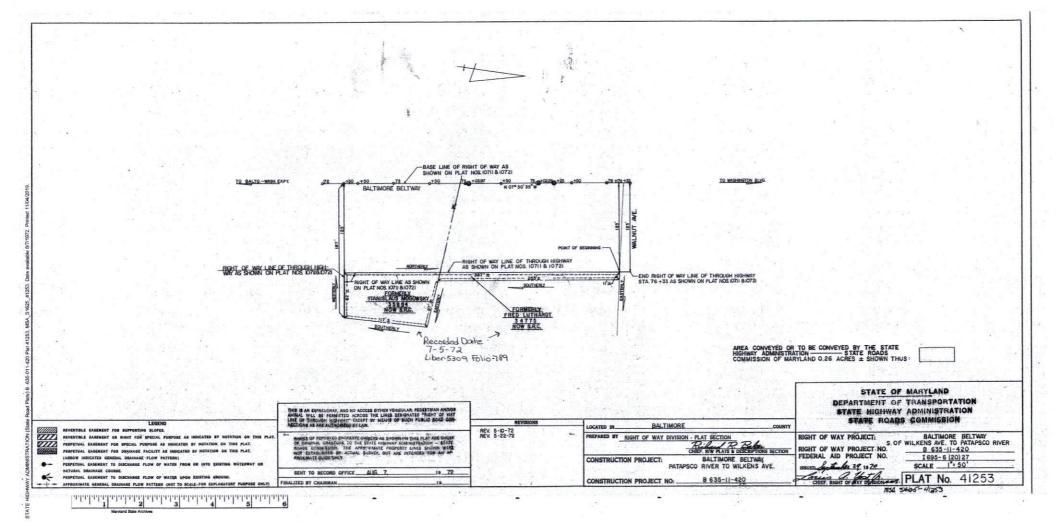




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30 E. Padonia Road, Suite 500 Timonium, Maryland 21093

Tel: 410-560-1502 Fax: 443-901-1208

May 28, 2020

Mr. Thomas J. Kiefer, P.E., Acting Director Attn: Mr. Terry Curtis Department of Public Works Baltimore County 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Subject:

2301 Walnut Avenue

Patapsco Pipeline Warehouse

Dear Mr. Walsh:

Attached is a plan showing the planned construction of a small warehouse building on this site. The plan is to construct the building on this site which has a small area of the site in the 100 year floodplain as was determined in the 1977 flood study. The study showed that the area is in a backwater condition from the Patapsco River. The area of backwater covers large portions of the Landsdowne area along the stream that runs north from the Patapsco River. This site is approximately 1800 feet from the river and 475 feet west of the tributary.

The location is in the fringe of the floodplain. The location of and grading of the site to add a building that is accessed from the north will result in 1187 square feet of the building being in the floodplain area as determined by a survey of the property. The flood elevation is 25.0 in the 1977 study based on Baltimore County datum, which is equivalent to 23.3 in NAVD 88 datum. The maximum depth of water that will be filled is approximately 10" over the 1187 square feet, amounting to 341 cubic feet or 0.0078 acre feet of fringe volume that will be filled.

So in conclusion, while determining the exact area of the floodplain to be impacted by the Patapsco River is not known, the area impacted between the Baltimore Beltway and Hollins Ferry Road is approximately 32 acres. The impact from this building is 0.03 acres, and a total volume of 0.0078 acre feet, which is negligent in size or scope of the overall floodplain.

Therefore, based on my opinion, the construction of the building in this location will not have any adverse impacts on any upstream or downstream property owners. The owner understands that Baltimore County will not be responsible for any flooding issues that might occur as a result of this work being done.

We thank you for your consideration of this request and ask that this matter be expedited so that Mr Slacum can obtain building permit to install the new building for his business.

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We look forward to approval of our request.

Please call me at your convenience, if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Patrick C. Richardson, Jr., PE



JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive THOMAS KIEFER, Acting Director

Department of Public Works

July 2, 2020

Mr. Patrick C. Richardson, Jr., P.E. Richardson Engineering, LLC 30 East Padonia Road Suite 500 Timonium, Maryland 21093

Subject:

2301 Walnut Avenue

Patapsco Pipeline Warehouse

2301 Walnut Avenue, Halethorpe, Maryland 21227

Property Tax Account 16-00-007967

Dear Mr. Richardson:

We have received and reviewed the flood plain letter/report prepared by your office dated May 28, 2020 and accept it for filing under your seal as submitted.

Pursuant to development of the above-referenced property, this office has found that the property is located within a special flood hazard area as shown based on existing Baltimore County studies on file. However, the property is not located within a special flood hazard area as shown based on the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Flood Insurance Rate Map No. 510G, Community Panel No. 240010-0510G, dated May 5, 2014. The property as shown on the map is located in the X unshaded zones.

This project involves development in the form of grading and construction in the 1% annual special flood hazard, 100-year, riverine flood plain. Under The Baltimore County Code Section 32-8-303 (a) it states:

- (a) In general. Waivers may only be issued upon:
 - (3) A determination that the granting of a waiver will not increase flood heights, impact public safety, incur extraordinary public expense, create nuisances, cause fraud or victimization of the public, or conflict with existing local and state laws and ordinances.

The May 28, 2020 submission states that the property is subject to flooding due to a back water condition from the Patapsco River. The letter also states that impact to the fringe flood plain from the building will be 0.03 acres and a total volume of 0.0078 acre-feet.

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After careful consideration of the Code above, the Department finds that grading and construction for this project in riverine flood plain areas is not detrimental to flood plain management programs, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The 1% annual flood plain and freeboard limits are delineated by a flood plain study certified by a Professional Engineer registered in the State of Maryland as being correct and done in accordance with the Baltimore County Department of Public Works Policy adopted August 1, 1991. The engineer must work with the Department of Public Works and the Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections Bureau of Development of Plans Review to establish a base flood elevation and maintain proper freeboard requirements when setting the first floor elevation.
- 2. The parking areas to be used for the proposed warehouse must be properly signed providing proper notification that the area is subject to flooding.
- 3. The flood plain letter dated May 28, 2020 indicates no detrimental offsite impacts resulting from the grading and construction project.
- 4. All other governmental permits and waivers must be filed and are the responsibility of the engineer if the site is to be developed.

In conclusion, and after careful review of, the 2301 Walnut Avenue Patapsco Pipeline Warehouse submission sealed and dated on May 28, 2020, the Department of Public Works takes no exception for the approval of the waiver request based on the aforementioned conditions.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Terry Curtis at (410) 887-3117.

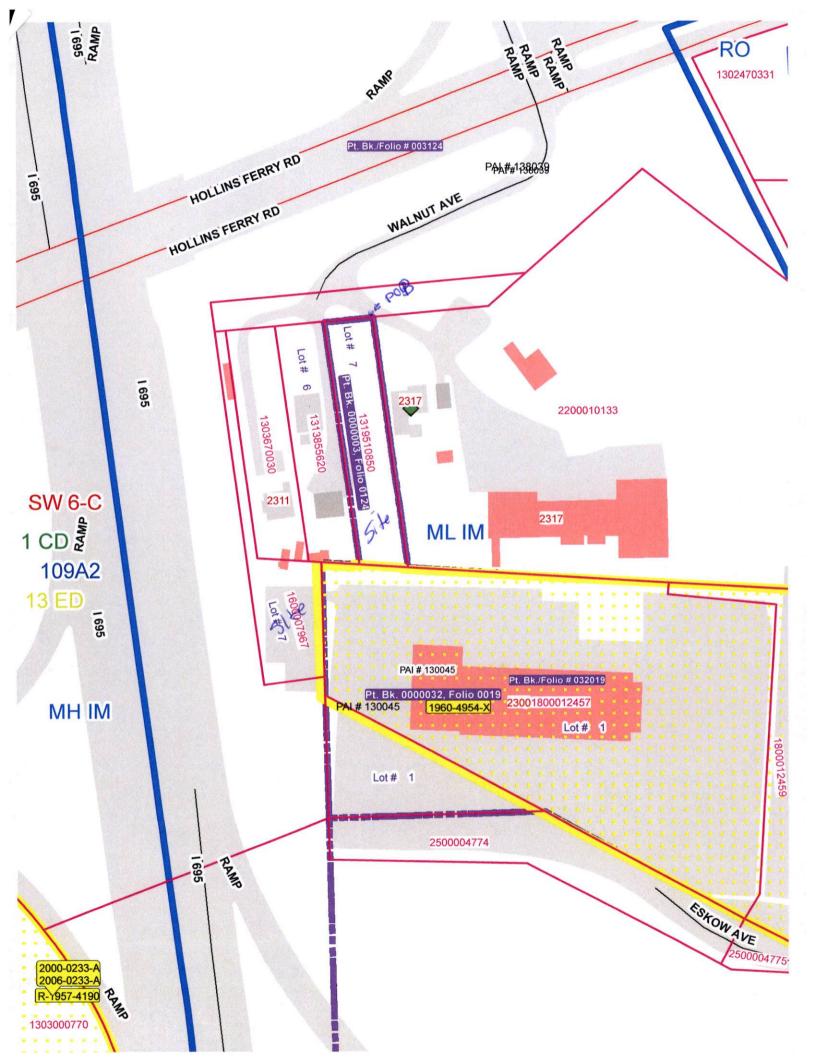
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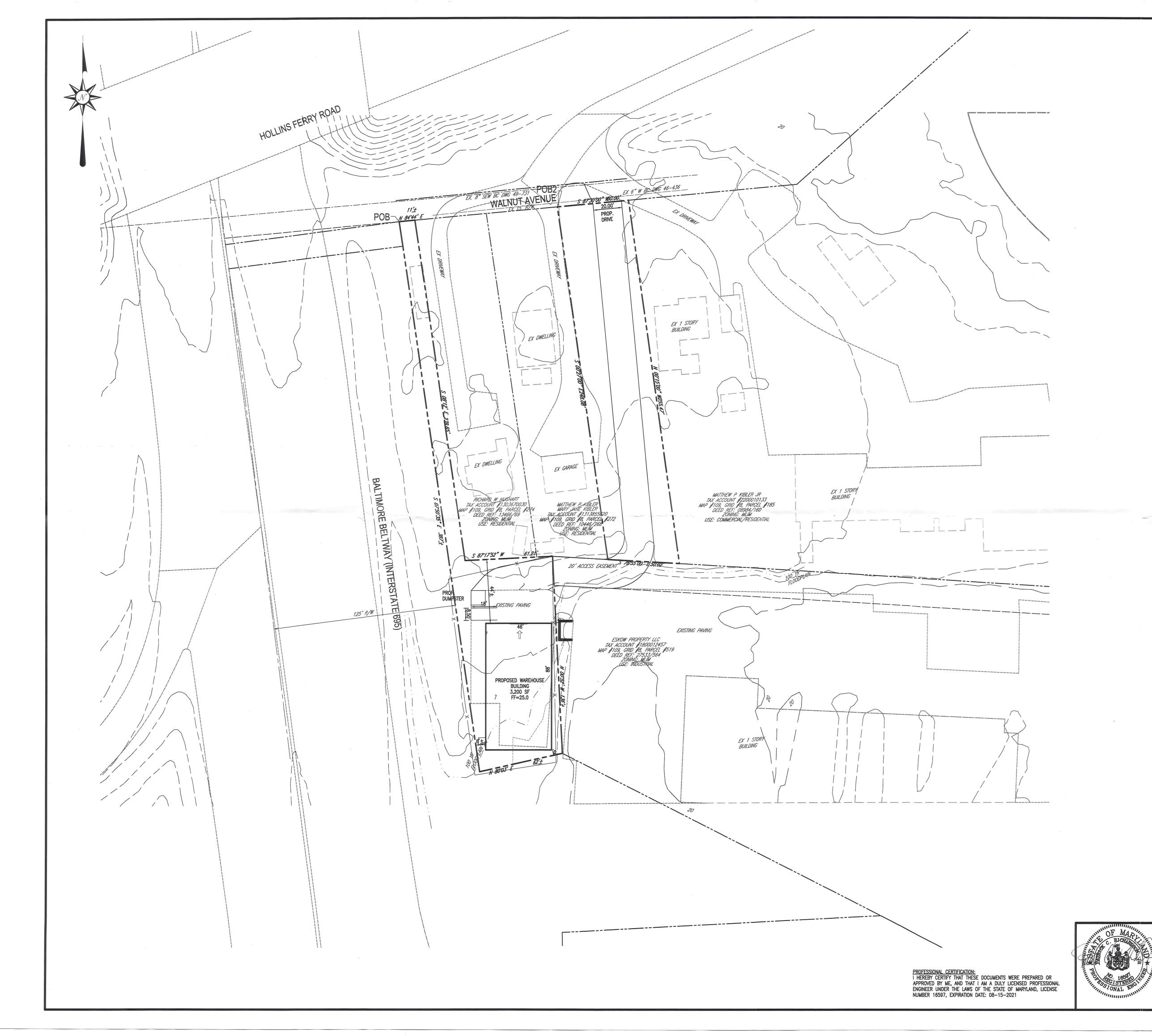
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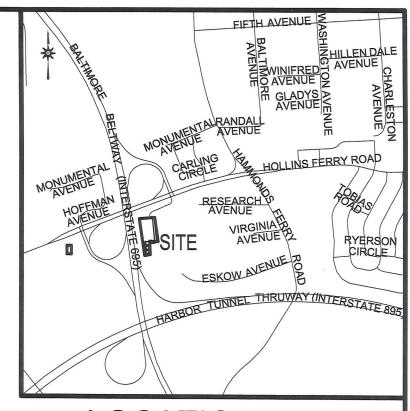
Acting Director of Public Works

TWC/s

cc: Vishnubhai K. Desai, Chief, Development Plans Review Bureau Kevin Wagner, MDE, Community Assistance Program Manager







LOCATION MAP

SCALE: 1" = 1000'

GENERAL NOTES:

1. OWNER:
CLYDE SLACUM
547 ENSEMBLE CT
COCKEYSVILLE MD 21030
2. SITE AREA:
GROSS: 24,907 Sq.Ft. or 0.57 Ac.±
NET: 24,449 Sq.Ft. or 0.56 Ac.±
2. EXISTING BUILDING AREA: 0 Sq.Ft.
TOTAL PROPOSED BUILDING AREA: 3,200 Sq.Ft.
3. UTILITIES
PUBLIC WATER
PUBLIC WATER
PUBLIC SEWER
4. DEED REF: 41858/481
5. TAX ACCOUNT: #1600007967, 1319510850
6. COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT: 1ST
7. REGIONAL PLANNING DISTRICT: ARBUTUS/LANSDOWNE
8. CENSUS TRACT: 4303
9. WATERSHED: PATAPSCO RIVER
10. EXISTING ZONING: ML IM (PER 1"=200' ZONING MAP 079A1)
11. TAX MAP #109, GRID #8, PARCEL #573
12. NO PRIOR PERMITS ON FILE
13. THE SITE DOES NOT LIE WITHIN THE CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA.
14. THE SITE LIES WITHIN ZONE X AS SHOWN ON FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM)
PANEL 2400100510G, DATED MAY 5, 2014.
15. THERE ARE NO HISTORIC FEATURES ON SITE NOR IS THE SITE ITSELF HISTORIC.
16. BASIC SERVICE MAPS (2017)
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REAR

21. USE EXISTING: VACANT

PROPOSED: WAREHOUSE
21. PARKING
REQUIRED: 1 PER EMPLOYEE @ 0 EMPLOYEES
PROVIDED: 1 SPACE

PLAN TO ACCOMPANY ZONING PETITION
FOR
DATADSCO DIDETINE

PATAPSCO PIPELINE WAREHOUSE

2301 WALNUT AVENUE

BALTIMORE COUNTY
13TH ELECTION DISTRICT

MARYLAND 1ST COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT

07-08-20

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 CHECKED BY:
 SCALE:

 LNR
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 1" = 30'

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