Tax Map/Block/Parcel No. 61-2-613

Case 5418

OFFICIAL DECISION BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND

APPLICANT:

Bruce C. Combs

3630 Hooper Road

New Windsor, Maryland 21776

ATTORNEY:

Clark R. Shaffer

REQUEST:

A conditional use for parking facilities for commercial vehicles

(not to include truck or motor freight terminals) with an accessory

office.

LOCATION:

The site is located at 3630 Hooper Road, New Windsor, MD 21776, on property zoned "A" Agricultural District in Election

District 9.

BASIS:

Code of Public Local Laws and Ordinances, Section 223-71 A (23)

HEARING HELD:

June 25, 2008

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

On June 25, 2008, the Board of Zoning Appeals (the Board) convened to hear a conditional use request for parking facilities for commercial vehicles (not to include truck or motor freight terminals) with an accessory office. Based on the testimony and evidence presented, the Board made the following findings and conclusion:

The Applicant resides on 12.7 acres in the "A" Agricultural zone. He purchased this property in 1993. It is served by a use-in-common driveway.

The Applicant operates a drywall business from the home. The property includes several outbuildings, which contain equipment for the business as well as personal vehicles. The business employs 10 persons, although only 3 come to the residence each day. Customer traffic to the property is rare. Most business is conducted off the site and by phone. A list of the company's vehicles is affixed hereto as Exhibit "A".

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The Applicant testified that he has or will instruct his employees and invitees not exceed 15 miles per hour on the common driveway. In addition, the Applicant testified that he will maintain contact with his neighbors who share the driveway with regard to the operation of his business.

Based on the above the Board found that a drywall company will not generate noise, dust, fumes, traffic or any other adverse effect greater here than elsewhere in the zone. The business is quiet, clean and has generated few, if any problems in the neighborhood. Business operations will occur mostly off site. The storage of vehicles at this property is done so in a manner to minimize the visibility of the business. No diminution of property values or disruption to the neighborhood was shown. Accordingly, the conditional use was granted. This conditional use is to be considered personal to the Applicant and his business, and may not be transferred except to any drywall company controlled and operated by Bruce Combs, Linda Combs or Mark Combs or any combination thereof.

b M. Yingling, Chairman

Date

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BRUCE COMBS DRYWALL, INC. VEHICLE LIST

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Vehicle

VEIN

DRIVER

| 2004 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTNVV21P34EC61370 | BRUCE COMBS | PARKED IN DRIVEWAY |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| 2003 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTNW21P13EC29614 | MARC COMBS | NOT PARKED HERE |
| 2001 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTNW21F51ED71100 | BILL WERKING | NOT PARKED HERE |
| 1999 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTNX21F9XEC90042 | RAY KING | NOT PARKED HERE |
| 2001 Chevrolet Cargo Van | 1GCFG15W111114108 | STEVE FULLER | NOT PARKED HERE |
| 1997 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTHX265F1VEA71580 | BRUCE COMBS | PARKED IN DRIVEWAY |
| 1994 Ford F-250 Pickup | 1FTHX26KXRKB82102 | SNOW PLOW | PARKED IN DRIVEWAY |
| 2000 Isuzu Box Truck | JALC4B14XY7003195 | PARKED | |
| 2002 Chevrolet Pickup | 1GCEC14W12Z253831 | RESIDENTIAL | PARKED IN DRIVEWAY |
| 2003 Chevrolet Pickup | 1GCEC14XX3Z276194 | COMMERCIAL | PARKED IN DRIVEWAY |