

JOHN A. OLSZEWSKI, JR. County Executive

MAUREEN E. MURPHY
Chief Administrative Law Judge
ANDREW M. BELT
Administrative Law Judge
DEREK J. BAUMGARDNER
Administrative Law Judge

January 11, 2024

David H. Karceski, Esquire – <u>dhkarceski@venable.com</u> Venable, LLP 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 500 Towson, MD 21204

RE:

Petitions for Special Hearing & Variance

Case No. 2023-0241-SPHA

Property: 5860 Baltimore National Pike

Dear Mr. Karceski:

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,

ANDREW M. BELT Administrative Law Judge for Baltimore County

AMB:dlm Enclosure

c: Michael Gesell Bohler – <u>mgesell@bohlereng.com</u> Siama Rodriguez – <u>siama.rodriguez@pandarg.com</u> IN RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL HEARING *
AND VARIANCE

(5860 Baltimore National Pike) * OFFICE OF

1st Election District
1st Council District * ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

Westview Center Associates, LLC

Legal Owner * FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY

Panda Restaurant Group, Inc.

Lessee * Case No. 2023-0241-SPHA

Petitioners *

OPINION AND ORDER

This matter comes before the Office of Administrative Hearings ("OAH") for consideration of Petitions for Special Hearing and Variance filed by Westview Center Associates, LLC, legal owner and Panda Restaurant Group, Inc., lessee ("Petitioners") for the property located at 5860 Baltimore National Pike (the "Property"). The Special Hearing was filed pursuant to the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations ("BCZR"), §500.7 to allow an enterprise sign to be attached to and under/below the face of a canopy structure in lieu of the requirement that the enterprise sign be located on the vertical face of the canopy (Sign C). Variance relief From the BCZR § 450.0, Table of Sign Regulations 5.d, to allow a total of three enterprise signs for a tenant in a multi-tenant building in lieu of the one wall-mounted enterprise sign and one canopy enterprise sign permitted, and to allow one of the enterprise signs on a building wall without a separate exterior customer entrance in lieu of the requirement for a customer entrance on the same facade of the multi-tenant building (Signs A, B, C).

A public WebEx hearing was conducted virtually in lieu of an in-person hearing. The Petition was properly advertised and posted. Siama Rodriguez of Panda Express, Jennifer C. Bass and Michael J. Gesell of Bohler Engineering appeared at the hearing along with David Karceski,

Esquire and Adam Rosenblatt, Esquire of Venable who represented the Petitioners. There were no interest parties or interested citizens that attended the hearing.

A Zoning Advisory Committee ("ZAC") comment was received from the Department of Planning ("DOP") they did not oppose the relief requested.

The Property is surrounded by business and retail uses with residential properties to the north. The property is an existing Panda Express located within the larger Westview Mall shopping area. Mr. Karceski, with the assistance of Ms. Bass proffered that the Petitioner is proposing three enterprise signs. Three enterprise signs already exist on the subject property, two will be revised in design only, while the enterprise sign above the front entrance will remain unchanged. The illuminated enterprise sign on the rear of the property of the property (Sign B), will replace the current illuminated wall sign and will consist of a circular design depicting the Panda Express logo. (Pet. Ex. 1) The subject property is located in a small multi-unit retail strip. This retail strip has three retail tenants, all of which have illuminated signs on the rear of the building. Petitioner is requesting Special Hearing relief for the modification of an existing circular blade sign (Sign C) that hangs beneath the front canopy and is only visible to foot traffic from the business complex itself. (Pet. Ex. 1). This sign is of the same shape and design of the existing sign but will be a modified copy.

Petitioner explained that the fact that the subject property sits within a larger retail park and is visible by both front and back to Route 40, requires that signage be present on both sides of the building even though there is no rear entrance. The proposed signage and their locations will help to achieve branding visibility and clear building indication for users accessing the site.

SPECIAL HEARING

A hearing to request special zoning relief is proper under BCZR, §500.7 as follows:

The said Zoning Commissioner shall have the power to conduct such other hearings and pass such orders thereon as shall, in his discretion, be necessary for the proper enforcement of all zoning regulations, subject to the right of appeal to the County Board of Appeals as hereinafter provided. The power given hereunder shall include the right of any interested person to petition the Zoning Commissioner for a public hearing after advertisement and notice to determine the existence of any purported nonconforming use on any premises or to determine any rights whatsoever of such person in any property in Baltimore County insofar as they are affected by these regulations.

"A request for special hearing is, in legal effect, a request for a declaratory judgment." *Antwerpen v. Baltimore County*, 163 Md. App. 194, 877 A.2d 1166, 1175 (2005). And, "the administrative practice in Baltimore County has been to determine whether the proposed Special Hearing would be compatible with the community and generally consistent with the spirit and intent of the regulations." *Kiesling v. Long*, Unreported Opinion, No. 1485, Md. App. (Sept. Term 2016). In the instant case I find that the modest relief requested comprising of approval for the already-existing circular blade sign beneath the Petitioner's front canopy is within the spirit and intent of the BCZR.

VARIANCE

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

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

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

There are two prior sign variance cases involving the subject property (2016-0273 & 2016-0274) in which the property was deemed to be unique. Additionally, as explained by the Petitioner, the property is unique in that it is located in a retail strip located within in a larger retail shopping park and both the front and back of the subject building can be viewed by traffic traveling both east and west on Route 40. Not having sufficient signage to achieve branding visibility and clear building indication for users accessing the site would cause the Petitioner to experience practical difficulty. Finally, I find that the requested Variance relief can be granted in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the BCZR and without injury to the health, safety or general welfare, particularly in light of the lack of opposition at the hearing.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED this <u>11th</u> day of January 2024 by this Administrative Law Judge that the Petition for Special Hearing from BCZR, §500.7 to allow an enterprise sign to be attached to and under/below the face of a canopy structure in lieu of the requirement that the enterprise sign be located on the vertical face of the canopy (Sign C) is hereby **GRANTED**.

FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Variance relief from BCZR, § 450.0, Table of Sign Regulations 5.d, to allow a total of three enterprise signs for a tenant in a multi-tenant building in lieu of the one wall-mounted enterprise sign and one canopy enterprise sign permitted, and to allow one of the enterprise signs on a building wall without a separate exterior customer entrance in lieu of the requirement for a customer entrance on the same facade of the multi-tenant building (Signs A, B, C) and it 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.

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

ANDREW M. BELT

Administrative Law Judge

for Baltimore County

AMB:dlm



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

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5860 BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE

ATTACHMENT TO PETITION FOR VARIANCE

1. Petition for Variance from B.C.Z.R. Section 450. Table of Sign Regulations 5.d to allow a total of three enterprise signs for a tenant in a multi-tenant building in lieu of the one wall-mounted enterprise sign and one canopy enterprise sign permitted and to allow one of the enterprise signs on a building wall without a separate exterior customer entrance in lieu of the requirement for a customer entrance on the same façade of the multi-tenant building (Signs A, B, C).

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5860 BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE

ATTACHMENT TO PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING

1. Petition for Special Hearing to allow an enterprise sign to be attached to and under/below the face of a canopy structure in lieu of the requirement that the enterprise sign be located on the vertical face of the canopy (Sign C).

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5860 BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE

ATTACHMENT TO PETITION FOR VARIANCE & SPECIAL HEARING

Legal Owner:

Westview Center Associates LC c/o Wharton Realty Group Inc. 8 Industrial Way East, 2nd Floor Eatontown, New Jersey 07724-3317

By: The MARK MASSRY

Title: UP

Phone: 732-935-011

Email Address: Mikourgus.com

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10246 REISTERSTOWN ROAD

ATTACHMENT TO PETITION FOR VARIANCE

Petitioner / Lessee:

Panda Restaurant Group, Inc. 1683 Walnut Grove Avenue Rosemead, CA 91770-3711		
By:	PEGGY TISANG	CHERN
Phone: (626) 799-9898	_ ,	
Email Address:	_	
Approved as to form		



ZONING DESCRIPTION – SPECIAL EXCEPTION AREA

TAX MAP 95, PARCEL 45

THE LAND OF

WESTVIEW CENTER ASSOCIATES LC

LIBER 18312 FOLIO 286

1ST ELECTION DISTRICT

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MD

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHERN RIGHT-OF-WAY LIMITS OF BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE (MD ROUTE 40) (150-FOOT WIDTH RIGHT-OF-WAY), WHICH IS 110.00 FEET WEST OF THE INTERSECTION OF SAID BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE (MD ROUTE 40) AND INGLESIDE AVENUE (103-FEET RIGHT-OF-WAY), THENCE DEPARTING SAID NORTERN RIGHT-OF-WAY LIMITS AND WITH THE DIVISION LINE BETWEEN BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE (MD ROUTE 40) ON THE SOUTH AND THE LAND OF WESTVIEW CENTER ASSOCIATES LC (LIBER 18312 FOLIO 286) ON THE NORTH; THENCE FOLLOWING ALONG A LINE SOUTH 72 DEGREES – 19 MINUTES – 34 SECONDS WEST, 1209.66 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE FOLLOWING ALONG A LINE SOUTH 73 DEGREES – 36 MINUTES – 11 SECONDS WEST, 96.17 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE FOLLOWING ALONG A LINE NORTH 27 DEGREES – 41 MINUTES – 09 SECONDS WEST, 47.36' TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING FOR THE VARIANCE AREA.

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- 2. CONTINUING NORTH 73 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST, 20.00 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE;
- 3. CONTINUING SOUTH 16 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST, 10.00 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE:
- 4. CONTINUING NORTH 73 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 52 SECONDS EAST, 41.00 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE;
- 5. CONTINUING SOUTH 16 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 25 SECONDS EAST, 31.00 FEET TO A POINT, THENCE;
- 6. CONTINUING SOUTH 73 DEGREES 12 MINUTES 35 SECONDS WEST; 61.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING FOR THE VARIANCE AREA.

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

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DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS, APPROVALS AND INSPECTIONS ZONING REVIEW OFFICE

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING HEARINGS

The Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (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.*

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

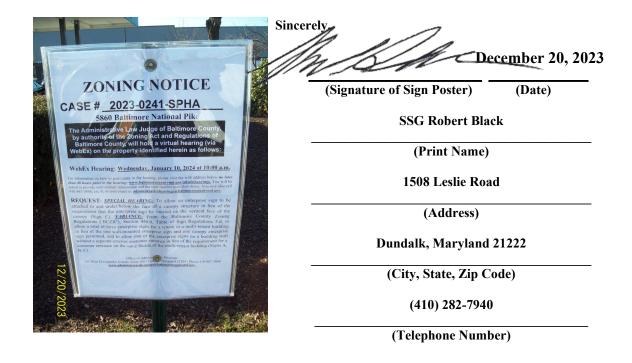
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PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:	
Name: Company/Firm (if applicable): DAVID KARCESKI	
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210 W. PENNSYLVANIA AVE, SUITE 500	
Towson, MS 21204	100
Telephone Number: 443-956-7425	

^{*}Failure to advertise and/or post a sign on the property within the designated time will result in the Hearing request being delayed. The delayed Hearing Case will be cycled to the end of pending case files and rescheduled in the order that it is received. Also, a \$250.00 rescheduling fee may be required after two failed advertisings and/or postings.

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Peter Gutwald, Director

DATE: November 27, 2023

Department of Permits, Approvals

FROM: Vishnu Desai, Supervisor

Bureau of Development Plans Review

SUBJECT: Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting

For November 27, 2023 Item No. 2023-0241-SPHA

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

DPW-T: N/C

DPR: N/C

Landscape: N/C

Rec & Parks: N/C & No Greenways affected

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: C. Pete Gutwald **DATE:** 11/29/2023

Director, Department of Permits, Approvals and Inspections

FROM: Steve Lafferty

Director, Department of Planning

SUBJECT: ZONING ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENTS

Case Number: 2023-0241-SPHA

INFORMATION:

Property Address: 5860 Baltimore National Pike

Petitioner: Peggy Tisang Cherng; Westview Center Associates LLC

Zoning: BM-CT

Requested Action: Variance/Special Hearing

The Department of Planning has reviewed the petition for the following:

Variance -

1. From Baltimore County Zoning Regulation (BCZR) Section 450. Table of Sign Regulations 5.d to allow a total of three enterprise signs for a tenant in a multi-tenant building in lieu of the one wall-mounted enterprise sign and one canopy enterprise sign permitted and to allow one of the enterprise signs on a building wall without a separate exterior customer entrance in lieu of the requirement for a customer entrance on the same façade of the multi-tenant building (Signs A, B, C).

Special Hearing -

1. To allow an enterprise sign to be attached to and under/below the face of a canopy structure in lieu of the requirement that the enterprise sign be located on the vertical face of the canopy (Sign C).

The proposed site is a 41.983 acre property that is surrounded by business and retail uses with residential properties to the north. The property is an existing Panda Express, located at Westview Mall. The applicant proposes a total of 3 enterprise signs. (1 proposed illuminated wall sign, 1 proposed blade sign, and 1 existing sign at the front entrance)

The proposed signage and their locations help achieve branding visibility and clear building indication for users accessing the site. It is understood that currently, the Panda express has three existing enterprise signs and the proposed signage will replace them. The applicant proposes an upgraded blade sign, a reduced illuminated wall sign on the rear elevation, and an existing enterprise sign on the front of the store, which will remain. The above variance relief request does not negatively impact the health, safety and well-being of vehicular and pedestrian traffic or create signage clutter and visual nuisance.

The Department has no objections in granting the relief conditioned upon the following:

- 1) Comply with all other signage regulations outlined in Section 450 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations.
- 2) The plan meets all additional conditions as required by the Administrative Law Judge.

For further information concerning the matters stated herein, please contact Brett M. Williams at 410-887-3482.

Prepared by:

Division Chief:

Jenifer G. Nugent

Krystle Patchak

SL/JGN/KP

c: David H. Karceski
Daphne Daly, Community Planner
Jeff Perlow, Zoning Review
Kristen Lewis, Zoning Review
Office of Administrative Hearings
People's Counsel for Baltimore County

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: November 22, 2023

SUBJECT: DEPS Comment for Zoning Item # 2023-0241-SPHA

Address: 5860 BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE Legal Owner: Westview Center Associates, LLC

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of November 27, 2023.

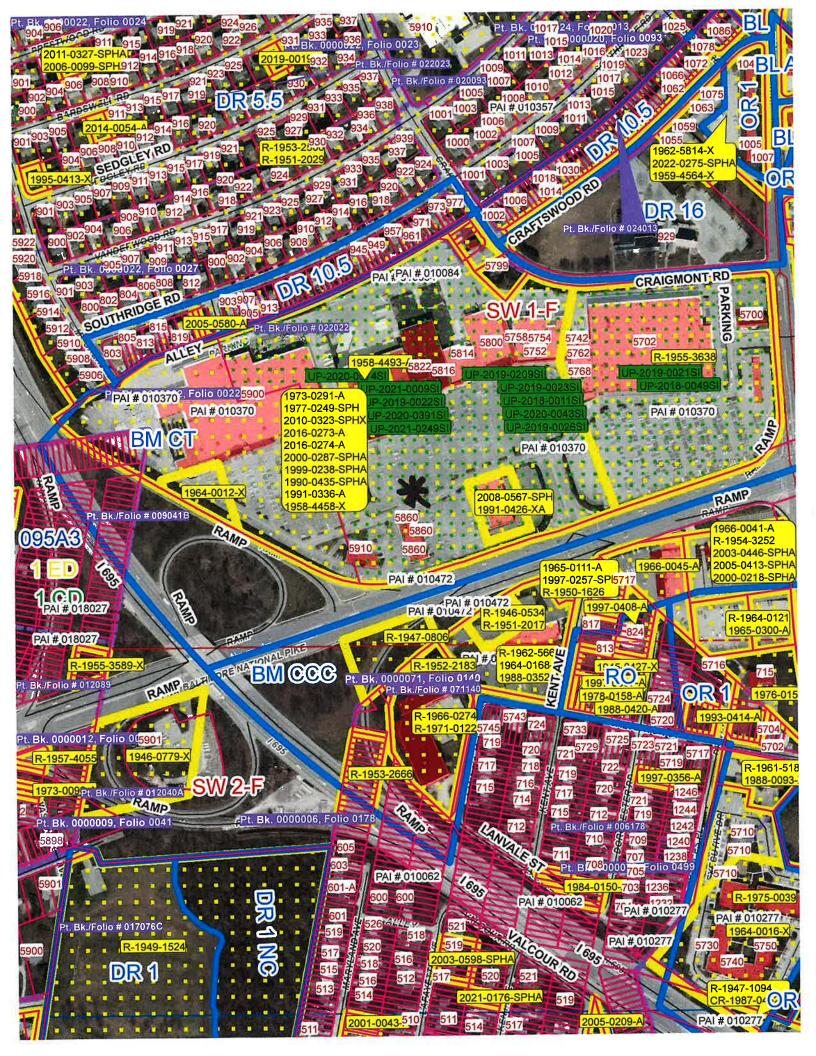
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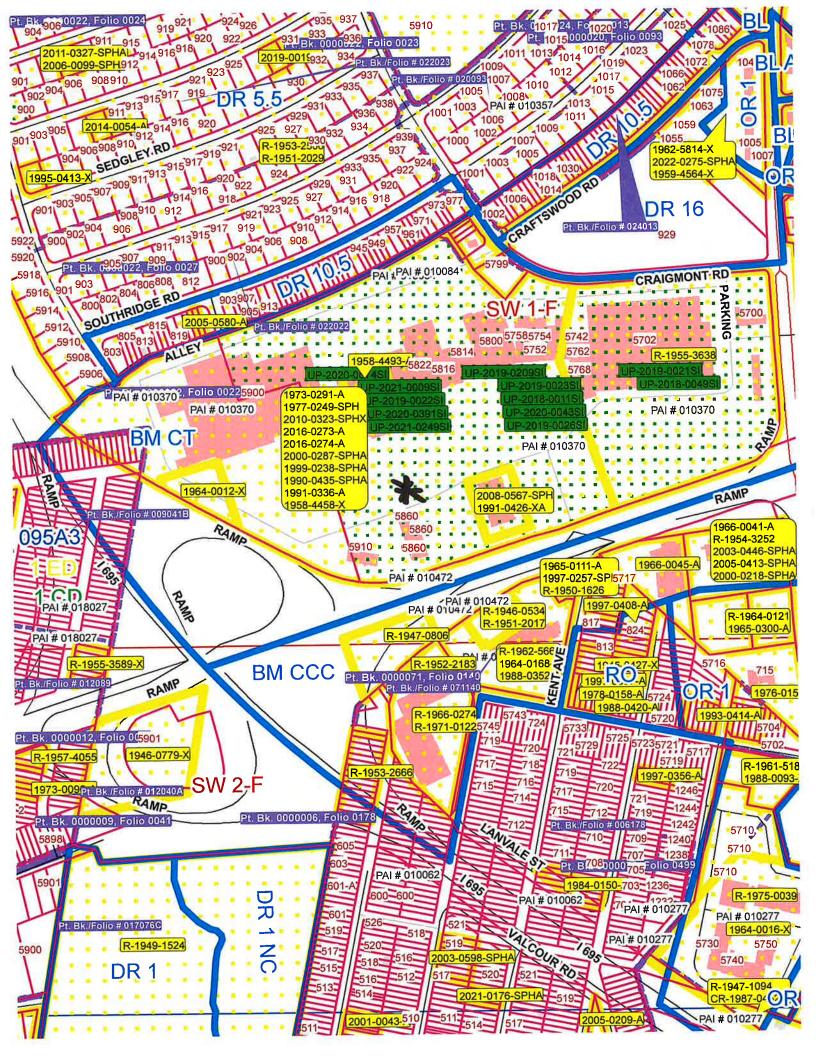
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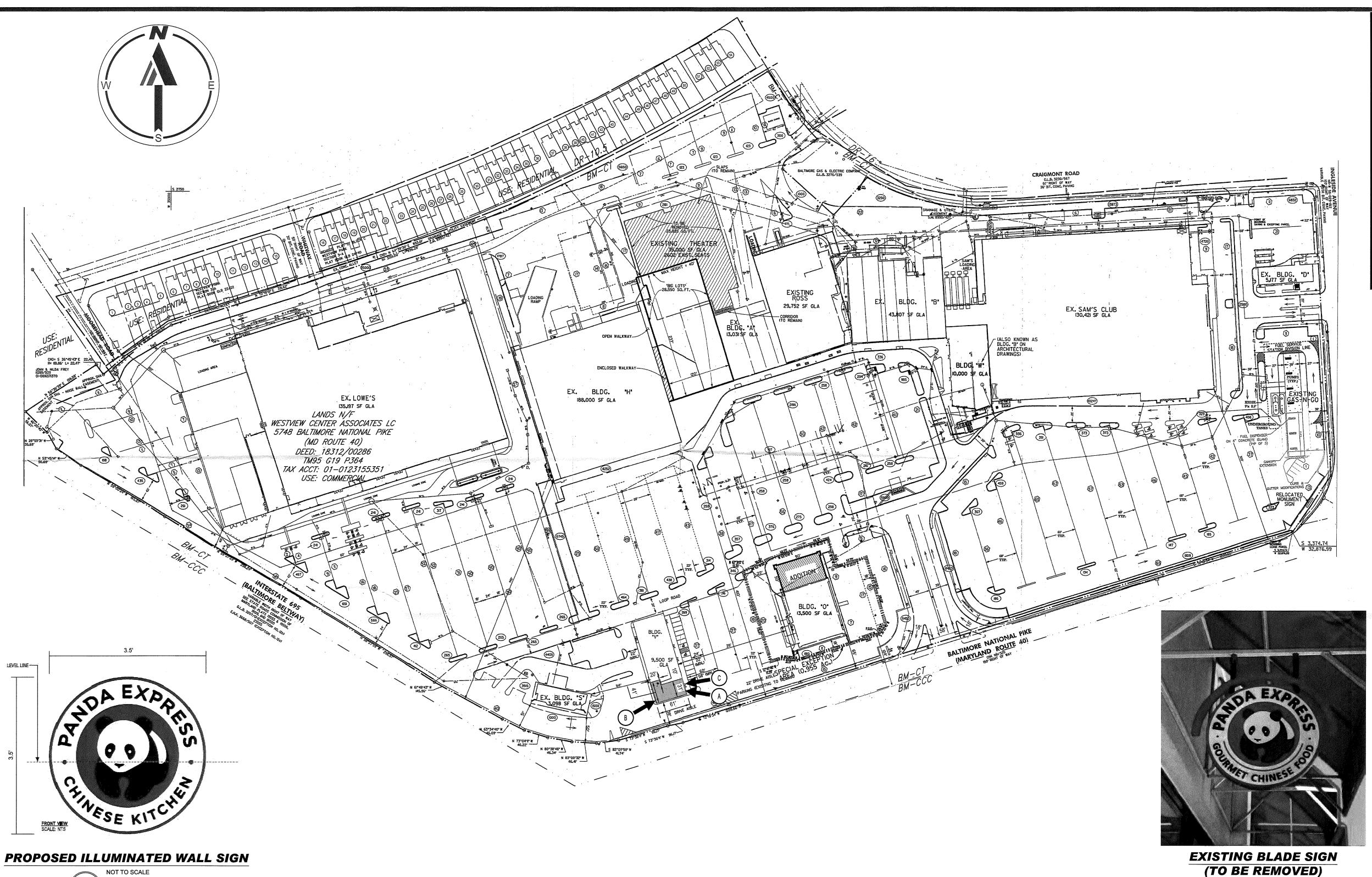
Reviewer: Earl D. Wrenn

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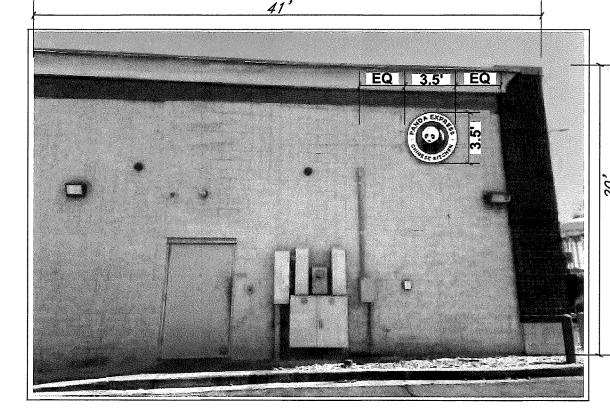




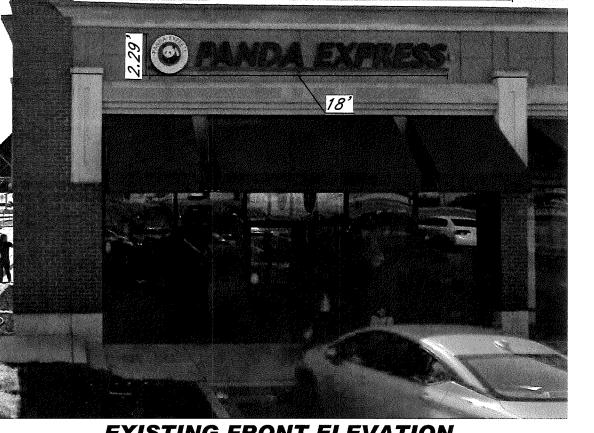


EXISTING REAR ELEVATION (TO BE REMOVED)

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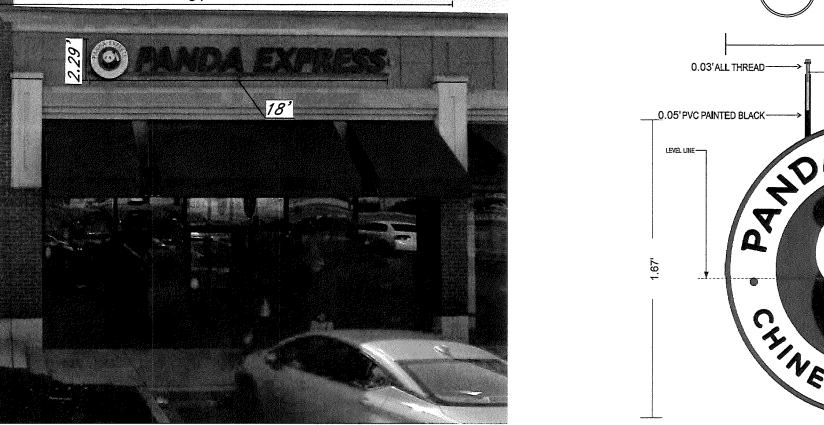


PROPOSED REAR ELEVATION NOT TO SCALE



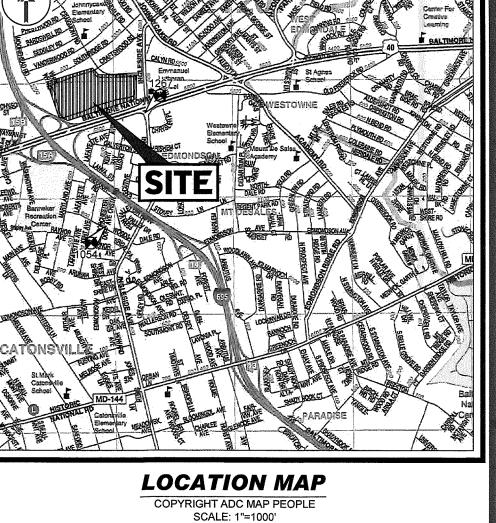
EXISTING FRONT ELEVATION

NO PROPOSED CHANGES



NOT TO SCALE

PERMITTED SQUARE FOOTAGE: 62 SF



BENCHMARKS:

NORTHING: 590,522.54 EASTING: 1,388,336.79 ELEV: 489.62 DESCRIPTION: RR SPIKE

NORTHING: 588,206.04 EASTING: 1,387,524.36 ELEV: 493.90 DESCRIPTION: SPIKE

GENERAL NOTES:

1. CURRENT OWNER AND STREET ADDRESS: WESTVIEW CENTER ASSOCIATES LC C/O WHARTON REALTY GROUP INC 8 INDUSTRIAL WAY EAST 2ND FLOOR EATONTOWN, NJ 07724

> PANDA RESTAURANT GROUP, INC. 1638 WALNUT GROVE AVENUE ROSEMEAD, CA 91770 CONTACT: MARK RUSSELL PHONE: 626-799-9898

- 2. SITE AREA: 41.983 AC. / 1,828,779.48 S.F.
- 3. EXISTING AND PROPOSED USE: COMMERCIAL SHOPPING CENTER
- 4. STREET ADDRESS: 5860A BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE (MD RTE 40) CATONSVILLE, MD 21228
- 5. SITE DATA: TAX MAP 95, BLOCK 19 & 20, PARCEL 45 & 364 **DEED REFERENCE: 18312/00286** TAX ACCOUNT NO.: 01 - 012315530/ 0123155351 ZONING: BM-CT **ELECTION DISTRICT: 1**

COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT: 1 ADC MAP: 4234D6 ZONING MAP: 095A3

WATERSHED: GWYNNS FALLS SUBWATERSHED: DEAD RUN, MAIDEN CHOICE RUN EXISTING SEWER SERVICE: PUBLIC EXISTING WATER SERVICE: PUBLIC

6. THE INFORMATION AND BOUNDARY LOCATION SHOWN HEREON HAVE BEEN CRG 8TH REFINEMENT TITLED: "PDM FILE# I-370; CRG 8TH REFINEMENT; WESTVIEW MALL; BALTIMORE COUNTY, MD" DATED: 03/06/2014

PARKING 615,033 S.F. GLA 3,076 (PER CRG 8TH REFINEMENT) 2,375 5 PER 1,000 S.F. NOTE: PREVIOUS PARKING VARIANCE APPROVED FOR CENTER (1999-238-SPHA)

8. AMENITY OPEN SPACE RATIO: MINIMUM PERMITTED = 0.1 TOTAL A.O.S. PROVIDED - 166,699 S.F. TOTAL GLA OF BUILDINGS = 615,033 S.F.

9. FLOOR AREA RATIO: MAXIMUM PERMITTED = 5.5 PROPOSED = 0.3

10. PRIOR PERMIT HISTORY: B731598, B767592, B930153, B518482, B108560, B753161, B772683, B750335, B213853, B047381, B098183, BB07559, B751931, B863188, B738372, B945375, B844951, B747790, B732952, B731692, B746052, B987031, B812932, B930100, B213853, B047381, B098183, B075599, B535934, B407526, B415924, B742964, B949859, B803363, B752974, B742599, B825928, B837539, B804307, B420571, B908988, B888805, B733633, B980574, B761838, B967414, B851227, B769543

- 11. PRIOR DRC APPROVALS: #022601B, #041502A, #080310A, #020210A.
- 03-21-90 ORIGINAL, 09-25-91 2ND REFINEMENT, 06-07-99 3RD REFINEMENT, 01-12-10 6TH REFINEMENT, 12-12-10 7TH REFINEMENT, 03-06-14 8TH
- 13. ALL SIGNS WILL COMPLY WITH SECTION 450 OF THE BALTIMORE COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS OR A VARIANCE WILL BE REQUESTED.
- 14. MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT NOT TO EXCEED 40 FEET.

2.25 SF

PROPOSED BLADE SIGN

NOT TO SCALE

2.79 SF

- 15. NO PART OF THIS PROPERTY IS WITHIN A 100 YEAR FLOODPLAIN ACCORDING TO FEMA COMMUNITY PANEL 240010-0386-F, EFFECTIVE DATE SEPTEMBER 26,
- 16. NO PORTION OF THE SITE IS LOCATED WITHIN A DESIGNATED AREA OF CRITICAL STATE CONCERN, AND NO PORTION OF THE SITE IS LOCATED WITHIN THE CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA.

THERE ARE NO WETLANDS, STREAMS, SEEPS, PONDS, OR OTHER WATER

- BODIES ON OR WITHIN 200 FEET OF THE DEVELOPMENT SITE AND AS SUCH, COMPLIANCE WITH BALTIMORE COUNTY FOREST BUFFER REGULATIONS IS NOT REQUIRED. THIS SITE IS EXEMPT FROM THE FOREST CONSERVATION ACT
- . THERE ARE NO SIGNIFICANT REGULATED PLANT OR WILDLIFE COMMUNITIES
- . THERE ARE NO KNOWN HISTORIC STRUCTURES OR SITES AS PER LANDMARKS PRESERVATION COMMISSION AND THE MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
- 20. ANY ILLUMINATION OF OFF-STREET PARKING WILL NOT REFLECT INTO RESIDENTIAL LOTS.



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LOCATION OF SITE 5860A BALTIMORE NATIONAL PIKE (MD ROUTE 40) CATONSVILLE, MD 21228 BALTIMORE COUNTY

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THAT I AM A DULY LICENSET PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, LICENSE NO. 44097, EXPIRATION DATE: 6/9/25 PLAN TO

ACCOMPANY SIGN VARIANCE **PETITION**

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ADJACENT PROPERTY INFORMATION						
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REFERENCE NUMBER	TAX ACCOUNT ID	OWNER	ADDRESS			
1	0104501590	BESSICK SHERNAE BESSICK DONTAY	801 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
2	0107001320	VOGLEZON ROYSTON NOEL TRUSTEE VOGLEZON KAREN ANN TRUSTEE	803 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
3	0119718440	SMITH SUSAN CLAIRE	805 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
4	0107150810	GREENE CONSTANCE S	807 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
5	0105290030	JOHNSON MICHAEL L	809 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
6	0103473920	ATKINSON ERROLL L ATKINSON LAVERN	811 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
7	0110452520	NOVOLIGHTUS MANAGEMENT LLC	813 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
8	0112202360	NGUYEN QUOC ANH	815 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
9	0119715270	SPENCER MARCIA JOYNER SPENCER JONATHAN	817 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
10	0118470060	STEWART BRIAN J SR STEWART JANICE M	819 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
11	0105190380	WOODARD ROBIN	821 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
12	0106201550	FINK MICHAEL EDWARD FINK DONNA L	823 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
13	0113551500	MORRIS CAROLYN DENISE	825 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
14	0113065840	WILLIAMS WANDA	827 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
15	0111153050	BURCH JUSTIN	829 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
16 17	0103200260 0120550260	MCCOY DWAYNER JR CHARLES CANDIS L	901 SOUTHRIDGE RD 903 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
18	0102652100	SMITH COLIN MATTHEW SMITH A MANDA MICHELE	905 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
19	0107410340	SMITH VICTORIA LINDA MCCULLOUGH WAYNE	907 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
20	0111890330	ANDREWS SHARRON M	909 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
21	0102572870	WELLS WENDY ELIZABETH	911 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
22	0113206650	PRESTON RONALD W	913 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
23	0103670810	ARTHUR JOSIE MARIE	915 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
24	0113207340	FLESSAS CATHERINE L	917 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
25	0103231070	ASSEFA ELIAS B ASSEFA ASNAKECH	919 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
26	0113065590 0113920140	ASSEFA KALEGETA BEKELE BLAIR JOHN P 3RD	921 SOUTHRIDGE RD 923 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
		BAUMGARTNER HENRY ANDREW				
28	0119070040	BAUMGARTNER JULIE A ASSEFA ASNAKECH T	925 SOUTHRIDGE RD 927 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
30	0105000360	RITTER SUSAN C	929 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
31	0119000750	RUCKER ANGELA D	931 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
32	0119071680	RUCKER ANDRE D DOUD AMIR S	933 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
33	0112003370	HADDISH TETEMKE	935 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
34	0106000550	VALDEZ FREDDIE JOSUE OVALLE OVALLE IVETTE C	937 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
35	0118470850	JUSTSEN DANICA JANAE	939 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
36	0103472170	HOLLAND ALONA DENAY	941 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
37	0112570000	GREENE HELEN D	943 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
38	0122450630	ASSEFA ASNAKECH T TAMRAT GENET	945 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
39	0103472110	ATLANTIC PACIFIC RENTALS LLC	947 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
40	0116001020 0102002290	WRIGHT PAULA A SELBY SUSAN MARIE	949 SOUTHRIDGE RD 951 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
42	0106452260	KHAMARI AHMED KHAMARI ERICA L	953 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
43	0102851290	WILLIAMS CALVIN A WILLIAMS SANDRA L	955 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
44	0105100090	CHANG ELSA CHANG ANDREW	957 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
45	0105190750	LUO LI	959 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
46	0107830820	STEVENSON SHARON A	961 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
47	0106450940	OKWESE EVELYN	963 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
48	0102002110	BURCH JUSTIN	965 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
49	0104201180	CHAMBERS WILLIAM M	967 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
50 51	0122000010	MURRAY SHAMIKA D HANCE ALEXIS E	969 SOUTHRIDGE RD 971 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
52	0105000270	HICKS JONATHAN	971 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
53	0117100020	CAMPBELL JAMES A	975 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
54	0123003440	AHMAD SALEEM	977 SOUTHRIDGE RD			
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	ZONING HISTORY
CASE NUMBER	REQUEST
1955-3638	PETITION FOR RECLASSIFICATIONFROM AN "RA" ZONE TO A "BM" ZONE. DENIED OCTOBER 25, 1955 BUT RECLASSIFIED TO A "BL" ZONE.
1958-4458-X	PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION FOR DRY-CLEANING PLANT, GRANTED JULY 29, 1958
1958-4493-V	PETITION TO PERMIT A SIGN TO EXTEND ABOVE THE ROAD OF BUILDING 22 FEET IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 15 FEET, WITHDRAWN DECEMBER 12,1958.
1973-291-A	PETITION FOR VARIANCE TO PERMIT 3,376 OFF-STREET PARKING SPACES IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 3,676, GRANTED JUNE 28, 1973, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF SITE PLAN BY MD SHA, BCDPW AND BCDPZ.
1977-0249-SPH	PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING TO ALLOW A GAME CENTER IN THE "BM" ZONE AS A COMMERCIAL RECREATION ENTERPRISE, ZONING COMMISSIONER DENIED AND BOARD OF APPEALS APPROVED APR 18, 1978.
1990-435-SPHA	PETITION FOR A VARIANCE FROM § 409.8.A.4TO PERMIT A MINIMUM OF 2 FEET DISTANCE TO THE RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF A PUBLIC STREET IN LIEU OF THE REQUIRED 10 FEET AND FROM § 409.4 TO ALLOW DIRECT ACCESS TO PARKING SPACES FROM AN EXISTING DRIVEWAY AND FROM § 409.6 TO ALLOW A 3,3163 PARKING SPACES IN LIEU OF THE 4,099 REQUIRED AND FROM § 409.8. TO ALLOW A DEAD END AISLE WITHOUT TURN-AROUNDS ALONG THE WESTERN PROPERTY LIN AND ADJACENT TO BUILDING L AND FROM § 409.10.13 TO ALLOW THE DRIVE THROUGH AISLE TO CROSS A PRINCIPAL PEDESTRIAN ACCESS FROM BANK BUILDING D, GRANTED JUNE 8, 1990, WIRESTRICTIONS.
1991-336-A	PETITION FOR SIGN VARIANCE TO PERMIT AN ID SIGN TO HAVE FACES OF 470 SQ FT AND TWO FACES OF 265 SQ FT IN LIEU OF PERMITTED 150 SQ FT AND FOR AN ID SIGN WITH A HEIGHT OF 32 FT IN LIEU OF THE 25 FT, GRANTED MAY 24, 1991.
1991-426-XA	PETITION FOR ARCADE AND VARIANCE, APPROVED.
1999-238-SPHA	PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING TO AMEND THE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED SITE PLAN IN CASE NO. 91-426-XA AND A VARIANCE FOR PARKING TO ALLOW 2,365 SPACES IN LIEU OF 3,483, GRANTED FEB 12, 1999.
2000-0287-SPHA	PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING TO AMEND THE SITE PLAN APPROVED IN CASE NO. 99-238 AND TO ALLOW A VARIANCE AND SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO ALLOW SAM'S CLUB AND A FUEL SERVICE STATION, GRANTED MARCH 14, 2000.
2008-567	PETITION TO AMEND ORDER DATED OCTOBER 17, 1991 TO PROVIDE FOR THE NUMBER OF AMUSEMENT DEVICES PERMITTED AT THE RESTAURANT WHICH SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN 65 WAS GRANTED OCTOB 22, 2008 FOR AN UNLIMITED NUMBER OF AMUSEMENT GAMES.
2010-0323-SPHX	PETITION FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND SPECIAL HEARING TO ALLOW AN EXPANSION OF THE CHUCK E CHEESE RESTAURANT AND TO AMEND PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PLAN IN CASE NO. 91-426-XA, GRANTEI AUGUST 19, 2010.
2016-0273	PETITION TO ALLOW AN ILLUMINATED WALL MOUNTED ENTERPRISE SIGN OF 168 SQUARE FEET WITHO A SEPARATE CUSTOMER ENTRANCE; ALLOW TWO (2) DIRECTIONAL WALL MOUNTED SIGNS (CUSTOMER PICK-UP) OF 42 SQUARE FEET IN LIEU OF THE 8 SQUARE FEET PERMITTED WAS GRANTED JUNE 24, 20
2016-0274	PETITION TO ALLOW AN ILLUMINATED FREESTANDING JOINT ID SIGN FOR A SHOPPING CENTER SIGN O 481.25 SQUARE FEET AND 9 LINES IN LIEU OF THE 150 SQUARE FEET AND 5 LINES PERMITTED WAS GRANTED JUNE 26, 2016.

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