Tax Map/Block/Parcel No. 12/21/429

Building Permit/Zoning Certificate No. Not listed

Case 3376

OFFICIAL DECISION
BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS
CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND

APPLICANT:

Jack M. Winfrey and Donna L. Winfrey

3846 Turkeyfoot Road

Westminster, Maryland 21157

AGENT:

B.J. Johnson

Land Acquisition Office

125 North Court Street, Suite 209

Westminster, Maryland 21157

REQUEST:

A variance reducing the minimum required lot

area of 3 acres to 2.839 acres to allow farm

animals or livestock to be kept in an agricultural barn or private stable

LOCATION:

3846 Turkeyfoot Road in Election District 3

BASES:

Article 6, Sections 6.2(a), 6.4(h), and 6.7; Article 15, Section 15.5; Ordinance 1E (The

Carroll County Zoning Ordinance)

HEARING HELD:

May 25, 1990

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

The application, testimony and evidence comprising the record of this case are hereby included by reference in this decision. Based on the record, the Board hereby authorizes the requested variance. The pertinent findings determining the Board's decision include the facts that the lot area of the property is now 3 acres and is traversed by Turkeyfoot Road, which is not constructed to county standards. County plans are to improve the construction of the road to county standards. This involves acquisition of the right-of-way by the county to facilitate construction of the road. The acquisition by the county will reduce the area of the property to less than 3 acres, otherwise precluding use of the property for maintaining and keeping farm animals or livestock on the premises. Acquistion of the right-of-way will be beneficial to the public interest, and there is no indication that authorization of the variance will unduly affect the residents of adjacent properties or the value of such properties.

May 31, 1990
Date

John Totura, Chairman