CASE # 2005-23 \ C-\

GRANTING VARIANCES FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED AT 4904 BLOCK OF PEC RD SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals has presented to the Sangamon County Board, Sangamon County, Illinois, its Findings of Fact and Recommendation that the Sangamon County Board grant variances to the Sangamon County Zoning Ordinance with respect to the following described property, to-wit:

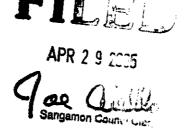
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WHEREAS, the Petitioner, Gerald Butler, has petitioned the Sangamon County Board for a variance to allow the lot area to exceed the 5 acre maximum for one parcel and a variance to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for one parcel to allow the tract to be divided into 2 parcels; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held at the Sangamon County Building on April 21, 2005, after proper notice was posted on said property and given by news publication, as is required by said Ordinance, and all procedural and jurisdictional requirements of the Sangamon County Zoning Ordinance have been met; and

WHEREAS, the Sangamon County Zoning Board of Appeals has presented to the Sangamon County Board of Sangamon County its Findings of Fact and Recommendation that the Sangamon County Board grant the variances; and

WHEREAS, the Sangamon County Board does hereby adopt the recommendation of the Sangamon County Zoning Roard of Appeals.



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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Sangamon County, Illinois, in session assembled this 10th day of May, 2005 that a variance to allow the lot area to exceed the 5 acre maximum for one parcel and a variance to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for one parcel to allow the above described tract to be divided into 2 parcels is hereby approved.

Signed and passed by the Sangamon County Board in session on this 10th day of May, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY & ZONING COMMITTEE OF THE SANGAMON COUNTY BOARD

DAN VAUGHN, CHAIRMAN

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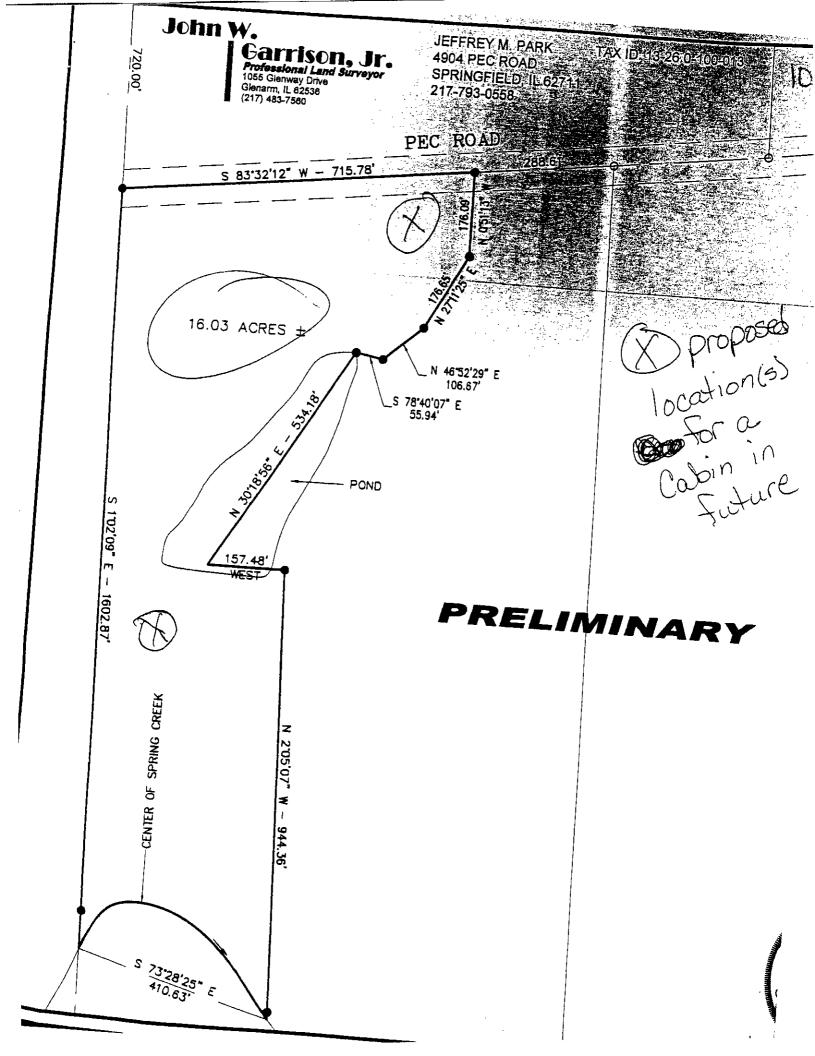
ATTEST:

SANGAMON COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY BOADD CHAIDMAN

EXHIBIT A

Part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 26, Township 16 North, Range 6 West of the Third Principal Meridian, as follows: Beginning at a point of intersection of the center line of a Township Road with the West line of said Section, said point begin 720 feet South of the Northwest corner of said Section, thence South on the Section line 1562.5 feet to the center of Spring Creek; thence following the meanderings of said stream Southeasterly to the intersection of the creek and the Quarter Section line; thence East on the Quarter Section line 562.57 feet; thence North 1950.35 feet to the centerline of aforesaid Township Road; thence Southwesterly 1004.39 feet to the point of beginning; except the coal and other minerals underlying the surface of said land and all rights and easements in favor of the estate of said coal and minerals; situated in Sangamon County, Illinois.



RECAP (For County Board Use)

COUNTY BOARD MEMBER: #1 NAME: Harry "Tom" Fraase, Jr.

DOCKET NUMBER:

2005-23

ADDRESS:

4904 PEC Rd., Springfield, IL. 62707

PETITIONER:

Gerald Butler

PRESENT ZONING CLASSIFICATION: "A" Agricultural District

REQUESTED ZONING CLASSIFICATION: "A" Agricultural District with a variance to

allow the lot area to exceed the 5 acre maximum for one parcel and a variance to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for one parcel to allow the tract to be divided into 2 parcels.

AREA:

41.86 acres

COMMENTS:

None

OBJECTORS:

None

PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION:

Recommend approval. The

standards for variation are met.

SANGAMON COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

RECORDING SECRETARY

SANGAMON COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITON OF:)	DOCKET NO: 2005-23
Gerald Butler)	
)	PROPERTY LOCATED AT:
)	4904 PEC Rd.
)	Springfield, IL. 62707
)	

RECOMMENDATION OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

THIS MATTER, Coming on for a hearing before the Sangamon County Zoning Board of Appeals of Sangamon County, Illinois, and it appearing to said Board that a petition for variances of the Zoning Regulations of said County has been filed herein by the above captioned petitioner (s); that legal publication has been made pursuant to law; and that a public hearing was held on April 21, 2005 pursuant to law; and that said Board took testimony of witnesses, examined the evidence, and otherwise being fully advised in the premises, therefore finds as follows:

- 1. That said Board has jurisdiction to consider the petition filed herein.
- 2. That the above-captioned petitioner(s) is the owner(s) and/or has a beneficial interest in or contract to purchase the property commonly known as 4904 PEC Rd., Springfield, IL. 62707 and more particularly described as:

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- 3. That the present zoning of said property is "A" Agricultural District.
- 4. That the present land use of said property is Single Family Residence.
- 5. That the proposed land use of said property is single family residence and weekend cabin/getaway on 16.03 acres.
- 6. That the requested variances of said property is: to allow the lot area to exceed the 5 acre maximum for one parcel and to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for one parcel to allow the tract to be divided into 2 parcels.
- 7. That required findings and standards of the Sangamon County Board of Appeals are accurately stated on the attached exhibit (s).
- 8. The evidence adduced at the hearing **does** support the proposition that the adoption of the proposed **variances** is in the public interest and is not solely in the interest of the petitioner (s).

IT IS, THEREFORE, the recommendation of the Sangamon County Zoning Board of Appeals to the County Board of Sangamon County that the requested variances be approved.

Charles Chemint 1991 CHAIRMAN

MINUTES OF THE SANGAMON COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

There was a motion by Zoning Board Member John Goleman to concur with the findings of fact and recommendation of the Regional Planning Commission and recommend to the County Board that the petition be approved, which was duly seconded by Patrick Somers.

The vote of the Board was as follows:

YES: Charles Chimento, Donn Malwick, John Goleman, Patrick Somers, Marvin Traylor

NO:

ABSENT:

RECORDING SECRETARY



ZONING VARIANCE CHECK LIST

CASE #:

2005-23

INDEX #: 13-26-100-013

DATE:

4-7-05

INSPECTED BY:

DK

LW

PETITIONER:

Butler, Gerald

ADDRESS:

4904 PEC Road

EXISTING ZONING:

Variance to allow one parcel greater than 5 acres and a variance to allow the lot REQUEST DESCRIPTION: depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for one parcel.

Staff Estimate of the Variance		None	Slight	Mod.	Great
	land use	×			
CONTRASTS:	appearance	х			
CURRENT	height	х			
VS. PROPOSED	parking	х			
PROBLEMS FORESEEN	drainage	х			
	sewer	x			
	traffic flow	х			



Frontage

Lineal Feet

Existing Yards (ft.)

Area

PEC Road - 1,004

600

550/370

1,250

41.86 acres

front

side

rear

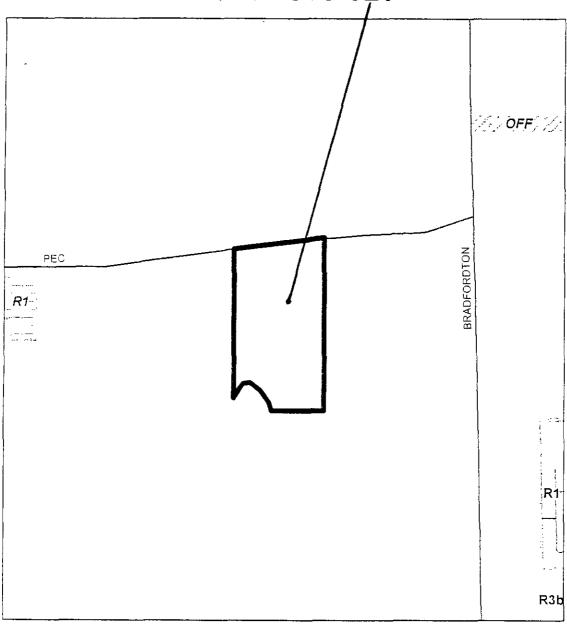
OTHER COMMENTS:

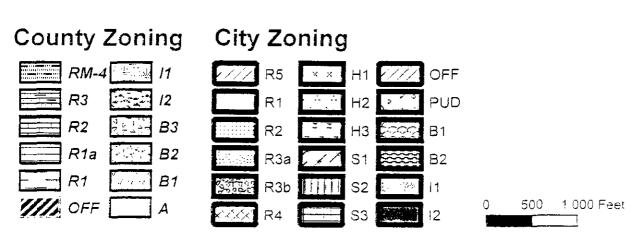
STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Recommend approval. The standards for variation are met.

County Zoning

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RECOMMENDED STANDARDS FOR VARIATIONS

Case #: 2005-23

Address: 4904 PEC Road

The Zoning Board of Appeals shall not recommend to the Sangamon County Board that the regulations of this ordinance be varied as authorized in F. (1) hereof, unless it shall make findings of fact based upon the evidence presented to it in each specified case:

(i) that the property in question cannot be economically used or yield a reasonable return, if permitted to be used only for the conditions allowed by the regulations.

The request is made to facilitate division of the property as allowed under the one-time exception to the bulk regulations provision of the zoning ordinance.

(ii) that the plight of the owner is due to circumstances unique to the property and not generally applicable to other property in the area.

The property is rolling and it would be logical to create the new tract based on the topography of the land.

(iii) that the variation, if granted, will not alter the essential character of the locality, impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, increase the congestion of traffic, or diminish or impair property values in the locality.

No