



HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Marc Elrich
County Executive

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Date: March 8, 2023

MEMORANDUM

TO: Rabbiah Sabbakhan, DPS Director Department of Permitting
Services
FROM: Winnie Cargill
Historic Preservation Section
Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission
SUBJECT: Historic Area Work Permit #1023139 - Fence and Driveway

The Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) has reviewed the attached application for a Historic Area Work Permit (HAWP). This application was **Approved** by the HPC Staff.

The HPC staff has reviewed and stamped the attached construction drawings.

THE BUILDING PERMIT FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ISSUED CONDITIONAL UPON ADHERENCE TO THE ABOVE APPROVED HAWP CONDITIONS AND MAY REQUIRE APPROVAL BY DPS OR ANOTHER LOCAL OFFICE BEFORE WORK CAN BEGIN.

Applicant: David Bend
Address: 7417 Maple Ave., Takoma Park

This HAWP approval is subject to the general condition that the applicant will obtain all other applicable Montgomery County or local government agency permits. After the issuance of these permits, the applicant must contact this Historic Preservation Office if any changes to the approved plan are made. Once work is complete the applicant will contact Winnie Cargill at 301.495.2108 or winnie.cargill@montgomeryplanning.org to schedule a follow-up site visit.





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HAWP #: _____ at: _____

submitted on: _____

has been reviewed and determined that the proposal fits into the following category/categories:

Repair or replacement of a masonry foundation with new masonry materials that closely match the original in appearance;

Installation of vents or venting pipes in locations not visible from the public right-of-way;

New gutters and downspouts;

Removal of vinyl, aluminum, asbestos, or other artificial siding when the original siding is to be repaired and/or replaced in kind;

Removal of accessory buildings that are not original to the site or non-historic construction;

Repair or replacement of missing or deteriorated architectural details such as trim or other millwork, stairs or stoops, porch decking or ceilings, columns, railings, balusters, brackets shutters, etc., with new materials that match the old in design, texture, visual characteristics, and, where possible materials, so long as the applicant is able to provide one extant example, photographic evidence, or physical evidence that serves as the basis for the work proposed;

Construction of wooden decks that are at the rear of a structure and are not visible from a public right-of-way;

Roof replacement with -compatible roofing materials, or with architectural shingles replacing 3-Tab asphalt shingles;

Installation of storm windows or doors that are compatible with the historic resource or district;

Repair, replacement or installation of foundation-level doors, windows, window wells, and areaways, or foundation vents, venting pipes, or exterior grills that do not alter the character-defining features and/or the historic character of the resource;

Construction of fences that are compatible with the historic site or district in material, height, location, and design;

Fence is lower than 48" in front of rear wall plane;

Construction of walkways, parking pads, patios, driveways, or other paved areas that are not visible from a public right-of-way and measure no more than 150 square feet in size;

Replacement of existing walkways, parking pads, patios, driveways, or other paved areas with materials that are compatible with the visual character of the historic site and district and that are no greater than the dimensions of the existing hardscape;

Construction of small accessory buildings no larger than 250 square feet in size that are not visible from the public right-of-way;

Installations of skylights on the rear of a structure that will not be visible from the public right-of-way, and would not remove or alter character-defining roof materials;

Installation of solar panels and arrays in locations that are not readily visible from the public right-of-way or that are designed so as to have a minimal impact on the historic resource or the historic district (e.g., systems that are ground-mounted in areas other than the front or side yard of a corner lot, located on accessory or outbuildings, on non-historic additions, or on rear facing roof planes);

Installation of car charging stations in any location on a property or in the right-of-way;

Installation of satellite dishes;

Removal of trees greater than 6" in diameter (d.b.h.) that are dead, dying, or present an immediate hazard.

Removal of trees greater than 6" in diameter (d.b.h.) in the rear of the property that will not impact the overall tree canopy of the surrounding district or historic site;

Replacement tree required as a condition; and,

Other minor alterations that may be required by the Department of Permitting Services post-Commission approval that would have no material effect on the historic character of the property.

Staff finds the proposal complies with Chapter 24A, the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation, and any additional requisite guidance. Under the authority of COMCOR No. 24A.04.01, this HAWP is approved by Christina Cargill on _____. The approval memo and stamped drawings follow.

Description of Property: Please describe the building and surrounding environment. Include information on significant structures, landscape features, or other significant features of the property:

Our home is a contributing historic resource to Takoma Park's historic district. It is our understanding the home was constructed in 1922 and is a Dutch Colonial.

Description of Work Proposed: Please give an overview of the work to be undertaken:

We have been previously approved by the historic commission to make several improvements to our home including a small addition. We are now seeking permission to update some of the exterior features of our home, including:

1. Removing our gravel driveway and replacing it with permeable paver stone
2. Replacing the wire fencing on the Philadelphia elevation of our home with wood fencing to match our existing fencing
3. Replacing deteriorating wood fencing on Valley View elevation of our home with matching new fencing
4. Adding a gate to our driveway that allows the backyard to be outdoor space as a principal use

REVIEWED

By Winnie Cargill at 11:16 am, Mar 08, 2023



Work Item 1: _____

Description of Current Condition:



Proposed Work: excavate existing gravel and replace with permeable pavers.

Work Item 2: _____ Replace Valley View elevation fence to match other fencing and replace deteriorating fence to match existing

Description of Current Condition:

Wire fence along Valley View elevation



Proposed Work: replace with wood fencing to match existing wood fencing on Maple and Valley View elevations and replace existing deteriorating fence to match existing

Work Item 3: _____ Add gate to driveway matching existing fencing style

Description of Current Condition:

Gravel Driveway



Proposed Work: See attached image

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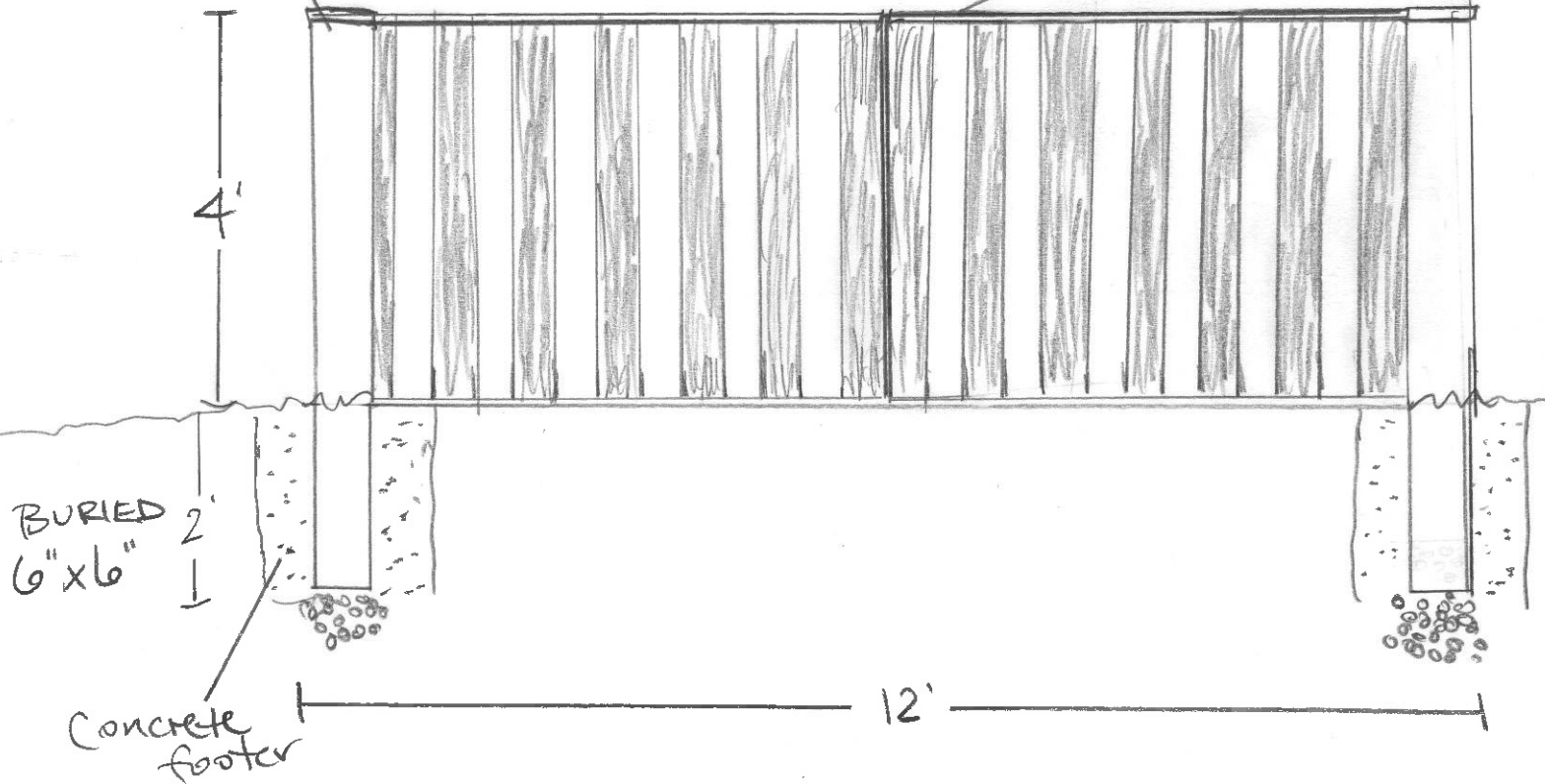
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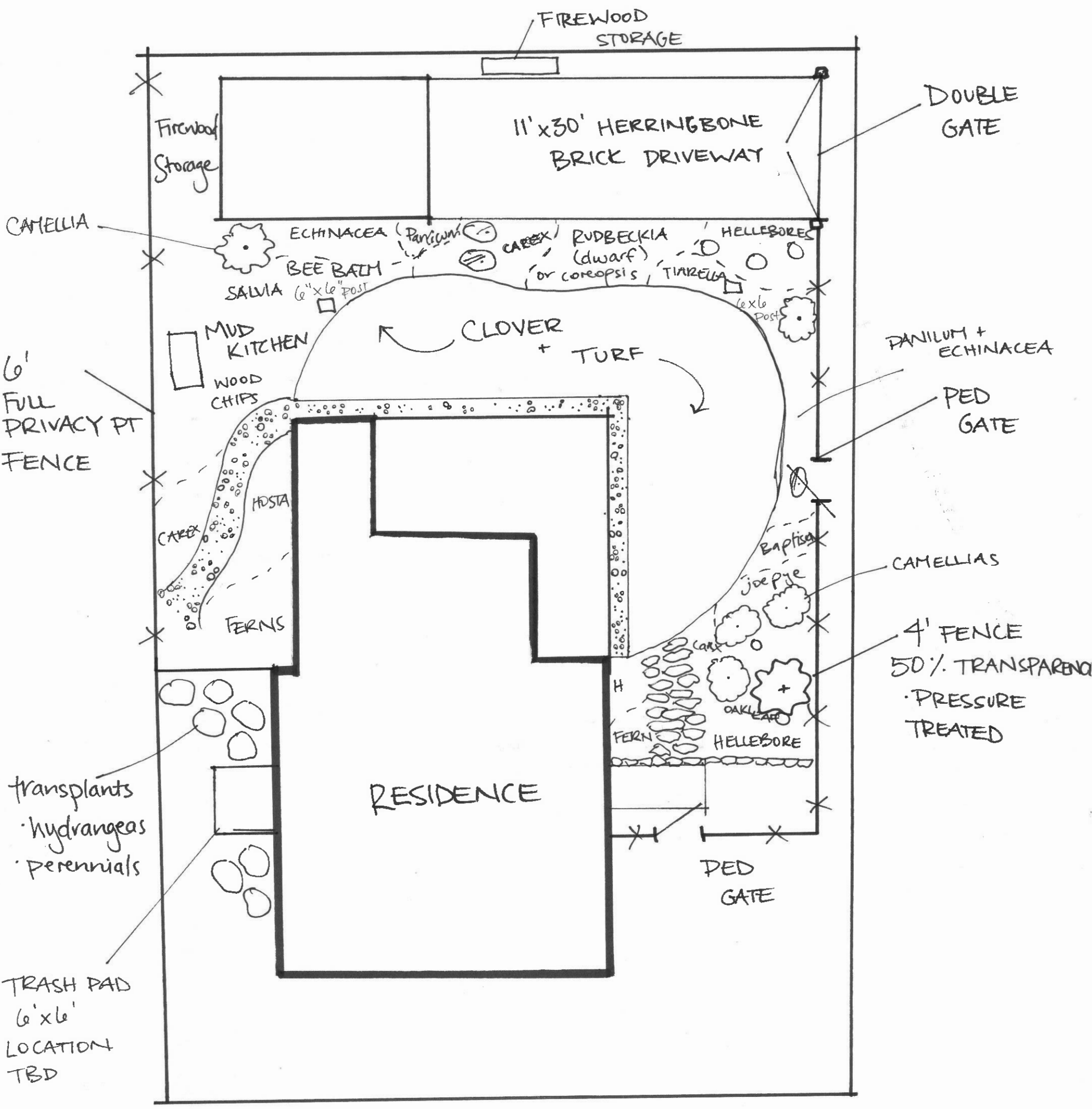
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6"x6" POST
PRESSURE TREATED
FOR GROUND CONTACT

50% TRANSPARENCY



MOHAN = BEND GATE



BEND + MOHAN
7417 MAPLE AVE
2.20.2023
SCALE 1/8" = 1'

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