CARROLL COUNTY GOVERNMENT

225 N. Center Street Westminster, Maryland 21157 410-386-2980 Toll-free 1-888-302-8978 Fax 410-386-2451 TT 410-848-3017



Acting Zoning Administrator Gayle Fritz

Official Decision **Case ZA-1000** Permit - 06-0678 **Acting Zoning Administrator** Carroll County, Maryland

APPLICANT:

Lawrence and Janet Garrison

REQUEST:

A variance from the required minimum side setback of 20 feet to 10 feet

for an attached garage

LOCATION:

1507 Carriage Hill Dr.

Westminster, Md.

MAP/BLOCK/PARCEL:

46/6/1343

APPLICABLE REGULATIONS: Code of Public Local Laws and Ordinances, Chapters 223-66 and 181

HEARING HELD:

May 3, 2006

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

Based on the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing, the variance is granted.

Facts, which support the request for relief from the strict terms of the Ordinance, in this case, a reduction of the minimum side setback of 20 feet to 10 for the construction of an attached garage are as follows:

This lot is on a corner and the buildable area is surrounded on 3 sides by recorded minimum building setback lines which greatly restricts any construction. The septic system is in the rear of the property. The driveway is on the left side of the house making this the only practical location for a garage.

There was no one present at the hearing opposing the Applicant's request; therefore, the granting of this variance should have no adverse effect on any adjoining property owners.

This approval is valid for one year from the date of a Zoning Certificate.

Official Decision **ZA-1000** Page Two

Note:

An appeal of a Decision made pursuant to Chapter 223-183 may be made to the Board of Zoning Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of the Zoning Administrator's decision in accordance with Chapter 223-188 of the Code of Public Local Laws and Ordinances.

A decision of the Zoning Administrator made pursuant to Chapter 223-183 is final and constitutes a zoning action. Unless timely appealed, parties may not thereafter challenge the Zoning Administrator's decision.

May 3 2006 Date

Acting Zoning Administrator