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ORDINANCE NO.	

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN IN RELATION TO TAX PARCEL NO. 235-30.00-94.00.

WHEREAS, on May 21st, 2021, the Sussex County Planning and Zoning Office received an application for a Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request to amend the Future Land Use Map element of the Comprehensive Plan to change the Area designation of a portion of Sussex County Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 from a Low Density Area to an Existing Development Area.

WHEREAS, the Parcel comprises 4.54 acres of land, lying and being within Broadkill Hundred, and located on the west side of Harbeson road (Route 5) approximately 475 feet south of Lewes Georgetown Highway (Route 9). 911 Address: 18672 Harbeson Road, Harbeson. ("The Property")

WHEREAS, The Property is designated as being within both the Low-Density Area and Existing Development Area as set forth in the Future Land Use Map identified as Figure 4.5-1 in the 2018 Comprehensive Plan for Sussex County.

WHEREAS, Sussex County Council desires to adopt this Ordinance amending the Future Land Use Map of the Plan with minor amendments; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the required process for public hearings on ordinances such as this one, both Sussex County Council and the Sussex County Planning & Zoning Commission will hold public hearings on this Ordinance, but limited in scope to this specific proposed amendment to the Future Land Use Map contained in the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. The Future Land Use Map identified as Figure 4.5-1 of the Sussex County Comprehensive Plan is hereby amended to change a portion of the parcel currently classified as Low-Density Area designation of Sussex County Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 from the Low-Density Area to the Existing Development Area. The portion of Sussex County Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 so changed is identified in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall also take effect following its adoption by majority vote of all members of the County Council of Sussex County, Delaware, and upon certification by the State of Delaware.

ROBERT C. WHEATLEY, CHAIRMAN MARTIN L. ROSS, VICE CHAIRMAN R. KELLER HOPKINS DOUGLAS B HUDSON KIM HOEY STEVENSON



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Sussex County Planning & Zoning Commission

PLANNING AND ZONING AND COUNTY COUNCIL INFORMATION SHEET Planning Commission Public Hearing Date April 14, 2022

Application: Ordinance No. 22-04 Warren Munroe & David Rohrbaugh JR

An amendment to the 2018 Sussex County Future Land Use Map

Owners: Warren Munroe & David Rohrbaugh

1119 Fairmount Street NW Washington, DC 20009

Applicant: Warren Munroe & David Rohrbaugh

1119 Fairmount Street NW Washington, DC 20009

Site Location: 18672 Harbeson Road, Harbeson

The property is lying on the west side of Harbeson Road (Route 5) approximately 475 feet south of Lewes Georgetown Highway (Route 9)

Zoning: AR-1 (Agricultural Residential District) and MR (Medium-Density

Residential District)

Current Use: Residential

Proposed Use: Multi-Family Residential

Comprehensive Land

Use Plan Reference: Low Density Areas & Existing Development Areas

Councilmatic

District: Mr. Rieley

School District: Indian River School District

Fire District: Milton Fire District

Sewer: Artesian

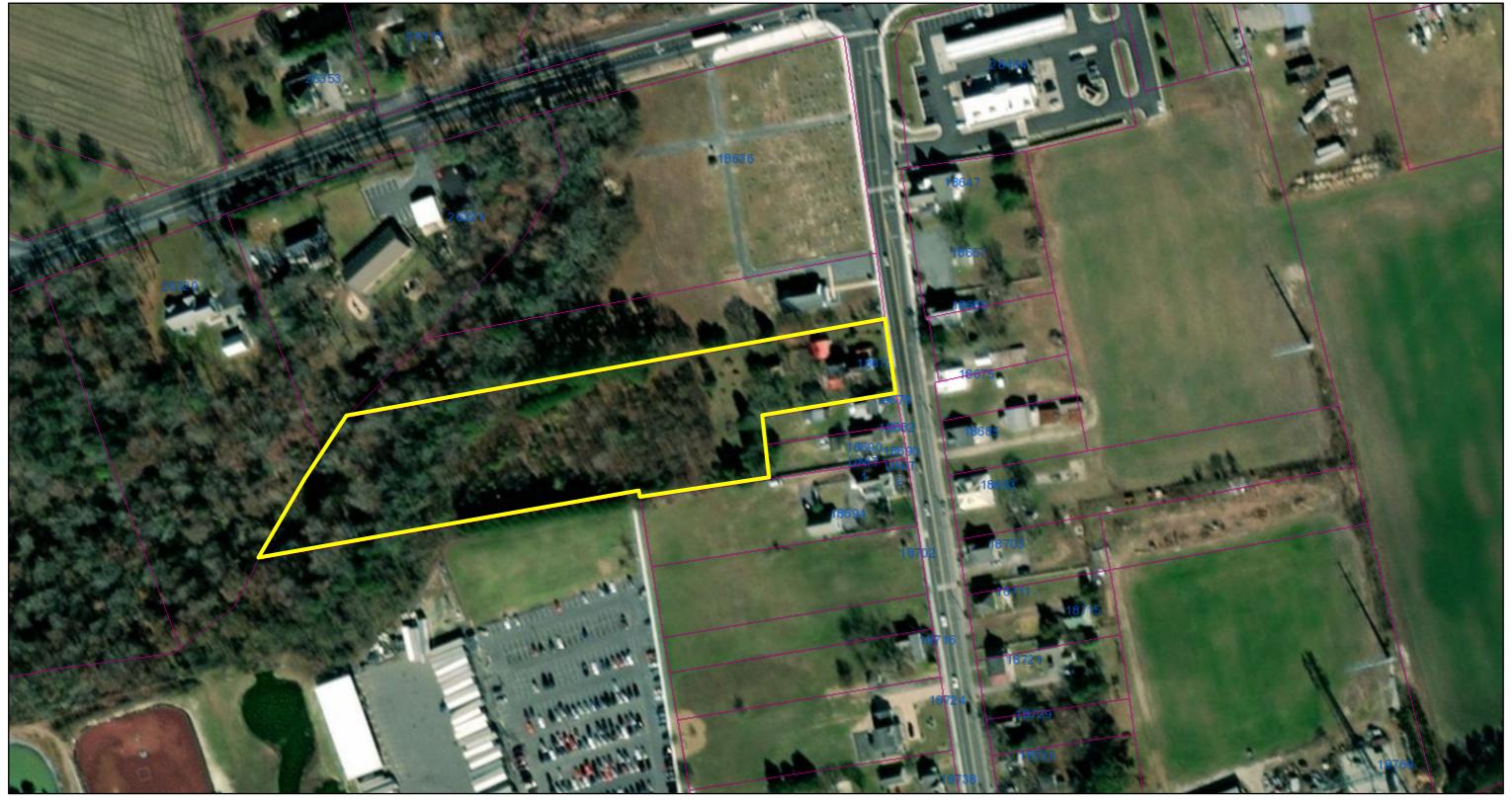
Water: Artesian

Site Area: 4.54 ac. +/-

Tax Map ID.: 235-30.00-94.00

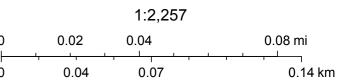


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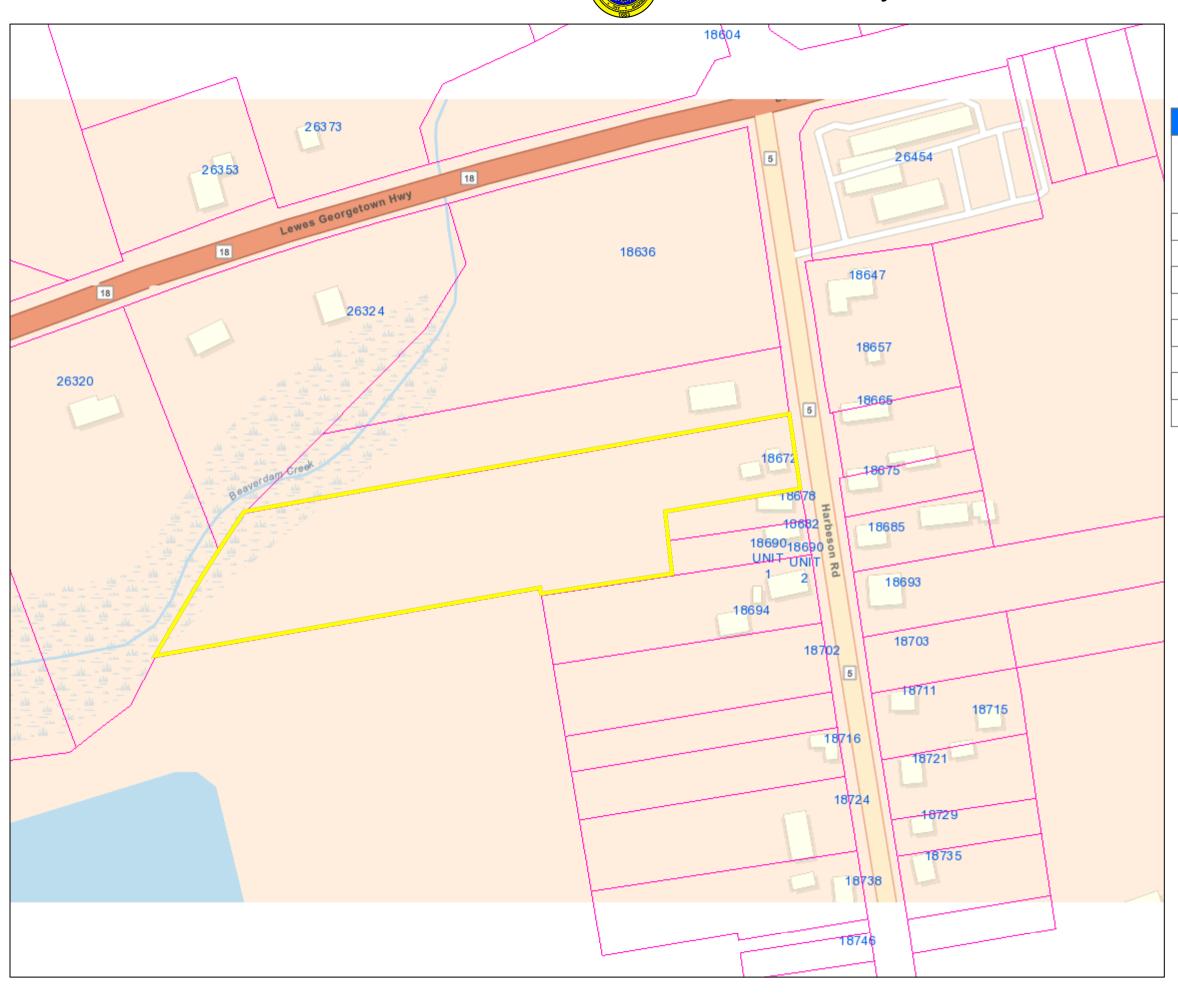


March 16, 2022



Maxar, Microsoft, Sussex County Government, Sussex County Mapping and Addressing





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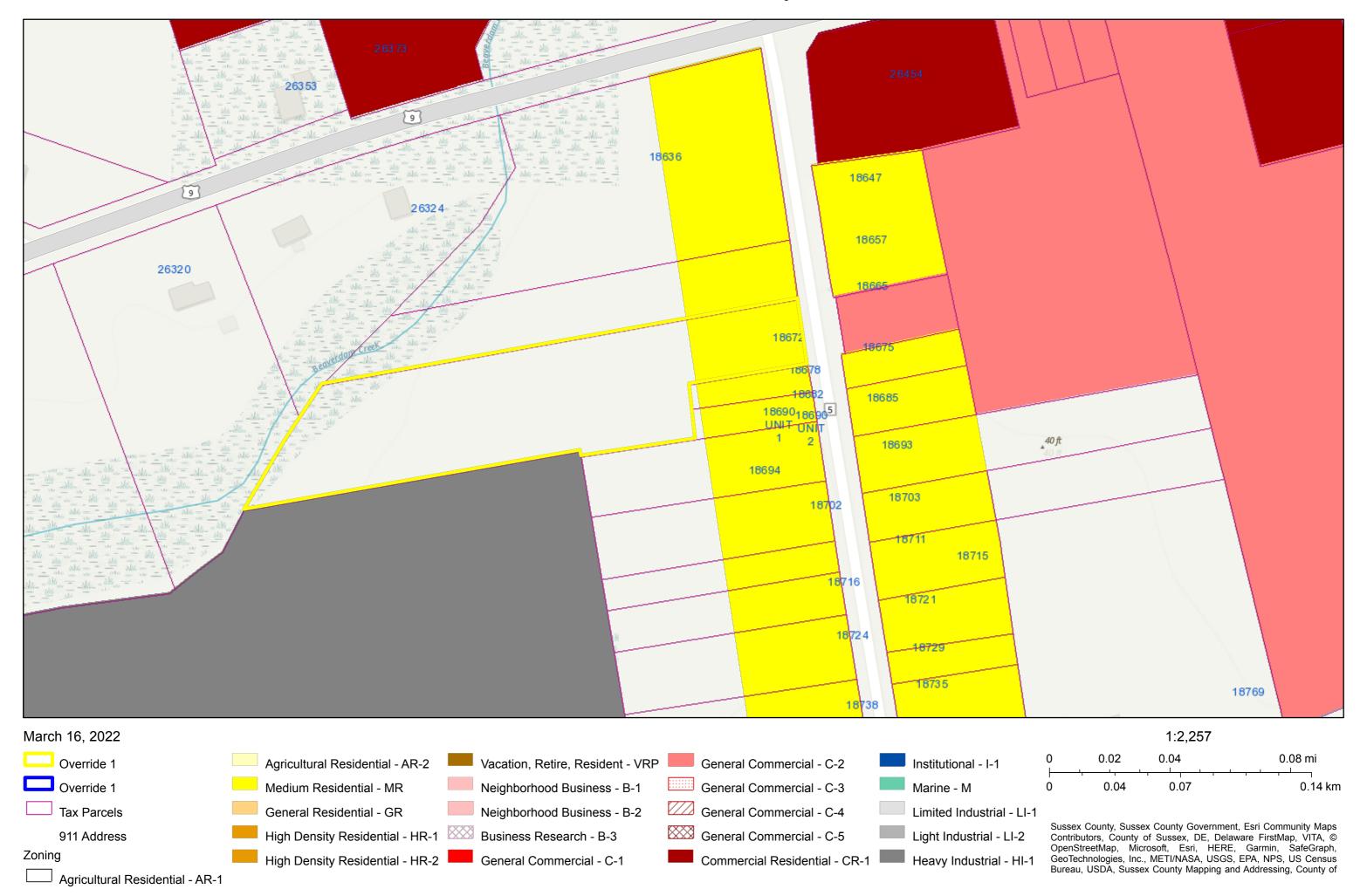
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Delaware Office of State Planning Coordination

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All sections related to your project must be completed. Incomplete applications could lead to delays in scheduling your review. If you need assistance or clarification, please call the State Planning Office at (302) 739-3090.

REQUESTED REVIEW: Check one	
Comprehensive Plan Pre-Update Review Complete Sections 1 and 3 only	
Comprehensive Plan or Update	
Complete Sections 1 and 3 only	
Comprehensive Plan Amendment Complete Sections 1 and 2 only	
Municipal Ordinance Review Complete Sections 1 and 2 only	
Date of most recently certified comprehensive plan:	
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If a link to the plan is not available, you must submit a copy	
of your plan with this application for a Pre-Update Review or a Comprehensive Plan Amendment.	

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SECTION 1: MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

Name of Municipality	
Address:	Contact Person:
	Phone Number:
	Fax Number:
	E-mail Address:
Application prepared	y:
Address:	Contact Person:
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	E-mail Address:

Effective: March 1, 2018

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SECTION 2. COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT OR MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE DESCRIPTION

Please describe the submission.		

Effective: March 1, 2018

Exhibit A : Potential Comprehensive Plan Amendment



Sussex County







David C. Hutt 302.856.0018 dhutt@morrisjames.com

May 21, 2021

Via: Email (jamie.whitehouse@sussexcountyde.gov)

Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning Office 2 The Circle, P.O. Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

RE: 2045 Future Land Use Map Amendment Request

Current: Mixed Existing Development Area and Low Density Area

Proposed: Developing Area

Sussex County Tax Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 (the "Property")

Dear Jamie,

This firm represents, Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, the contract purchasers of the above-referenced Property which fronts on Harbeson Road (Route 5) just south of its intersection with the Lewes-Georgetown Highway (Routes 9/404). The property consists of approximately 4.5 acres and is presently improved with a residential building and several outbuildings.

On Sussex County's Comprehensive Zoning Map, the Property is presently split-zoned with the first two hundred feet (200') being located within the Medium Density Residential District (MR District) and the balance of the Property being located within the Agricultural Residential District (AR-1 District). The 2045 Future Land Use Map found within Chapter 4 of the 2019 Sussex County Comprehensive Plan follows the split-zoning of the Property with the first two hundred feet (200') being shown within an Existing Development Area and the balance of the property being located within a Low Density Area.

This request to modify the Future Land Use Map is being filed in concert with a request to change the zoning classification of the AR-1 District portion of the Property to the MR District to match the front of the property and eliminate the split-zoning so that the property would have one homogenous zoning classification.

The specific request for the Future Land Use Map amendment is to change the designation of the Low Density Area portion within the Property to a Developing Area. Alternatively, the request is to modify the Future Land Use Map so that the entirety of the property—both the Existing Development Area and the Low Density Area are changed to a Developing Area. Ideally,

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when a property has two (2) different Future Land Use classifications the change would result in the property having a single future land use classification. However, the Property cannot match the Existing Development Area on the Future Land Use Map as the Comprehensive Plan refers to these areas as consisting primarily of General Residential and Medium Density Residential scattered throughout the County. In short, the name of the "Existing" Development Area as well as its description within Chapter 4 of the Comprehensive Plan makes it clear that the County is not seeking to add additional lands into this Future Land Use Map classification. As new Existing Development Area is not being created, my client's request is that the Property be changed from a Low Density Area and Existing Development Area to a Developing Area on the Future Land Use Map.

This change would be consistent with the general nature and trend of growth in this area. The Harbeson area continues to develop with a number of residential communities (Meadows of Beaver Creek, Trails of Beaver Creek and Beaver Dam Estates) along with a number of commercially zoned parcels (C-1, General Commercial; CR-1, Commercial Residential District; and recently a rezoning of more than thirty (30) acres to C-2, Medium Commercial). In addition, the southern boundary of this property is adjacent to lands that are zoned HI-1 (Heavy Industrial), which is the Allen Harim facility.

The designations of these varied zoning classifications and uses is also reflected on the 2045 Future Land Use Map. As mentioned previously, part of this property is already in one of the County's Growth Areas and the Property is adjacent to an Industrial Area which is another of the County's Growth Areas. In addition, the entirety of the frontage, not only of this Property but all Harbeson properties along Route 5, are part of the Existing Development Area—the same Growth Area as the front portion of this Property. Finally, several properties along Route 9 are within the Commercial Area, another of the County's Growth Areas.

As indicated by the number of varied zoning classifications as well as the number of businesses and residential communities within close proximity to this intersection, this area is a vibrant and growing area within Sussex County. In addition, in the Fall of 2019, DelDOT completed the HSIP SC Project at the intersection of Route 5 and Route 9 which provided turn lanes and addressed operational issues at this intersection.

While Harbeson is not one of the County's incorporated municipalities, because of the significance of Route 5 and Route 9 to the County, this intersection functions in many respects like a municipal area as it has commercial and residential uses along both of these two major roadways. As you would anticipate, public water and sewer are available in this area and this request is consistent with the character of the area.

Jamie Whitehouse May 21, 2021 Page 3

This requested amendment of the Future Land Use Map is necessary to eliminate the current split-designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. The requested amendment is also consistent with the character and intensity of the uses in this area and will not have an adverse effect on adjacent properties.

Please include this letter with the County's submission to the Office of State Planning Coordination seeking to amend the designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. In addition, please let me know if I can provide you with any further information to assist in this process.

Very Truly Yours,

MORRIS JAMES LLP

David C. Hutt, Esquire

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Sussex County Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request Form

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Applicant Name: Walter Malliot & Be	load		
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City: <u>Harbeson</u> Phone #; <u>(202) 345-0781</u>	State. <u>be</u> E-mail: <u>\</u>	munroe64@gmail.com	
Developer Information Developer Name: Same as applicant			
Attorney Information (If Applicabl			
Attorney Name: David C. Hutt, Esqui	re Morris James LLF)	
Attorney Address: 107 W. Market Str	eet		
City: Georgetown	State: DE		19958
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Sussex County, DE - Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request

Description of Request: (Please provide a written description of the request, along with details of the Tax Parcel ID(s) of the relevant parcels to which the amendment request relates. If you are requesting a text amendment to the Comprehensive Plan, please also clearly explain which Chapters of the Comprehensive Plan your request relates)

Attached to this application is the original letter request for a Future Land Use Map amendment dated May 21, 2021 (seeking to change the 2045 Future Land Use Map designation for the rear portion of the property from Low Density to a Developing Area). The Office of State Planning Coordination considered this request at its meeting on June 23, 2021 and urged the County and property owner to consider an ironic change for the designation of the rear portion of this property on the 2045 Future Land Use Map from Low Density to Existing Development Area. This revised (supplemental) application is being filed at the urging of the Office of State Planning Coordination.

Attachments:

- (1) May 21, 2021 Letter Application
- (2) July 6, 2021 Site Plan
- (3) July 14, 2021 PLUS Letter

Check List for Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request Applications

The following shall be submitted with any request

Completed Application	
A scaled survey drawing is apper location of all parcels to which the	nded to this Application that clearly shows the he amendment request relates.
application, along with copies of	Sussex County Council may submit a copy of this fall documents received, to the State of Delaware Office the purposes of any enabling the State of Delaware to
The undersigned hereby certifies that the for or plans submitted as a part of this application. Signature of Applicant/Attorney	rms, exhibits, and statements contained in any papers on are true and correct.
Signature of Applicating Accounts.	
For office use only: Date Submitted: Staff member receiving Application:	Application & Case #:
Location of property:	
Date of Council Hearing:	Recommendation:



STATE OF DELAWARE

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

800 BAY ROAD P.O. BOX 778 DOVER, DELAWARK 19903

NICOLE MAJESKI SECRETARY

March 18, 2021

Mr. Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning P.O. Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

Dear Mr. Whitehouse:

The Department has completed its review of a Service Level Evaluation Request for the **Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh** proposed land use application, which we received on March 17, 2021. This application is for an approximately 4.15- acre parcel (Tax Parcel: 235-30.00-94.00). The subject land is located on the west side of Harbeson Road (Sussex Road 22). The subject land is currently zoned AR-1 (Agricultural Residential) and MR (Medium Density Residential) the applicant seeks a conditional use for approval to build 24 multi-family dwelling units.

Per the 2019 Delaware Vehicle Volume Summary, the annual average daily traffic volume along Harbeson Road (Sussex Road 22), from Hollyville Road to Lewes-Georgetown Highway (US 9), is 4,549 vehicles per day.

Based on our review, we estimate that the above land use will generate fewer than 50 vehicle trips in any hour and fewer than 500 vehicle trips per day. These numbers of trips are DelDOT's minimum warrants for determining that a Traffic Impact Study (TIS) should be required for a particular development. Because the proposed land use would not meet these warrants, we consider the development's traffic impact to be **negligible** in the context of our agreement with the County regarding land development coordination and we do not recommend that the applicant be required to perform a TIS for the subject application. DelDOT's description of this application as negligible with regard to warranting a TIS does not mean that it is negligible in other respects. We recommend that the applicant not be required to perform a TIS for the subject application.

If the County approves this application, the applicant should be reminded that DelDOT requires compliance with State regulations regarding plan approvals and entrance permits, whether or not a TIS is required.



Mr. Jamie Whitehouse Page 2 of 2 March 18, 2021

Please contact Ms. Annamaria Furmato, at (302) 760-2710, if you have questions concerning this correspondence.

Sincerely,

T. William Brockenbrough, Jr.

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County Coordinator

Development Coordination

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cc:

Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, Applicant
Russell Warrington, Sussex County Planning & Zoning
Constance C. Holland, Coordinator, Cabinet Committee on State Planning Issues
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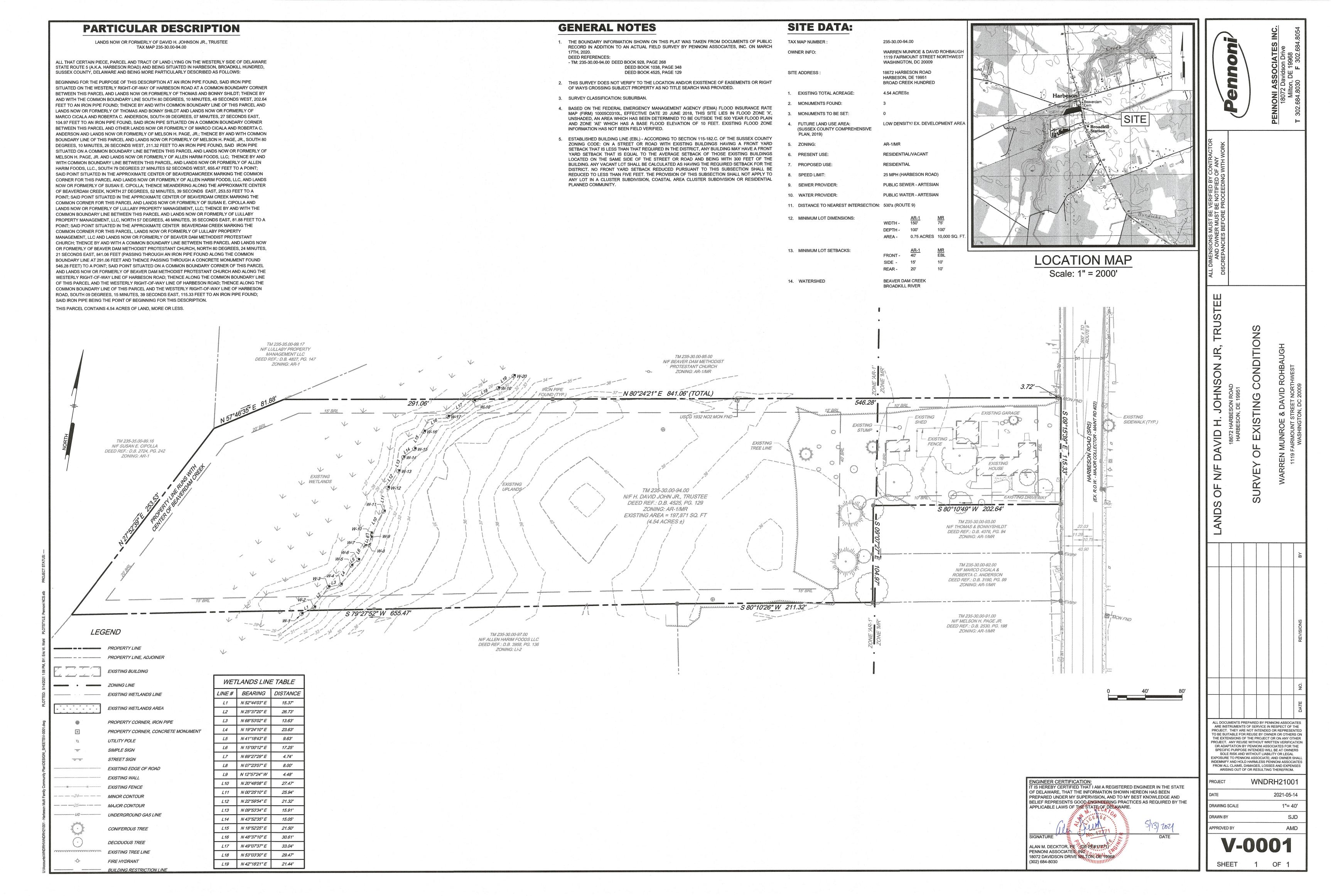
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SITE DATA: 1. TAX MAP NUMBER 2. DEVELOPER NAME/ADDRESS

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8. LOADING SPACES (SECTION 115-168 C.) PROVIDED 0 SPACES

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10 SECTION 89-SOURCE WATER PROPERTY

11. STATE INVESTMENT AREA 2020:

13. LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE STATE PLANE COORDINATES
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LONGITUDE: W-75" 17" 8.53"

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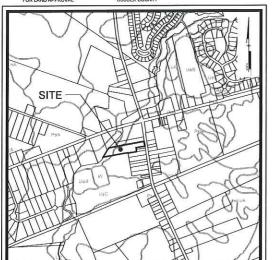
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SOILS MAP Scale: 1" = 1000'

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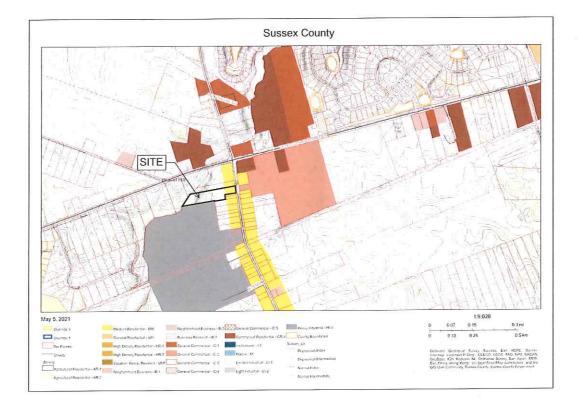
CONDITIONAL USE SITE PLAN

18672 HARBESON ROAD HARBESON, DELAWARE 19951 BROADKILL HUNDRED, SUSSEX COUNTY MAY 2021

> PREPARED FOR: OWNER/DEVELOPER

WARREN MUNROE & DAVID ROHRBAUGH

1119 FAIRMOUNT STREET NW **WASHINGTON, DC 20009**



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GENERAL NOTES:

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ENGINEER/SITE DESIGNER PENNOM ASSOCIATES BAC

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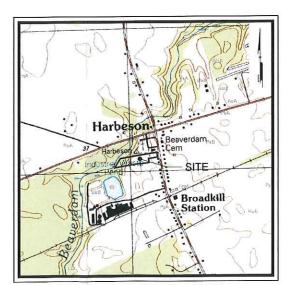
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- THE ENTRANCES/EXITS ARE PROPOSED ONLY, AND ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW AND A DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION BEFORE A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT IS ISSUED.

- 12. THE SUBJECT SITE WILL BE CONSTRUCTED AS ONE PHASE.
- 13 TOTAL AREA FOR SUBJECT SITE IS 4.54 ACRES.
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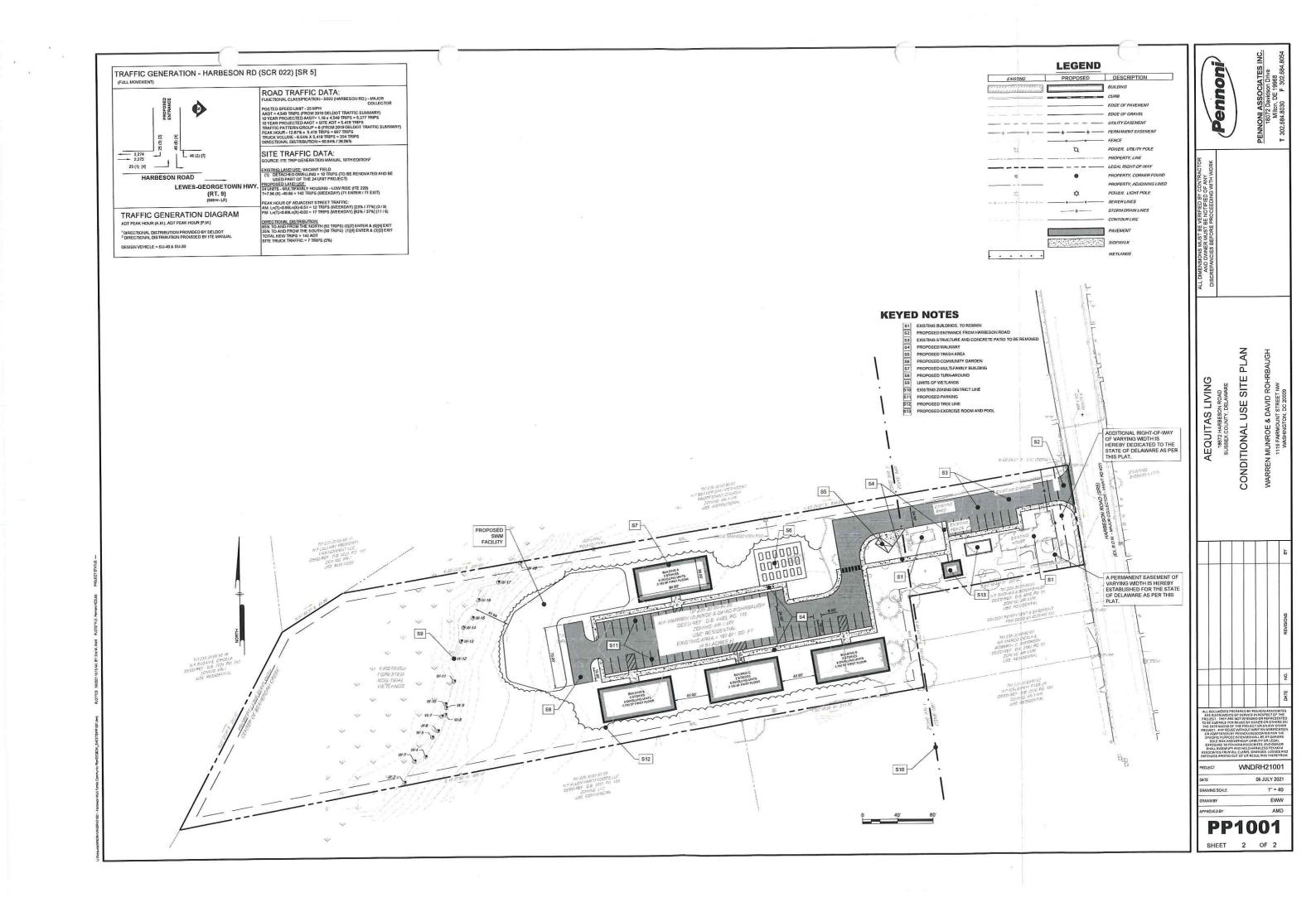
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CASE NO. CZ1978 AND CU2299

ORDINANCE NO.

2045 FUTURE LAND USE MAP AMENDMENT
FROM
LOW DENSITY TO EXISTING DEVELOPMENT AREA
CONDITIONAL USE MULTI-FAMILY MAP AMENDMENT FROM AR1/MR TO MR

OWNER/DEVELOPER:

WARREN MUNROE AND DAVID ROHRBAUGH 18672 HARBESON ROAD HARBESON DELAWARE 19951

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LEGAL:

MORRIS JAMES LLP 107 W. MARKET STREET GEORGETOWN, DE 19947 DAVID C. HUTT, ESQUIRE

PLANNER/ENGINEER/SURVEYOR:

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ERIC WAHL, RLA
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Mark H. Davidson / Vice President

Principal Land Planner/Office Director

EDUCATION

University of Delaware; Civil Engineering, (1986-1990)

Land Surveying, Delaware Technical & Community College (1984-1986) and Wastewater Microbiology Diploma (1997)

Land Planning, Institute for Public Administration (2006)

CERTIFICATIONS

DNREC Class A Percolation Tester & Class B Septic Designer, (DE #2418)

Sediment & Stormwater Management, Responsible Personnel, DE (#8760) and MD (#4914)

DNREC Certified Construction Reviewer: DE (#1270)

Delaware Notary

TRAININGS

Hydrology, Delaware TR-20 (1993)

Reducing Flood Hazard in Coastal Development (1996)

Law for Managers/Supervisors (1999)

State and Federal Laws (2000)

Advanced Real Estate Law in Delaware (2002)

Land Conservation and Historic Preservation (2003)

Land Surveying Business Diploma (1998)

Project Manager Training I, Pennoni (2015)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

National Onsite Wastewater Recycling Association

Delaware Onsite Wastewater Recycling Association

American Planning Association

American Institute of Certified Planners

HONORS/AWARDS

Association of Professionals Philanthropy, Brandywine Chapter Fundraising Nominee (2014)

Notable Networker Award, BNI (2013)

EXPERIENCE SUMMARY

Mark H. Davidson serves as Vice President of Pennoni and Office Director for our Southern Delaware, Milton Office. Mark also serves as the Principal Land Planner for Pennoni. He has over 35-years of past experience in Surveying, Engineering, Consulting, Construction and Land Planning. For 12-years he owned a professional engineering, surveying, land planning, environmental and consulting firm that provided professional consulting and design in land planning for residential, industrial, institutional, municipal and commercial applications to a wide range of clients in Delaware and Maryland. Mr. Davidson's project experience includes land development planning, surveying, engineering, environmental design and permitting; construction and project consulting, management and inspection; water resource consulting, management and inspection and municipal consulting, planning and inspection for residential, industrial, institutional, municipal and commercial applications.

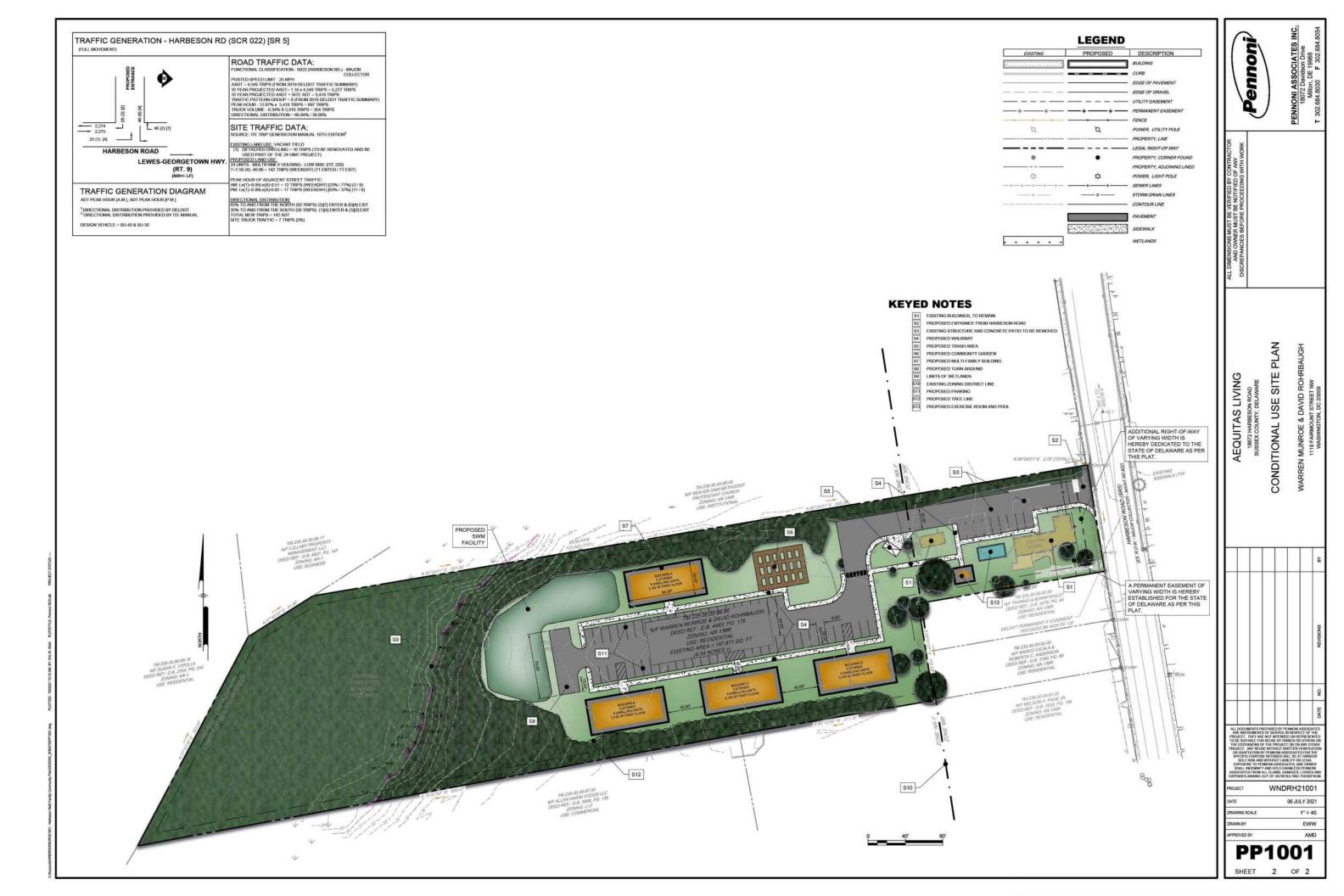
Mark is a past director of the Delaware Onsite Wastewater Recycling Association as well as a member of the American Planning Association, American Institute of Certified Planners and has served in the past as a committee member of Delaware Low Impact Development Roundtable Committee, Delaware Pollution Control Strategy Committee, Delaware Sediment & Stormwater Regulatory Advisory Committee, and the Delaware Technical & Community College A/E Curriculum Committee. Past Board Member for the On Site Septic Advisory Board for the State of Delaware. He was also nominated for the Brandywine Chapter Association of Fundraising Professionals Philanthropy Award and has won the BNI Notable Networker Award.

Along with all the experience and education stated and with many years of combined experience in Surveying, Engineering, Consulting and Land Planning, he has been responsible for providing consulting, layout and design in surveying, engineering and land planning for residential, industrial, institutional, municipal and commercial applications to a wide range of clients in Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia. He has project managed, studied, planned, surveyed, designed and engineered sustainable, master-planned communities, commercial and urban redevelopment projects, and the public infrastructure that supports them.

Mark has provided nationwide land planning consulting services to a variety of clientele to help coordinate project startups as well as final construction consulting services when it came to commercial, residential, industrial, municipal, educational and community land planning. Provided additional consulting in civil/site engineering, stormwater management, erosion and sediment control, wastewater collection and disposal, transportation, and environmental. Market areas practiced; Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, North Dakota, Puerto Rico, Canada and Panama.

Additional Project experience includes cutting edge design and technology as well as value engineering and construction to help clients through the ever-changing market including but not limited to solar voltaic and wind generation projects.





TAB 1 APPLICATION

File	#:			
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Planning & Zoning Commission Application Sussex County, Delaware

Sussex County Planning & Zoning Department 2 The Circle (P.O. Box 417) Georgetown, DE 19947 302-855-7878 ph. 302-854-5079 fax

Type of Application: (please check appli Conditional Use	icable)		
Zoning Map Amendment ✓			
Site Address of Conditional Use/Zoning	Map Amendme	ent	
18672 Harbeson Road, Harbeson, DE 19951	-		
Type of Conditional Use Requested			
Tax Map #: 235-30.00-94.00		Size of Parcel(s): 4.54 acres	
Current Zoning: ARI/MR Proposed 2	Zoning: MR	Size of Building:	
Land Use Classification: Residential			
Water Provider: Artesian	Sewe	er Provider: Artesian	
Applicant Information			
Applicant Name: Warren Munroe & David Ro	hrhaugh		
Applicant Address: 18672 Harbeson Road	лионы		
City: Harbeson	State: DE	ZipCode: 19951	_
Phone #: (202) 345-0781		nroe64@gmail.com	
Owner Information			
Owner Name: Warren Munroe & David Rohrb	augh		
Owner Address: 18672 Harbeson Road			
City: <u>Harbeson</u>	State: DE	Zip Code: <u>19951</u>	
Phone #: <u>(202)</u> 345-0781	E-mail: wmu	nroe64@gmail.eom	
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Information			
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Name: Pennon	i Associates		
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Address: $\underline{18072}$	Davidson Drive		
City: Milton	State: <u>DE</u>	Zip Code: <u>19968</u>	
Phone #: <u>(302) 684-8030</u>	E-mail: ewahl	@pennoni.com	





Check List for Sussex County Planning & Zoning Applications

The following shall be submitted with the application

Ť	Completed Application
<u>~</u>	Provide eight (8) copies of the Site Plan or Survey of the property Survey shall show the location of existing or proposed building(s), building setbacks, parking area, proposed entrance location, etc. Provide a PDF of Plans (may be e-mailed to a staff member) Deed or Legal description
	Provide Fee \$500.00
_	Optional - Additional information for the Commission/Council to consider (ex. architectural elevations, photos, exhibit books, etc.) If provided submit 8 copies and they shall be submitted a minimum of ten (10) days prior to the Planning Commission meeting.
<u>~</u>	Please be aware that Public Notice will be sent to property owners within 200 feet of the subject site and County staff will come out to the subject site, take photos and place a sign on the site stating the date and time of the Public Hearings for the application.
<u>~</u>	DelDOT Service Level Evaluation Request Response
	PLUS Response Letter (if required)
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Signature o	of Applicant/Agent/Attorney
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Signature of	Date: 3/5/2022
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Planning & Zoning Commission Application Sussex County, Delaware

Sussex County Planning & Zoning Department

The Circle (P.O. Box 417) Georgetown, DE 19947

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Type of Application: (please check applic	able)						
Conditional Use							
Zoning Map Amendment <u>V</u> Site Address of Conditional Use/Zoning Map Amendment							
Type of Conditional Use Requested: Multi-family buildings in MR							
Tax Map #: 235-30.00-94.00	Size of Parcel(s): 4.54 acres						
Current Zoning: ARI/MR Proposed Zo	oning: MR Size of Building:						
Land Use Classification: Residential							
Water Provider: Artesian Sewer Provider: Artesian							
Applicant Information							
Applicant Name: Warren Munroe & David Roh	rbaugh						
Applicant Address: 1119 Fairmount Street NW							
City: Washington	State: DC ZipCode: 20009						
Phone #: <u>(202)</u> 345-0781	E-mail: wmunroe64@gmail.com						
Owner Information							
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Phone #: <u>(202)</u> 345-0781	E-mail: wmunroe64@gmail.com						
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Information							
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Name: Pennoni Associates							
Agent/Attorney/Engineer Address: 18072 I							
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The undersigned hereby certifies that the forms, exhibits, and statements contained in any papers or plans submitted as a part of this application are true and correct.					
I also certify that I or an agent on by behalf shall attend all public hearing before the Planning and Zoning Commission and the Sussex County Council and any other hearing necessary for this application and that I will answer any questions to the best of my ability to respond to the present and future needs, the health, safety, morals, convenience, order, prosperity, and general welfare of the Inhabitants of Sussex County, Delaware.					
Signature of Applicant/Agent/Attorney					
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Signature of Own	ner - DILI m	Date: JULY Zuz			
	cation:	Fee: \$500.00 Check #:Application & Case #:			
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PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION

LANDS NOW OR FORMERLY OF DAVID H. JOHNSON JR., TRUSTEE TAX MAP 235-30.00-94.00

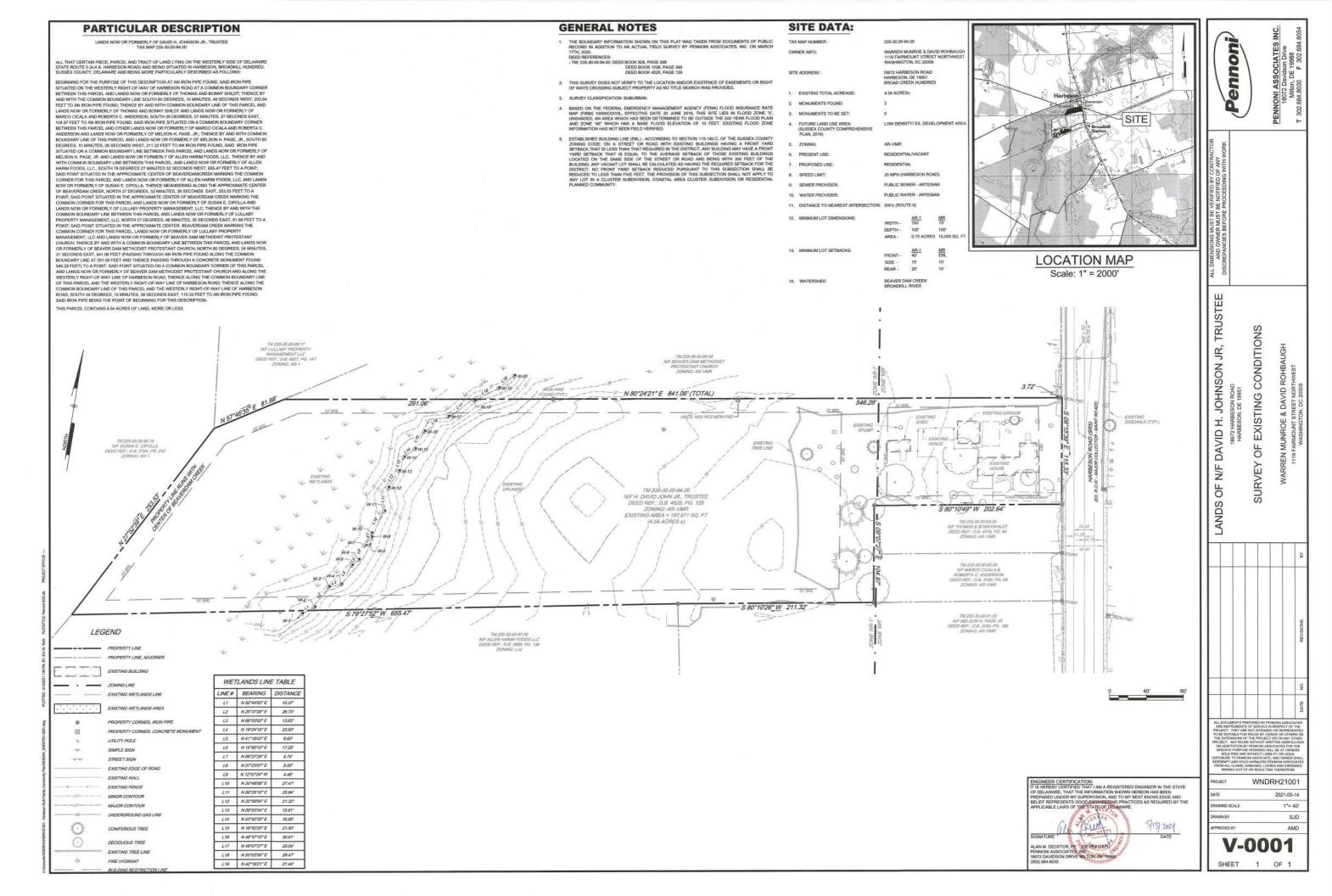
ALL that certain piece, parcel and tract of land lying on the westerly side of Delaware State Route 5 (a.k.a. Harbeson Road) and being situated in Harbeson, Broadkill Hundred, Sussex County, Delaware and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING for the purpose of this description at an iron pipe found, said iron pipe situated on the westerly right-of-way of Harbeson Road at a common boundary corner between this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Thomas and Bonny Shildt; thence by and with the common boundary line South 80 degrees, 10 minutes, 49 seconds West, 202.64 feet to an iron pipe found; thence by and with common boundary line of this parcel and Lands now or formerly of Thomas and Bonny Shildt and Lands now or formerly of Marco Cicala and Roberta C. Anderson, South 09 degrees, 07 minutes, 27 seconds East, 104.97 feet to an iron pipe found, said iron pipe situated on a common boundary corner between this Parcel and other Lands now or formerly of Marco Cicala and Roberta C. Anderson and Lands now or formerly of Melson H. Page, Jr.; thence by and with common boundary line of this parcel and Lands now or formerly of Melson H. Page, Jr., South 80 degrees, 10 minutes, 26 seconds West, 211.32 feet to an iron pipe found, said iron pipe situated on a common boundary line between this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Melson H. Page, Jr. and Lands now or formerly of Allen Harim Foods, LLC; thence by and with common boundary line between this Parcel, and Lands now or formerly of Allen Harim Foods, LLC., **South 79** degrees 27 minutes 52 seconds West, 655.47 feet to a point; said point situated in the approximate center of Beaverdam Creek marking the

Particular Description

common corner for this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Allen Harim Foods, LLC, and Lands now or formerly of Susan E. Cipolla; thence meandering along the approximate center of Beaverdam Creek, North 27 degrees, 52 minutes, 39 seconds East, 253.53 feet to a point; said point situated in the approximate center of Beaverdam Creek marking the common corner for this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Susan E. Cipolla and Lands now or formerly of Lullaby Property Management, LLC; thence by and with the common boundary line between this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Lullaby Property Management, LLC, North 57 degrees, 46 minutes, 35 seconds East, 81.88 feet to a point; said point situated in the approximate center Beaverdam Creek marking the common corner for this parcel, Lands now or formerly of Lullaby Property Management, LLC and Lands now or formerly of Beaver Dam Methodist Protestant Church; thence by and with a common boundary line between this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Beaver Dam Methodist Protestant Church, North 80 degrees, 24 minutes, 21 seconds East, 841.06 feet (passing through an iron pipe found along the common boundary line at 291.06 feet and thence passing through a concrete monument found 546.28 feet) to a point; said point situated on a common boundary corner of this Parcel and Lands now or formerly of Beaver Dam Methodist Protestant Church and along the westerly right-of-way line of Harbeson Road; thence along the common boundary line of this Parcel and the westerly right-of-way line of Harbeson Road; thence along the common boundary line of this Parcel and the westerly right-of-way line of Harbeson Road, South 09 degrees, 15 minutes, 39 seconds East, 115.33 feet to an iron pipe found; said iron pipe being the Point of Beginning for this description.

This Parcel contains 4.54 Acres of land, more or less.





STATE OF DELAWARE

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

P.O. Box 778
Dover, Delaware 19903

NICOLE MAJESKI SECRETARY

March 18, 2021

Mr. Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning P.O. Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

Dear Mr. Whitehouse:

The Department has completed its review of a Service Level Evaluation Request for the **Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh** proposed land use application, which we received on March 17, 2021. This application is for an approximately 4.15- acre parcel (Tax Parcel: 235-30.00-94.00). The subject land is located on the west side of Harbeson Road (Sussex Road 22). The subject land is currently zoned AR-1 (Agricultural Residential) and MR (Medium Density Residential) the applicant seeks a conditional use for approval to build 24 multi-family dwelling units.

Per the 2019 Delaware Vehicle Volume Summary, the annual average daily traffic volume along Harbeson Road (Sussex Road 22), from Hollyville Road to Lewes-Georgetown Highway (US 9), is 4,549 vehicles per day.

Based on our review, we estimate that the above land use will generate fewer than 50 vehicle trips in any hour and fewer than 500 vehicle trips per day. These numbers of trips are DelDOT's minimum warrants for determining that a Traffic Impact Study (TIS) should be required for a particular development. Because the proposed land use would not meet these warrants, we consider the development's traffic impact to be **negligible** in the context of our agreement with the County regarding land development coordination and we do not recommend that the applicant be required to perform a TIS for the subject application. DelDOT's description of this application as negligible with regard to warranting a TIS does not mean that it is negligible in other respects. We recommend that the applicant not be required to perform a TIS for the subject application.

If the County approves this application, the applicant should be reminded that DelDOT requires compliance with State regulations regarding plan approvals and entrance permits, whether or not a TIS is required.



Mr. Jamie Whitehouse Page 2 of 2 March 18, 2021

Please contact Ms. Annamaria Furmato, at (302) 760-2710, if you have questions concerning this correspondence.

Sincerely,
T. William Broslowbough, J.

T. William Brockenbrough, Jr.

County Coordinator

Development Coordination

TWB:aff

cc: Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, Applicant

Russell Warrington, Sussex County Planning & Zoning

Constance C. Holland, Coordinator, Cabinet Committee on State Planning Issues

Todd Sammons, Assistant Director, Development Coordination

Scott Rust, South District Public Works Manager, Maintenance & Operations

Steve McCabe, Sussex County Review Coordinator, Development Coordination

Derek Sapp, Subdivision Manager, Development Coordination

Kevin Hickman, Subdivision Manager, Development Coordination

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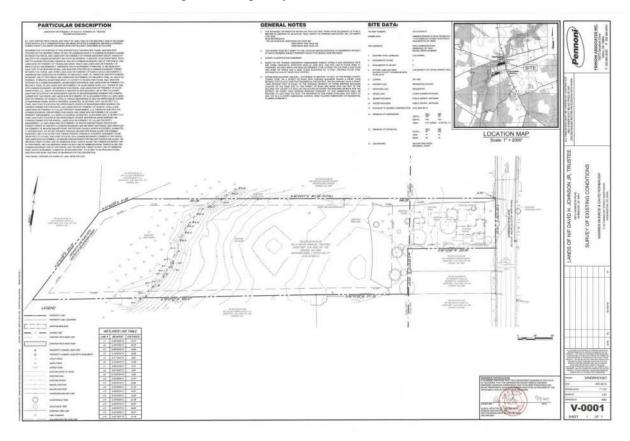
Claudy Joinville, Project Engineer, Development Coordination

Annamaria Furmato, Project Engineer, Development Coordination

TAB 2 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

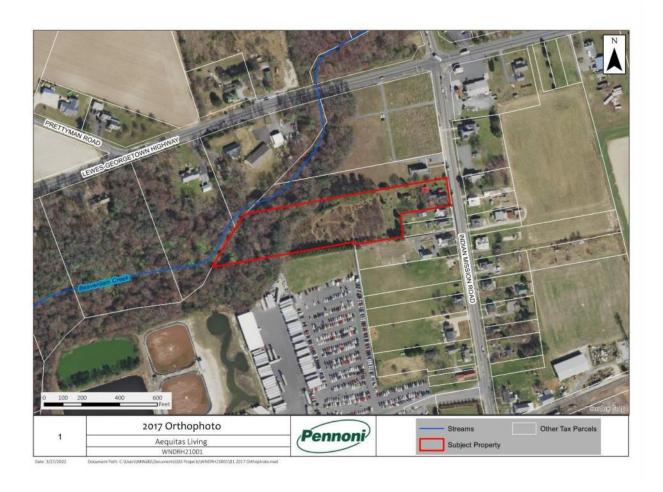
AEQUITAS LIVING CHANGE OF ZONE #1978 CONDITIONAL USE #2299 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. This is an application to grant a rezoning of a portion of lands in MR (Medium Residential) and AR-1 (Agricultural Residential District) zoning districts to all MR (Medium Residential). In addition, a Conditional Use is being requested for a multi-family use on the site. The property is located on 4.54 acres, more or less in the Broadkill Hundred located on the west side of Harbeson Road and south of Route 9 (Lewes-Georgetown Highway).

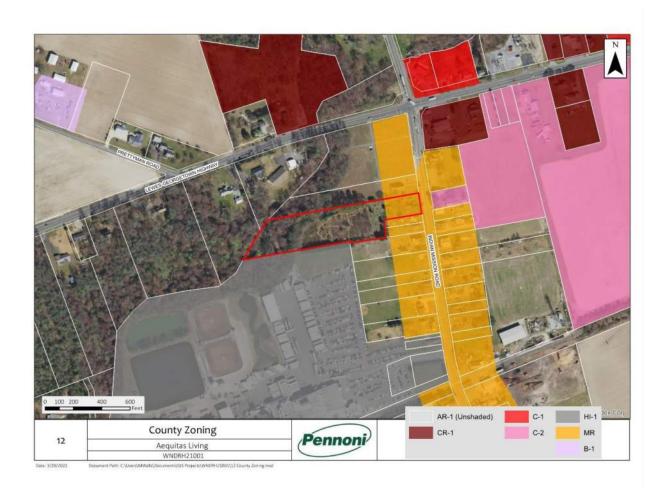


2. The applicants and property owners are Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, living at the subject property, 18672 Harbeson Road, Harbeson, DE 19951.

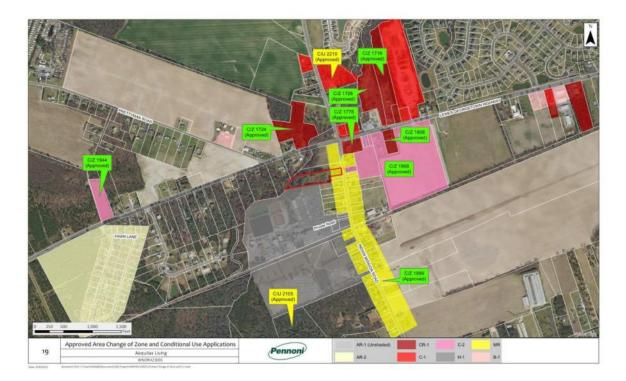
3. The property is identified on the tax maps of the Sussex County Department of Finance as Tax Map No. 235-30.00-94.00.



- 4. The property is bordered on:
 - a. East with Harbeson Road (Major Collector State maintained road).
 - b. North by other split zoned AR-1/MR property (Beaverdam Methodist Protestant Church and Cemetery).
 - c. West by Beaverdam Creek.
 - d. South by HI-1 zoned property (Allen Harim Foods) and by other split zoned residential properties (AR-1/MR).



5. The Medium Residential zoning already runs along Harbeson Road, both on the east and west sides, from Route 9 south to Doddtown Road. The change of zone will not diminish or impair property values within the neighborhood; will not create a public nuisance; nor result in an increase in public expenditures.



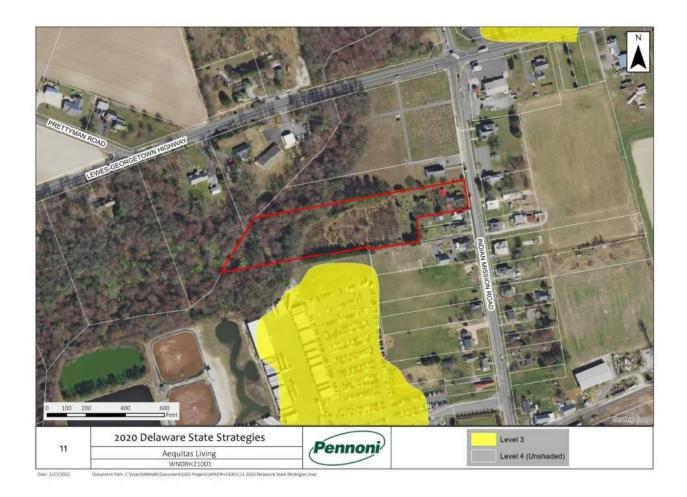
- 6. In the 2019 Sussex County Comprehensive Plan the subject property is located partially within the *Existing Development Area* classification. Since the comprehensive plan is a guide for the future use of land, the County's official zoning map must be consistent with the uses and intensities of uses provided for in the Future Land Use Plan. During the PLUS meeting to consider the FLUM amendment, it was noted that the entire parcel should be considered for *Existing Development Area* classification.
- 7. The purpose of the MR district is to provide for medium-density residential development in areas which are, or which are expected to become generally urban in character, but where sanitary sewers and public water supplies may or may not

be available at the time of construction, together with such churches, recreational facilities and accessory uses as may be necessary or are normally compatible with residential surroundings. The district is located to protect existing development of this character and contains vacant land considered appropriate for such development in the future.

- 8. The applicant proposes to create a multi-family neighborhood consisting of 4 garden-style apartment buildings with 6 units in each, a community garden, and a pool/exercise area adjacent to the existing dwelling that the applicants will be using to reside and to manage the property.
- 9. There are wetlands on the rear portion of the property; the property is located in a Flood Zone X Unshaded according to Flood Map 10005C0310L. The wetlands will not be impacted by any construction activity; stormwater management will occur onsite and use infiltration as its primary BMP for handling stormwater runoff; the property is located in a Groundwater Protection Zone (Wellhead Protection Area well(s) located on Allen Harim property south of subject property); the property is served with public water and sewer service (Artesian.)



10. The 2020 Strategies for State Policies and Investment Levels Map identifies the area as being in Investment Level 4. These areas are designated rural areas where investments are lower in priority than Levels 1, 2, or 3.



11. The proposed Rezoning and Conditional Use site plan meets the general purpose of the Zoning Ordinance, specifically being located in an area adjacent to similarly zoned MR properties, in an *Existing Development Area*, and along a Major Collector - State maintained road. Rezoning the property from a split-zoned AR-1/MR parcel to completely MR and approving a Conditional Use for a multi-family use in this MR zoned area is desirable for the general convenience, orderly growth, prosperity and welfare of the County.

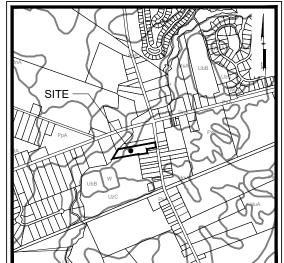
TAB 3 EXHIBITS

SITE DATA: 235-30.00-94.00, DEED BOOK 4483, PAGE 176 2. DEVELOPER NAME/ADDRESS. WASHINGTON, DC 20009 AR-1 (AGRICULTURAL/RESIDENTIAL) AND MR (MEDIUM RESIDENTIAL) MRICONDITIONAL USE (ARTICLE V-§115-31) RESIDENTIAL 5. ARTICLE XXV: MIN. LOT WIDTH: MIN. LOT DEPTH: MIN. LOT SIZE: BUILDING HEIGHT: PARKÍNG (ARTICLE XXII: OFF-STREET PARKING, CODE SECTION '115-162') 2 SPACES PER DIVELLING UNIT (1.5 SPACES PER 1 BEDROOM UNIT) REQUIRED. 12 (2, REDDROOM) PLUS 12 (1 BEDROOM) UNITS PLUS EXISTING HOME = 44 SPACES PROVIDED: 62 PARKING SPACES 8. LOADING SPACES (SECTION 115-168 C.) PROVIDED: 0 SPACES 9. SERVICES: WATER SUPPLIER: WATER SUPPLIER: PUBLIC - ARTESIAN SANITARY SEWER SUPPLIER: PUBLIC - ARTESIAN A. SUBJECT PROPERTY IS WITHIN AN AREA OF 'GOOD'. . . . GROUNDWATER RECHARGE B. SUBJECT PROPERTY IS LOCATED IN WELLHEAD PROTECTION AREA. (PROPOSED IMPERVIOUS COVER IS LESS THAN-11. STATE INVESTMENT AREA 2020: LEVEL 4 12 2019 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN: EXISTING DEVELOPING AREA/LOW DENSITY 13. LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE STATE PLANE COORDINATES LATITUDE: N-38! 43' 24.06" LONGITUDE: W-75" 17' 8.53" 14. WETLAND AREA: WETLAND AREA IMPACTED: 15. PROPOSED DISCHARGE LOCATION: PROPOSED BMP CONVEYED TO EXISTING WETLANDS AND BEAVERDAM CREEK [ROUND POLE BRIDGE WATERSHED]

 BASED UPON FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) NUMBERS 10005C0310L, DATED JUNE 20, 2018, THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED IN AN AREA DESIGNATED AS FLOOD ZONE 'X', UNSHADED 17. SITE AREA AND ACREAGE GROSS ACREAGE/NET DEVELOPMENT AREA: GROSS 4.54 AC(±) NET 2.25 ACRES(±)
 SŢRUCTURE, PARKING, IMPERVIOUS:
 EX: 6,499 SF (3%)

 OPEN SPÄCE:
 EX: 191,372 SF (9
 EX: 191,372 SF (97%) TOTAL EX: 197.871 SF (100%) 18. OPEN SPACE (99-21 D.)

HORIZONTAL = NAD83, VERTICAL = NAVD88



SOILS MAP Scale: 1" = 1000'

PENNONI ASSOCIATES INC.



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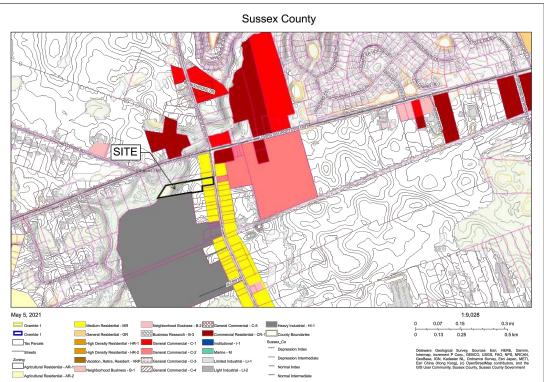
CONDITIONAL USE SITE PLAN

18672 HARBESON ROAD HARBESON, DELAWARE 19951 BROADKILL HUNDRED, SUSSEX COUNTY MAY 2021

> PREPARED FOR: OWNER/DEVELOPER

WARREN MUNROE & DAVID ROHRBAUGH

1119 FAIRMOUNT STREET NW **WASHINGTON, DC 20009**



GENERAL NOTES:

ENGINEER/SITE DESIGNER

SURVEYOR PENNONI ASSOCIATES INC

ANDSCAPE ARCHITECT

SCHOOL DISTRICT

FIRE DISTRICT GEORGETOWN (77)

POSTAL DISTRICT HARBESON (19951

WATER UTILITY ARTESIAN

SEWER UTILITY ARTESIAN

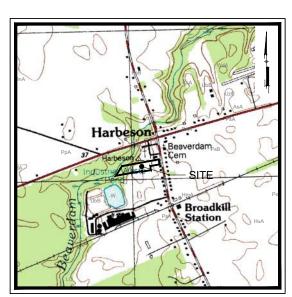
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- . ALL WORK SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE STATE, FEDERAL AND LOCAL CODES. ALL NECESSAR' LICENSES AND PERMITS SHALL BE OBTAINED BY THE CONTRACTOR AT HIS EXPENSE UNLESS PREVIOUSL'
- 2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL IMMEDIATELY INFORM THE ENGINEER OF ANY DISCREPANCIES OR ERRORS THEY DISCOVER IN THE PLAN.
- DEVIATION FROM THESE PLANS AND NOTES WITHOUT THE PRIOR CONSENT OF THE OWNER OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE OR THE ENGINEER MAY BE CAUSE FOR THE WORK TO BE REJECTED.
- 4. ALL MATERIALS SHALL BE NEW AND SHALL BE ASBESTOS AND VERMICULITE FREE.
- THE SUSSEX CONSERVATION DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADD, DELETE, OR MODIFY ANY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES AS THEY DEEM NECESSARY.
- THE ENTRANCES/EXITS ARE PROPOSED ONLY, AND ARE SUBJECT TO REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY THE DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION BEFORE A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT IS ISSUED.

- 12. THE SUBJECT SITE WILL BE CONSTRUCTED AS ONE PHASE.
- 13 TOTAL AREA FOR SUBJECT SITE IS 4 54 ACRES
- 15. BUILDING LIGHTING TO BE PROVIDED WITH BUILDING PLANS. NO PARKING LOT LIGHTS ARE PROPOSED.
- 16. ALL SITE LIGHTING SHALL BE DOWNWARD SCREENED SO THAT IT DOES NOT SHINE ON NEIGHBORING

- 19. ALL FIRE LANES, EXITS, STANDPIPE AND SPRINKLER CONNECTIONS WILL BE MARKED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE FIRE PREVENTION REGULATIONS. EXISTING BUILDING CONSTRUCTION IS STEEL, CONCRETE, AND WOOD, ONE STORY AND WILL NOT HAVE SPRINKLERS.
- 20. FIRE ALARM REQUIRED THE FIRE ALARM SIGNALING SYSTEM SHALL BE AUTOMATIC, SUPERVISED OFF-SITE, AND SHALL CONSIST OF FULL COVERAGE BY SMOKE DETECTION AND ALARM MOTIFICATION. WHERE SMOKE DETECTION DEVICES WILL NOT FUNCTION BY REASON OF DEVICE LIMITATION, HEAT DETECTION SHALL BE PROVIDED IN THOSE SPECIFIC LOCATIONS FIRE ALARM SIGNALING SYSTEM PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW.
- 21. MISS UTILITY SHALL BE NOTIFIED THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO EXCAVATION.
- MAINTENANCE OF THESE STREETS.
- 23 SANITARY SEWER FOR THIS SITE WILL BE PROVIDED BY ARTESIAN

- 26. THE HEIGHT, LOCATION, AND MATERIAL OF ALL FENCES, WALLS, SCREEN PLANTING AND LANDSCAPING WILL BE SHOWN ON THE FINAL SITE PLAN.
- 27. ANY PROPOSED SIGN DETAILS WILL BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.



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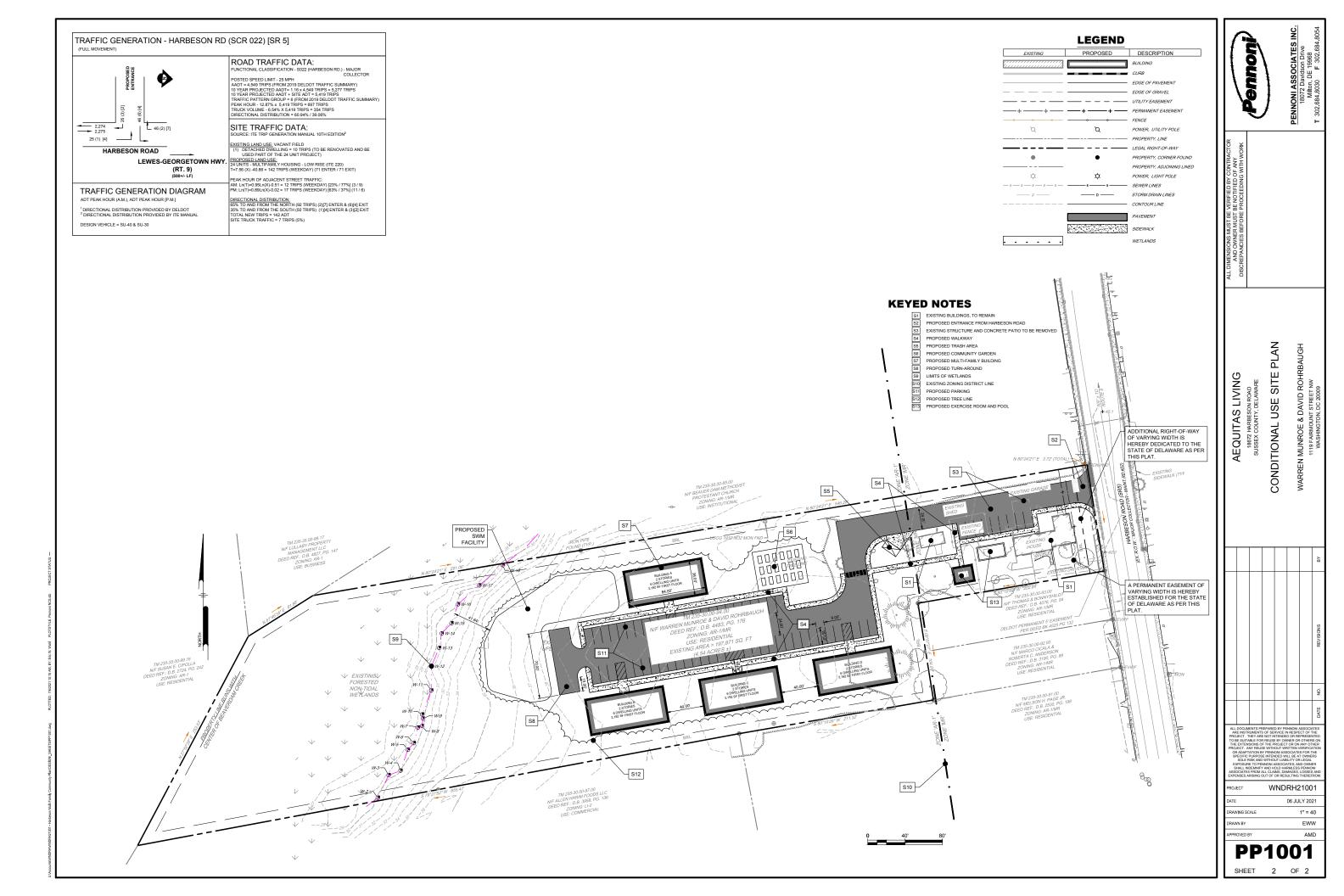
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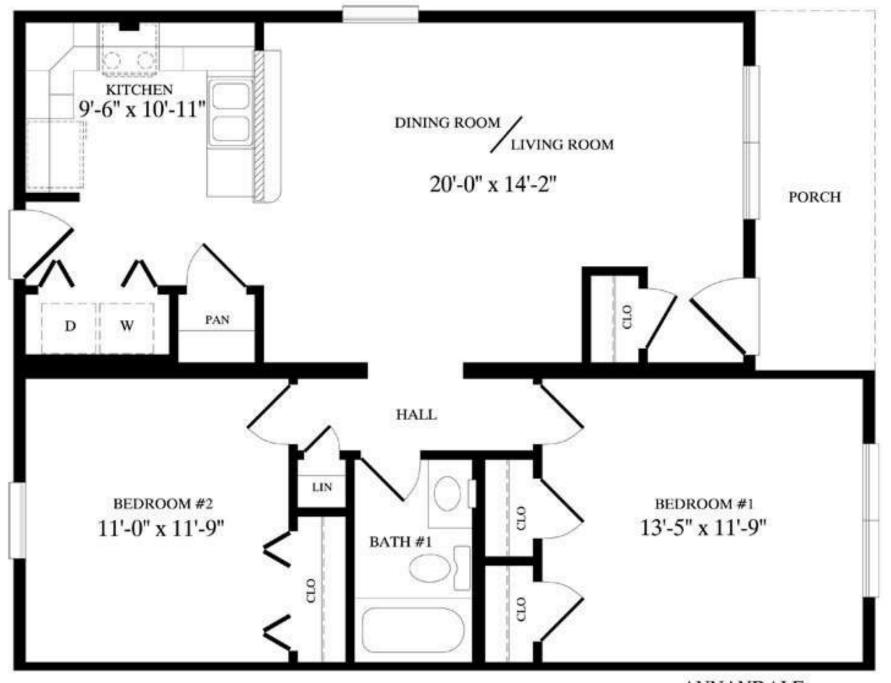
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May 25, 2021

Pennoni

Attn: Alan M. Decktor, PE, ENV SP

RE: Proposed Subdivision Name(s)

I have reviewed the name(s) submitted for your proposed subdivision which is located in Harbeson (235-30.00-94.00). In reviewing the proposed name(s) the following has been approved for this subdivision:

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Should you have any questions please contact the Sussex County Addressing Department at 302-853-5888 or 302-855-1176.

Sincerely,

Terri L Dukes

Terri L. Dukes Addressing Technician II

CC: Christin Scott Planning & Zoning







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April 22, 2021 WNDRH21001

Date of Meeting: April 22, 2021

Subject: Pre-Submittal Project Meeting

Meeting Location: Online Meeting Prepared by: Alan Decktor

RE: DelDOT Meeting Minutes

Harbeson Multifamily - Harbeson Road

Harbeson, DE

Attendees:

Brian Yates – DelDOT Steve McCabe– DelDOT James Argo – DelDOT Brian Behrens– DelDOT Wendy Polasko – DelDOT Lindsay O, -DelDOT Mark Galipo – DelDOT Alan Decktor – Pennoni

Items Discussed:

- 1. Introduction of project. The frontage is along Harbeson Road which meets the functional classification of a major collector with travel lanes and shoulders, it also has an existing sidewalk.
- 2. TGD was approved, site only generates minimal trips, no TOA or AWS fees required. No turn lanes.
- 3. The existing driveway will be modified to a 24' wide entrance and have a turning template done for a WB-40 and a SU-30 for all movements.
- 4. The property is in Level 4.
- 5. Pavement cores are required and will be submitted with our submission. Our proposed entrance will follow this guidance and will determine if shoulders adequate? Did the DelDOT Capital Project rebuild the shoulders?
- 6. Proper ROW dedication will be shown if required to meet the functional classification of the roadway and the 15' wide PE will be shown. If the house conflict with the PE, the PE will wrap around the existing structure. If a drainage easement is required into the site, one will be noted on the plans.
- 7. The DelDOT Capital Project at the intersection of Route 9 and Harbeson Road had its construction limits end near the southern property corner of the subject site. The sidewalk and roadway mill/overlay butt joint ended at this location. Our project will reconstruct the sidewalk to a raised condition with PCC Type 3-8 curbing) instead of the existing flush walkway and continue it to the projected south corner of the property. The shoulder will need to have a maximum 2" mill and overlay (match existing) to avoid any joints, a curb patch will not be accepted. The sidewalk will taper down and match existing sidewalk at the project property corner. The sidewalk width does not account for the curb width.
- 8. We will provide a sidewalk connection into the site along the entrance roadway.
- 9. We will contact the post office and determine if they deliver mail by foot or vehicle in this area. The existing mailboxes will be placed behind the newly constructed sidewalk.
- 10. The proposed raised sidewalk may cause drainage impairments for the front yards of the adjacent properties. We will include drainage improvements as needed to provide positive drainage to those areas.

- 11. The upgraded 24' wide commercial entrance may conflict with an existing inlet. The inlet and drainage patterns may be modified to allow for the proposed entrance and maintain the storm drain infrastructure.
- 12. The speed limit of Harbeson Road is 25 mph, and the minimum distance is 150' between entrances. We will shift our entrance as far south as we can to maximize this distance, but if we are short, it was stated that it is acceptable.
- 13. The entrance must be constructed for the proposed project prior to the release of the first building permit.
- 14. The striping along Harbeson Road can be left as is due to the low amount of trips being generated by the project.
- 15. The project requires a Conditional Use Hearing which will take place later this year, no submissions will take place until after that approval has been obtained.

The summary listed above reflects our best recollection of the items presented and discussed. Please do not hesitate to advise us if any items are missing, incomplete or inaccurate.

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April 1, 2022

Artesian Water Maryland A Artesian Wastewater Maryland

Artesian Wastewater Management A Artesian Utility Development A Artesian Water Pennsylvania

Alan M. Decktor, PE, ENV SP Pennoni 18072 Davidson Drive Milton, DE 19968

RE: Aequitas Ability to Serve Letter

With reference to your request concerning Water and Wastewater Service (collectively, "Service") for the proposed Aequitas Project on Harbeson Road in Broadkill Hundred, Sussex County, Delaware known as Tax Parcel Number 235-30.00-94.00 (the "Property"), please be advised as follows:

Subject to the following conditions, Artesian Water Company, Inc. and Artesian Wastewater Management, Inc. (collectively, "Artesian") are willing and able to provide Service to the Property that meets all applicable State of Delaware, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, and Sussex County standards. The property owner must provide Artesian with signed petitions requesting water and wastewater service that Artesian could use to seek application for CPCN approval from the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") for any parcels not currently in Artesian's territory. CPCN's are necessary before Artesian can provide Service at the Property. If granted the CPCN's, Artesian can provide Service in accordance with Artesian's Commission approved tariffs, as amended from time to time.

Based on current conditions and subject to the development entity and Artesian entering Water and Wastewater Service Agreements (collectively, "Agreements") that addresses the financial terms of the provision of Service for the Property, in accordance with Artesian's tariff as approved by the Delaware Public Service Commission, Artesian is willing and able to provide the required Service for this Property.

This letter shall expire if Agreements are not executed within one year of the date of this letter.

Yours very truly,

ARTESIAN WATER COMPANY, INC.

Adam Gould

Manager of Systems Planning and Design

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Sussex County Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request Form Sussex County, Delaware

Sussex County Planning & Zoning Department
2 The Circle (P.O. Box 417) Georgetown, DE 19947

302-855-7878

□ pandz@sussexcountyde.gov

Type of Amendm	ent Requested (e.g Futu	re Land Use N	Map, Existing Land	Use Map, or Text Revision
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Applicant Informa	tion Varren Munroe & David Rohrb	augh		
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City: Harbeson	10072 Harbeson Houd	_State: DE	ZipCode:	19951
Phone #: (202) 345-0	0781		roe64@gmail.com	
<u>Developer Information</u> Developer Name:				
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	107 W. Market Street	- DE	7 6 1	10050
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Sussex County, DE - Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request

Description of Request: (Please provide a written description of the request, along with details of the Tax Parcel ID(s) of the relevant parcels to which the amendment request relates. If you are requesting a text amendment to the Comprehensive Plan, please also clearly explain which Chapters of the Comprehensive Plan your request relates)

Attached to this application is the original letter request for a Future Land Use Map amendment dated May 21, 2021 (seeking to change the 2045 Future Land Use Map designation for the rear portion of the property from Low Density to a Developing Area). The Office of State Planning Coordination considered this request at its meeting on June 23, 2021 and urged the County and property owner to consider an ironic change for the designation of the rear portion of this property on the 2045 Future Land Use Map from Low Density to Existing Development Area. This revised (supplemental) application is being filed at the urging of the Office of State Planning Coordination.

Attachments:

- (1) May 21, 2021 Letter Application
- (2) July 6, 2021 Site Plan
- (3) July 14, 2021 PLUS Letter

Check List for Comprehensive Plan Amendment Request Applications

The following shall be submitted with any request

Completed Application			
A scaled survey drawing is appen location of all parcels to which the	nded to this Application that clearly shows the ne amendment request relates.		
The Applicant understands that Sussex County Council may submit a copy of this application, along with copies of all documents received, to the State of Delaware Office of Management and Budget for the purposes of any enabling the State of Delaware to review the requested revision.			
The undersigned hereby certifies that the form or plans submitted as a part of this application	ms, exhibits, and statements contained in any papers n are true and correct.		
Signature of Applicant/Attorney			
For office use only: Date Submitted: Staff member receiving Application:	Application & Case #:		
Location of property:			
Date of Council Hearing:	Recommendation:		



David C. Hutt 302.856.0018 dhutt@morrisjames.com

May 21, 2021

Via: Email (jamie.whitehouse@sussexcountyde.gov)

Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning Office 2 The Circle, P.O. Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

RE:

2045 Future Land Use Map Amendment Request

Current: Mixed Existing Development Area and Low Density Area

Proposed: Developing Area

Sussex County Tax Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 (the "Property")

Dear Jamie,

This firm represents, Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, the contract purchasers of the above-referenced Property which fronts on Harbeson Road (Route 5) just south of its intersection with the Lewes-Georgetown Highway (Routes 9/404). The property consists of approximately 4.5 acres and is presently improved with a residential building and several outbuildings.

On Sussex County's Comprehensive Zoning Map, the Property is presently split-zoned with the first two hundred feet (200') being located within the Medium Density Residential District (MR District) and the balance of the Property being located within the Agricultural Residential District (AR-1 District). The 2045 Future Land Use Map found within Chapter 4 of the 2019 Sussex County Comprehensive Plan follows the split-zoning of the Property with the first two hundred feet (200') being shown within an Existing Development Area and the balance of the property being located within a Low Density Area.

This request to modify the Future Land Use Map is being filed in concert with a request to change the zoning classification of the AR-1 District portion of the Property to the MR District to match the front of the property and eliminate the split-zoning so that the property would have one homogenous zoning classification.

The specific request for the Future Land Use Map amendment is to change the designation of the Low Density Area portion within the Property to a Developing Area. Alternatively, the request is to modify the Future Land Use Map so that the entirety of the property—both the Existing Development Area and the Low Density Area are changed to a Developing Area. Ideally,

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when a property has two (2) different Future Land Use classifications the change would result in the property having a single future land use classification. However, the Property cannot match the Existing Development Area on the Future Land Use Map as the Comprehensive Plan refers to these areas as consisting primarily of General Residential and Medium Density Residential scattered throughout the County. In short, the name of the "Existing" Development Area as well as its description within Chapter 4 of the Comprehensive Plan makes it clear that the County is not seeking to add additional lands into this Future Land Use Map classification. As new Existing Development Area is not being created, my client's request is that the Property be changed from a Low Density Area and Existing Development Area to a Developing Area on the Future Land Use Map.

This change would be consistent with the general nature and trend of growth in this area. The Harbeson area continues to develop with a number of residential communities (Meadows of Beaver Creek, Trails of Beaver Creek and Beaver Dam Estates) along with a number of commercially zoned parcels (C-1, General Commercial; CR-1, Commercial Residential District; and recently a rezoning of more than thirty (30) acres to C-2, Medium Commercial). In addition, the southern boundary of this property is adjacent to lands that are zoned HI-1 (Heavy Industrial), which is the Allen Harim facility.

The designations of these varied zoning classifications and uses is also reflected on the 2045 Future Land Use Map. As mentioned previously, part of this property is already in one of the County's Growth Areas and the Property is adjacent to an Industrial Area which is another of the County's Growth Areas. In addition, the entirety of the frontage, not only of this Property but all Harbeson properties along Route 5, are part of the Existing Development Area—the same Growth Area as the front portion of this Property. Finally, several properties along Route 9 are within the Commercial Area, another of the County's Growth Areas.

As indicated by the number of varied zoning classifications as well as the number of businesses and residential communities within close proximity to this intersection, this area is a vibrant and growing area within Sussex County. In addition, in the Fall of 2019, DelDOT completed the HSIP SC Project at the intersection of Route 5 and Route 9 which provided turn lanes and addressed operational issues at this intersection.

While Harbeson is not one of the County's incorporated municipalities, because of the significance of Route 5 and Route 9 to the County, this intersection functions in many respects like a municipal area as it has commercial and residential uses along both of these two major roadways. As you would anticipate, public water and sewer are available in this area and this request is consistent with the character of the area.



Jamie Whitehouse May 21, 2021 Page 3

This requested amendment of the Future Land Use Map is necessary to eliminate the current split-designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. The requested amendment is also consistent with the character and intensity of the uses in this area and will not have an adverse effect on adjacent properties.

Please include this letter with the County's submission to the Office of State Planning Coordination seeking to amend the designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. In addition, please let me know if I can provide you with any further information to assist in this process.

Very Truly Yours,

MORRIS JAMES LLP

David C. Hutt, Esquire

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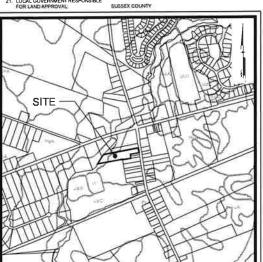
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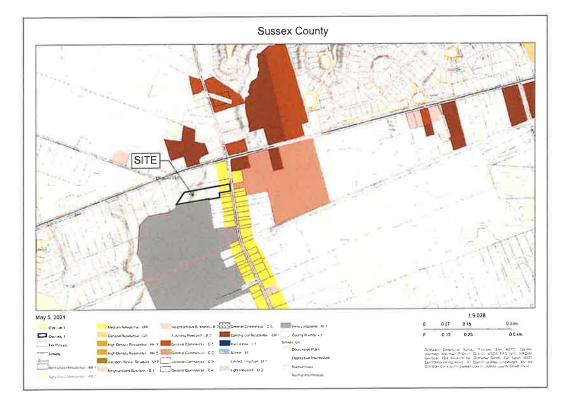
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> PREPARED FOR: OWNER/DEVELOPER

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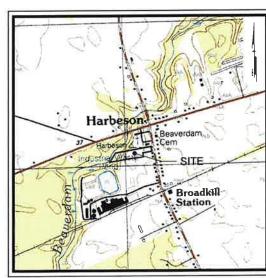
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- DEVIATION FROM THESE PLANS AND NOTES WITHOUT THE PRIOR CONSENT OF THE OWNER OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE OR THE ENGINEER MAY BE CAUSE FOR THE WORK TO BE REJECTED.
- 4. ALL MATERIALS SHALL BE NEW AND SHALL BE ASBESTOS AND VERMICULITE FREE.
- 5. THE SUSSEX CONSERVATION DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACC, CELETE, OR MODIFY ANY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES AS THEY DEEM NECESSARY.
- 6 ALL DISTURBED AREAS WITHIN THE RIGHT-OF-WAY, BUT NOT IN PAVEMENT, SHALL BE TOP-SOILED (5" MINIMUM), FERTILIZED AND SECOED.

- 12. THE SUBJECT SITE WILL BE CONSTRUCTED AS ONE PHASE,
- 13. TOTAL AREA FOR SUBJECT SITE IS 4 54 ACRES.
- 15. BUILDING LIGHTING TO BE PROVIDED WITH BUILDING PLANS, NO PARKING LOT LIGHTS ARE PROPOSED
- 15. ALL SITE LIGHTING SHALL BE DOWNWARD SCREENED SO THAT IT DOES NOT SHINE ON NEIGHBORINO PROPERTIES OR ROADWAYS,
- 17. WETLANDS ARE LOCATED ON SITE AND HAVE BEEN DELINEATED BY KENNETH W. REDINGER, PROFESSIONAL WETLANDS SCIENTIST #2126, ND WETLANDS ARE IMPACTED UNDER THIS PROPOSED PLAN.

- 20. FIRE ALARM REQUIREO THE FIRE ALARM SIGNALING SYSTEM SHALL BE AUTOMATIC, SUPERVISED OFF-SITE AND SHALL CONSIST OF FULL COVERAGE BY SMOKE DETECTION AND ALARM NOTIFICATION, WHERE SMOKE DETECTION DEVICES WILL NOT FUNCTION BY REASON OF DEVICE UNITATION. HEAT OF TECTION SHALL BE PROVIDED IN THOSE SPECIFIC LOCATIONS FIRE ALARM SIGNALING SYSTEM PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW.
- 21. MISS UTILITY SHALL BE NOTIFIED THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO EXCAVATION
- 22. MAINTENANCE OF THE STREETS WITHIN THE SITE WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE DEVELOPER AND/OR PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN THE SITE. THE STATE AND COUNTY ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FUTURE MAINTENANCE OF THESE STREETS.
- 24. WATER FOR THIS SITE WILL BE PROVIDED BY ARTESIAN.
- 25 THE HEIGHT, LOCATION, AND MATERIAL OF ALL FENCES, WALLS, SCREEN PLANTING AND LANDSCAPING WILL BE SHOWN ON THE FINAL SITE PLAN.
- 27. ANY PROPOSED SIGN DETAILS WILL BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY.



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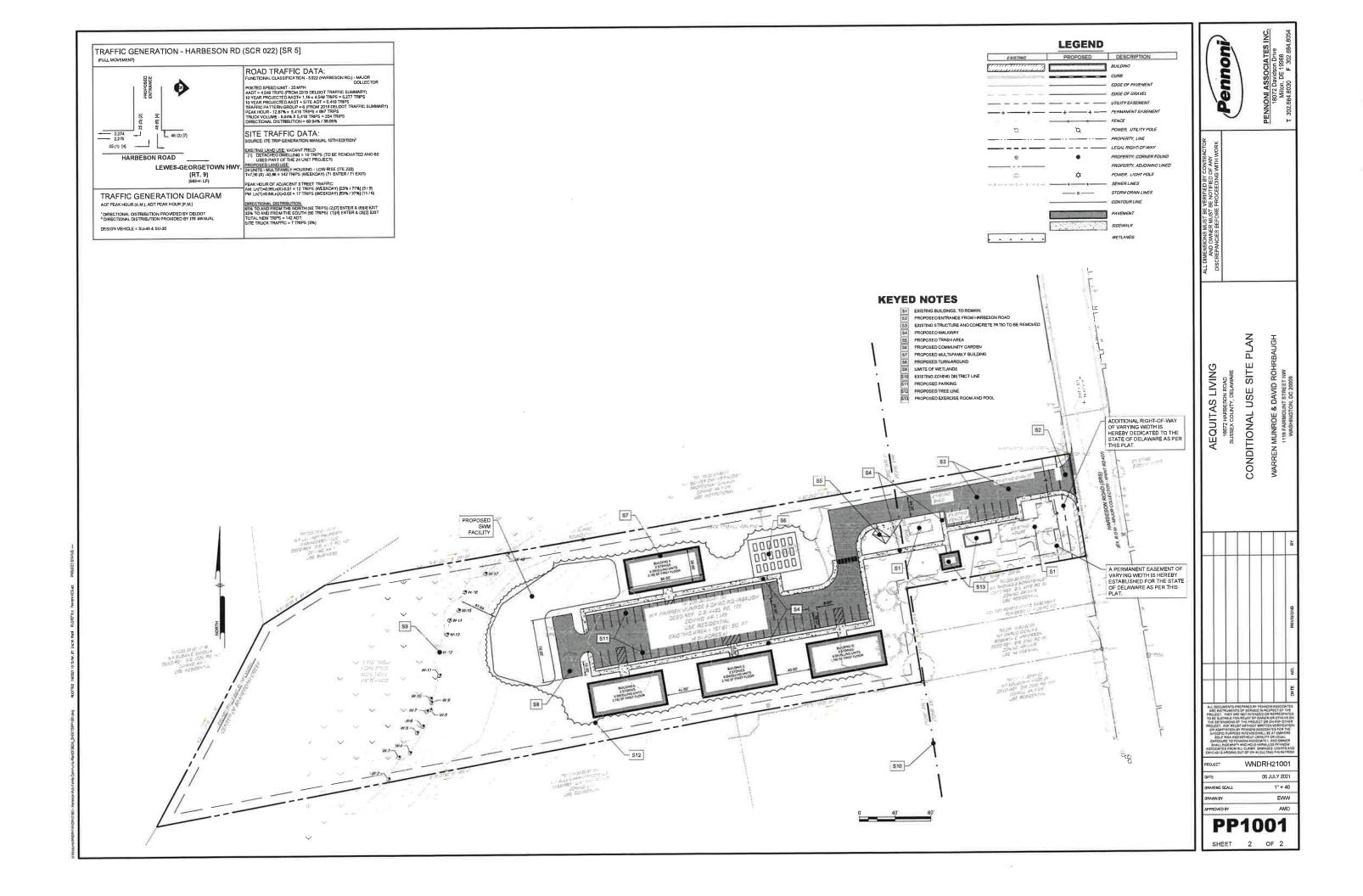
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STATE OF DELAWARE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING COORDINATION

July 14, 2021

Jamie Whitehouse, AICP
Director, Department of Planning & Zoning
Sussex County
2 The Circle
P.O. Box 417
Georgetown, DE 19947

RE: PLUS review 2021-06-14; Sussex County Comprehensive Plan Amendment

Dear Mr. Whitehouse:

Thank you for meeting with State agency planners on June 23, 2021 to discuss the proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendment for Sussex County. This proposed amendment would change the Future Land Use Map for one parcel from the Low Density Area to the Devcloping Area.

Please note that additional changes to the plan could result in additional comments from the State. Additionally, the comments below reflect only issues that are the responsibility of the agencies that were represented at the meeting.

Office of State Planning Coordination - Contact Dorothy Morris 739-3090

Several parcels along Harbeson Road are partially within the Existing Developing Area and partially in the Low Density area. The County has received a request to change parcel 235-30.00-94.00 from Low density and Existing Development Area to Developing area.

The Developing areas are identified by the Sussex County Comp Plans as newer, emerging growth areas that demonstrate the characteristics of developmental pressures. Most of the proposed Developing Areas are adjacent to municipalities, within or adjacent to potential future annexation areas of a municipality, or adjacent to Town Centers. This parcel does not appear to meet the definition of a Developing area due to its location away from municipalities and services. Therefore, the State must cannot support this amendment.

With that said, we would urge the owner and the county to consider identifying the entire parcel as Existing Development Area which are identified as areas that consists primarily of existing

122 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. South – Haslet Armory · Third Floor · Dover, DE 19901 Phone (302)739-3090 · Fax (302) 739-5661 · www. stateplanning.delaware.gov residential development under the current General Residential and Medium Density Residential zoning districts, as well as some commercial uses.

Please note that supporting an amondment to include the entire parcel within the Existing Development Area does not indicate support for future development of this area. This area is within a Level 4 area according to the 2020 Strategies for State Policies and Spending; therefore we may not support future growth on this property. Any future development of these properties should be reviewed through PLUS for state comments.

Department of Transportation - Contact Bill Brockenbrough 760-2109

• This amendment would facilitate a development for which a Service Level Evaluation Request was submitted in March 2021. A copy of DelDOT's response to that Request is attached.

Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control - Beth Krumrine 735-3480

- DNREC reviewers are not in support of this change as increasing development intensity on this parcel is inconsistent with the Delaware Strategies for State Policies and Spending. This parcel lies within an area designated as Level 4 by the Delaware Strategics for State Policies and Spending and significant environmental features exist on this site.
- Freshwater wetlands exist along the western edge of this parcel. The western portion of the parcel also lies within the Delaware Ecological Network. This network is made up of interconnecting natural areas of significant ecological value. Forest disturbances in these areas will jeopardize habitat on the parcel and possibly beyond the parcel's boundary.
- The entire parcel lies within a Wellhead Protection Area. Wellhead Protection Areas are the surface and subsurface areas surrounding a water well, or a public water supply wellfield. Contaminants leaching into the soil have the potential to reach the water supplies in these areas.
- The following plants or animals are listed as State of Delaware rare, threatened, or endangered species, which have been documented within the project area:

The Mulberry Wing (*Poanes Massasoit massasoit*) is an invertebrate listed under State Rank S1, State Status E, and SGCN Tier 1.

Please visit the following website for definitions on the specified State Rank, State
Status, and SGCN Ranking:
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March 18, 2021

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SECTION 2. COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT OR MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE DESCRIPTION

Please describe the submission.			

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Exhibit A : Potential Comprehensive Plan Amendment



Sussex County







David C. Hutt 302.856.0018 dhutt@morrisjames.com

May 21, 2021

Via: Email (jamie.whitehouse@sussexcountyde.gov)

Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning Office 2 The Circle, P.O. Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

RE: 2045 Future Land Use Map Amendment Request

Current: Mixed Existing Development Area and Low Density Area

Proposed: Developing Area

Sussex County Tax Parcel No. 235-30.00-94.00 (the "Property")

Dear Jamie,

This firm represents, Warren Munroe and David Rohrbaugh, the contract purchasers of the above-referenced Property which fronts on Harbeson Road (Route 5) just south of its intersection with the Lewes-Georgetown Highway (Routes 9/404). The property consists of approximately 4.5 acres and is presently improved with a residential building and several outbuildings.

On Sussex County's Comprehensive Zoning Map, the Property is presently split-zoned with the first two hundred feet (200') being located within the Medium Density Residential District (MR District) and the balance of the Property being located within the Agricultural Residential District (AR-1 District). The 2045 Future Land Use Map found within Chapter 4 of the 2019 Sussex County Comprehensive Plan follows the split-zoning of the Property with the first two hundred feet (200') being shown within an Existing Development Area and the balance of the property being located within a Low Density Area.

This request to modify the Future Land Use Map is being filed in concert with a request to change the zoning classification of the AR-1 District portion of the Property to the MR District to match the front of the property and eliminate the split-zoning so that the property would have one homogenous zoning classification.

The specific request for the Future Land Use Map amendment is to change the designation of the Low Density Area portion within the Property to a Developing Area. Alternatively, the request is to modify the Future Land Use Map so that the entirety of the property—both the Existing Development Area and the Low Density Area are changed to a Developing Area. Ideally,

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when a property has two (2) different Future Land Use classifications the change would result in the property having a single future land use classification. However, the Property cannot match the Existing Development Area on the Future Land Use Map as the Comprehensive Plan refers to these areas as consisting primarily of General Residential and Medium Density Residential scattered throughout the County. In short, the name of the "Existing" Development Area as well as its description within Chapter 4 of the Comprehensive Plan makes it clear that the County is not seeking to add additional lands into this Future Land Use Map classification. As new Existing Development Area is not being created, my client's request is that the Property be changed from a Low Density Area and Existing Development Area to a Developing Area on the Future Land Use Map.

This change would be consistent with the general nature and trend of growth in this area. The Harbeson area continues to develop with a number of residential communities (Meadows of Beaver Creek, Trails of Beaver Creek and Beaver Dam Estates) along with a number of commercially zoned parcels (C-1, General Commercial; CR-1, Commercial Residential District; and recently a rezoning of more than thirty (30) acres to C-2, Medium Commercial). In addition, the southern boundary of this property is adjacent to lands that are zoned HI-1 (Heavy Industrial), which is the Allen Harim facility.

The designations of these varied zoning classifications and uses is also reflected on the 2045 Future Land Use Map. As mentioned previously, part of this property is already in one of the County's Growth Areas and the Property is adjacent to an Industrial Area which is another of the County's Growth Areas. In addition, the entirety of the frontage, not only of this Property but all Harbeson properties along Route 5, are part of the Existing Development Area—the same Growth Area as the front portion of this Property. Finally, several properties along Route 9 are within the Commercial Area, another of the County's Growth Areas.

As indicated by the number of varied zoning classifications as well as the number of businesses and residential communities within close proximity to this intersection, this area is a vibrant and growing area within Sussex County. In addition, in the Fall of 2019, DelDOT completed the HSIP SC Project at the intersection of Route 5 and Route 9 which provided turn lanes and addressed operational issues at this intersection.

While Harbeson is not one of the County's incorporated municipalities, because of the significance of Route 5 and Route 9 to the County, this intersection functions in many respects like a municipal area as it has commercial and residential uses along both of these two major roadways. As you would anticipate, public water and sewer are available in this area and this request is consistent with the character of the area.

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This requested amendment of the Future Land Use Map is necessary to eliminate the current split-designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. The requested amendment is also consistent with the character and intensity of the uses in this area and will not have an adverse effect on adjacent properties.

Please include this letter with the County's submission to the Office of State Planning Coordination seeking to amend the designation of this Property on the Future Land Use Map. In addition, please let me know if I can provide you with any further information to assist in this process.

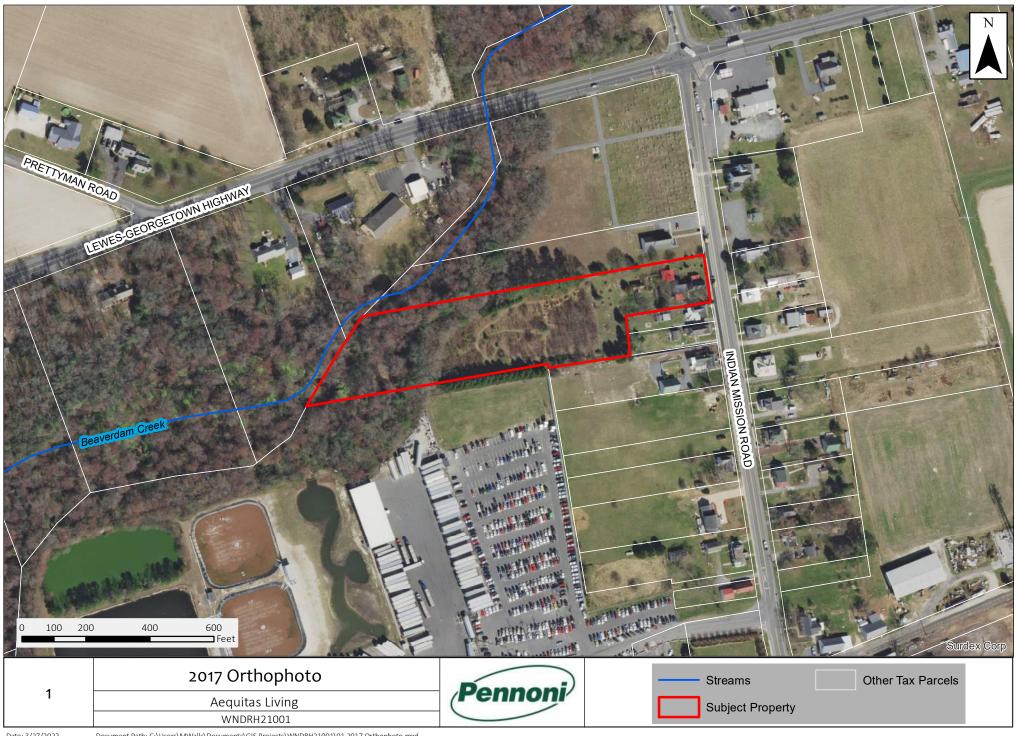
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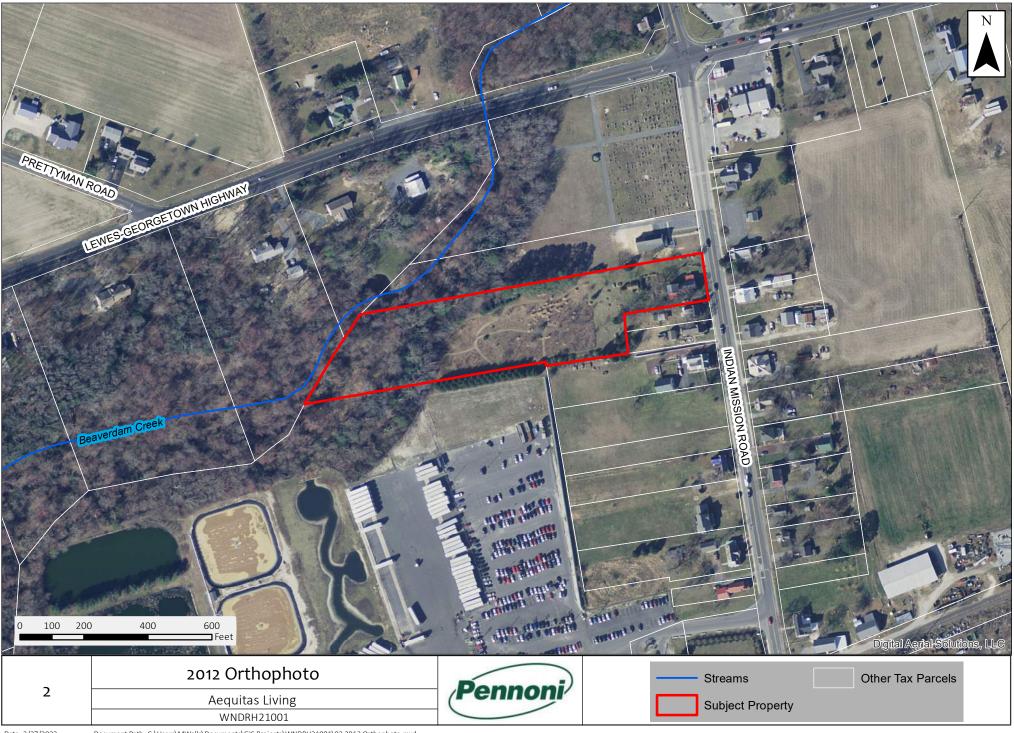
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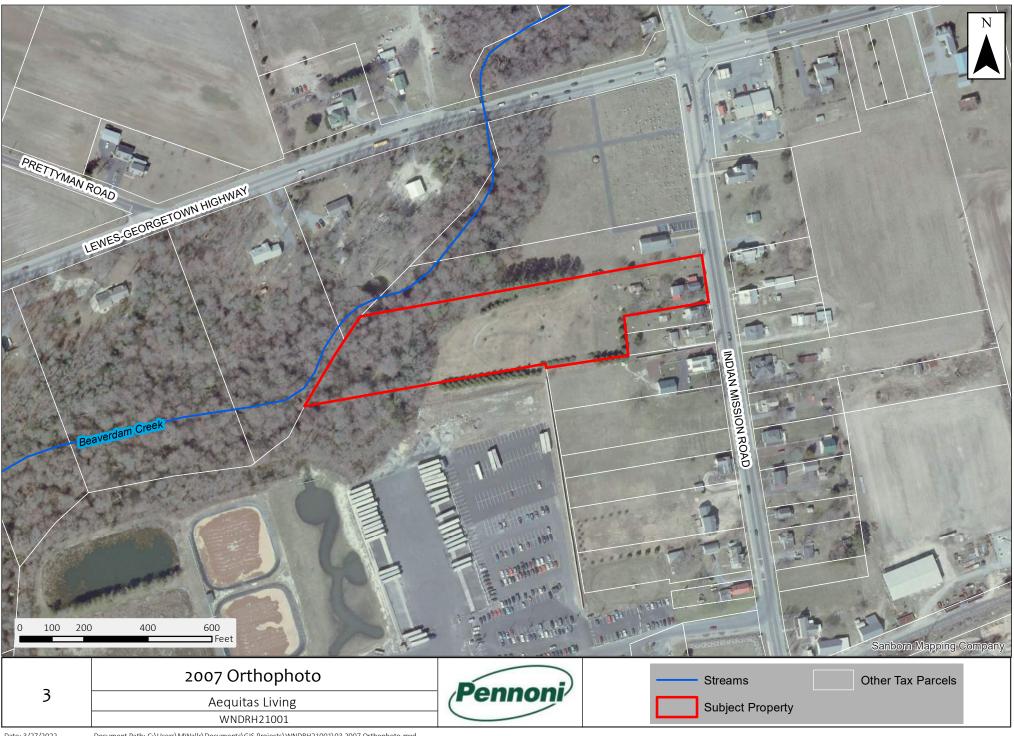
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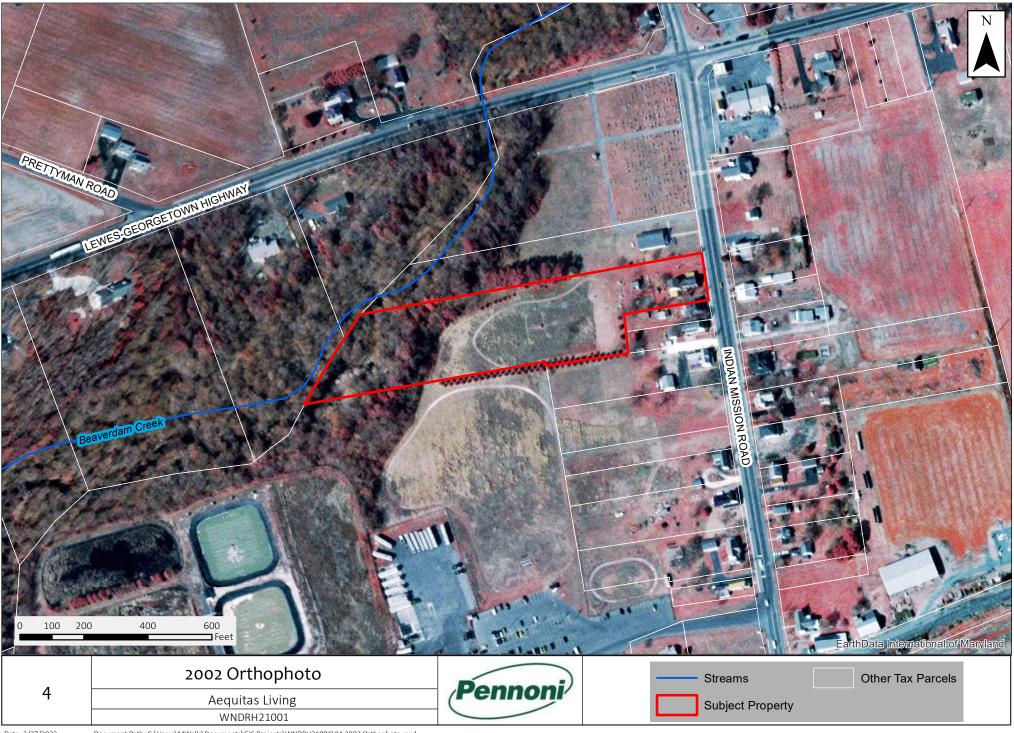
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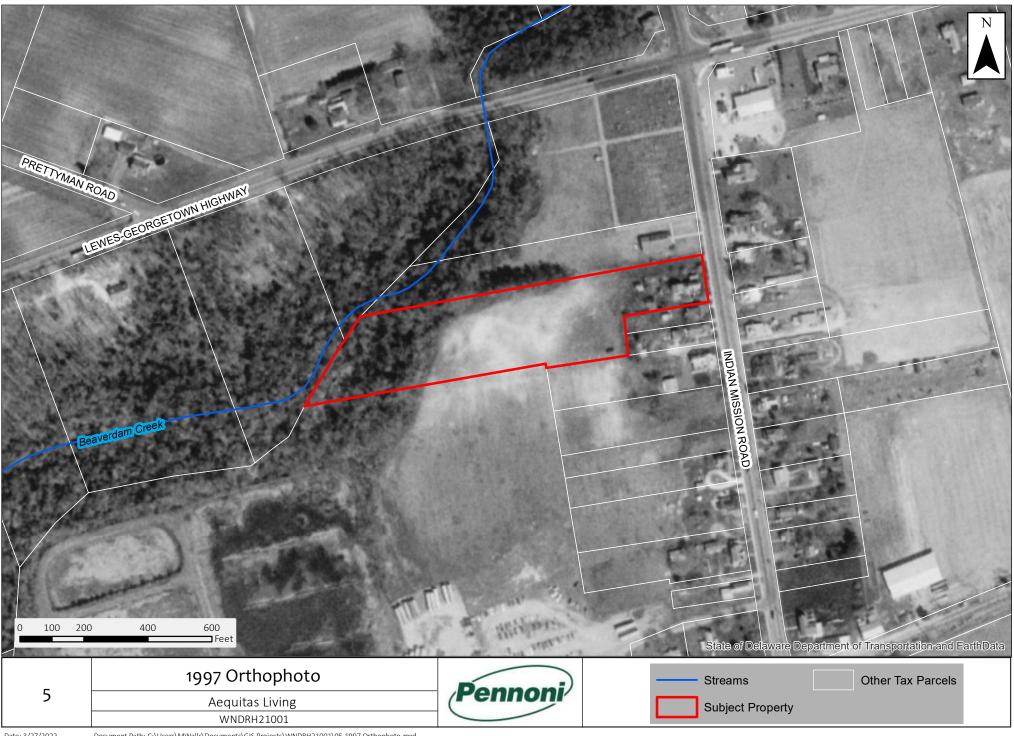
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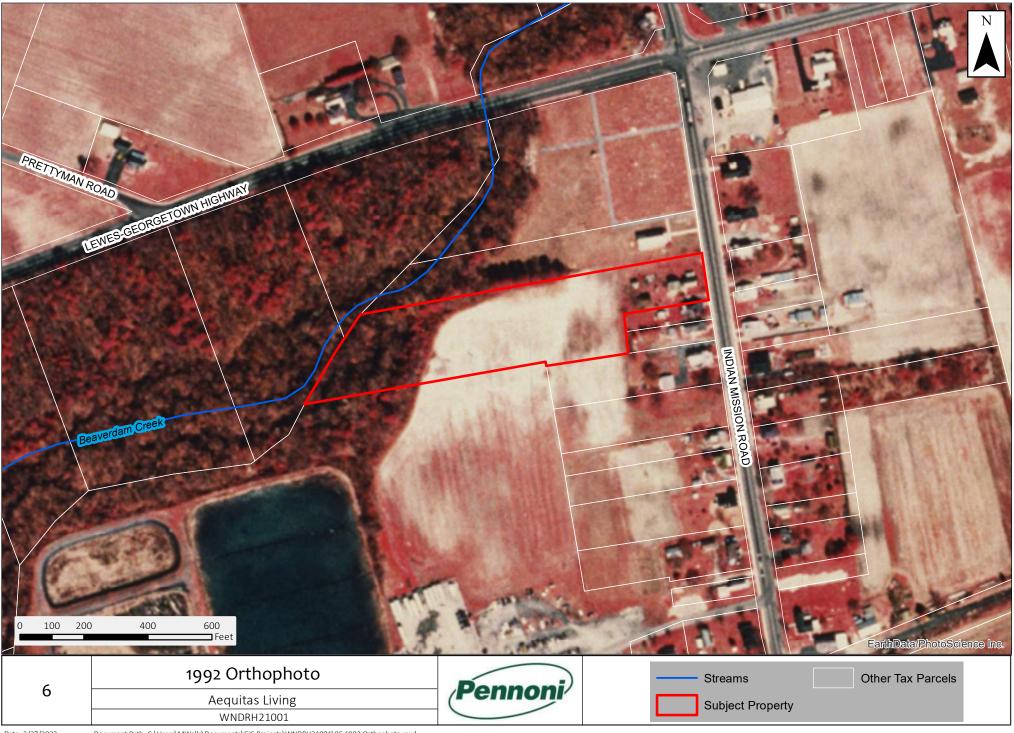


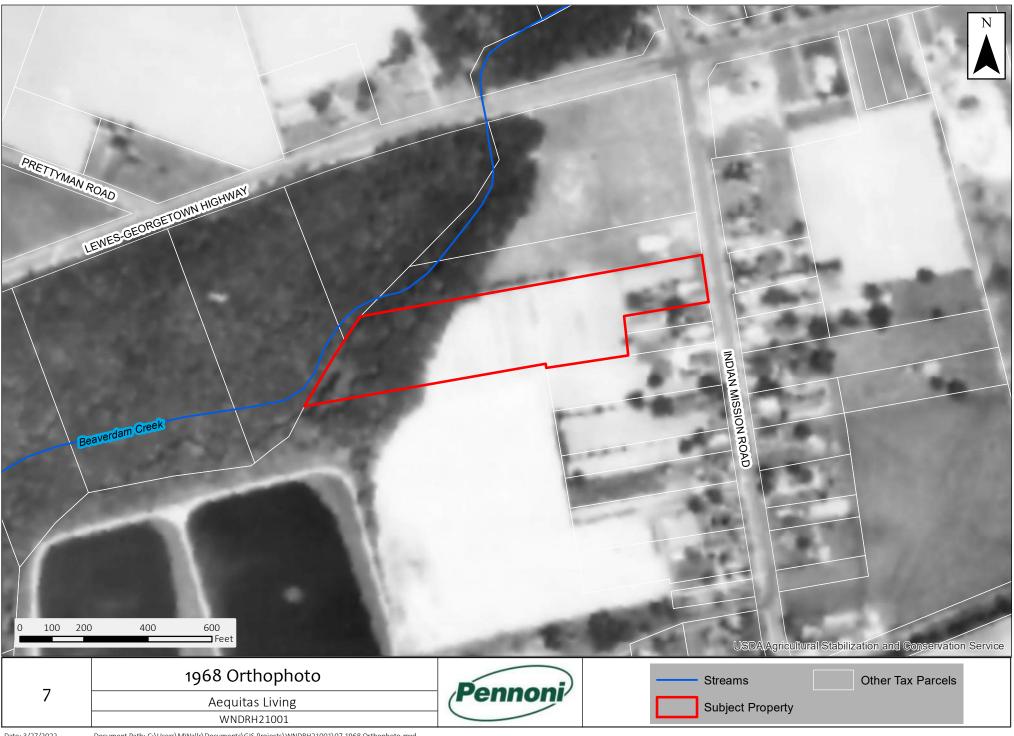


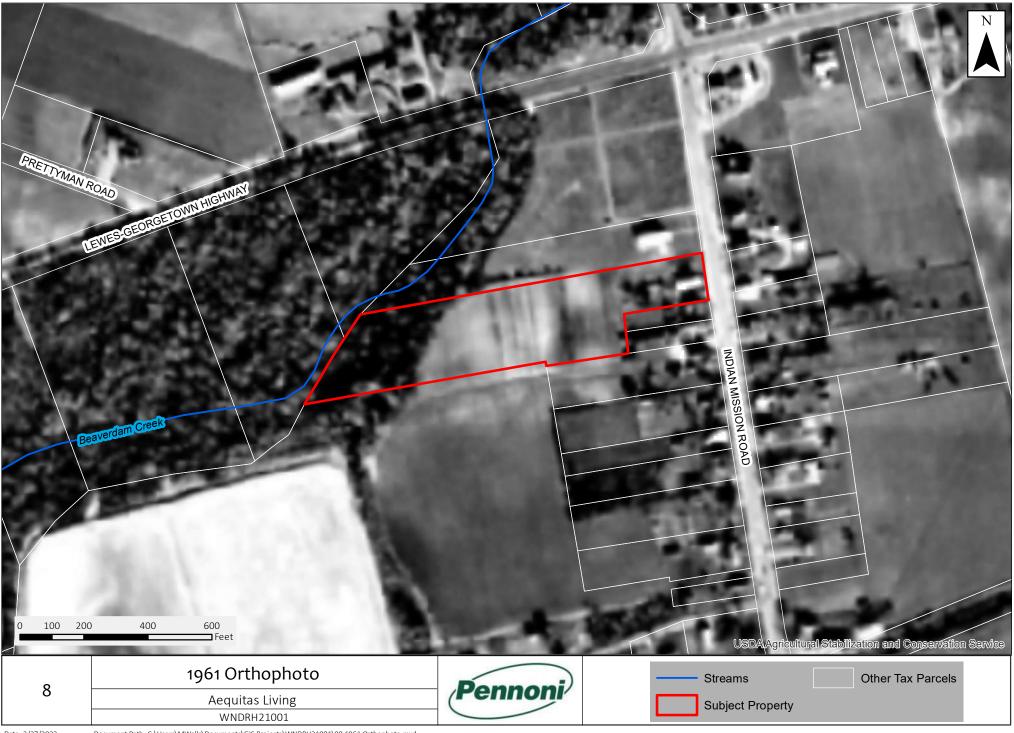


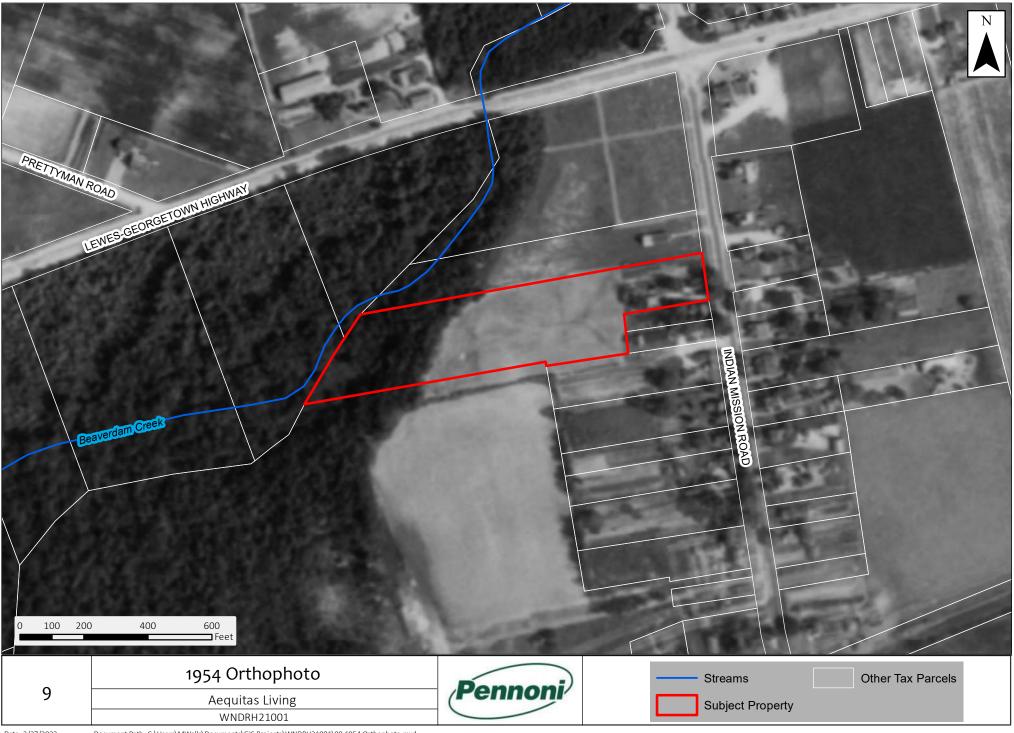


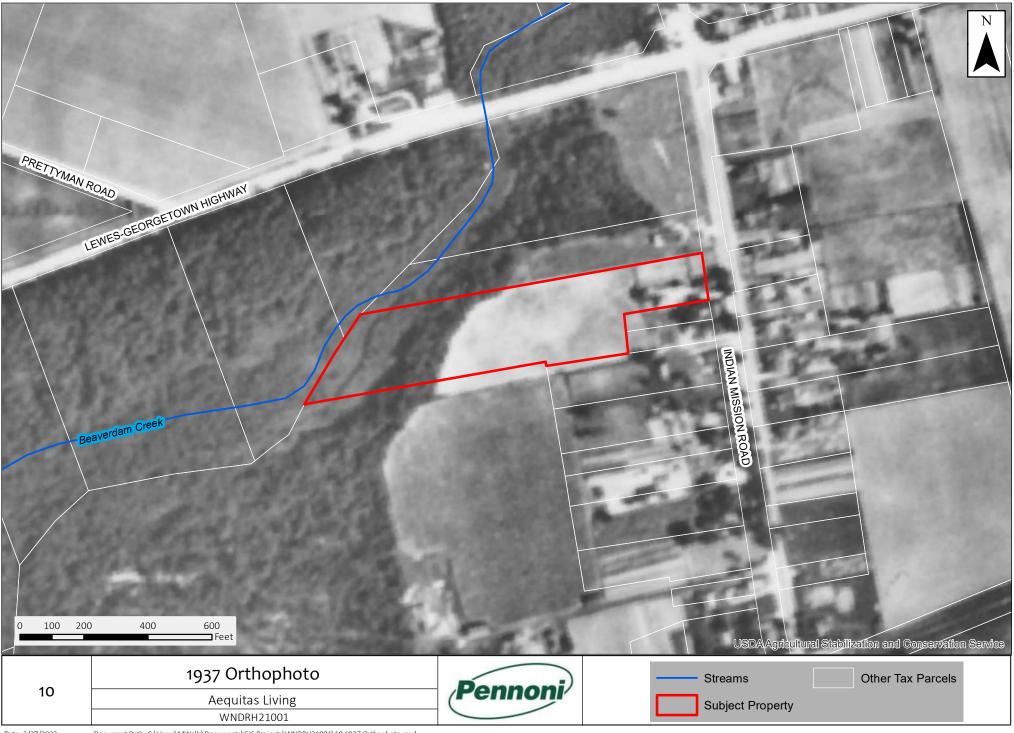


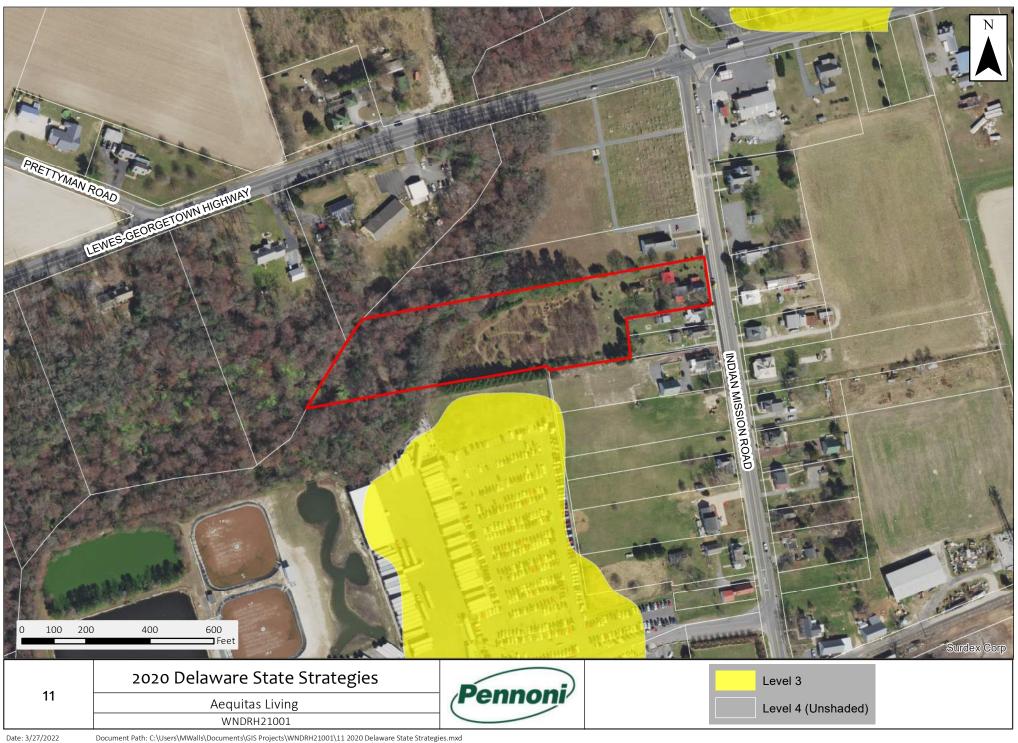


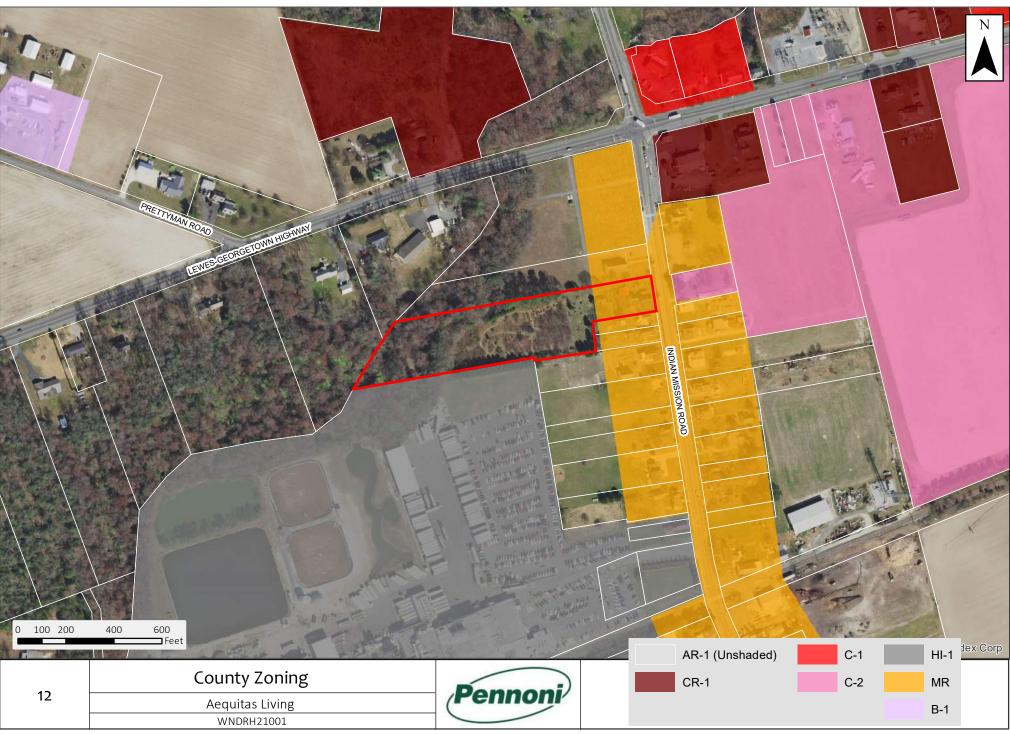


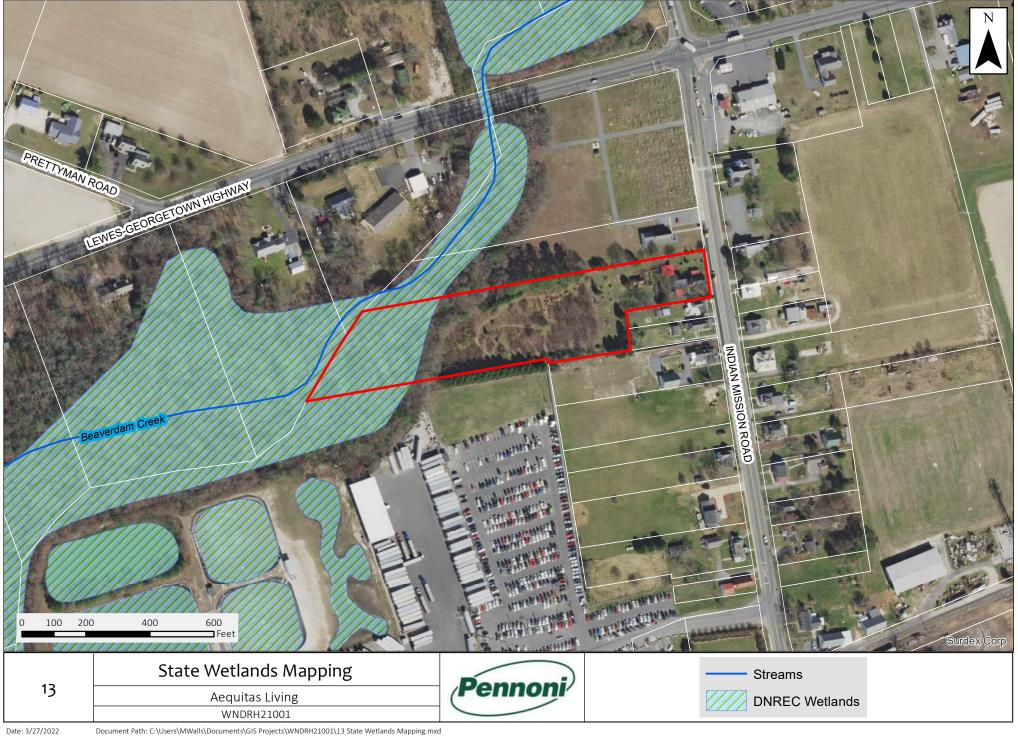


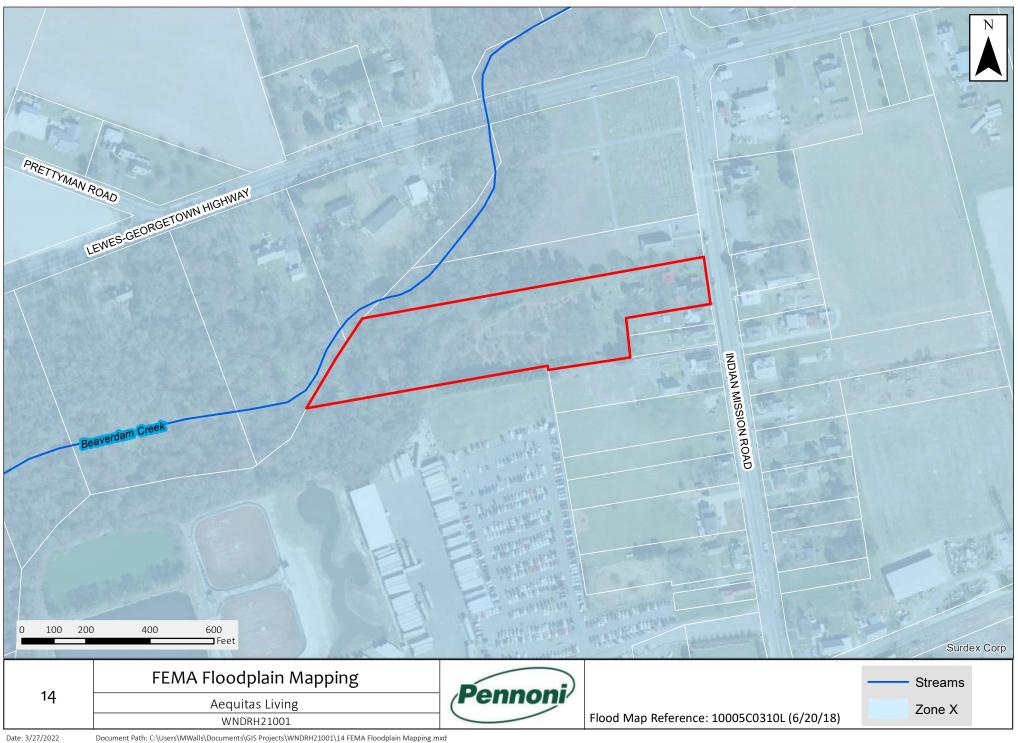


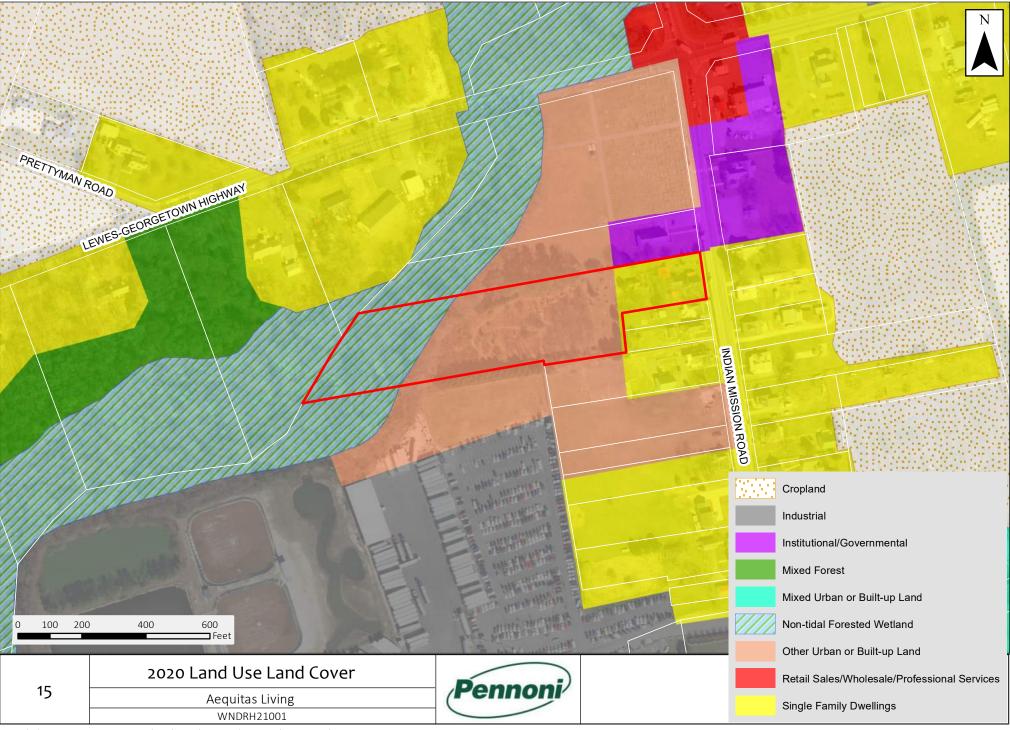


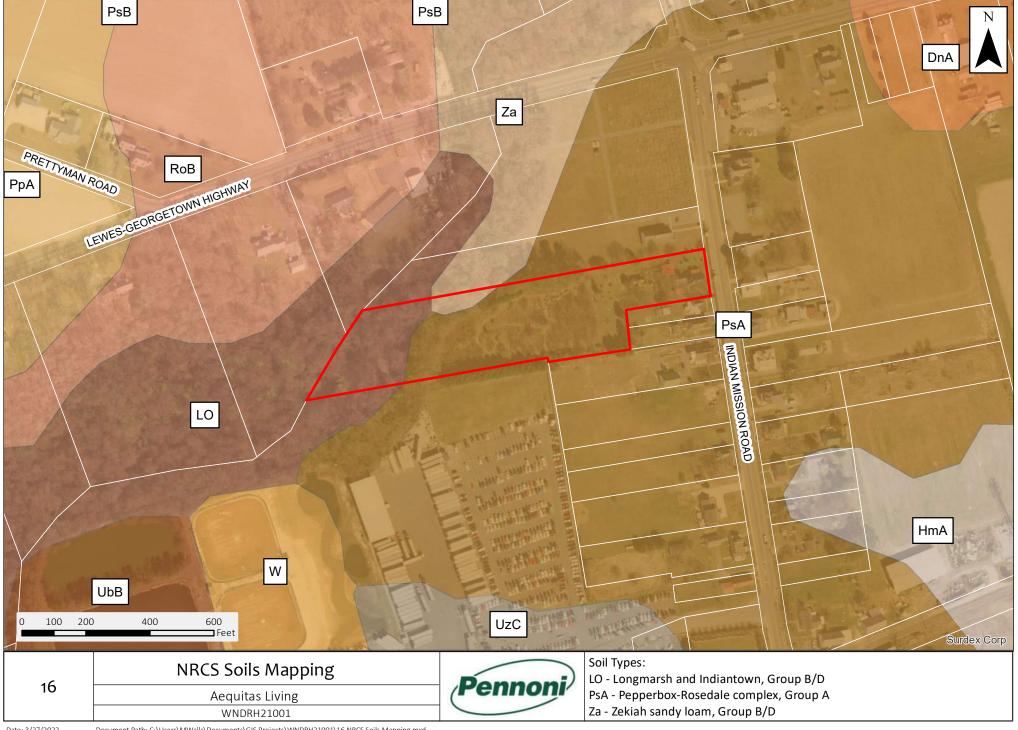


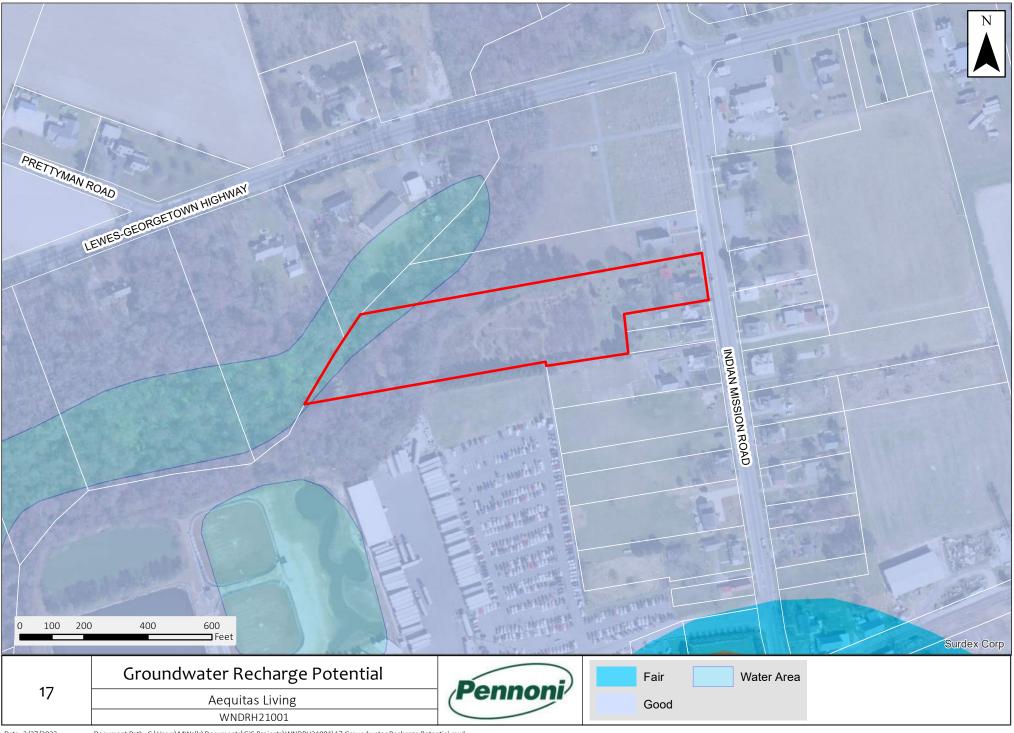


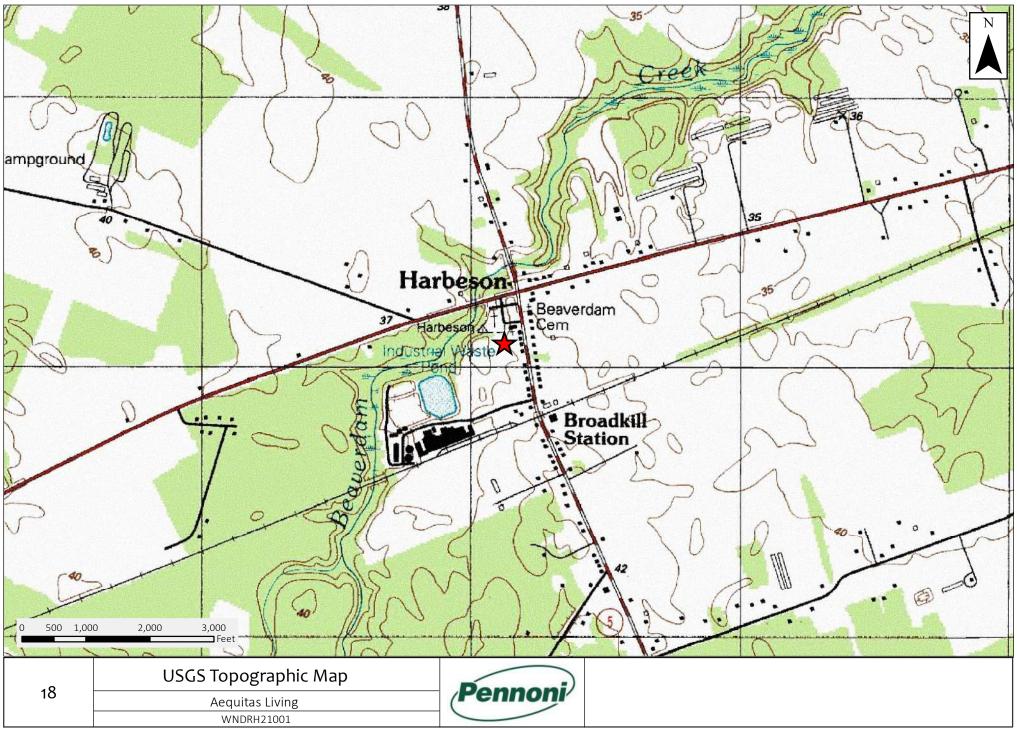


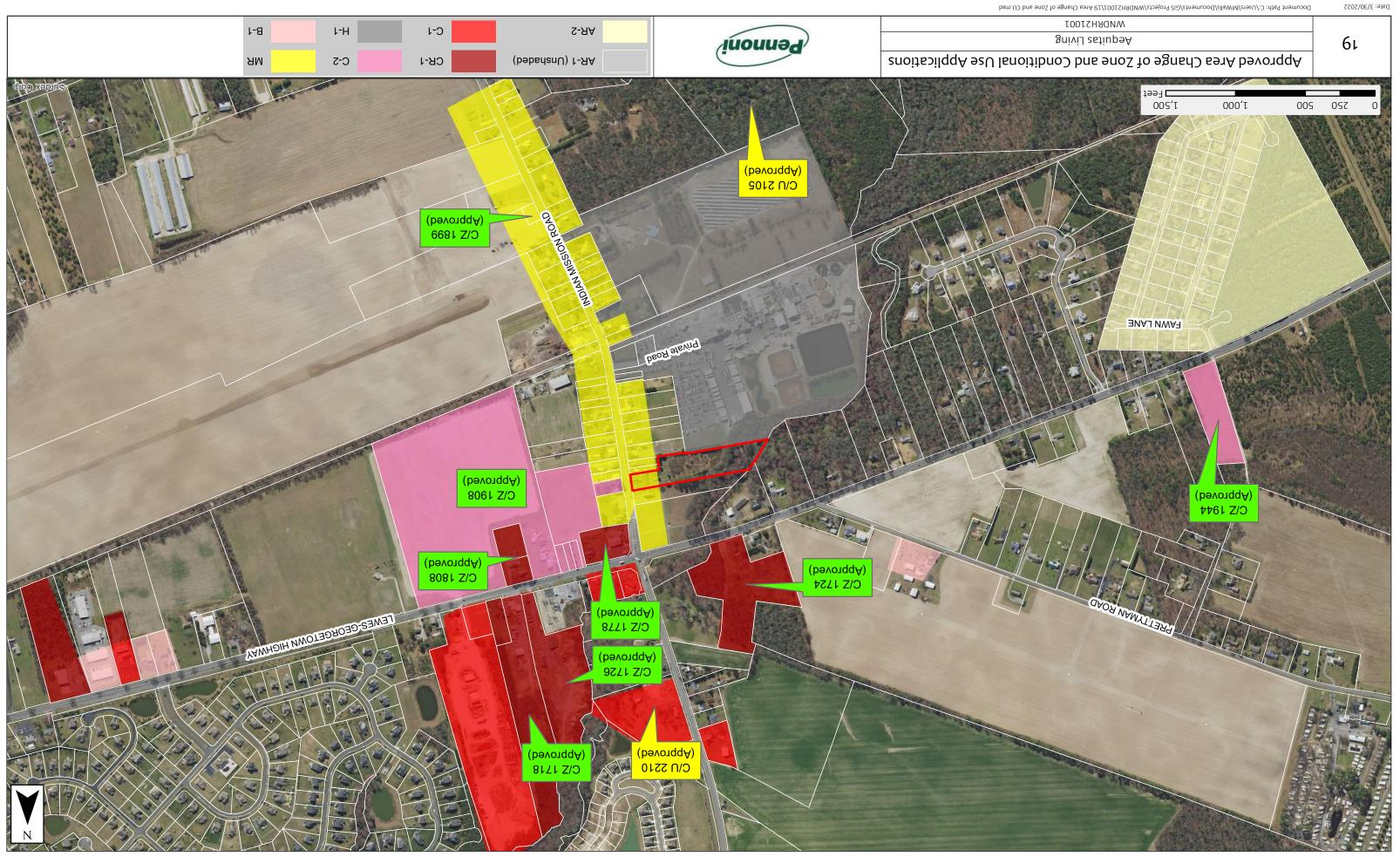


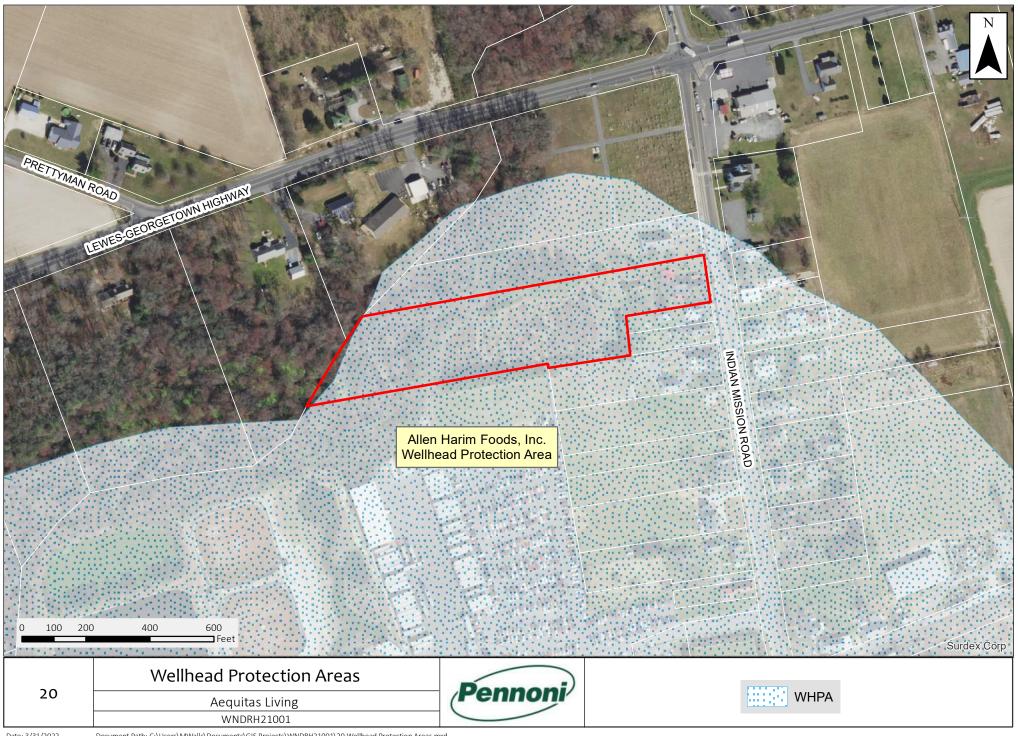














STATE OF DELAWARE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF STATE PLANNING COORDINATION

July 14, 2021

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Director, Department of Planning & Zoning
Sussex County
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P.O. Box 417
Georgetown, DE 19947

RE: PLUS review 2021-06-14; Sussex County Comprehensive Plan Amendment

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Please note that additional changes to the plan could result in additional comments from the State. Additionally, the comments below reflect only issues that are the responsibility of the agencies that were represented at the meeting.

Office of State Planning Coordination – Contact Dorothy Morris 739-3090

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With that said, we would urge the owner and the county to consider identifying the entire parcel as Existing Development Area which are identified as areas that consists primarily of existing

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Department of Transportation - Contact Bill Brockenbrough 760-2109

• This amendment would facilitate a development for which a Service Level Evaluation Request was submitted in March 2021. A copy of DelDOT's response to that Request is attached.

Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control - Beth Krumrine 735-3480

- DNREC reviewers are not in support of this change as increasing development intensity on this parcel is inconsistent with the Delaware Strategies for State Policies and Spending. This parcel lies within an area designated as Level 4 by the Delaware Strategies for State Policies and Spending and significant environmental features exist on this site.
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Contact: Becky Burton – Secretary

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27001 Redan Terrace Milton, Delaware 19968

April 5, 2022

Jamie Whitehouse, Director Sussex County Planning & Zoning Office 2 The Circle, PO Box 417 Georgetown, DE 19947

Dear Mr. Whitehouse,

I have been made aware of the proposed development of the property at 18672 Harbeson Road, Harbeson, Delaware. As President of the Harbeson Cemetery Board, charged with maintaining the cemetery adjacent to this property and managing its affairs, I would like to share that the consensus of the board is to oppose the rezoning and development of this property for the following reasons:

- It is certainly out of character with the existing neighborhood and cemetery of which those who
 chose to be interred there had considered when deciding upon this location as their final
 resting place.
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- Disruption of the freshwater wetlands that exist directly west of the property are a concern as the natural ground cover to pavement ratio will be greatly decreased causing more run- off.
- The contaminants of surface and subsurface water are a concern, as Harbeson is not on a public water system, but instead has independent wells.

Hopefully the Planning and Zoning board members can understand our position and appreciate our efforts to perpetuate the sanctity and dignity of this sacred plot for internment.

Sincerely,

Dean Sherman

Harbeson Cemetery Committee, President

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