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| 10 | SITE PLAN | & ARB REVIEW |
| 11 | | Date: July 5, 2007 |
| | | Time: 7:00 p.m. |
| 12 | | Place: Town of Newburgh |
| 12 | | Town Hall |
| 13 | | 1496 Route 300 |
| 14 | | Newburgh, NY 12550 |
| 14 | BOARD MEMBERS | JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman |
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| 16 | | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| 10 | | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
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| | ALSO PRESENT: | DINA HAINES |
| 19 | | MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. |
| | | BRYANT COCKS |
| 20 | | PATRICK HINES |
| • | | KAREN ARENT |
| 21 | | KENNETH WERSTED |
| 22 | | ESENTATIVE: ANTHONY COPPOLA & JAMES RAAB |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Good evening |
| 3 | everyone. I would like to welcome you to the |
| 4 | Town of Newburgh Planning Board meeting of |
| 5 | July 5th. |
| 6 | At this time I'll call the meeting to |
| 7 | order with a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| 8 | Galli. |
| 9 | MR. GALLI: Present. |
| 10 | MR. BROWNE: Present. |
| 11 | MR. MENNERICH: Present. |
| 12 | MR. O'DONNELL: Here. |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself present. |
| 14 | The Town of Newburgh Planning Board is |
| 15 | represented by experts who make recommendations |
| 16 | on various SEQRA determinations. I'll ask that |
| 17 | they introduce themselves at this time. |
| 18 | MR. DONNELLY: Mike Donnelly, Planning |
| 19 | Board Attorney. |
| 20 | MR. HINES: Pat Hines with McGoey, |
| 21 | Hauser & Edsall, Consulting Engineers . |
| 22 | MR. COCKS: Bryant Cocks, Planning |
| 23 | Consultant, Garling Associates. |
| 24 | MS. ARENT: Karen Arent, Landscape |
| 25 | Architectural Consultant. |
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| 2 | MR. WERSTED: Ken Wersted, Creighton |
| 3 | Manning Engineering, Traffic Consultant. |
| 4 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. At this time |
| 5 | I would like to turn the meeting over to Ed |
| 6 | O'Donnell. |
| 7 | MR. DONNELLY: Please all join me in |
| 8 | saluting the flag of our country. |
| 9 | (Pledge of Allegiance.) |
| 10 | MR. O'DONNELL: This is a relatively |
| 11 | large audience. Please disconnect all electronic |
| 12 | devices whether they be pagers or telephones. |
| 13 | Thank you. |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The first item on |
| 15 | the agenda we have this evening is Trinity |
| 16 | Square. It's located on South Plank Road in a B |
| 17 | Zone. It's being represented by Anthony Coppola |
| 18 | and it's here tonight for both site plan and ARB |
| 19 | review. |
| 20 | MR. COPPOLA: Mr. Chairman, I can |
| 21 | certainly address the architectural review first. |
| 22 | We'll start with that. Actually, let me start |
| 23 | with the floor plan first. |
| 24 | What we're proposing is a single story |
| 25 | 11,300 square foot one-story retail building |
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| 2 | on Route 52 just before the Thruway overpass on |
| 3 | the right side or the north side of Route 52. |
| 4 | What we've done here is kind of taken a look at |
| 5 | the site and developed something that I think is |
| 6 | a little bit different than some of our other |
| 7 | locations in and around Newburgh. This location |
| 8 | to me feels different than some of the other |
| 9 | retail buildings we've done that are closer to |
| 10 | 300, closer to the intersection of 300 and 52. |
| 11 | Given the footprint of this building is 174 feet |
| 12 | by 62 feet deep, it was long and linear so right |
| 13 | off the bat we were thinking of something in |
| 14 | terms of the form that was more vertical, |
| 15 | something that would break up the horizontal |
| 16 | nature of this building which is very long and |
| 17 | kind of stretched out over the site. |
| 18 | Basically we came up with, in terms of |
| 19 | form, a series of turrets, four smaller ones and |
| 20 | then one large one on the corner which front on a |
| 21 | 45-degree angle. These break up this linear |
| 22 | length, the 174 foot length. We've stretched the |
| 23 | front wall of this so that there's a lot of glass |
| 24 | in the front, a lot of store front glass, the |
| 25 | upper glass, and raised the turrets so they're |
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| 2 | actually above the fascia line. They are going |
| 3 | to be basically kind of a prominent architectural |
| 4 | feature as you kind of see this going along the |
| 5 | highway, and also you're going to stop there. |
| 6 | Inside the building, that's going to be |
| 7 | divided up into probably a maximum of seven |
| 8 | retail spaces. It may be closer to three to five |
| 9 | but it would be a maximum of seven spaces. |
| 10 | Another thing that's a little bit |
| 11 | different about this building as opposed to some |
| 12 | other buildings we've helped to design is I think |
| 13 | we paid a lot more attention to what's happening |
| 14 | on the exterior here in terms of the sidewalk, |
| 15 | and also there's a large planted area to the east |
| 16 | side of the building here. So along this side |
| 17 | what we're going to propose, and that's shown on |
| 18 | this plan, the site plan, is basically a paved |
| 19 | a patio area that has pavers on it. This patio |
| 20 | area will be surrounded by a stonewall on three |
| 21 | sides. We had to kick this in a little bit |
| 22 | because there's an easement that runs through |
| 23 | this property, so we had to adjust that a slight |
| 24 | bit. There's going to be a stonewall and then |
| 25 | landscaping, as indicated on the site plan, |
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1 6 2 around that stonewall. 3 I think we decided instead of tables 4 we're going to have benches along the perimeter 5 of this and then maybe an ornamental fountain or some type of a focus that's going to be in the 6 7 center of this. This area we think will work off 8 of the retail spaces on that side of the building 9 hopefully. We've also paid attention going across the front of the building to do an extra 10 wide sidewalk. I think it's eight feet wide, 11 maybe ten feet wide in spots. There's benches, 12 13 planters and light posts which will accent that front. So I think it will be a little bit more 14 15 interesting than some of the other things we've developed. Those features are shown on the 16 17 colored plans that we submitted last month, 18 the paved area, the landscaping around that paved area, the stonewall, the benches, the site lights 19 20 and the planters in the front of the building. Then what we've done since we submitted 21 22 this is we've played around with kind of the 23 masting and the rendering. These two renderings 24 have not been submitted to the Planning Board but I'm bringing them tonight. The architectural 25

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| 2 | shown on the renderings is basically the same as |
| 3 | what we gave you last month but these renderings |
| 4 | help us a lot more with form, with color, with |
| 5 | materials. We've kind of tweaked it a little |
| 6 | bit, offering something slightly different in |
| 7 | terms of colors. Just kind of blending the |
| 8 | colors a little better than we did in this |
| 9 | rendering. So this gives you a little clearer |
| 10 | idea of what we're getting but it shows the same |
| 11 | thing. It shows the turret roofs. The roofs are |
| 12 | going to be basically an aluminum or a metal, so |
| 13 | they'll be shiny, they'll be the four shorter |
| 14 | ones and the one larger one on the corner. There |
| 15 | will be architectural glass that's going to |
| 16 | stretch pretty high vertically, and that goes up |
| 17 | above the fascia line there. So these turrets |
| 18 | come out on a 45, again trying to break up that |
| 19 | 174 linear foot of the building. We're bringing |
| 20 | these elements out into the sidewalk almost. |
| 21 | Then the lamp post, the benches, the planters, |
| 22 | we're showing all of that there. |
| 23 | So basically just real quickly, in |
| 24 | terms of materials, the metal roof, a fiberglass |
| 25 | shingle on the main body of the roof which |
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| 2 | stretches back. The peaks of these basically |
| 3 | match an architectural split-faced block which |
| 4 | will be the main item as far as the exterior |
| 5 | material. That will go all the way around the |
| 6 | building, all four sides, and then the |
| 7 | architectural store front glass, and that will be |
| 8 | pretty that's going to be a pretty big element |
| 9 | of this. |
| 10 | This building I think is entirely |
| 11 | retail. The owners are thinking of this as being |
| 12 | kind of a service-oriented building which serves |
| 13 | a lot of the population that comes from that area |
| 14 | of Newburgh, that comes down 52 and into the rest |
| 15 | of the Town. |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from Board |
| 17 | Members. Frank Galli? |
| 18 | MR. GALLI: The signage for each store. |
| 19 | In other words, if you're going to have whoever |
| 20 | in there, where would they put their sign? |
| 21 | MR. COPPOLA: There's going to be an |
| 22 | area here with channel letters right in between |
| 23 | there and above here. |
| 24 | MR. GALLI: They're all going to be the |
| 25 | same size? |

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| 2 | MR. COPPOLA: Yes. |
| 3 | MR. RAAB: Anthony has on the bottom |
| 4 | rendering here. |
| 5 | MR. COPPOLA: Actually, they're there. |
| 6 | MR. RAAB: They would all be uniform. |
| 7 | MR. GALLI: The air conditioning units |
| 8 | and those units, roof tops, ground level? |
| 9 | MR. COPPOLA: The condensers we can put |
| 10 | all in the rear and the air handlers can be in |
| 11 | the attic. |
| 12 | MR. GALLI: On the ground? |
| 13 | MR. COPPOLA: The condensers, they can |
| 14 | go in the rear. Really if you look at the site |
| 15 | plan, this is a three-sided site. We've got this |
| 16 | whole area. The entrance is here. We're going |
| 17 | to want to develop this area. Most of the |
| 18 | parking is over here. We can definitely keep all |
| 19 | the condensers to the rear. |
| 20 | MR. GALLI: Okay. |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from Cliff |
| 22 | Browne? |
| 23 | MR. BROWNE: No. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Mennerich? |
| 25 | MR. MENNERICH: The split-faced block |

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| 2 | according to what you submitted was going to be |
| 3 | the gray |
| 4 | MR. COPPOLA: Yes. |
| 5 | MR. MENNERICH: color. The color up |
| 6 | there looks like it's a cream color or something. |
| 7 | MR. COPPOLA: It's a little creamier. |
| 8 | That was first done by accident but actually I |
| 9 | like that better. This is what we've submitted. |
| 10 | We could possibly jump to something that's a |
| 11 | little creamier color in here. |
| 12 | MR. GALLI: That looks a lot nicer. |
| 13 | MR. COPPOLA: I think so, too. It's a |
| 14 | little warmer, and I think that was one of |
| 15 | Karen's comments. It's not as industrial |
| 16 | looking. |
| 17 | MR. MENNERICH: I like that better, |
| 18 | what you brought. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ed O'Donnell? |
| 20 | MR. O'DONNELL: Does could jump mean |
| 21 | you will jump? |
| 22 | MR. COPPOLA: Yes. Absolutely. |
| 23 | MR. O'DONNELL: That's so noted. Other |
| 24 | than that AJ, very nice job. |
| 25 | MR. COPPOLA: Thank you very much. |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, do you have |
| 3 | anything to add at this time? |
| 4 | MS. ARENT: I have one more question, |
| 5 | Anthony. I remember on Mid-Valley Mall this |
| 6 | became an issue, that the doors needed to have |
| 7 | some kind of overhang. It looks like on the same |
| 8 | plan it's pretty tight to do that. |
| 9 | MR. COPPOLA: Yeah. That's a good |
| 10 | point. We're okay by code up here. It's at |
| 11 | least a two to three-foot overhang. We did add |
| 12 | an awning here. That's one. The only change we |
| 13 | made is because this facade is too high so this |
| 14 | has to have an awning there to cover that |
| 15 | entrance. |
| 16 | MS. ARENT: And the rear doors as well. |
| 17 | The rear access doors at Mid-Valley needed |
| 18 | that's a code issue that I'm not aware of I |
| 19 | mean that I don't know whether it applies. You |
| 20 | do need an awning. It's very tight with the |
| 21 | loading dock there. |
| 22 | MR. COPPOLA: I think the overhang |
| 23 | we've adjusted the overhang front and rear so |
| 24 | that we're covered by code. |
| 25 | MS. ARENT: Okay. It's not shown on |
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| 2 | the site plans. That should be shown on the site |
| 3 | plans. |
| 4 | MR. RAAB: We've incorporated it in |
| 5 | there. |
| 6 | MS. ARENT: Thanks. And then just to |
| 7 | put the signage guidelines on your plan |
| 8 | MR. COPPOLA: Sure. |
| 9 | MS. ARENT: that defines some, you |
| 10 | know, aesthetically |
| 11 | MR. COPPOLA: Just the size of the |
| 12 | letters? |
| 13 | MS. ARENT: Size of letters, and |
| 14 | colors, and types of signage allowed for each |
| 15 | building. |
| 16 | They do have a sign plan, John, on the |
| 17 | previously submitted drawing. It's similar to |
| 18 | all the other ones. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I noticed that just |
| 20 | now. We're acting on that also this evening? |
| 21 | MS. ARENT: Yeah. If you can define |
| 22 | the colors on this sign too so we don't get like |
| 23 | a yellow or |
| 24 | MR. COPPOLA: The same. |
| 25 | MS. ARENT: Keep it a similar scheme. |
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| 2 | This sign is equal in height to many of the |
| 3 | others we've seen. It's thirteen feet high by |
| 4 | eight feet wide. It's got a nice stonewall |
| 5 | around the base. That's it. |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. Having heard |
| 7 | from Anthony Coppola as far as the architectural |
| 8 | plans for the Trinity Square retail center, |
| 9 | agreeing that the final finish of the block will |
| 10 | be a cream color, |
| 11 | MR. COPPOLA: Yes. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: the Board was |
| 13 | looking for that tone to be set, I'll move for a |
| 14 | motion for ARB approval for the Trinity Square |
| 15 | plan. |
| 16 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 17 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 19 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| 20 | Any discussion of the motion? |
| 21 | (No verbal response.) |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 23 | roll call vote starting with Frank Galli. |
| 24 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 25 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
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| 2 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 3 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 4 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself yes. So |
| 5 | carried. |
| 6 | At this time, Jim Raab, would you come |
| 7 | forward for site plan approval. |
| 8 | MR. RAAB: Sure. We've incorporated |
| 9 | most of the amenities that were brought up during |
| 10 | the ARB, especially down here in the patio |
| 11 | section as Anthony had referred. We have |
| 12 | switched from the tables to the benches in here. |
| 13 | We had to make some adjustments, slight |
| 14 | adjustments from what you originally got because |
| 15 | we had to pull this in because of an easement |
| 16 | here. That's pretty much it. We addressed just |
| 17 | about everything. I know that Pat's got some |
| 18 | comments but I wasn't aware you don't have any |
| 19 | comments? |
| 20 | MR. HINES: I have a couple. |
| 21 | MR. RAAB: I didn't think there was |
| 22 | anything of any circumstance. We got a flow |
| 23 | letter. I think we're pretty much prepared to |
| 24 | finish this up tonight. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. |

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| 2 | MS. ARENT: I just need to review the |
| 3 | plan to make sure I haven't seen the new plan. |
| 4 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. And you want |
| 5 | to look at the final site plans? |
| 6 | MS. ARENT: Right. |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant. |
| 8 | MR. COCKS: The other only site plan |
| 9 | issue that came up was the chain-link fence that |
| 10 | was requested by Darren Scalzo in his letter. A |
| 11 | six foot high chain link. That has to be shown. |
| 12 | MR. RAAB: I wrote that in the same |
| 13 | spot. |
| 14 | MR. COCKS: Karen would like it to be |
| 15 | PVC coated so it's not ugly. |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from the |
| 17 | Board Members. Frank Galli? |
| 18 | MR. GALLI: None. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Cliff Browne? |
| 20 | MR. BROWNE: No. |
| 21 | MR. MENNERICH: No questions. |
| 22 | MR. O'DONNELL: Nothing. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: At this time I'd |
| 24 | like to turn to Planning Board Attorney, Mike |
| 25 | Donnelly, for conditions for final approval in |
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| 2 | the resolution. |
| 3 | MR. DONNELLY: One clarification. What |
| 4 | do you want to do about the fire department issue |
| 5 | that's touched upon in Pat's letter? They wrote |
| 6 | the Board a letter in April, April 4th, and they |
| 7 | say no hydrants are shown in the plans, concerned |
| 8 | with lack of turning radius at entrance/exit and |
| 9 | limited sight area coming out of the exit. Have |
| 10 | those things been reviewed or where have we gone |
| 11 | with those? |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Wersted, do you |
| 13 | want to respond to some of those concerns? |
| 14 | MR. WERSTED: I reviewed the sight |
| 15 | distances and I think there's adequate sight |
| 16 | distance exiting the site to Route 52. |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: And the turning |
| 18 | radius? |
| 19 | MR. WERSTED: They've also demonstrated |
| 20 | with a truck turning movement maneuvering around |
| 21 | the building. The fire department has a specific |
| 22 | comment about that in terms of what size truck |
| 23 | they're using. A standard vehicle, a single unit |
| 24 | truck is able to make it around this building. |
| 25 | MR. DONNELLY: The last piece is the |
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| 2 | fire hydrants. |
| 3 | MR. RAAB: I'm pretty sure we added a |
| 4 | fire hydrant. We'll add a fire hydrant. |
| 5 | MR. DONNELLY: We'll need then a sign- |
| 6 | off letter from Karen on the overhang plans and |
| 7 | the cohesive sign plan. We'll need a sign-off |
| 8 | letter from Pat Hines on his comments in his |
| 9 | June 28th memo, and he'll handle the fire hydrant |
| 10 | verification because he mentions the fire |
| 11 | department comments within that. The standard |
| 12 | ARB condition. The landscape security and |
| 13 | inspection fee in the amount of \$28,962. A |
| 14 | requirement that you add the six foot high chain- |
| 15 | link fence consistent with the comment letter |
| 16 | from the New York State Thruway Authority. The |
| 17 | standard condition regarding the location of |
| 18 | outdoor fixtures and amenities, none can be |
| 19 | constructed that are not shown on the plans. |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. Having heard |
| 21 | the conditions for final approval for the Trinity |
| 22 | Square site plan, I'll move for that motion. |
| 23 | MR. MENNERICH: So moved. |
| 24 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
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| 2 | Ken Mennerich. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| 3 | Any discussion of the motion? |
| 4 | (No verbal response.) |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 6 | roll call vote starting with Frank Galli. |
| 7 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 8 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 9 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 10 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself. So |
| 12 | carried. |
| 13 | MR. COPPOLA: Thank you. |
| 14 | MR. RAAB: Thank you very much. |
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| 16 | (Time noted: 7:17 p.m.) |
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| 7 | I, Michelle Conero, a Shorthand |
| 8 | Reporter and Notary Public within and for |
| 9 | the State of New York, do hereby certify |
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| 11 | proceedings herein at the time and place |
| 12 | noted in the heading hereof, and that the |
| 13 | foregoing is an accurate and complete |
| 14 | transcript of same to the best of my |
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| 17 EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. | |
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| ALSO PRESENT: DINA HAINES 19 MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. | |
| BRYANT COCKS | |
| 20 PATRICK HINES | |
| KAREN ARENT | |
| 21 KENNETH WERSTED | |
| 22 APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIVE: KEVIN MALONE & TOM OLLE | LEY |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Our next item of |
| 3 | business this evening is 200 Stony Brook |
| 4 | Associates. It's located on 200 Stony Brook |
| 5 | Court in a B Zone. It's being represented by |
| 6 | William Pendergast. It's a conceptual site plan |
| 7 | and ARB. |
| 8 | MR. MALONE: Hi. My name is Kevin |
| 9 | Malone, I'm here on behalf of Bill Pendergast. |
| 10 | MR. OLLEY: Tom Olley also presenting |
| 11 | the applicant. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'm sorry, Tom. I |
| 13 | didn't know you were here. |
| 14 | MR. MALONE: We're here to address the |
| 15 | comments from the last meeting. I have a small |
| 16 | packet I would like to hand out. |
| 17 | MR. OLLEY: While Kevin is handing |
| 18 | those out, if I could just touch on a couple |
| 19 | things with the site plan. We did look at the |
| 20 | building very closely with regard to that setback |
| 21 | issue that we had at the last meeting where we |
| 22 | had 39.8 feet where the requirement was 40. We |
| 23 | tried to figure out if there was something that |
| 24 | we could do without damaging the building |
| 25 | architecturally to achieve that. We even went |
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| 2 | back, talked to the surveyor to see if the |
| 3 | location that they took was on some architectural |
| 4 | ornamentation on the building, because there is |
| 5 | building coining from the corner coins on the |
| 6 | building. The bottom line was our conclusion was |
| 7 | that the 39.8 feet stands. So one of the things |
| 8 | that we would ask the Board to do for us this |
| 9 | evening is just give us a referral to the Zoning |
| 10 | Board for that variance. |
| 11 | MR. DONNELLY: Side or front yard? |
| 12 | MR. OLLEY: It is a front yard. 17K. |
| 13 | The other issues with the site plan |
| 14 | that were outstanding I'll discuss briefly after |
| 15 | Kevin takes care of the architectural issues |
| 16 | which was really the focus of coming before you |
| 17 | again this evening. I think we've developed a |
| 18 | way that we can resolve that but we can't really |
| 19 | do anything until we have that zoning variance. |
| 20 | That was only concluded in the last the |
| 21 | determination that there was no way around it |
| 22 | with the building structure was only determined |
| 23 | in the last two weeks. |
| 24 | MR. MALONE: The main architectural |
| 25 | issue was the nonconforming structure, and we do |

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| 2 | plan we're not encroaching on the setbacks any |
| 3 | further. |
| 4 | MR. OLLEY: Maybe if you can just talk |
| 5 | about the materials and the architecture in |
| 6 | itself. |
| 7 | MR. MALONE: In the packet we included |
| 8 | that, the colors on the color rendering. |
| 9 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Kevin, in the |
| 10 | future when you appear before us, we don't accept |
| 11 | submittals the night of the meeting without |
| 12 | having the opportunity to review it. |
| 13 | MR. MALONE: Then just consider this |
| 14 | something to review at a later date. |
| 15 | MR. OLLEY: Actually, we did submit |
| 16 | stuff to the Board following the last meeting |
| 17 | with the architecturals I believe. This I think |
| 18 | Kevin just or Bill just added the callouts of |
| 19 | the materials. |
| 20 | MR. MALONE: Just called out the |
| 21 | materials. |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: So one of the |
| 23 | things we discussed at our last meeting, although |
| 24 | it's not part of ARB but we'll take it under |
| 25 | consideration, is where you're locating your |

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| 2 | dumpster. In this case you're talking about |
| 3 | staging garbage cans in the rear of the building |
| 4 | I guess. |
| 5 | MR. OLLEY: Yes. |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: They won't be |
| 7 | visual from driving down 17K? |
| 8 | MR. OLLEY: Well, no. We'll put them |
| 9 | on the south side of the building. We'll |
| 10 | indicate that on the site plan submissions that |
| 11 | we submit to you when we have the zoning |
| 12 | variance. What we'll do is |
| 13 | Actually Kevin, if I can just grab your |
| 14 | copy of the site plan and throw it up on the |
| 15 | This is 17K at the top of the sheet. |
| 16 | Stony Brook Court is towards the bottom of the |
| 17 | sheet. What we will do is we'll put a small pad |
| 18 | back at the left rear corner of the existing |
| 19 | building that we can screen. There's already |
| 20 | some very mature landscaping in there. We'll |
| 21 | provide for just one of the ninety-gallon garbage |
| 22 | containers that the trash haulers provide. |
| 23 | That's all that they need. They don't generate a |
| 24 | lot of waste. Any medical waste is handled |
| 25 | separately. That's kept inside. Anything that |
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| 2 | is considered red bag waste, that's handled |
| 3 | completely separate. This is just office papers |
| 4 | and just the normal run-of-the-mill trash from an |
| 5 | office. There's about seven people on staff. |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, have you had |
| 7 | the time of going back after ARB to look at what |
| 8 | they are proposing for the colors and the |
| 9 | changes? |
| 10 | MS. ARENT: Yeah. I think the building |
| 11 | is fine. I need a little time to review the |
| 12 | sign. I think it's nice. I just want to check |
| 13 | the proposed height and width. It's pretty |
| 14 | large. I think it's going to be a nice looking |
| 15 | sign. |
| 16 | MR. MALONE: We did refer to the zoning |
| 17 | for the sizing of that. |
| 18 | MS. ARENT: You're also showing two |
| 19 | signs on your one property which needs a zoning |
| 20 | variance as well. On the site plan there's two |
| 21 | signs. |
| 22 | MR. OLLEY: We're going to remove one |
| 23 | of those signs. We'll just have the one sign. |
| 24 | We'll replace it somewhere near one of the |
| 25 | existing locations. We just have to find out |

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| 2 | which one has the electric there. |
| 3 | MS. ARENT: I think the building is |
| 4 | fine. It's in keeping with what's there. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The total square |
| 6 | footage again you're adding on to this building? |
| 7 | MR. OLLEY: It's about |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: 1,827. |
| 9 | MR. OLLEY: 1,800 square feet. I |
| 10 | think the existing is about 2,000. |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from Board |
| 12 | Members. Frank Galli? |
| 13 | MR. GALLI: No additional. |
| 14 | MR. BROWNE: No. |
| 15 | MR. MENNERICH: I only had a question |
| 16 | on the roof. Fiberglass shingles and then the |
| 17 | one section of it is going to add the standing |
| 18 | seam metal roof. Am I looking at the drawing |
| 19 | right? |
| 20 | MR. MALONE: You can't see it from the |
| 21 | rendering I've got. From the side elevation you |
| 22 | can see it. |
| 23 | MR. MENNERICH: I guess why isn't it |
| 24 | all shingle? |
| 25 | MR. MALONE: It could be. I would |

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| | imagine a standing seam would be a more desirable |
| 2 3 | roofing than a shingle would be. |
| 4 | MS. ARENT: That's going to your |
| 5 | entrance. This shows your main entrance. |
| 6 | MR. OLLEY: That's over the vestibule. |
| 7 | Yes. |
| 8 | MS. ARENT: I know that one of the |
| 9 | hotels that came in to see us, they say snow |
| 10 | melts very quickly off this and falls rapidly in |
| 11 | a sheet and they didn't want to use the standing |
| 12 | metal seam because of that. |
| 13 | MR. MALONE: It could be used. It's |
| 14 | not that much square footage of roof. |
| 15 | MS. ARENT: That might be a concern, |
| 16 | that it's over their main entrance. It's |
| 17 | probably better safety wise to use shingles. |
| 18 | MR. MENNERICH: I think it's a nice |
| 19 | building. I just thought it kind of surprised |
| 20 | me it didn't have shingles on that section. |
| 21 | That's all. |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Kevin, what's your |
| 23 | objective at this time? |
| 24 | MR. MALONE: To get a site plan |
| 25 | approval. |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Site plan approval |
| 3 | we can't give you this evening because we're |
| 4 | referring you to the ZBA. |
| 5 | MR. MALONE: Just to address the |
| 6 | comments from the last meeting. |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mr. Mennerich |
| 8 | raised a question as far as the difference in |
| 9 | textures of the roof. What are you proposing to |
| 10 | go with? |
| 11 | MR. MALONE: I've got to see what the |
| 12 | client wants. If you're suggesting fiberglass |
| 13 | shingles to match the rest of the roof, I'll run |
| 14 | that passed him. |
| 15 | MR. MENNERICH: Okay. |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ed O'Donnell? |
| 17 | MR. O'DONNELL: Nothing. |
| 18 | MR. DONNELLY: Did we hear back from |
| 19 | the County Planning department? This was |
| 20 | referred. |
| 21 | MR. COCKS: No. |
| 22 | MR. OLLEY: I think there is a problem |
| 23 | on my end. I think I was supposed to get Bryant |
| 24 | an extra copy which I did not do. That's my |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant, you might |
| 3 | as well finish your review. You're suggesting we |
| 4 | contact the City? |
| 5 | MR. COCKS: Yes. We need the approval |
| 6 | from the City of Newburgh. |
| 7 | MR. OLLEY: I did contact Jim on that |
| 8 | and it's we have that in process. I don't |
| 9 | have a reply back from him yet. |
| 10 | MR. COCKS: Okay. |
| 11 | MR. OLLEY: There was one other |
| 12 | question about that that came up at the last |
| 13 | meeting, about this tight radius here. We spoke |
| 14 | with our client and what we're going to propose |
| 15 | to do is actually flip this parking. What that |
| 16 | will do is it will move this intersection back |
| 17 | away from this intersection. We'll still have |
| 18 | the same amount of parking. All we would do |
| 19 | since we talked last week, we're getting rid of |
| 20 | this parking and we'll just make up the |
| 21 | difference of the parking in this way. So now |
| 22 | the circulation will be very clean through here |
| 23 | so anybody coming down in will just go across in |
| 24 | front of the building and then circulate back |
| 25 | out. We talked to our client and he's not hung |

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| 2 | up on having the spaces directly in front of the |
| 3 | door. He does need the access. I think that |
| 4 | would resolve that one issue of this tight |
| 5 | intersection that Pat raised. I think it was |
| 6 | Pat. It was Pat or Bryant that raised it at the |
| 7 | last meeting. |
| 8 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken, do you see |
| 9 | that as being functional? |
| 10 | MR. WERSTED: Yeah. I actually have a |
| 11 | sketch here. I can look at that and look at the |
| 12 | functionality of that when I look at the rest of |
| 13 | the site. |
| 14 | MR. OLLEY: What we will do is Karen |
| 15 | just kind of whispered to me as I walked by. |
| 16 | We'll also add additional landscaping along the |
| 17 | front here just so we can screen the cars, the |
| 18 | parked cars from the front. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Any additional |
| 20 | comments from the Board Members? |
| 21 | MR. GALLI: None. |
| 22 | MR. BROWNE: I'm good. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 24 | motion from the Board that we refer this to the |
| 25 | Zoning Board of Appeals for a front yard |
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| 2 | variance. |
| 3 | MR. MENNERICH: So moved. |
| 4 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 6 | Ken Mennerich. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| 7 | I'll ask for a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| 8 | Galli. |
| 9 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 10 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 11 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 12 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself yes. So |
| 14 | carried. |
| 15 | Tom, would you make it a point at this |
| 16 | time getting plans to Bryant Cocks? |
| 17 | MR. OLLEY: Yes. I will send them to |
| 18 | him in the morning. |
| 19 | MR. DONNELLY: One other issue. This |
| 20 | is a Type II action so it's not subject to |
| 21 | further SEQRA review but you may wish to decide |
| 22 | whether you want to have a public hearing on this |
| 23 | after it returns from the Zoning Board. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Thank you. |
| 25 | MR. OLLEY: Just procedurally, it's my |
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| 2 | understanding that since we need that ZBA you |
| 3 | can't do anything on architecture either; right? |
| 4 | MR. DONNELLY: I think given the |
| 5 | outstanding issues it would be better to wait. |
| 6 | MR. OLLEY: So we can wrap up the issue |
| 7 | with the roof when we come back in. |
| 8 | Thank you very much. |
| 9 | MR. MALONE: Thank you. |
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| 11 | (Time noted: 7:30 p.m.) |
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| 3 | In the Matter of |
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| 5 | ORCHARD HILLS (2003-41) |
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| | Route 9W & Oak Street |
| 7 | Section 9; Block 1; Lot 45.21 |
| 0 | R-3 & R-1 Zones |
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| 10 | RESIDENTIAL SITE PLAN |
| 10 11 | TWENTY-ONE LOT SUBDIVISION Date: July 5, 2007 |
| 11 | Time: 7:30 p.m. |
| 12 | Place: Town of Newburgh |
| | Town Hall |
| 13 | 1496 Route 300 |
| | Newburgh, NY 12550 |
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| 15 | BOARD MEMBERS: JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman FRANK S. GALLI |
| 16 | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| 10 | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
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| 20 | KAREN ARENT |
| 21 | KENNETH WERSTED |
| 22 | APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIVE: ROSS WINGLOVITZ |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The next item of |
| 3 | business is Orchard Hills. It's located on Route |
| 4 | 9W and Oak Street, it's in an R-3 and R-1 Zone. |
| 5 | It's being represented by Ross Winglovitz. It's a |
| 6 | residential site plan and a twenty-one lot |
| 7 | subdivision. |
| 8 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Good evening. Ross |
| 9 | Winglovitz with Engineering Properties here on |
| 10 | behalf of the Orchard Hills project. |
| 11 | We're requesting consideration from the |
| 12 | Board for final approval for a 250-unit |
| 13 | condominium project and 22 new residential lots. |
| 14 | The project received preliminary approval last |
| 15 | year and the Findings Statement I think in June |
| 16 | of last year. Preliminary in August of last |
| 17 | year. We've since been to all the outside |
| 18 | agencies including the Army Corp of Engineers, |
| 19 | New York State DEC, New York State DOT and Orange |
| 20 | County Department of Health seeking all their |
| 21 | approvals. We believe we have them at this |
| 22 | point. We just received Department of Health as |
| 23 | recently as 4:00 this afternoon. It was a copy |
| 24 | that was submitted to the Board and each of the |
| 25 | consultants. |
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| 2 | I'll entertain any questions from the |
| 3 | Board and any discussion that the Board feels |
| 4 | appropriate. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mike Donnelly had |
| 6 | prepared for us a resolution for Meadow Creek |
| 7 | involvement, i.e. Orchard Hills. |
| 8 | Do you care to discuss that with us |
| 9 | now? |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: I did and I had provided |
| 11 | a copy to Ross in advance of the meeting. I'm |
| 12 | sure that the plan set will need to be updated, |
| 13 | but that can occur in the future. What's |
| 14 | important is the conditions which are taken from |
| 15 | the preliminary approval which we can use as a |
| 16 | checklist. There were two issues I was uncertain |
| 17 | of. One was whether the condominium portion of |
| 18 | the project had received or had whether the |
| 19 | Board had reviewed the Architectural Review Board |
| 20 | materials for that. And then I guess the |
| 21 | question, since you're shaking your head no, is |
| 22 | are you seeking ARB now or at some future time? |
| 23 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Some future date. |
| 24 | MR. DONNELLY: The first condition then |
| 25 | will be you're reserving ARB. Similarly I had |
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| 2 | left out of the resolution but it needs to be |
| 3 | added the requirement of ARB approval for the |
| 4 | single-family home component of the project |
| 5 | because it has more than ten lots, and that will |
| 6 | have to be taken up in the future as well. The |
| 7 | condition that's number two in the draft relates |
| 8 | to the requirement of a developer's agreement. I |
| 9 | know, Ross, that you have a sample form and I |
| 10 | assume you've been working with Mark Taylor on |
| 11 | that issue. Condition two and three relate to |
| 12 | that. Specifically though I will add in the |
| 13 | middle of paragraph 2 the reference to the |
| 14 | stormwater facilities, some of which are off site |
| 15 | which will need to be included within the |
| 16 | developer's agreement. |
| 17 | My memory is that there are several |
| 18 | associations, a condominium association and a |
| 19 | homeowner's association, and perhaps a second |
| 20 | homeowner's association. Who is it that is going |
| 21 | to be responsible for maintenance of the private |
| 22 | roadways and drainage system. |
| 23 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: The prime entity is |
| 24 | going to be the HOA. There's going to be a |
| 25 | division of responsibility. There's going to be |
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| 2 | a small parking area here maintained by the |
| 3 | condominium. The main roads and all the |
| 4 | utilities are going to be the homeowner's |
| 5 | association. If we can expand that to say |
| 6 | condominium association or HOA as identified on |
| 7 | the drawings. I've gone through and taken the |
| 8 | list out of the F E.I.S. and put it on the |
| 9 | drawings. |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: I don't have a problem |
| 11 | with that in concept, recognizing one of the |
| 12 | conditions of the preliminary approval is that |
| 13 | the condominium and the homeowner's association |
| 14 | bylaws be reviewed by the town attorney to ensure |
| 15 | that the issues that were identified in the |
| 16 | Findings were properly carried forth into them. |
| 17 | I don't know that's been accomplished yet. It |
| 18 | will certainly need to be as a condition. |
| 19 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Absolutely. |
| 20 | MR. DONNELLY: Has the transportation |
| 21 | corporation been formed? |
| 22 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: We're in front of the |
| 23 | Town Board now. We had a meeting last week. |
| 24 | MR. DONNELLY: So that will remain. |
| 25 | There will be a requirement for three landscape |
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| 2 3 | securities as was discussed, one for each of the |
| | phases of the project. The Oak Street culvert |
| 4 | I'm sure will need to be approved still by the |
| 5 | town engineer as recited in condition 7. The |
| 6 | Board is imposing a condition on the completion |
| 7 | sequencing of the recreational facilities. |
| 8 | Apparently under 9 and 10 there are still some |
| 9 | minor items that need to be cleared up, so we'll |
| 10 | leave those conditions. |
| 11 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Under 8, that may be a |
| 12 | conflict with what's in the Findings. I don't |
| 13 | know how you want to resolve that. |
| 14 | MR. DONNELLY: How did we handle that |
| 15 | in the Findings? This came from the preliminary |
| 16 | resolution. |
| 17 | MR. HINES: Based on unit count. |
| 18 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: On unit count. It can |
| 19 | be and/or, whichever happens first. |
| 20 | MR. DONNELLY: I'll have to check and |
| 21 | verify how we're to handle that. The concept is |
| 22 | the same, it's the implementation that needs to |
| 23 | be done. |
| 24 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Yup. |
| 25 | MR. DONNELLY: The Army Corp wetlands |
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| 2 | delineation. The New York State curb cut or |
| 3 | highway work permit at this point will still be |
| 4 | needed. |
| 5 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: The permit would be |
| 6 | needed. The approval has been issued, as has the |
| 7 | Army Corp permits been issued as well. |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: We'll leave them as |
| 9 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: That's fine. |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: checklist. |
| 11 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I'll put them in the |
| 12 | packet together. |
| 13 | MR. DONNELLY: The water system |
| 14 | maintenance agreement with the town engineer, is |
| 15 | that being taken up by the Town Board as well? |
| 16 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I'm a little bit |
| 17 | confused as to I didn't do any on any previous |
| 18 | private projects. |
| 19 | MR. DONNELLY: I had asked a question |
| 20 | when this resolution was going to an earlier |
| 21 | draft was whether this was going to be both. If |
| 22 | it's entirely private the Town will have no |
| 23 | interest. |
| 24 | MR. HINES: The Town does have an |
| 25 | interest. They want to be able to go in and |

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| 2 3 | perform maintenance should whatever homeowner's |
| | association or owner doesn't because otherwise |
| 4 | there would be a need for a master meter which |
| 5 | we're trying to avoid on this project. What it |
| 6 | is is we need an easement or some form of |
| 7 | agreement that if there's a leak or an issue that |
| 8 | the Town has to go in and repair, that they can |
| 9 | do that if the applicant does not. |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: Follow this up with Jim |
| 11 | Osborne, Mark Taylor, and if necessary the Town |
| 12 | Board. |
| 13 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: That's fine. Not a |
| 14 | problem. |
| 15 | MR. DONNELLY: You will need various |
| 16 | approvals from the other agencies. You gave us a |
| 17 | letter, and I had a copy of it here earlier. |
| 18 | I'll defer to others. The letter says that |
| 19 | they've approved it in concept but I don't know |
| 20 | that you have the usual approval that we would |
| 21 | require to see before we give final subdivision. |
| 22 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: They basically have |
| 23 | approved it. They actually did at 4:00 this |
| 24 | afternoon, or 3:30 when you got the fax. They |
| 25 | didn't have time in the afternoon to write the |
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| 2 | final letter. I think it says they reviewed it |
| 3 | and are processing approval, which is basically |
| 4 | typing up the paperwork. |
| 5 | MR. DONNELLY: What they say is we've |
| 6 | received the plans last revised June 27th for |
| 7 | both above-mentioned submissions, Orchard Hills |
| 8 | being the relevant one here. Our technical |
| 9 | comments have been satisfactorily addressed. The |
| 10 | approvals are being processed. I'll leave to |
| 11 | others what we typically require by way of a |
| 12 | Health Department approval before we grant final |
| 13 | subdivision approval. I think it is usually a |
| 14 | stamp on the plans is what the Board requires. |
| 15 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I will have that |
| 16 | probably tomorrow or Monday at the earliest. |
| 17 | MR. DONNELLY: I know. I think the |
| 18 | timing is unfortunate but I think the principle |
| 19 | is important to the Board that it not tonight |
| 20 | start being in a position where it grants |
| 21 | approvals on letters that say that the approvals |
| 22 | are still being processed. I'm not trying to be |
| 23 | obstructive but I'm not so sure it satisfies what |
| 24 | we usually require. |
| 25 | Have they also approved the soil |
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| 2 | remediation plan for the disturbance areas? Is |
| 3 | that part of this approval? |
| 4 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: There was an analysis |
| 5 | done of the subdivision portion of the site. |
| 6 | There was determined to be no impact. |
| 7 | MR. DONNELLY: You were to show in |
| 8 | condition 16 the school children pick-up areas on |
| 9 | the plans. I don't know that that's been done. |
| 10 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: That needs to be |
| 11 | added. |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: 17 is what we spoke of |
| 13 | earlier, the condominium and homeowner's |
| 14 | association bylaws. 18 is the standard condition |
| 15 | regarding the payment of fees in lieu of |
| 16 | parkland. There will be a stormwater improvement |
| 17 | security and inspection fee required. Condition |
| 18 | number 20 will require that those facilities be |
| 19 | built before any building permits are issued. |
| 20 | There is a water main extension security and |
| 21 | inspection fee, a private road security and |
| 22 | inspection fee, and the standard condition which |
| 23 | is on page 14, number 26, that no outdoor |
| 24 | fixtures and amenities can be added in the field |
| 25 | that are not shown on the plans. |

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| 2 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: The water and sewer |
| 3 | main extension and fees, that's part of the water |
| 4 | department's typical fees? I mean there's no |
| 5 | these are private improvements so there's no |
| 6 | bonding of those. |
| 7 | MR. DONNELLY: They're all going to be |
| 8 | rolled into the developer's agreement, so they're |
| 9 | recited here. I'm sure you'll cover them all |
| 10 | with the Town Board as part of that. |
| 11 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: 23, the Town roads. |
| 12 | There are no Town roads. |
| 13 | MR. DONNELLY: The ones I didn't |
| 14 | mention I've removed. There's no offers of |
| 15 | dedication, there's no Town roads, there's no |
| 16 | sewer main extension. 26 will remain, or is |
| 17 | there I'm sorry. There is a sewer main |
| 18 | extension. |
| 19 | MR. HINES: Yes, there is. I think |
| 20 | without a proper approval from the Health |
| 21 | Department, other than getting the resolution and |
| 22 | the few items like the school pick-up areas on |
| 23 | the plan and straighten out the condition |
| 24 | regarding the recreational facilities, I don't |
| 25 | know that the Board is in a position to actually |
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| 2 | grant you conditional final approval this |
| 3 | evening, although it's no more than an inch away |
| 4 | from you. |
| 5 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I would beg the |
| 6 | Board's indulgence, just to avoid coming back |
| 7 | since it is pretty administerial at this point, |
| 8 | if the Board would consider waiving that typical |
| 9 | requirement because we actually did get at least |
| 10 | something from the Department of Health |
| 11 | indicating that the approval is being issued. |
| 12 | Actually, when I originally requested to get on |
| 13 | this agenda I didn't think, A, I would be so far |
| 14 | out in July, and B, I actually didn't expect I |
| 15 | would be in a position when I originally |
| 16 | requested to get on to request a conditional |
| 17 | approval. I assumed that we would discuss these |
| 18 | items and I would be back a second time. Since |
| 19 | it ended up being six weeks from my initial |
| 20 | request, just because you guys are very busy, we |
| 21 | were actually able to pull almost all of those |
| 22 | together in time for this evening's meeting. In |
| 23 | the interest of saving everybody's time I would |
| 24 | ask the Board to reconsider that and make that a |
| 25 | condition of the approval since we do have some |
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| 2 | affirmative confirmation from the Department of |
| 3 | Health, which if anybody knows the Department of |
| 4 | Health, that's not easy to get. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ross, we gave |
| 6 | consideration to the time factor that you're |
| 7 | discussing this evening and the Board thought |
| 8 | what we would do is we would hold off granting |
| 9 | final approval until we received the actual |
| 10 | stamped plans from the Health Department but we |
| 11 | would make it a Board business item. |
| 12 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Okay. That's all I |
| 13 | can ask for. |
| 14 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: When you receive |
| 15 | that, rather than bearing from what is the policy |
| 16 | of the Board we'll serve you in that manner. |
| 17 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I thank you for your |
| 18 | consideration. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, you had |
| 20 | something to say? |
| 21 | MS. ARENT: Yes. We need to put the |
| 22 | tree replacement note into the resolution, Mike. |
| 23 | The trees shall be replaced. |
| 24 | MR. DONNELLY: The clearing limits and |
| 25 | tree replacement. I thought that was here |

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| 2 | already. I'll add it. |
| 3 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I think you had a |
| 4 | general reference to Karen's comments. |
| 5 | MS. ARENT: As well, there's no |
| 6 | landscaping on the townhouses yet because the |
| 7 | engineers are waiting for the architectural |
| 8 | drawings. I don't know whether that could be |
| 9 | part of |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: ARB. |
| 11 | MS. ARENT: ARB. |
| 12 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: We had done some |
| 13 | landscaping plans for the townhouses and then |
| 14 | Karen had comments. I said Karen, we're going to |
| 15 | get into detailed discussion. I don't know if |
| 16 | there's going to be bump outs on these here until |
| 17 | the fine architecture is done. I didn't want to |
| 18 | invest a lot of time. |
| 19 | MR. DONNELLY: In the conditions |
| 20 | reserving ARB I'll specifically note such plans |
| 21 | shall include landscape plans for the townhouses. |
| 22 | MS. ARENT: Thank you. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, the |
| 24 | landscape installation bond that was |
| 25 | presented, |
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| 2 | MS. ARENT: I haven't had a chance to |
| 3 | review that. |
| 4 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: that wasn't |
| 5 | itemized. |
| 6 | MS. ARENT: I'm going to have to have |
| 7 | that itemized. |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: It's going to need to be |
| 9 | broken into three phases. |
| 10 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I could post it per |
| 11 | phase of construction basically. Is that how |
| 12 | MS. ARENT: Yes. |
| 13 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: I'll sit down with you |
| 14 | and we'll go through the phases and figure that |
| 15 | out. |
| 16 | MS. ARENT: That would be great. |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant Cocks, do |
| 18 | you have anything to add at this time? |
| 19 | MR. COCKS: No. All the comments were |
| 20 | addressed at the previous submissions. |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Wersted, |
| 22 | Traffic Consultant. |
| 23 | MR. WERSTED: Nothing. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Pat Hines, Drainage |
| 25 | Consultant. |
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| 2 | MR. HINES: Our comments have been |
| 3 | previously addressed and the resolution is in |
| 4 | order. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from Board |
| 6 | Members. Frank Galli? |
| 7 | MR. GALLI: No additional. |
| 8 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Cliff Browne? |
| 9 | MR. BROWNE: Is no parking on the |
| 10 | streets in the condo section addressed someplace |
| 11 | there? |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: All of the Findings need |
| 13 | to be incorporated into the condominium and |
| 14 | homeowner's association bylaws and they need to |
| 15 | be provided for that review. That hasn't been |
| 16 | done yet. That sounds familiar, one of them. |
| 17 | That's the idea, to check them against the |
| 18 | Findings. |
| 19 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: There's a number of |
| 20 | them in there I filled out myself. |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Mennerich? |
| 22 | MR. MENNERICH: No questions. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ed O'Donnell? |
| 24 | MR. O'DONNELL: Nothing. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mike Donnelly, I |
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| 2 | have one question for you in the nature of an |
| 3 | application. Page 1 states 244 condominium |
| 4 | units. |
| 5 | MR. DONNELLY: What is the present |
| 6 | count? |
| 7 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: 250. |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: So it's 22 single-family |
| 9 | homes and 250 |
| 10 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Condominium units, |
| 11 | yeah. |
| 12 | MR. GALLI: 21 single? |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: 22 he's saying; |
| 14 | correct? |
| 15 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Correct. |
| 16 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The agenda was off |
| 17 | by 1. |
| 18 | MR. DONNELLY: Thank you. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 20 | motion from the Board to set this up for a Board |
| 21 | business action item once we receive the stamped |
| 22 | approved plans from the County Health Department. |
| 23 | MR. MENNERICH: So moved. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 25 | Ken Mennerich. |

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| 2 | MR. BROWNE: Second. |
| 2 3 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a second by |
| 4 5 | Cliff Browne. Any discussion of the motion? |
| 5 | (No verbal response.) |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 7 | roll call vote starting with Frank Galli. |
| 8 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 9 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 10 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 11 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself yes. So |
| 13 | carried. |
| 14 | MR. WINGLOVITZ: Thank you. |
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| 16 | (Time noted: 7:39 p.m.) |
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| 9 | the State of New York, do hereby certify |
| 10 | that I recorded stenographically the |
| 11 | proceedings herein at the time and place |
| 12 | noted in the heading hereof, and that the |
| 13 | foregoing is an accurate and complete |
| 14 | transcript of same to the best of my |
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| 7 | Route 300 | |
| | Section 60; Block | x 3; Lot 49.22 |
| 8 | IB Zone | , |
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| 10 | SITE PLA | AN |
| 11 | | Date: July 5, 2007 |
| | | Time: 7:40 p.m. |
| 12 | | Place: Town of Newburgh |
| | | Town Hall |
| 13 | | 1496 Route 300 |
| | | Newburgh, NY 12550 |
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| 15 | BOARD MEMBERS: | JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman |
| | | FRANK S. GALLI |
| 16 | | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| 1.7 | | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
| 18 | ALCO DECENT. | |
| 19 | ALSO PRESENT: | DINA HAINES |
| 19 | | MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. BRYANT COCKS |
| 20 | | PATRICK HINES |
| 20 | | KAREN ARENT |
| 21 | | KENNETH WERSTED |
| 22 | APPI ICANT'S REPRI | ESENTATIVE: ROBERT WILDER |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The next item of |
| 3 | business we have this evening is The Market |
| 4 | Place. It's located on Route 300 in an IB |
| 5 | Zone and it's being represented by Bob Wilder |
| 6 | who is here this evening for a site plan |
| 7 | review. |
| 8 | MR. WILDER: Good evening, Board and |
| 9 | Mr. Chairman. I'm Robert Wilder with Wilder, |
| 10 | Balter Partners. We actually had a different |
| 11 | presentation for tonight which was a short Power |
| 12 | Point, and our understanding is we would like to |
| 13 | be able to do that. Is that a problem for the |
| 14 | Board? Only because it was part of our whole |
| 15 | presentation. |
| 16 | MR. DONNELLY: What was taken up during |
| 17 | the work session, if I may, was the fact that |
| 18 | neither the consultants nor the Board have had a |
| 19 | great deal of opportunity to look at your newest |
| 20 | set of plans. It's not a criticism of your team |
| 21 | because we know the work that was put into |
| 22 | putting them together, but they came at somewhat |
| 23 | of a late hour for the Board to review. The |
| 24 | Board felt that it would be better not using the |
| 25 | time this evening to discuss the particulars of a |

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| 2 | plan they had not had a chance to study, and the |
| 3 | task at hand I think was twofold. One was to see |
| 4 | if the plans, the current plan set, is consistent |
| 5 | with or has incorporated the various findings, |
| 6 | and certainly we spent some time at the |
| 7 | consultants' meeting and we do see that most of |
| 8 | the findings have been added to the note pages, |
| 9 | but there's still more work that needs to be done |
| 10 | with that. Secondary, for there to be the kind |
| 11 | of technical review from the technical |
| 12 | consultants of drainage, and water, and sewer and |
| 13 | that so the processing of the application can |
| 14 | move forward. |
| 15 | The one thing that the Board noted and |
| 16 | was also mentioned during the consultants' |
| 17 | meeting was the impression that the lifestyle |
| 18 | center portion of the project seems to have |
| 19 | drifted from its original concept to something |
| 20 | else that's more, at least in part of it, a strip |
| 21 | mall-type presentation. The Board found that |
| 22 | something that caught their eye immediately. |
| 23 | There were other parts of the plans that in terms |
| 24 | of the visual elements don't seem to comply, even |
| 25 | on a quick look, with the Findings or with the |
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| 2 | recently adopted design guidelines of the Town |
| 3 | Board. Now I'll try to leave to others if |
| 4 | there's any time to get into that what those |
| 5 | things are but they have to do with slopes and |
| 6 | locations and changed locations of buildings, |
| 7 | particularly the building most in the front where |
| 8 | it meets Route 300. While if when the |
| 9 | consultants spend more time with the plans and |
| 10 | their memos we can detail that, the Board thought |
| 11 | time would be better spent having the consultants |
| 12 | do that review, make those comments, bring them |
| 13 | to the Board's attention and put you back on the |
| 14 | agenda when the discussion could be a meaningful |
| 15 | one. That was what was discussed. |
| 16 | MR. WILDER: Everything you say is |
| 17 | correct except the presentation we're making |
| 18 | tonight really is very different than all the |
| 19 | things you just discussed. We're not here to |
| 20 | discuss all the merits of the technical comments |
| 21 | that our engineer is working on with Pat Hines or |
| 22 | working on with Karen or whatever. It's a very |
| 23 | different presentation. It's more of a visual |
| 24 | presentation to show really the life of the |
| 25 | lifestyle center because everybody today has been |
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| 2 | looking at a plan like this which is definitely a |
| 3 | site plan, whether it's the exact same plan or a |
| 4 | slightly different plan. It's more important |
| 5 | that people understand what a lifestyle center |
| 6 | is. We've taken the opportunity over the last |
| 7 | six months to a year to visit half a dozen of |
| 8 | them. We just wanted to explain it to the Board |
| 9 | on a visual basis. We're not talking about |
| 10 | really the hard consulting comments. That was |
| 11 | the purpose of our presentation. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: And I think that's |
| 13 | where the Board was in agreement, the visual |
| 14 | concept that we have visualized in the last year |
| 15 | or so has differed greatly from what we're seeing |
| 16 | now, and that's where we're going to turn to our |
| 17 | consultants to have them discuss with you some |
| 18 | concerns that we have and to come to an agreement |
| 19 | as to what it is visually the layout of this site |
| 20 | will look like. We have some concerns as far as |
| 21 | the slopes and the location of the proposed Cosco |
| 22 | building, the location of the tanks, the |
| 23 | servicing of the pumps. We have some concerns as |
| 24 | far as the visual impact along the Route 300 |
| 25 | corridor, and even the off ramp onto 84. At this |
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| 2 | point the Board does not feel that they are |
| 3 | looking at and considering the same plan that |
| 4 | we've been reviewing for quite some time now. I |
| 5 | don't want to take a lot of time talking myself. |
| 6 | I'm going to turn to Frank Galli, Planning Board |
| 7 | Member, and begin discussing with the Board |
| 8 | Members so you get a sense of the direction we're |
| 9 | looking for. |
| 10 | Frank Galli. |
| 11 | MR. GALLI: The concern I had was the |
| 12 | visual effect when you come off of the ramp and |
| 13 | you're looking into the building now changed from |
| 14 | when we originally saw the plan. Now you're |
| 15 | seeing a massive row of center parking and |
| 16 | buildings on each end of it and receiving in the |
| 17 | middle. Before we had the lifestyle center it |
| 18 | was like a little main street U.S.A. type of |
| 19 | thing. |
| 20 | MR. WILDER: Can I address that |
| 21 | concern? Again, the problem is without being |
| 22 | able to give you a visual presentation it's hard. |
| 23 | I can just tell you that what was done here, all |
| 24 | the access into this lifestyle center, into this |
| 25 | main street has not changed at all from this |
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| 2 | point forward. This lifestyle center is in the |
| 3 | range of 150,000 to 190,000 square feet. The road |
| 4 | and all the design of the road, the grades, the |
| 5 | grading and the parking is fundamentally the same |
| 6 | from this point forward. So you're coming down, |
| 7 | you're coming in, making a right-hand turn in |
| 8 | here, you're going through the main street and |
| 9 | you're coming out here which is identical, |
| 10 | identical to what we've been presenting, |
| 11 | virtually identical to what we have in the |
| 12 | F.E.I.S. plan. The change we made was really in |
| 13 | this section here because these buildings |
| 14 | there used to be a crosswalk here, which is on |
| 15 | the visual presentation, too. This is the only |
| 16 | tool you're letting me use. Basically this was a |
| 17 | four-way intersection here which basically the |
| 18 | intersection has a few issues. Any time you have |
| 19 | a four-way intersection without traffic lights by |
| 20 | definition has a little bit of an issue. What |
| 21 | we're finding in a lot of the lifestyle centers, |
| 22 | the successful ones which we went to a half a |
| 23 | dozen of them, the smaller shops want to be |
| 24 | anchored, much the same way as any mall. The |
| 25 | malls twenty years ago, they wanted a Sears on |
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| 2 | one end, a Penneys on the other end and the small |
| 3 | shops. Much of the same way while it's a |
| 4 | slightly different architectural look, they want |
| 5 | to have larger anchors. Not 100,000 foot anchors |
| 6 | but maybe 50,000 foot. The Barnes & Nobles of |
| 7 | the world, the Dick's Sporting Goods, the A.C. |
| 8 | Moores, the Pier Ones which are larger than |
| 9 | which still fit into a lifestyle center but they |
| 10 | tend to be the larger tenants, not the smaller |
| 11 | ones. The purpose of that is to anchor them in |
| 12 | this area out in front. We just basically took |
| 13 | these buildings and pulled them apart and have a |
| 14 | bigger parking lot. Why do we do that, because |
| 15 | to some extent the tenants, these national |
| 16 | tenants have their own criteria. They pretty |
| 17 | much tell you where they will go and where they |
| 18 | won't go and what their criteria is. We find |
| 19 | from the larger tenants, I'm talking about |
| 20 | 15,000 square feet or 12,000 feet and up, want |
| 21 | the parking out front rather and the parking |
| 22 | behind the building where you have to get out of |
| 23 | your car and walk around and get in. We actually |
| 24 | have made a modification here again which we |
| 25 | brought you which shows more landscaping in here |
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| 2 | where we've tried to get a different scale, a |
| 3 | lifestyle kind of main street kind of scale, by |
| 4 | reducing the parking in here and putting a |
| 5 | forty-foot wide landscape corridor through here |
| 6 | which will change the look. As a matter of fact, |
| 7 | when you come off the exit here, 7N, as you come |
| 8 | off here and you're making a right-hand turn |
| 9 | you're actually looking into the fronts of these |
| 10 | buildings. The idea that you're looking into the |
| 11 | backs of the buildings isn't really necessarily a |
| 12 | correct comparison. We'll prepare site studies. |
| 13 | At this point what you see you're really |
| 14 | looking into the front. As you leave you're |
| 15 | looking into the front of these buildings at an |
| 16 | angle. The idea you're looking into the backs of |
| 17 | the buildings, it's not fair and it's not |
| 18 | correct. |
| 19 | MR. GALLI: I think the one statement |
| 20 | you did make was correct. Your tenants have a |
| 21 | criteria. Our Town has a criteria also. When you |
| 22 | change things around and you give us one day to |
| 23 | look at it |
| 24 | MR. WILDER: Whether we give you |
| 25 | one day or six years, your point is well taken. |
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| 2 | If the Town won't accept it I agree with you. |
| 3 | We're not we agree with you. |
| 4 | So the lifestyle center has not changed |
| 5 | that dramatically but this piece has changed. If |
| 6 | the belief is that this piece can't be addressed, |
| 7 | we'll push these buildings back together again, |
| 8 | and if at a later date a tenant comes in here and |
| 9 | says this is what we want, we'll come back to the |
| 10 | Board and say we would like to have this tenant |
| 11 | here, this is the criteria, and the Board will |
| 12 | decide if they want that tenant or they don't |
| 13 | want that tenant. All the rest of this is |
| 14 | virtually the same as the F.E.I.S. site plan. |
| 15 | This building is the same, the road coming in |
| 16 | here. We'll talk about the Cosco building in a |
| 17 | second. The J.C. Penney building, Dicks will be |
| 18 | the same. This area between the F.E.I.S. and |
| 19 | today, because of the buffer laws as you know |
| 20 | requires 150 foot setback, the E.I.S. said 150 |
| 21 | foot setback. This now has 180 foot setback. So |
| 22 | it's 30 feet greater than the buffer law. We |
| 23 | also as a requirement, and I think it was either |
| 24 | the buffer law or the Findings, I can't remember |
| 25 | which, we extended the ten-foot high sound |
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| barrier fence further to I'm calling it the |
| south and north although it's not exactly south |
| and north. We wrapped it around the corner here |
| and extended it out here. |
| MR. GALLI: That wasn't one of our |
| issues. Another issue we had was if we're at the |
| Cosco |
| MR. WILDER: Let me finish. I want to |
| get to that. The only two areas we believe we |
| changed that have not been addressed in the |
| Findings are this area and the Cosco situation. |
| I agree with you. With respect to the Findings |
| Statement, we've actually put the Findings |
| Statement as requested by the Board on the plans. |
| The entire Findings Statement is now on the plans |
| and we believe that we've addressed all the |
| issues relative to the Findings Statement. |
| I'm just putting aside for a second |
| Cosco is a big building and this is a big |
| building but this is an 850,000 square foot |
| center. I don't want people to have the |
| impression we've made all these changes when in |
| fact we've really I believe addressed the two |
| issues. |
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| 2 | MR. GALLI: That's all we're |
| 3 | addressing, two issues. |
| 4 | MR. WILDER: That's fine. The other |
| 5 | thing we put on the plan, we got close to DOT |
| 6 | approval on the three what I'll call access entry |
| 7 | points, one here where you have the round about, |
| 8 | which I think was a requirement of the Findings |
| 9 | Statement, it was part of our F.E.I.S., as well |
| 10 | as working out the other two entrances and all |
| 11 | the engineering and design virtually done for |
| 12 | those. |
| 13 | I'm trying to think of what else. |
| 14 | We've actually increased or moved some of the |
| 15 | landscaping around in the buffer zone as required |
| 16 | by the new buffer law and as set forth in the |
| 17 | Findings Statement. So I think for the most part |
| 18 | there have been no changes. |
| 19 | Let's talk about the Cosco building |
| 20 | because that's an important element to this |
| 21 | project. Cosco at this point we actually had |
| 22 | a consultants' meeting and we invited Cosco |
| 23 | because we don't want to get stuck between Cosco |
| 24 | and the Town. On the one hand we're trying to do |
| 25 | what the Town and the Town Planning Board wants |
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| 2 | us to do. On the other hand we're trying to do |
| 3 | what Cosco wants us to do. Cosco at this point |
| 4 | was very adamant that they wanted their they |
| 5 | call it a fueling facility, I call it a gas |
| 6 | station because it is what it is, in this |
| 7 | location. We have, since the beginning of our |
| 8 | negotiations with Cosco, tried to move it back |
| 9 | here. We have not been successful. As a result |
| 10 | of putting it out here and the requirement Cosco |
| 11 | has for parking in this area, as a result the |
| 12 | grades in some areas here are greater than two on |
| 13 | one. Where they are greater than two on one we |
| 14 | agree with Karen and the consultants that we're |
| 15 | going to have to add a retaining wall. It's our |
| 16 | only solution. If you're greater than two on one |
| 17 | all the geometry on this road going out just |
| 18 | can't be changed. We have DOT and Interstate 84 |
| 19 | ownership over here. The grade as you know is |
| 20 | quite steep in here. We had to level it out. |
| 21 | All the geometry really can't be changed. The |
| 22 | other thing we can change is putting a retaining |
| 23 | wall in around 300 feet in this area to deal with |
| 24 | the grade so there's no rip rap in there, or B, |
| 25 | move the gas station back here. At this point |
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| 2 | Cosco says they're not prepared to move the gas |
| 3 | station. We received today today I think |
| 4 | from Karen a memo requesting that, you know, they |
| 5 | strongly consider. I don't know if those were |
| 6 | Karen's words but it was clear from the memo |
| 7 | that's what Karen was saying. We immediately |
| 8 | sent it on to Cosco and said to Cosco it would be |
| 9 | very helpful if you would move the gas station |
| 10 | back here. Aside from where this building is, |
| 11 | this building really hasn't changed, whether we |
| 12 | moved it back or forward. What really happened |
| 13 | here is Cosco requested or required that we add |
| 14 | more parking here. The only way to do that is by |
| 15 | having the grades steeper than two on one here, |
| 16 | and we realize that's a Town concern. The size |
| 17 | of the building, the shape of the building, the |
| 18 | location of the building is really pretty much |
| 19 | the same as in the F.E.I.S. |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. Cliff |
| 21 | Browne? |
| 22 | MR. BROWNE: I understand you're a |
| 23 | sales guy, a successful sales guy too. We're not |
| 24 | here for a sales pitch. I'm not here for that. |
| 25 | When this plan came in, it's different than what |
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| 2 | we saw, it's different than what the public saw. |
| 3 | I don't appreciate that part at all. We did not |
| 4 | review that. The public hasn't reviewed that. |
| 5 | In your opinion it hasn't changed. In our |
| 6 | opinion it has changed. We're the Board, okay. |
| 7 | When you left last time from here the direction |
| 8 | was to address the Findings, get them on the |
| 9 | drawing, come back with a revised plan. You |
| 10 | revised it but with stuff that was not in the |
| 11 | Findings. Your issue with your possible tenants |
| 12 | is not my issue. My issue is representing the |
| 13 | Town to make sure that what you put out there is |
| 14 | good and proper. This is different than what |
| 15 | you've been presenting. I don't want you to try |
| 16 | to sell me something like this yet. Our |
| 17 | consultants haven't had a chance to look at this. |
| 18 | It's different. I'm not saying it's bad. It's |
| 19 | different. We haven't seen it yet. As far as |
| 20 | the setbacks and the things along 300, it's |
| 21 | different. What I'm seeing here I don't like. |
| 22 | From your perspective it's not different. Mine |
| 23 | it is. Just leave it at that. I don't like that |
| 24 | part. I don't like the gas station. For you to |
| 25 | constantly change your drawings based on your |
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| 2 | possible tenants, that's not my problem. Not my |
| 3 | problem, it's your problem. You have to address |
| 4 | that with your people and have them comply to |
| 5 | what we need. It's that simple. Thank you. |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Mennerich? |
| 7 | MR. MENNERICH: I have the same two |
| 8 | concerns that have been mentioned already. I |
| 9 | think new visual simulations are going to be |
| 10 | needed if that front part of the project is going |
| 11 | to be changed because that lifestyle center, the |
| 12 | main street effect was to soften the effect of |
| 13 | the large box stores that are in the background. |
| 14 | Now it looks like we're going to have big stuff |
| 15 | in the front and then even bigger stuff in the |
| 16 | back with a bunch of little stuff in the middle. |
| 17 | I have a concern about the overall visual impact |
| 18 | of it, and also on the gas station. The gas |
| 19 | pumps certainly should be in the back. That's |
| 20 | what our Town design guidelines call for and |
| 21 | that's what I think it should be. |
| 22 | MR. WILDER: Okay. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ed O'Donnell? |
| 24 | MR. O'DONNELL: There's not much left |
| 25 | to say. These folks have said everything. What |
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| 2 | I would like to mention is I think it's extremely |
| 2 3 4 | important that we follow the rules and the |
| | procedures. To give these folks a set of plans |
| 5 | two days ago and expect them to review them and |
| 6 | provide us with their technical comments is |
| 7 | totally unreasonable. I really don't want to |
| 8 | hear technical comments from you, I want to hear |
| 9 | it from them, then I can make a valued judgment |
| 10 | as to what's right for our Town and what isn't. |
| 11 | Until that happens I'm not prepared to listen to |
| 12 | you. I haven't listened to you up there because |
| 13 | I don't want to hear you. I want to hear from |
| 14 | them. They're the guys that count. |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. Karen, what |
| 16 | do you feel you need at this point? What |
| 17 | direction do you want to provide Mr. Wilder? |
| 18 | MS. ARENT: I think that we should |
| 19 | review the F.E.I.S. and the Findings Statement |
| 20 | and just to design the project so that we have |
| 21 | to minimize the visual impacts along Route 300 in |
| 22 | accordance with the Findings Statement as well as |
| 23 | to review that proposed gas station because it's |
| 24 | even written right on the front cover of the |
| 25 | submitted documents that an alternative location |
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| 2 | will be studied. We need to do that before we |
| 3 | can move forward on the plans. So I think that |
| 4 | if you have, you know, something it's |
| 5 | difficult to determine how far to proceed without |
| 6 | reviewing if there's going to be a revised |
| 7 | concept drawing we almost should meet again and |
| 8 | review the revised concept drawing before your |
| 9 | consultants proceed ahead with all the major |
| 10 | changes. We should review it in terms of the |
| 11 | visual impacts. If you're presenting a new |
| 12 | concept like this one along with the concept, |
| 13 | revise that sheet that's in the F.E.I.S. with all |
| 14 | the different line-of-sight profiles so the Board |
| 15 | can make an educated decision about how you're |
| 16 | mitigating the impacts and if it's the same as |
| 17 | the way in which it was presented in the F.E.I.S. |
| 18 | or hopefully better. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant Cocks, would |
| 20 | you like to add anything at this time? |
| 21 | MR. COCKS: Just the fact that, you |
| 22 | know, this is a very different project, |
| 23 | especially in the front. Route 300 is a very |
| 24 | busy road in the Town of Newburgh that a lot of |
| 25 | people drive by every single day and now they're |
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| 2 | going to see two very large buildings very close |
| 3 | to the street. It wasn't what we studied before. |
| 4 | I think we have to take a good look at it because |
| 5 | if it doesn't conform with the Findings Statement |
| 6 | it's not allowed. I think we have take a look at |
| 7 | the Findings. If it doesn't conform they're |
| 8 | going to have to make revisions. |
| 9 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Pat Hines. |
| 10 | MR. HINES: I haven't had a chance to |
| 11 | review the technical items that were recently |
| 12 | submitted. We will be reviewing them and working |
| 13 | with the applicant's engineer. I know they have |
| 14 | been working very hard in getting the information |
| 15 | out. The holiday week didn't help them. We'll |
| 16 | take a look. If things are going to change we |
| 17 | would rather have them change now before we |
| 18 | undertake another series of technical reviews. |
| 19 | If that's going to change, the Planning Board |
| 20 | should be on board with the changes prior to |
| 21 | going through an exercise and reviewing a set of |
| 22 | plans that may once again change. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mike Donnelly, |
| 24 | would you speak on behalf of the Planning Board |
| 25 | to give Bob Wilder a summary of what we're |
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| 2 | looking for and the direction we're going in? |
| 3 | MR. DONNELLY: I think I'm hearing two |
| 4 | things. One is the Board does not want this |
| 5 | evening to look at this piecemeal. I think they |
| 6 | want a chance for the plans to be digested, to |
| 7 | have the technical memos delivered to them and |
| 8 | for the Board Members to have a chance to study |
| 9 | that plan with those consultants' memos so they |
| 10 | can formulate their own views and thoughts and |
| 11 | evaluate the changes and the solutions that you |
| 12 | have proposed. Number two, I'm hearing that the |
| 13 | issues that have hit the Board in terms of |
| 14 | immediate response without full study are those |
| 15 | of a visual nature, and I think the Power Point |
| 16 | presentation, not even knowing what's in it, I |
| 17 | think it will be helpful but it's just not the |
| 18 | right time. I also think it would be helpful |
| 19 | insofar as the two areas of concentration, the |
| 20 | forward part of the lifestyle center and the |
| 21 | Cosco building. However it is that you propose |
| 22 | it, that you have the appropriate visual analysis |
| 23 | that's similar to the visual analysis that was |
| 24 | done in the F.E.I.S. on the proposal as it then |
| 25 | stood so the Board can see the effect from the |
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| 2 | important public view sheds that flow from the |
| 3 | changes that you've made. I think when those |
| 4 | consultants' memos are in and those additional |
| 5 | visuals are prepared, I think it would be the |
| 6 | right time for you to make the presentation of |
| 7 | what you propose and why so the Board can |
| 8 | consider whether it's consistent with the |
| 9 | Findings; and if it isn't consistent with them |
| 10 | what needs to be adjusted, tweaked or changed, |
| 11 | either in the Findings or in your plans, to allow |
| 12 | those things to move forward. You're hearing I |
| 13 | think the gut knee-jerk reaction of the Board, |
| 14 | the incomplete analysis of the consultants. The |
| 15 | Board needs some time, as do the consultants, to |
| 16 | digest this. I think you would be well served in |
| 17 | trying to supplement what you've submitted |
| 18 | already with whatever changed visual analysis you |
| 19 | would like to propose, and at that time I think |
| 20 | the slide show so to speak that you want to |
| 21 | propose that shows other lifestyle centers would |
| 22 | be helpful to the Board as they move forward. |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. |
| 24 | MR. WILDER: Thank you. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: You're welcome. |
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| 8 | I, Michelle Conero, a Shorthand |
| 9 | Reporter and Notary Public within and for |
| 10 | the State of New York, do hereby certify |
| 11 | that I recorded stenographically the |
| 12 | proceedings herein at the time and place |
| 13 | noted in the heading hereof, and that the |
| 14 | foregoing is an accurate and complete |
| 15 | transcript of same to the best of my |
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| 5 | LANDS OF (2007-21) | FINNIGAN |
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| 7 | 71 Fifth Ave Section 70; Blo R-3 Zone | |
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| | CONCEPTU | AL SKETCH PLAN |
| 10 | TWO-LOT | SUBDIVISION |
| 11 | | Date: July 5, 2007 |
| | | Time: 8:10 p.m. |
| 12 | | Place: Town of Newburgh |
| 13 | | Town Hall 1496 Route 300 |
| 15 | | Newburgh, NY 12550 |
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| 15 | BOARD MEMBERS: | JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman |
| | | FRANK S. GALLI |
| 16 | | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| | | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
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| 10 | ALSO PRESENT: | DINA HAINES |
| 19 | | MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. |
| 20 | | BRYANT COCKS PATRICK HINES |
| 20 | | KAREN ARENT |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The next item of |
| 3 | business is the lands of Finnigan. The |
| 4 | applicant's representative, Mike Aiello, called |
| 5 | the Planning Board office to say that he would |
| 6 | not be available this evening. |
| 7 | I'd like to move for a motion to |
| 8 | reschedule the lands of Finnigan to our meeting |
| 9 | of August 16th. |
| 10 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 11 | MR. BROWNE: Second. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 13 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Cliff Browne. |
| 14 | I'll ask for a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| 15 | Galli. |
| 16 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 17 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 18 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 19 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself. So |
| 21 | carried. |
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| 23 | (Time noted: 8:12 p.m.) |
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| 5 MINKA SUBDIVISION (1999-49) | |
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| Union Avenue 7 Section 14; Block 1; Lot 48 R-1 & R-2 Zones | |
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| 9 CONCEPTUAL SKETCH PLAN | |
| 10 EIGHT-LOT SUBDIVISION | |
| 11 Date: July 5, 2007 | |
| Time: 7:12 p.m. | |
| 12 Place: Town of Newb | ourgh |
| Town Hall | |
| 13 1496 Route 30 Newburgh, NY | |
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| 15 BOARD MEMBERS: JOHN P. EWASUTY | /N, Chairman |
| FRANK S. GALLI | |
| 16 CLIFFORD C. BROW | |
| KENNETH MENNEI | - |
| 17 EDWARD T. O'DON 18 | NELL, JR. |
| ALSO PRESENT: DINA HAINES | |
| 19 MICHAEL H. DONN | ELLY, ESQ. |
| BRYANT COCKS | |
| 20 PATRICK HINES | |
| KAREN ARENT | |
| 21 KENNETH WERSTE22 APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIVE: MARI | |
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| Wallkill, New York 12589 25 (845)895-3018 | |

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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The next item of |
| 3 | business we have this evening is the Minka |
| 4 | subdivision. It's a conceptual sketch plan |
| 5 | for an eight-lot subdivision located on Union |
| 6 | Avenue. It's zoned R-1 and R-2 and it's |
| 7 | being represented by Mark Olson. |
| 8 | MR. OLSON: My name is Mark Olson with |
| 9 | Hennessy, Olson Architects. This project has |
| 10 | been in front of this Board a couple of times in |
| 11 | the past. We've reduced it, we've changed it |
| 12 | and we have pursued wetland mitigation with the |
| 13 | DEC. We have a design now that Bob Torguson had |
| 14 | prepared for us that we're working with the DEC |
| 15 | on. |
| 16 | It is an eight-lot subdivision. The |
| 17 | zoning as it stands is half acre I believe in the |
| 18 | R-2 and then the RR I believe is two acres. We |
| 19 | don't have anything here that is less than two |
| 20 | acres on the whole site. We're looking to do |
| 21 | this as sensitively as possible. |
| 22 | We've had several meetings with the DEC |
| 23 | to discuss the crossing. We think that we've |
| 24 | come to an agreement with them at this point. |
| 25 | We've gone to Lanc & Tully for stormwater |

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| 2 | management and erosion control, all part of the |
| 3 | package. I realize there were some comments from |
| 4 | Mr. Hines with reference to some of the content |
| 5 | in the set. A lot of that is being addressed as |
| 6 | we speak. |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. I'll turn to |
| 8 | our consultants for their comments. Pat Hines. |
| 9 | MR. HINES: Our first comment is it |
| 10 | looks like there's a reference for Health |
| 11 | Department approval for the septic system to be |
| 12 | sought as the percolation rates are in excess of |
| 13 | what would be permitted for residential houses. |
| 14 | MR. OLSON: There are two lots. I |
| 15 | believe it was lot 8 and lot 3 where we've |
| 16 | actually gone back and done shallower perks to |
| 17 | investigate alternative type systems. We're |
| 18 | coming up good with that. It may not be |
| 19 | necessary. |
| 20 | MR. HINES: We'll look for that in the |
| 21 | future. |
| 22 | The roadway cross section needs to be |
| 23 | added. |
| 24 | You have an application in to the DEC? |
| 25 | MR. OLSON: It's in. |
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| 2 | MR. HINES: You realize the project has |
| 3 | a 99 job number and we were hoping you would have |
| 4 | a permit next time we saw you. |
| 5 | The plans need to be stamped by the |
| 6 | appropriate professional, a surveyor, et cetera. |
| 7 | There's no well shown on lot 8. |
| 8 | MR. OLSON: The intent on lot 8 is |
| 9 | actually to tie in to the municipal water line in |
| 10 | Union Avenue. |
| 11 | MR. HINES: Is the parcel in the water |
| 12 | district? |
| 13 | MR. OLSON: I believe it is. |
| 14 | MR. HINES: And why are we using wells |
| 15 | in the rest of the site? |
| 16 | MR. OLSON: So as not to involve |
| 17 | running a new water line all the way down. |
| 18 | MR. HINES: We're going to need to |
| 19 | check with Jim Osborne on that. I don't know if |
| 20 | that's allowed, to have wells in the water |
| 21 | district. |
| 22 | MR. DONNELLY: Most ordinances |
| 23 | MR. OLSON: It was a suggestion at a |
| 24 | workshop that we had, you know, in `05 I think |
| 25 | that we investigate looking in to providing wells |
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| 2 | rather than extending the water. |
| 3 | MR. HINES: I don't know if it was |
| 4 | suggested by who? |
| 5 | MR. OLSON: I think it was Osborne |
| 6 | himself. |
| 7 | MR. HINES: Okay. Just check with him |
| 8 | on that. |
| 9 | The grading needs to be cleaned up on |
| 10 | the front of the first lot. It states 200 to |
| 11 | 400. |
| 12 | The sizing of the pipe crossing the DEC |
| 13 | wetlands needs to be addressed. |
| 14 | The stormwater report prepared by Lanc |
| 15 | & Tully, are you still using that? |
| 16 | MR. OLSON: Yes. |
| 17 | MR. HINES: I need to get another copy |
| 18 | of it. |
| 19 | MR. OLSON: I was under the impression |
| 20 | you had one. |
| 21 | MR. HINES: I probably did. The file |
| 22 | is not updated. I need to see that again. |
| 23 | MR. OLSON: Sure. |
| 24 | MR. HINES: That's all we had. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Okay. Bryant |

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| 2 | Cocks. |
| 3 | MR. COCKS: Our first comment was just |
| 4 | regarding the change in the lot count. It was |
| 5 | originally twenty-four at one point, we did lead |
| 6 | agency and it was at five, now it's an eight-lot |
| 7 | subdivision so we're probably going to have to |
| 8 | recirculate for lead agency because of the |
| 9 | change. |
| 10 | It doesn't seem to need any variances. |
| 11 | The bulk tables need to be revised to |
| 12 | show actual dimensions for each lot. |
| 13 | We're going to need an engineer's and |
| 14 | surveyor's seals and signatures on the plans. |
| 15 | We need a signed owner's consent note. |
| 16 | We're going to need to see snow storage |
| 17 | easements in the cul-de-sac. |
| 18 | I like how the lot layout was designed |
| 19 | so that really no one is going to be looking in |
| 20 | other people's houses. They're kind of angled |
| 21 | away from each other. I just made the comment we |
| 22 | liked where the houses were laid out on each lot. |
| 23 | I just made the comment Pat is going to |
| 24 | be reviewing the wetlands but it's going to be a |
| 25 | major issue since they're so extensive on the |
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| 2 | site. |
| 3 | We'd like to see some type of entryway. |
| 4 | I mean there's a lot of cars on Union Avenue, a |
| 5 | lot of people pass by it. We would like to see |
| 6 | some kind of nice landscaping, a rock wall or |
| 7 | something coming in. |
| 8 | The Babcock lot is also very close to |
| 9 | the proposed private road. We're asking to see |
| 10 | any kind of screening. That was about it. |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen Arent. |
| 12 | MS. ARENT: On the Babcock lot that |
| 13 | Bryant spoke about, there's a stonewall that runs |
| 14 | along that property line and your grading plan is |
| 15 | proposing to take out that stonewall. We want to |
| 16 | make sure that stonewall remains. |
| 17 | Lot 2 should coincide with the |
| 18 | stonewall adjacent to the wetland mitigation |
| 19 | area. This stonewall should remain intact, and |
| 20 | since it creates a visible property land |
| 21 | demarcation it doesn't make sense for the other |
| 22 | lot to have it. There's big wetlands between it. |
| 23 | It would make sense to add it to lot 2. |
| 24 | The gray dashed line, it appears that's |
| 25 | the clearing limit line and it's very jagged and |
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| 2 | doesn't seem like it would be easy for machinery |
| 3 | to operate the way that line is shown on the |
| 4 | drawings. If you could consider the actual |
| 5 | practicality of that line and maybe smooth it out |
| 6 | and make it more easy to observe. We're also |
| 7 | going to ask you to fence that line before |
| 8 | construction begins. |
| 9 | MR. OLSON: Mm'hm'. |
| 10 | MS. ARENT: And put those notes on the |
| 11 | drawing. |
| 12 | Also include a note on the drawing that |
| 13 | includes tree replacement for the amount of trees |
| 14 | being removed inadvertently. |
| 15 | Street trees should be shown on the |
| 16 | drawing. |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Comments from Board |
| 18 | Members. Frank Galli? |
| 19 | MR. GALLI: I think he has his work cut |
| 20 | out for him. Good luck. |
| 21 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Cliff Browne? |
| 22 | MR. BROWNE: On the issue with the |
| 23 | wells versus the Town water, if that's a Town |
| 24 | requirement is that something that Jim Osborne |
| 25 | can just say okay to or |

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| MR. HINES: I don't know. I'll have to | |
| look at that. My initial reaction is if it's in | |
| the water district it's going to have to have | |
| water. | |
| MR. DONNELLY: Most municipalities | |
| prohibit it. Maybe there's a different approach | |
| in our code. We'll have to look. | |
| MR. BROWNE: And I might have missed | |
| it. Was there anything addressed with the | |
| adjacent property to the entryway going in? | |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Babcock. | |
| MR. BROWNE: Okay. All right. | |
| MR. HINES: They're going to preserve | |
| that stonewall. | |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Mennerich? | |
| MR. MENNERICH: No questions. | |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ed O'Donnell? | |
| MR. O'DONNELL: Nothing. | |
| MR. DONNELLY: I'm looking at the map | |
| to see if this requires a referral to Orange | |
| County. | |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I was thinking the | |
| same thing. | |
| MR. DONNELLY: It looks like it's near | |
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| 2 | 87 but I can't tell how close. |
| 3 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Do you know how |
| 4 | close you are to Route 87? |
| 5 | MR. OLSON: We're prior to Chapel, |
| 6 | so |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant, can you |
| 8 | scale it out? |
| 9 | MR. DONNELLY: The other issue is |
| 10 | whether you want to redesignate yourself. |
| 11 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: We should do that. |
| 12 | MS. ARENT: Unfortunately the location |
| 13 | maps aren't to scale. It looks close. |
| 14 | MR. HINES: It is pretty close. |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 16 | motion to |
| 17 | MR. HINES: You don't want to get |
| 18 | caught a year down the road here. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: declare our |
| 20 | intent for lead agency, to grant conceptual |
| 21 | approval and to circulate to the Orange County |
| 22 | Planning Department. |
| 23 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 24 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
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| Frank Galli. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| I'll ask for a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| Galli. |
| MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself yes. So |
| carried. |
| Would you provide Bryant Cocks with the |
| necessary plans to circulate to the Orange County |
| Planning Department and also for intent for lead |
| agency? |
| MR. OLSON: Certainly. |
| CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Thank you. |
| MR. HINES: When you or Bob Torguson |
| are doing the wetlands permit, can you copy us on |
| that? |
| MR. OLSON: cc the Planning Board? |
| MR. HINES: The Planning Board, yeah. |
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1 90 2 STATE OF NEW YORK : COUNTY OF ORANGE TOWN OF NEWBURGH PLANNING BOARD 3 -----X In the Matter of 4 5 MANSION 6 (2007-20)7 Route 17K Section 94; Block 1; Lot 58 8 IB Zone 9 ----X 10 CONCEPTUAL SITE PLAN 11 Date: July 5, 2007 Time: 8:22 p.m. Place: Town of Newburgh 12 Town Hall 13 1496 Route 300 Newburgh, NY 12550 14 15 BOARD MEMBERS: JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman FRANK S. GALLI 16 CLIFFORD C. BROWNE **KENNETH MENNERICH** 17 EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. 18 ALSO PRESENT: **DINA HAINES** 19 MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. **BRYANT COCKS** 20 PATRICK HINES KAREN ARENT 21 **KENNETH WERSTED** 22 APPLICANT'S REPRESENTATIVE: CHARLES BROWN -----X 23 MICHELLE L. CONERO 24 10 Westview Drive Wallkill, New York 12589 25 (845)895-3018

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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: The last item of |
| 3 | business we have this evening is the Mansion |
| 4 | located on Route 17K in an IB Zone. It's a |
| 5 | conceptual site plan being represented by Charlie |
| 6 | Brown. |
| 7 | MR. BROWN: I'm here on behalf of my |
| 8 | client, Keith Lipstein. The proposal is for a |
| 9 | cabaret steakhouse. The property is actually two |
| 10 | lots. It fronts on 17K right between the Auto |
| 11 | Auction entrance and our application for the JCM |
| 12 | Granite which is right next to this. It will be |
| 13 | a topless steakhouse. Sixty percent restaurant |
| 14 | as far as the area, forty percent |
| 15 | MR. DONNELLY: What kind of steakhouse? |
| 16 | MR. BROWN: Topless. We met with the |
| 17 | DOT. We would have limited access at the |
| 18 | entrance. It will be a right turn out, no left |
| 19 | turns out. |
| 20 | We're proposing to bring Wells Street |
| 21 | up to Town specs which would be a continuation of |
| 22 | what our proposal is there for JCM Granite. |
| 23 | We're here before the Planning Board |
| 24 | today to actually get a response on the proposed |
| 25 | use because my client has an option on the |
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| 2 | property. If it's something that's not permitted |
| 3 | by zoning or if the Planning Board thinks |
| 4 | inappropriate, he would not exercise his option. |
| 5 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mike, do you want |
| 6 | to bring us along on the parking issue? |
| 7 | MR. DONNELLY: One of the issues that |
| 8 | we spoke about earlier is you proposed to use an |
| 9 | area on the other side of a paper street. It |
| 10 | raises two issues. One is that another applicant |
| 11 | also proposes to use that area for parking for |
| 12 | his project, and that needs to be clarified. The |
| 13 | second is if he is not going to and you are, that |
| 14 | would make the primary use of that site parking, |
| 15 | and parking is not a use. You would need to |
| 16 | either purchase that and attach it to your land |
| 17 | or you couldn't utilize that as part of your |
| 18 | required parking. The last issue is since that |
| 19 | paper street doesn't seem to be used, we think it |
| 20 | would make sense for you to approach the Town |
| 21 | Board and see if they might be willing to abandon |
| 22 | that and convey that land to you because it could |
| 23 | be better utilized for your site. I forget the |
| 24 | name of the project. |
| 25 | MR. HINES: JCM Granite. |

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| 2 | MR. BROWN: I think that's on the right |
| 3 | side. I read Bryant's comments. JCM is over |
| 4 | here. We have no proposed |
| 5 | MR. COCKS: I thought it was the lot in |
| 6 | back. |
| 7 | MR. BROWN: JCM also fronts on 17K. |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: Who is the owner of the |
| 9 | other portion of the lot? Is it your client? |
| 10 | MR. BROWN: He has an option on both |
| 11 | lots. |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: So they could be merged |
| 13 | if you did that? |
| 14 | MR. BROWN: Correct. |
| 15 | MR. DONNELLY: That would solve the |
| 16 | primary use on the other land. It might make |
| 17 | sense if this moved down the road to see if the |
| 18 | Town would abandon the roadway. |
| 19 | MR. BROWN: There's no chance it could |
| 20 | be continued through? Actually, the Auto |
| 21 | Auction, I checked that today, their guard booth |
| 22 | is right about right there. |
| 23 | MR. DONNELLY: I would think it might |
| 24 | make sense for you to pay a visit to the Town |
| 25 | Board. |
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| 2 | MR. BROWN: Okay. |
| 3 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Wersted, you |
| 4 | had some comments to make as far as traffic. |
| 5 | MR. WERSTED: At my initial look at |
| 6 | this I was surprised to see that the site |
| 7 | driveway was so close to the intersection. You |
| 8 | said that DOT has already looked at it? |
| 9 | MR. BROWN: They'll allow us a right |
| 10 | turn out. They can enter from both directions, |
| 11 | exiting would be right out only. |
| 12 | MR. WERSTED: Okay. That was my |
| 13 | largest concern in terms of getting in and out of |
| 14 | the site was it's so close to the signal that |
| 15 | sometimes it's hard to turn out. |
| 16 | MR. DONNELLY: I was looking at the use |
| 17 | issue. I assume Bryant looked at that. |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, do you want |
| 19 | to begin reviewing the new Town guideline |
| 20 | standards for this? |
| 21 | MS. ARENT: The building is located |
| 22 | the front of the building at least is located |
| 23 | without parking between it and the road which is |
| 24 | in accordance with the guidelines. Before I |
| 25 | realized what kind of actual use it was I thought |
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| 2 | maybe since it had valet parking it was going to |
| 3 | be something where you might want a garden or |
| 4 | some kind of space in the back, but perhaps |
| 5 | MR. BROWN: My client has no problem |
| 6 | doing extensive landscaping. |
| 7 | MS. ARENT: It would be nice to see |
| 8 | maybe that road abandoned and moving the parking |
| 9 | back to give you some room to make it beautiful |
| 10 | and to locate the large trees at the wetlands |
| 11 | that could possibly be saved and put them on the |
| 12 | inventory. |
| 13 | MR. BROWN: Sure. |
| 14 | MS. ARENT: That's about it. |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen, they're |
| 16 | going to be limited as far as screening or even |
| 17 | carrying the same visual effect that the Auto |
| 18 | Auction has with their berms and their stonewalls |
| 19 | due to the fact they have wetlands, that they |
| 20 | wouldn't be able to plant in front of the |
| 21 | property. |
| 22 | MS. ARENT: It's pretty thick but we'll |
| 23 | have to it would be important to try to save |
| 24 | as much of the existing vegetation as possible. |
| 25 | They are showing the stormwater area where it |
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| 2 would be difficult to screen for | parking, |
| 3 especially from you're going | to have to |
| 4 provide screening of the parkin | ng from traveling |
| 5 west on Route 17K because yo | u don't have that |
| 6 much space. The proposed par | king is by the |
| 7 property line. Maybe some of | those |
| 8 MR. BROWN: Along h | ere? |
| 9 MS. ARENT: Yes. So | you'll have to |
| 10 look at providing screening in | there. Maybe you |
| 11 could reconfigure some of the | parking and try to |
| 12 get more green space around t | he building, more |
| 13 green space to screen the park | ing. I think from |
| 14 this direction the when you | travel east the |
| 15 building will screen most of th | nat parking. The |
| 16 Auto Auction site, that's fairly | wooded. As long |
| 17 as we can preserve as much of | that vegetation as |
| 18 we can I think we'll be okay th | ere. It's when |
| 19 you're traveling west is where | there's going to |
| 20 be a big view. That needs to b | be screened. |
| 21 CHAIRMAN EWASUT | TYN: Bryant and Mike, |
| have you had a chance to look | at this? |
| 23 MR. DONNELLY: Cha | arlie listed it as D6 |
| 24 on the table. Right? | |
| 25 MR. BROWN: Which | is a restaurant. |

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| 2 | MR. DONNELLY: The issue is whether the |
| 3 | cabaret is |
| 4 | MR. COCKS: They don't have adult uses |
| 5 | defined. Restaurants are allowed. I'm not sure |
| 6 | about the whole adult use component of it. |
| 7 | MR. BROWN: That's why we're here |
| 8 | tonight. I didn't see it anywhere in the code |
| 9 | either. |
| 10 | MR. HINES: You just broke it to us |
| 11 | tonight. |
| 12 | MR. GALLI: The Town has a ban on adult |
| 13 | uses in certain areas. |
| 14 | MR. DONNELLY: I don't see the |
| 15 | narrative here. We're going to need to look at |
| 16 | that. I don't know, since we haven't had these, |
| 17 | where the uses are zoned in the Town. Typically |
| 18 | there's an area where they are zoned. |
| 19 | MR. COCKS: There's no adult use |
| 20 | definition, there's no section on this. |
| 21 | MR. BROWN: It's really not addressed |
| 22 | at all in the Zoning. |
| 23 | MR. COCKS: We just looked and didn't |
| 24 | see it either. |
| 25 | MR. HINES: The restaurant use is |

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| 2 | definitely allowed. |
| 3 | MR. DONNELLY: I'll have to get back to |
| 4 | you. We haven't had one for me to look at the |
| 5 | ordinance. I know you have an issue with timing |
| 6 | but I can't help you there. I wouldn't want to |
| 7 | give you the wrong answer and cause you trouble. |
| 8 | I need to look at it. |
| 9 | MR. LIPSTEIN: I need to exercise the |
| 10 | option tomorrow. |
| 11 | MR. BROWN: How soon would we be able |
| 12 | to get an answer on that? |
| 13 | MR. DONNELLY: I can get an answer to |
| 14 | the Board next week as to what the ordinance |
| 15 | says. It may be if it's unclear it needs to go to |
| 16 | the Zoning Board for some clarification. I can't |
| 17 | tell you what the letter is going to say but I |
| 18 | can get the letter done next week. |
| 19 | MR. HINES: There are other issues with |
| 20 | the Town road and paper street going through |
| 21 | there. |
| 22 | MR. BROWN: We wouldn't have a |
| 23 | problem |
| 24 | MR. HINES: If the Town doesn't do it |
| 25 | you don't have the parking. |
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| 2 | MR. DONNELLY: Unless they merge the |
| 3 | parcels and they own them all they can do it. It |
| 4 | would be unfortunate to have them split the way |
| 5 | it is. |
| 6 | MR. HINES: How would they merge them |
| 7 | with a Town road between them? |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: The Town would have to |
| 9 | consent to its utilization or abandon it. It |
| 10 | would have to be solved one way or the other. |
| 11 | MR. GALLI: Can't you call the building |
| 12 | department and ask them if it's allowed, if you |
| 13 | can have a topless restaurant? |
| 14 | MR. DONNELLY: I want to look at the |
| 15 | ordinance and see. I don't know Jerry would know |
| 16 | the answer off the top of his head. He doesn't |
| 17 | receive that call that often. |
| 18 | MR. BROWN: Pleasure Island is in the |
| 19 | IB Zone, which this is also. |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I don't know if |
| 21 | that's IB anymore. |
| 22 | MR. BROWN: I thought they went from IB |
| 23 | to B. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: From IB to B it |
| 25 | went to? |
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| 2 | MR. DONNELLY: It might be |
| 3 | nonconforming and protected. I don't know. I |
| 4 | never had occasion to study the ordinance on |
| 5 | that. |
| 6 | MR. BROWN: Pleasure Island was in the |
| 7 | IB which is now a B. The Blue Moon is in a B |
| 8 | Zone. |
| 9 | MR. HINES: They may have been there |
| 10 | before the ordinance. |
| 11 | MR. O'DONNELL: You don't want to get |
| 12 | it right? You want us to make a call tonight and |
| 13 | be wrong? What do you want to do? The guy told |
| 14 | you he would write you a letter next week telling |
| 15 | you what the use is going to be. Is that not |
| 16 | good enough? |
| 17 | MR. BROWN: My client is on a very |
| 18 | short time. |
| 19 | MR. O'DONNELL: You should have came |
| 20 | here earlier. Send us a letter. He can't make |
| 21 | the ruling unless he researches it. |
| 22 | MR. BROWN: Okay. Thank you. |
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| 11 | | Date: July 5, 2007 |
| 12 | | Time: 8:33 p.m. Place: Town of Newburgh |
| 12 | | Town Hall |
| 13 | | 1496 Route 300 |
| 15 | | Newburgh, NY 12550 |
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| 15 | BOARD MEMBERS: | JOHN P. EWASUTYN, Chairman |
| | | FRANK S. GALLI |
| 16 | | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| | | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
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| | ALSO PRESENT: | DINA HAINES |
| 19 | | MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. |
| 20 | | BRYANT COCKS |
| 20 | | PATRICK HINES |
| 21 | | KAREN ARENT KENNETH WERSTED |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: At this point in |
| 3 | the meeting we're going to refer to our Board |
| 4 | business agenda, and that's the discussion of the |
| 5 | Drury Heights preliminary approval. |
| 6 | Mike, you prepared a resolution for us. |
| 7 | MR. DONNELLY: Yes. As you know, when |
| 8 | this was last on I had not prepared the |
| 9 | resolution and the Board traditionally has them |
| 10 | before them when they do this. We met at the |
| 11 | consultants' meeting and we went over the status |
| 12 | of the other agency approvals and I prepared this |
| 13 | resolution as a draft. I think we'll need to |
| 14 | hear from your consultants as to whether any |
| 15 | parts of it are inaccurate. I certainly need a |
| 16 | revised plan set on page 2, but that's not a |
| 17 | particularly difficult thing to have. This is |
| 18 | based upon the return of this land to its R-3 |
| 19 | zoning status. |
| 20 | The resolution is one for preliminary |
| 21 | subdivision approval because there are certainly |
| 22 | other agency approvals that are required. The |
| 23 | crux of the resolution conditions begin on page |
| 24 | 4. Karen told us at the work session that there |
| 25 | are some outstanding items per her memo of |
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| 2 | February 20, 2006. While that sounds like a long |
| 3 | time ago, recognize that for the period of time |
| 4 | when the ordinance had been vacated there was no |
| 5 | reason for the applicant to move forward to |
| 6 | resolve those. So they would have to be resolved |
| 7 | before final approval. |
| 8 | The driveway access has to be approved |
| 9 | by the Orange County Department of Public Works. |
| 10 | If any of my conditions are incorrect, correct me |
| 11 | as I go. |
| 12 | We had talked at the work session about |
| 13 | the need to have detailed plans of the sidewalk |
| 14 | connections. Brian Brooker said there are |
| 15 | several alternatives and he would provide those |
| 16 | as part of the final plans. We need an Army Corp |
| 17 | sign off for permits as the case may be. Most |
| 18 | importantly we need Orange County Department of |
| 19 | Health, realty subdivision, water main extension |
| 20 | approval, from the DEC we need sewer main and |
| 21 | stormwater SPDES. The Town Board will need to |
| 22 | create and approve a drainage district. I think |
| 23 | that application may have been made but it has |
| 24 | not been ruled upon. Street trees on the final |
| 25 | plans. Town Board approval of the roadways. The |
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| 2 3 | creation of sewer, water and lighting districts. |
| | A requirement of a developer's agreement to |
| 4 | incorporate the various on-site and off-site |
| 5 | improvements. I believe there was a proposed |
| 6 | homeowner's association and I think in the |
| 7 | Findings we had a requirement that they be |
| 8 | reviewed by the town attorney. |
| 9 | Jan. |
| 10 | MS. ULMAN: There were a couple of |
| 11 | things that were to be an alternative. Either |
| 12 | the Town Board might choose to accept dedication |
| 13 | or they might want a homeowner's association. So |
| 14 | if the condition could be either or. The same |
| 15 | actually with the districts. They may want us to |
| 16 | have outside user status, or be part of a |
| 17 | district, or create districts to give the Town |
| 18 | Board the alternatives. |
| 19 | MR. DONNELLY: In 13 I'll put if |
| 20 | required by the Town Board. |
| 21 | MR. HINES: Weren't there portions of |
| 22 | the land that clearly the Town wouldn't be |
| 23 | interested in accepting until |
| 24 | MS. ULMAN: It was my understanding |
| 25 | that the question was whether there was going to |
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| 2 | be a homeowner's association at all. So if the |
| 3 | condition could read either the homeowners or the |
| 4 | land dedicated to the Town and then just put the |
| 5 | alternative in the condition, then it would cover |
| 6 | all bases. |
| 7 | MR. HINES: That's fine. |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: We can work on that. |
| 9 | MS. ULMAN: And the same thing with the |
| 10 | districts versus outside user and which |
| 11 | districts, because again it was not certain what |
| 12 | districts, either for water or sewer I believe. |
| 13 | That was another question. |
| 14 | MR. DONNELLY: Which number was that? |
| 15 | MS. ULMAN: Mr. Demuro said that was |
| 16 | mostly actually, I don't have |
| 17 | MR. HINES: The question as to whether |
| 18 | it's Colden Park Sewer District or Crossroads. |
| 19 | MS. ULMAN: I don't have the final |
| 20 | draft. I only have an earlier draft because I |
| 21 | think I know you were out of town so it was a |
| 22 | little bit difficult. There were a couple issues |
| 23 | I wanted to go through with you. You were of |
| 24 | course out of town. Not your fault at all. |
| 25 | There's no way you could have. There was one |
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| 2 | other thing there were a couple other things |
| 3 | you may or may not have already dealt with. I'll |
| 4 | wait until you get to them, if you get to them. |
| 5 | Did you get all my |
| 6 | MR. DONNELLY: It did fax this to you |
| 7 | but maybe it was too late in the day. |
| 8 | MS. ULMAN: I probably left. |
| 9 | MR. DONNELLY: I sent it |
| 10 | MS. ULMAN: I appreciate that. I might |
| 11 | just not have seen it. |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: The next one says this |
| 13 | approval is conditioned upon the applicant |
| 14 | obtaining approval of the Town Board to supply |
| 15 | sewer service to the project or entering into an |
| 16 | out-of-district user agreement I'm sorry, and |
| 17 | entering into an out-of-district user agreement |
| 18 | with the Town Board. We'll simply defer to the |
| 19 | Town Board on all of those. We'll need a |
| 20 | landscaping plan, I think in particular for the |
| 21 | entrance way is what we talked about. |
| 22 | MS. ULMAN: That changed to an or? |
| 23 | MR. DONNELLY: I'm sorry. It should be |
| 24 | and. I'm just saying we'll defer I'll put in |
| 25 | front of all of these if required by the Town |

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| 2 | Board, |
| 3 | MS. ULMAN: Okay. |
| 4 | MR. DONNELLY: that way we can leave |
| 5 | open the possibility we'll defer to them. |
| 6 | MS. ARENT: Mike, you need a landscape |
| 7 | plan that addresses the landscaping proposed in |
| 8 | the F.E.I.S., or is it the D.E.I.S.? In the |
| 9 | Environmental Impact Statement. |
| 10 | MR. DONNELLY: 16 was a requirement |
| 11 | by the way, last year there was the issue of how |
| 12 | to handle the pending litigation. The Town Board |
| 13 | feels it does not need to enter into any |
| 14 | stipulation and that condition 16 simply says |
| 15 | that the applicant shall, and I don't think this |
| 16 | is any problem for you, before requesting final |
| 17 | subdivision approval from this Board notify the |
| 18 | Town Board in writing of its intent to seek final |
| 19 | subdivision approval so they're put on notice. |
| 20 | MS. ULMAN: I would actually prefer |
| 21 | that you leave that out. |
| 22 | MR. DONNELLY: Well I think we're going |
| 23 | to keep it in. All you have to do is copy them |
| 24 | on your letter to us and it's satisfied. We |
| 25 | don't want to see the ball drop. |
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| 2 | MS. ULMAN: I mean it's an unusual |
| 2 3 | condition. It's not really related to |
| 4 | subdivision. |
| 5 | MR. DONNELLY: Rather than enter into a |
| 6 | stipulation with other counsel who is appointed |
| 7 | by the insurance company, all we want is a notice |
| 8 | of provision. Copy them on your letter of |
| 9 | transmittal to us. That's all we're asking for. |
| 10 | MS. ULMAN: It's not really I mean |
| 11 | we're not getting |
| 12 | MR. DEMURO: It's just a copy to them. |
| 13 | MS. ULMAN: We're not getting the same |
| 14 | notice in return that Exiter got in exchange. |
| 15 | There's no reason for it. |
| 16 | MR. DONNELLY: I wouldn't have any |
| 17 | problem with asking the Town Board to give you |
| 18 | that same notice. |
| 19 | MR. DEMURO: I can't see a notice being |
| 20 | any problem. |
| 21 | MS. ULMAN: It doesn't seem like a fair |
| 22 | condition. |
| 23 | MR. DEMURO: Okay. |
| 24 | MR. DONNELLY: Then those conditions |
| 25 | will be incorporated into the final approval |
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| 2 3 | showing the clearing limits in the field. The |
| | ten-lot ARB, that will be required. MR. DEMURO: |
| 4 | I'm sorry. What was that? |
| 5 | MR. DONNELLY: You have more than ten |
| 6 | lots in the subdivision, you have to comply with |
| 7 | the architectural review provisions |
| 8 | MR. DEMURO: Right. |
| 9 | MR. DONNELLY: of the ordinance. A |
| 10 | street scape and recreational space plan shall be |
| 11 | included in the final plan submission. We |
| 12 | discussed that in the work session. |
| 13 | MS. ULMAN: I think that was going to |
| 14 | be deleted because that wasn't related to us. |
| 15 | MR. DONNELLY: I think |
| 16 | MS. ARENT: There is a recreation |
| 17 | space. |
| 18 | MR. DONNELLY: You hadn't proposed |
| 19 | whether it was a playground or picnic. We just |
| 20 | want to see a proposal. |
| 21 | MS. ARENT: They have a field, an open |
| 22 | field. |
| 23 | MR. DONNELLY: Is anything missing? |
| 24 | MS. ARENT: Only who is going to take |
| 25 | care of that. |

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| 2 | MR. DONNELLY: That will be in the | | |
| 3 | homeowner's association. You're correct, we | | |
| 4 | don't need that condition. | | |
| 5 | There will be a landscape bond, a | | |
| 6 | stormwater improvement security, a water main | | |
| 7 | extension security, a sewer main extension | | |
| 8 | security, a Town road security, there will be | | |
| 9 | offers of dedication for the roadway, and lastly | | |
| 10 | the imposition of payment of fees in lieu of | | |
| 11 | parklands. | | |
| 12 | MS. ULMAN: I would like to request | | |
| 13 | that be just clarified to state that it was done | | |
| 14 | for each phase because the project | | |
| 15 | MR. DONNELLY: Which part? | | |
| 16 | MS. ULMAN: The bonding. The project | | |
| 17 | is going to be done in phases so the bonding will | | |
| 18 | be in phases. | | |
| 19 | MR. DONNELLY: I don't have a problem | | |
| 20 | if that's what you're proposing. | | |
| 21 | MR. HINES: We don't have a phasing | | |
| 22 | plan. | | |
| 23 | MS. ULMAN: It was my understanding | | |
| 24 | that there was. | | |
| 25 | MR. DEMURO: With did make a phasing | | |
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| 2 | plan. |
| 3 | MS. ULMAN: There was a phasing plan. |
| 4 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: There might have |
| 5 | been five phases. |
| 6 | MR. DEMURO: I believe so. |
| 7 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: There were five |
| 8 | phases proposed for this. I remember, he's |
| 9 | right, there were phases proposed. |
| 10 | MR. HINES: They'll get preliminary |
| 11 | approval and final on each phase then. |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: Preliminary on the whole |
| 13 | thing. |
| 14 | MS. ULMAN: The bonding is for the |
| 15 | phases. |
| 16 | MR. HINES: So will the final approval |
| 17 | then. |
| 18 | MR. DONNELLY: You would come in for |
| 19 | final on each phase, so we can handle the bonding |
| 20 | at that point. We're just announcing these |
| 21 | things will be required later and we'll take |
| 22 | MS. ULMAN: Leave it the way it is |
| 23 | then. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Can you help me |
| 25 | with something? |
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| 2 | MS. ULMAN: Excuse me. Yes. |
| 3 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: For the record |
| 4 | would you give your name? The Stenographer is |
| 5 | recording what you're saying. |
| 6 | MS. ULMAN: Jan Ulman, Attorney for the |
| 7 | applicant. I've given you my card. |
| 8 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Thank you. |
| 9 | MR. DONNELLY: Those are the |
| 10 | conditions. |
| 11 | MR. DEMURO: Can I just have a moment |
| 12 | with my attorney? |
| 13 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: For the record |
| 14 | would you give your name? |
| 15 | MR. DEMURO: Lane Demuro, I am the |
| 16 | applicant. |
| 17 | (Pause in the proceedings.) |
| 18 | MS. ULMAN: So the condition is staying |
| 19 | the way it is and we'll worry about it at final. |
| 20 | MR. DONNELLY: That's simply announcing |
| 21 | things. We'll take care of the bonding phase by |
| 22 | phase when you come in for final approval. |
| 23 | MS. ULMAN: The other thing I wanted to |
| 24 | know, and I don't know if you want to deal with |
| 25 | it here or later, the tax lot numbers are not |
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| 2 | correct. |
| 3 | MR. DONNELLY: I would appreciate any |
| 4 | correction you have on that. |
| 5 | MS. ULMAN: Just one of them is |
| 6 | incorrect. It's the tax lot numbers were changed |
| 7 | when the land swap was |
| 8 | MR. DONNELLY: Give me the new ones. |
| 9 | MR. DEMURO: One is 89-1-4.42 and the |
| 10 | other one is 89-1-6. |
| 11 | MS. ULMAN: That you've got. |
| 12 | MR. DONNELLY: Fine. Have Brian send |
| 13 | me an updated plan set because I'm sure I need a |
| 14 | full plan set to be recited in here. If he gives |
| 15 | it to me in an e-mail, spreadsheet, however he |
| 16 | wants to do it. |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Final comments from |
| 18 | our consultants. Pat Hines? |
| 19 | MR. HINES: I have none. |
| 20 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Bryant Cocks? |
| 21 | MR. COCKS: We have no comments. |
| 22 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Karen Arent? |
| 23 | MS. ARENT: No comments. |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Ken Wersted? |
| 25 | MR. WERSTED: None. |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Final comments from |
| 3 | Board Members. Frank Galli? |
| 4 | MR. GALLI: None. |
| 5 | MR. BROWNE: It's been a long time. |
| 6 | MR. MENNERICH: None. |
| 7 | MR. O'DONNELL: None. I had a lot more |
| 8 | here when we started. |
| 9 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Mike, would you |
| 10 | like to add anything further at this point? |
| 11 | MR. DONNELLY: No. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 13 | motion to grant preliminary subdivision approval |
| 14 | for Drury Heights subject to the conditions of |
| 15 | the resolution of approval by our Attorney, Mike |
| 16 | Donnelly. |
| 17 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 18 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 19 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 20 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| 21 | Any discussion of the motion? |
| 22 | (No verbal response.) |
| 23 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 24 | roll call vote starting with Frank Galli. |
| 25 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |

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| 2 MR. BROWNE: Aye. | |
| 3 MR. MENNERICH: A | vye. |
| 4 MR. O'DONNELL: Ay | ye. |
| 5 CHAIRMAN EWASU | TYN: Myself yes. So |
| 6 carried. Thank you. | |
| 7 MR. DEMURO: Than | k you very much. |
| 8 MS. ULMAN: Thank | you, Mr. Chairman, |
| 9 Members. | |
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| 11 (Time noted: 8:45 p.m. | n.) |
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| 16 | | CLIFFORD C. BROWNE |
| | | KENNETH MENNERICH |
| 17 | | EDWARD T. O'DONNELL, JR. |
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| 10 | ALSO PRESENT: | DINA HAINES |
| 19 | | MICHAEL H. DONNELLY, ESQ. |
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| 2 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: It may be too early |
| 3 | tonight, maybe it isn't. We have one other |
| 4 | meeting in July. I would like to know by our |
| 5 | next meeting what Saturday would be available for |
| 6 | us to go on a quarterly site inspection. If you |
| 7 | want to do something in the evening let me know. |
| 8 | I would like to try and get together in August. |
| 9 | Dina, would you remember to put this |
| 10 | under Board business one more time. |
| 11 | MS. HAINES: The next meeting. Okay. |
| 12 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: At this point I'm |
| 13 | going to move for a motion to enter into |
| 14 | executive session and discuss pending litigation. |
| 15 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 16 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 17 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 18 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Ed O'Donnell. |
| 19 | I'll ask for a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| 20 | Galli. |
| 21 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 22 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 23 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 24 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Myself. So |
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| 1 | 120 |
| 2 | carried. |
| 3 | (The Planning Board went into |
| 4 | executive session from 8:45 p.m. |
| 5 | until 9:14 p.m.) |
| 6 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I'll move for a |
| 7 | motion to resume the regular meeting. |
| 8 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 9 | MR. O'DONNELL: Second. |
| 10 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
| 11 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Mr. O'Donnell. |
| 12 | I'll move for a roll call vote starting with |
| 13 | Frank Galli. |
| 14 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 15 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 16 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 17 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 18 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: And myself. So |
| 19 | carried. |
| 20 | The last thing I'll move for is a |
| 21 | motion to close the Planning Board meeting of |
| 22 | July 5th. |
| 23 | MR. GALLI: So moved. |
| 24 | MR. MENNERICH: Second. |
| 25 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: I have a motion by |
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| 2 | Frank Galli. I have a second by Ken Mennerich. |
| 3 | I'll ask for a roll call vote starting with Frank |
| 4 | Galli. |
| 5 | MR. GALLI: Aye. |
| 6 | MR. BROWNE: Aye. |
| 7 | MR. MENNERICH: Aye. |
| 8 | MR. O'DONNELL: Aye. |
| 9 | CHAIRMAN EWASUTYN: Aye. So carried. |
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| 11 | (Time noted: 9:15 p.m.) |
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