

GRANTING VARIANCES FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY LOCATED AT 8383 PRAIRIE SCHOOL RD, WILLIAMSVILLE 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 granting variances to the Sangamon County Zoning Ordinance with respect to the following described property, to-wit:

See Exhibit A

WHEREAS, the Petitioner, Phillip Simpson, has petitioned the Sangamon County Board for a variance to allow 1 parcel greater than 5 acres and to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for 1 parcel; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held at the Sangamon County Building on April 16, 2009, 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 Board of Appeals.

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Sangamon County Clerk

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Sangamon County, Illinois, in session assembled this 12th day of May, 2009 that the request for a variance to allow 1 parcel greater than 5 acres and to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for 1 parcel on the above described property is hereby approved.

Signed and passed by the Sangamon County Board in session on this 12th day of May, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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

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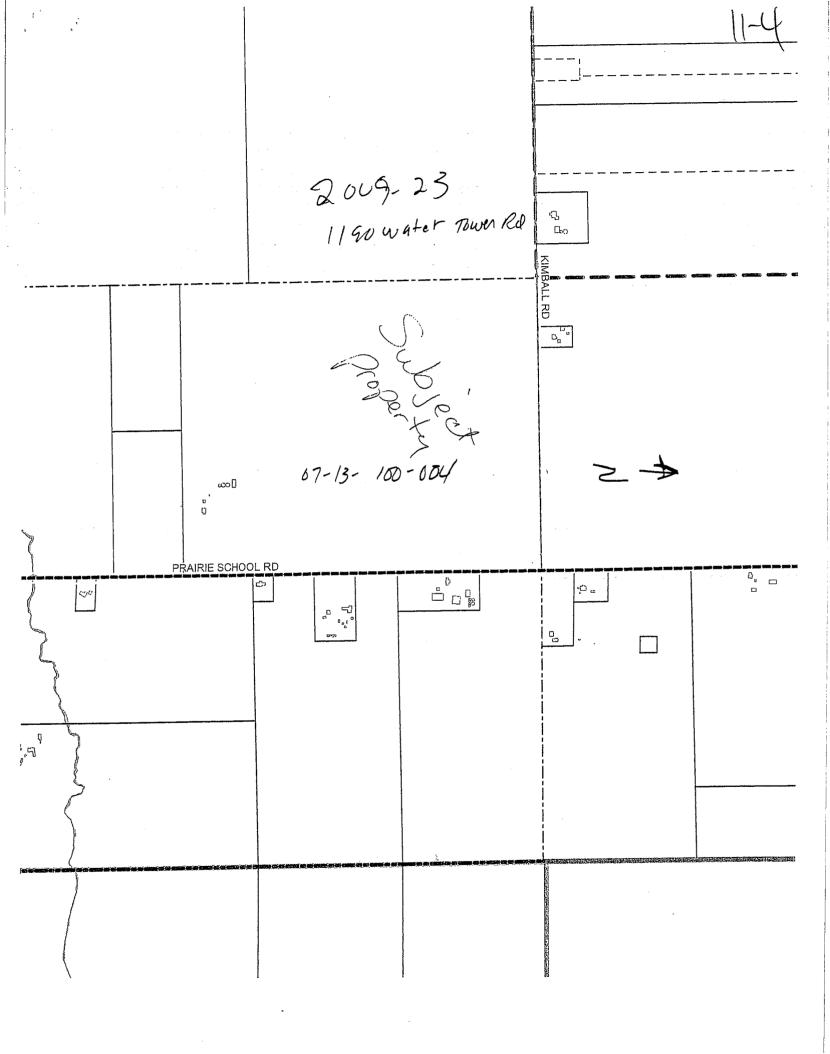
ATTEST:

SANGAMON COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY BOARD CHAIRMAN

EXHIBIT A

The South Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirteen (13), all in Township Seventeen (17) North, Range Four (4) West of the Third Principal Meridian; and The Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter and the North Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section Thirteen (13), all in Township Seventeen (17) North, Range Four (4) West of the Third Principal Meridian; and the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirteen (13) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Thirteen (13), all in Township Seventeen (17) North, Range Four (4) West of the Third Principal Meridian, EXCEPT the West Twelve Feet (12) thereof: situated in Sangamon County Illinois



RECAP (For County Board Use)

COUNTY BOARD MEMBER: #2 NAME:

Todd Smith

DOCKET NUMBER:

2009-23

ADDRESS:

8383 Prairie School Rd., Williamsville, IL. 62693

PETITIONER:

Phillip Simpson

PRESENT ZONING CLASSIFICATION: "A" Agricultural District

REQUESTED ZONING CLASSIFICATION: "A" Agricultural District with a variance to allow 1 parcel greater than 5 acres and to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for 1 parcel.

AREA:

200 acres

COMMENTS:

None

OBJECTORS:

None

PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION: Recommend approval. The

property owner seeks to divide off a parcel that already contains a residential

structure. The standards for variation are met.

SANGAMON COUNTY BOARD OF APPEALS

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

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SANGAMON COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS SANGAMON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITON OF:)	DOCKET NO: 2009-23
Phillip Simpson)	
)	PROPERTY LOCATED AT:
)	8383 Prairie School Rd
)	Williamsville, IL. 62693
)	

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 16, 2009 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, contract to purchase, or is the County Board Member representing the property commonly known as 8383 Prairie School Rd., Williamsville, IL. 62693 and more particularly described as:

See Exhibit A

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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 & farmland.
- 5. That the proposed land use of said property is existing use continued.
- 6. That the requested variances of said property are to allow 1 parcel greater than 5 acres and to allow the lot depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for 1 parcel.
- 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 Chimento/OK CHAIRMAN

MINUTES OF THE SANGAMON COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

There was a motion by Zoning Board Member **Byron Deaner** 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 **John Luchessi**.

The vote of the Board was as follows:

YES: Charles Chimento, Byron Deaner, Marvin Traylor, John Luchessi, Don Wulf

NO:

ABSENT:

Peggy Egizii, Judith Johnson

RECORDING SECRETARY

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Springfield
Sangamon County Regional
Planning Commission

Staff Findings and Recommendation

(inspected

4/1/2009

by MB & AJ)

SANGAMON COUNTY ZONING CASE #

2009-23

ADDRESS

8383 Prairie School Road

Property Index #

07-13-100-004

PETITIONER Phillip Simpson

REQUESTED ZONING

A variance to allow 1 parcel greater than 5 acres and to allow the lot

depth to exceed 2 ½ times the lot width for 1 parcel.

PROPOSED LAND USE

Divide single family residence from the cropland.

EXISTING:

ZONING A

LAND USE Single family residence and cropland.

ROAD FRONTAGE

Prairie School Road – 3.297'

CONDITION OF PAVEMENT

Good

Kimball Road - 2,697'

Good

STRUCTURE DESIGNED FOR

Residence

CONDITION OF STRUCTURE

Good

LOT AREA

200 acres

FRONT YARD

800'

SIDE YARDS

2,796' / 470'

REAR YARD

1.756



Would the proposed zoning be spot zoning?

N/A

PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Recommend approval. The property owner seeks to divide off a parcel that already contains a residential structure. The standards for variation are met.

SANGAMON COUNTY RECOMMENDED - STANDARDS FOR VARIATIONS

Case #: 2009-23

Address: 8383 Prairie School 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 parcel that the owner seeks to divide off contains a pre-existing residential structure and outbuildings. It would not be economically feasible to return the property to farmland since the property has been used as residential.

(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 subject property is a large lot area (200 acres) and has ample road frontage on Kimball Road and Prairie School Road. The petitioner is requesting to divide the residence from the tillable acreage.

(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 negative impact is anticipated.

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County Zoning

Case# 2009-23

Requested: Variance



