31/6/Lot 19/B1k 4 (10300 block of Connecticut Ave. (Kensington His.Dst)

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address: Lot 19, Block 4, Connecticut Avenue

Meeting Date: 3/26/97

Resource: Kensington Historic District

Review: HAWP

Case Number: 31/6-97C

Tax Credit: No

Public Notice: 3/12/97

Report Date: 3/19/97

Applicant: Mark Raymond (Anthony Segreti, Agent)

Staff: Robin D. Ziek

PROPOSAL: Construct new house w/ garage

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Approval w/ Conditions

RESOURCE SUMMARY

RESOURCE: Kensington Historic District - Secondary Resource

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Property and its Setting

The subject property is a trapezoidal-shaped parcel with access off of Connecticut Avenue. The HPC is familiar with this site, having considered a different proposal for new construction at the 10/11/95 meeting. At that time, the HPC agreed in concept that this parcel was a suitable building site for an individual residence. The applicant in 1995 did not elect to go forward, and the property had continued on the market.

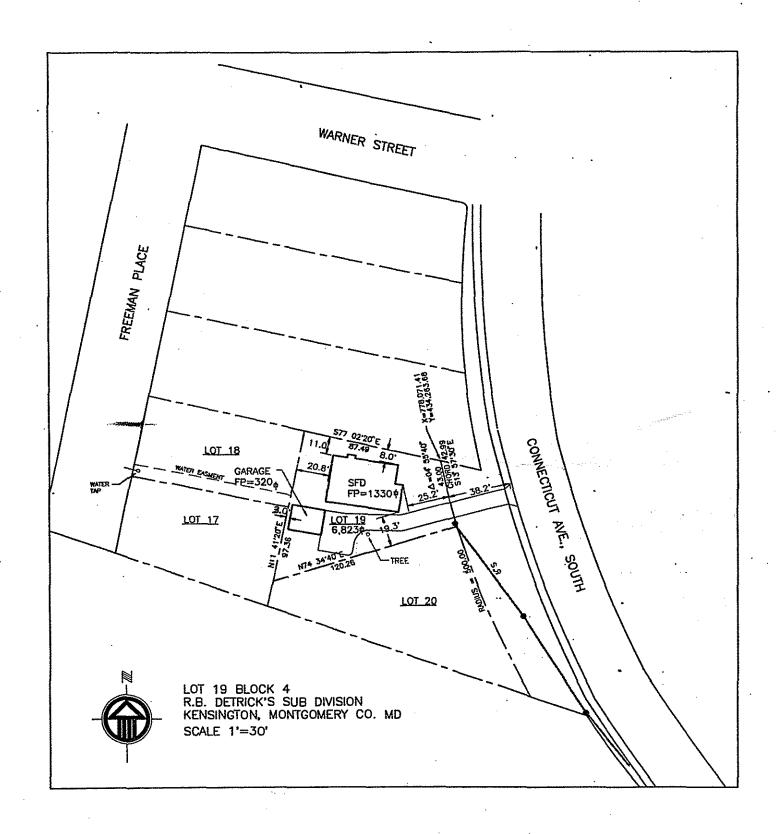
The property fronts on Connecticut, and has one neighbor on the south side which is a 20th century single-story residential building which is being used as a day care center. To the north, the subject property is adjacent to the neighbor's rear yard while the neighboring house, a late 19th c. structure, fronts on Warner Street.

Topographically, the subject property and the day care center are at the lowest elevation in the neighborhood. All of the neighboring properties drain to these lots; there is a major storm water intake in the front yard of the day care center. Connecticut Avenue has been built up along here (possibly when the road was widened) and is significantly higher than the proposed building site.

There are two mature trees on the property: a deciduous tree and a southern magnolia. Along the rear property line, there are several small scrub trees and vines. In addition, there is a large tree stump which is covered with vines at the rear of the property.

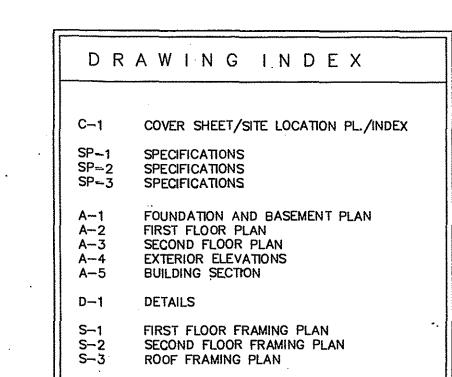
The Proposal

The proposal before the Commission is to build a single-family residence and a detached single-car garage. The deciduous tree on the site would be removed, and the mature magnolia would be retained. The tree stump would be removed as well as much of the scrub growth along the rear property line. Some new grading at Connecticut Avenue would be necessary to allow



SITE LOCATION PLAN

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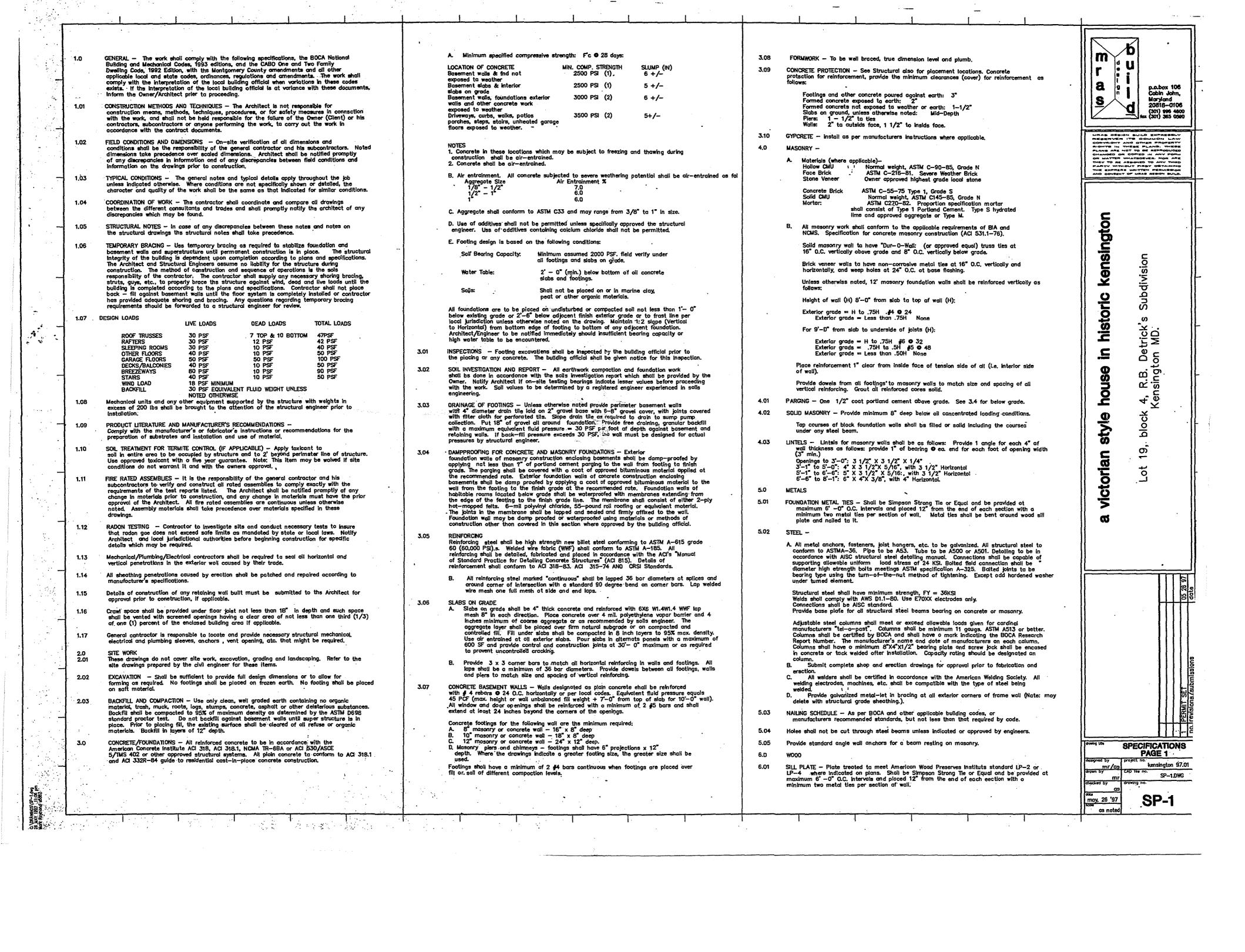
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m ALL EXPOSED EXTERIOR LUMBER — Or lumber in contact with mosonry or concrete shall be pressure preservative treated in accordance with industry standards with a minimum of 0.40 ib. Retention. O. ROOF EDECE — Provide non — corresive aluminum drip edge flashing at roaf edge.

E. BUILT UP ROOFING — to be as detailed on drawings and installed per manufacturers 6.02 R. Natch depths at the ends of the member shall not exceed one—fourth the depth of the specifications.

F. ROOFING AND SHEET METAL — installation shall be in accordance with standards and detaile established by the Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association, Inc — "SMACNA"— refer to the fourth edition, 1987 for specific detail S. The tension side of beams, joists and rafters of four inches or greater nominal thickness a MAXIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT — Of all fumber shall be 19%. Lumber may be kiin dried but drying process must be requiated to cause minimum amount of checking and kiin dried lumber shall be comparable to air dried etock. p.o.box 106 Cabin John, Maryland 20818-0108 ď the joists. The diameter of the hole shall not be exceed one—third the depth of the joists. (301) 996 4600 (301) 365 0590 WOOD STRUCTURAL MEMBER -7.04 EXTERIOR WALLS A. Joists, headers and trimmers shall have the following minimum properties unless nated otherwise: A. FLASHING — to be non-corrosive aluminum or copper provided at tops and slabs of all exterior window and door openings in such a manner to be leak proof.

B. FLASH AND COUNTER FLASH — All roof to wall conditions, minimum na. 26 U.S. gauge corrosion resistant aluminum step flashing as required to maintain minimum height. U. Stress grade lumber shall clearly stamped with the lumber inspection association seal shawing the etress grade. All the fabrication, erection and other procedures shall conform to the current "national design specification for stress grade lumber and its MARE ELEVEN BUILD EXPRESSELY RESERVED ITS COMMON LAW'S COPYRIGHT AND OTHER PREPERTY. RIGHTS IN THESE PLANS. FIRE PLANS ARE NOT TO SE REPRODUCED CHANGED OR DEPIED IN ANY PORM OR MATTER WHATSOURD TO ANY THOM THE VITAL THAT PRANTY WITHOUT PIÈTE OBTAINING THE EXPRESSE WHITEN PERMISSION AND CONSENT OF MARE TO THE COMPRESS WHITEN PERMISSION AND CONSENT OF MARE DEPONS SUILD. FC PER = 1350 PSI V. Prefabricated timber shall be installed and braced per manufacturer's recommendation. Timber member shall not be cut or drilled unless so authorized by the manufacturer. C. FLASH ALL EXTERIOR OPENINGS and all bldg. Comers with appraved waterproof.

Bldg paper to extend at isast 4" behind wall covering.

D. FLASH AND CAULK — Waod beams and other projections through exterior wall or roof 1,300,000 PSI W. Where double members are indicated on the drawings, mechanically fasten both members in a monner such that both members share the superimposed loads, including loads from headers. E. EXTERIOR SHEATHING — 1/2" structural OSB unless noted atherwise on drawings.

F. CAULK/SEALANT as selected by builder (awner) — submit product literature to architect B. Exterior bearing wall studs shall be minimum #2 grade SPF 2X4'e having the following properties unless noted otherwise: for approval.

G. FLASHING — When veneer of brick, clay, tile, concrete or natural or artificial stone ore used 20 mil. Plastic flashing shall be attached to the sheathing wherever necessary to prevent moisture penetration behind the veneer.

H. Rough carpentry contractors shall seal with construction adhesive, plates at floor and behing, and caulk all windows and door flanges/jame and all panel butt jaints prior to and ituring exection. X. The design and detail of all trusses shall meet the requirements of F.H.A. G4541.1 design criteria for trussed rafters, the "National specification for stress grade lumber and its fastenings" and all applicable building codes. FB = 875 PSI FC PER = 425 PSI FC PAR = 1100 PSI 1,200,000 PSI WOOD JOISTS — Shall have a minimum bearing of 1 1/2". Wood floor trusses to have minimum bearing as per manufacturers recommendations. All rafters and trusses shall be connected at bearing points with one prefabricated galvanized metal connector, minimum 18 gaugs. With capacity to resist 450∯ loading unless shown atherwise on drawings. kensington See plans for spacing and special requirements. FIRESTOPPING — Shall be pravided to cut off all concealed draft openings (bath vertical and horizontal) in the following locations. C. Interior bearing well study shall be minimum stud grade SPF 2X4'e having the following properties unless noted otherwise: A. Prefob joist and beam hangers shall be sized and attached for manufacturers recommendations. Holes through wood 1'e shall not exceed manufacturers recommendations. No cuts or holes are allowed through top or bottom chord.
B. Wood floor joist shall be per depth and spacing shown on drawings. Supplier shall confirm that members provided can carry the loading designated in Section 1.07.
C. Provided 2-3/4" exterior plywood bands at all perimeter bearing wood. Provided squash blocks and stiffeners as required to distribute loading and shear reinforcing as required at concentrated loads. A. All pipes, ducts, vents, wiring and chases which penetrate cellings directly below a truss or roof assembly shall be fire etopped. = 675 PSI FC PER = 425 PSI FC PAR = 675 PSI division 1: in exterior or interior stud walls at ceiling and floar levels and so placed that the maximum dimension of any concealed space is not more than 10" 😩 Between stair stringers at top and bottom and between studs in line with stair run. See pione for spacing and special requirements. Spaces between chimneys and wood framing shall be filled with loose non-combustionable material (2" min. thickness), placed in noncombustible supports tightly fitted to the chimney. D. Trusses, truss joist and floor joists shall align directly over studs with an affect of no more than one inch. install additional studs required.

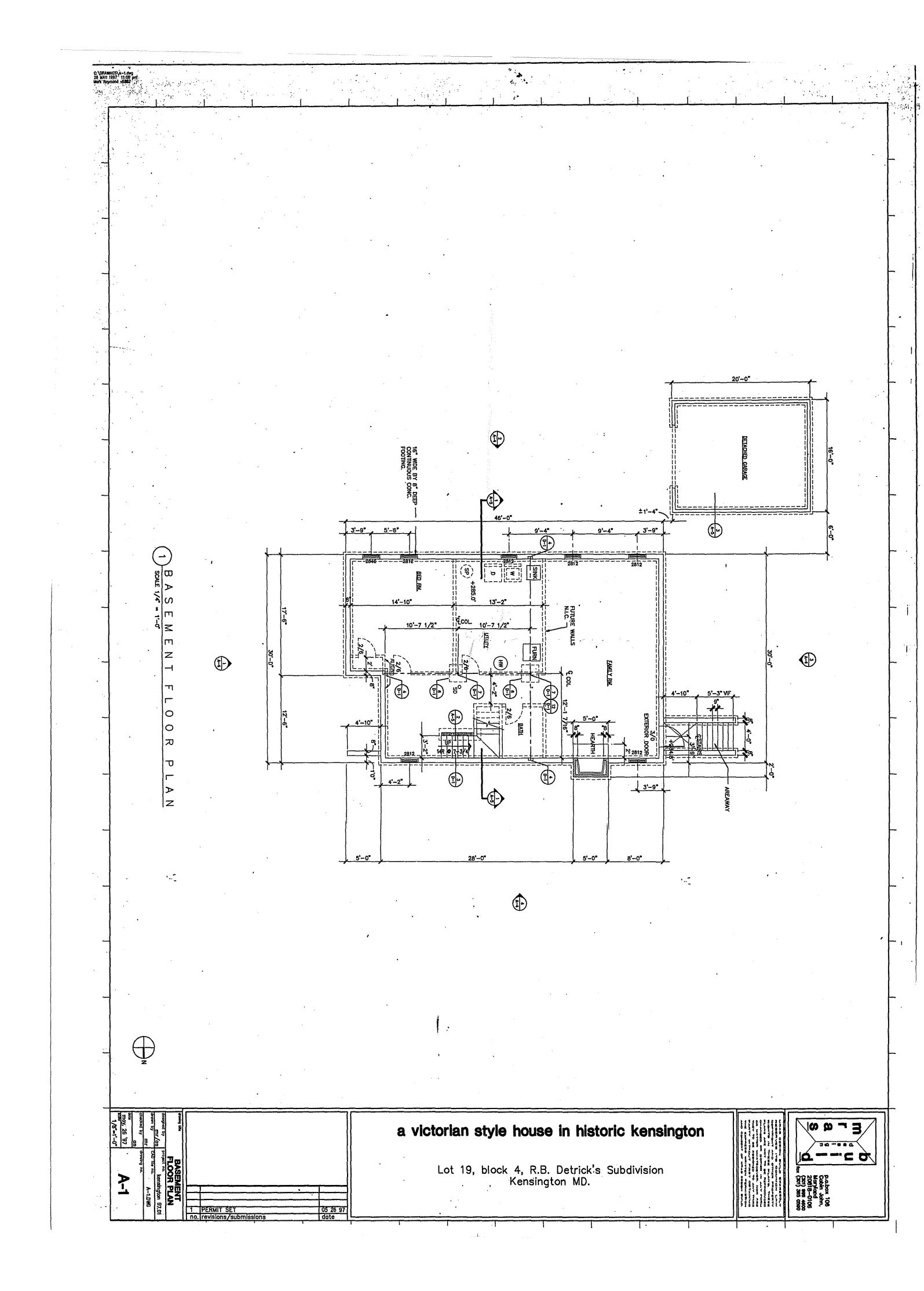
E. Provide solid blocking at 4"-0" O.C. between band and joist and first interior parollel D. All 4X4 posts designated #2 Southern Yellaw Pine shall have the following minimum Sub historic 4. Other locations nat mentioned above such as holes for pipes, sleeves, behind framing strips and other similar places which could afford a possage for flames. = 1500 PSI = 565 PSI = 1650 PSI FIRESTOPS — When made of wood shall be min. 2" nominal thickness and may also bel, made of gypsum board, mineral wool or other noncombustionable material. LINTELS — All lintels over all framed opening to be as shown below unless noted atherwise. Ğ Ş Ğ = 1,600,000 PSI C. INTERIOR DOORS - To be hollow core wood with wood veneer or plastic iaminate E. Lumber for decks shall be minimum #2 Southsm-Yellow Pine, pressure-treated to 0.40 lb. Retention, having the following properties: D. DOOR SIZES - Refer to door scheduls. to De PLYWOOD — All plywaod used structurally shall meet the performance standards and all other requirements of applicable U.S. commercial standards for the type, grade and species of plywood and shall be so identified by an approved testing agency. SIDING - To be as called for an drawings and installed as per manufacturer specifications. 1050 PSI R.B. Isingt VENTALATION — Provide adequate cross ventilation (minimum as required by code) for all concealed attic and rofter spaces. Provide cross ventilation as required by code for crawl FC PER FC PAR Subfloor to be 3/4" T and G plywood standard stud — i-floor D.F.T.S. unless otherwise noted. Roof deck — 1/2" CDX D.F.P.S. with exterior glue unless atherwise noted. Direct bearing at all edges, glued and nailed. All end joints shall be staggered. The face grain of the plywood shall be laid at right angles to the joists and trusses and carallel to the studs, use plywood clips with 5/8" roof plywood (if applicable). F. LVL (Laminated Veneer Lumber) shall be 1-3/4" wide, of the depth epecified on the plans and shall be secured together as directed on the plans and shall be secured together as directed by the manufacturer. The shall have the following properties: GUTTERS AND LEADERS - If applicable, pre-finished aluminum lead to splash black. All wood shall be a minimum 8" above finished grade or pressured treated less than 8" above finished grade. All siding shall be minimum 6" above finished grads. = 2800 PSI FC PER = 250 PSI FC PAR = 500 PSI FIRE RETARDANT TREATED PLYWOOD AND DIMENSIONAL LUMBER (where applicable). If fire retardant treated plywood is applied to a structure. (Fire retardant plywood must be applied 4° to either side of fire walls or party walls unless noted otherwise) it is to be accompanied by certification that acid hydrolysis will not occur in the product at temperatures below 400 Fahrenheit, this certification must come from the manufacturer and be approved by a certified testing agency and local building officials. 2,000,000 PSI A. EXTERIOR ENTRANCE DOORS — 1 3/4" solid wood core, holiow metal min. .20 gouge filled with solid slab polystyrene insulation permanently bonded to panels. Provide 1 1/2" pair hinges for doors up to 7"—2" in height and 2 pair for doors to 8'0" in height. Frames to be a minimum 16 gauge galvanized steel. Provide complete weather stripping and metal threshold G. Glu-lams (Laminated Timber Meaders) shall be of width and depth specified on the ctorian plans. They shall have the following properties: FC PER = 165 PSI FC PAR = 565 PSI WOOD BLOCKING — All wood blocking, nailers, etc shall be attached to steel or concrete framing with power actuated fasteners or 3/8" diameter bolts unless noted otherwiss. Fasteners shall be spaced at 24" maximum 0.C. and shall be staggered. Fasteners shall have minimum capacity of 100 pounds in shear and pullout unless nated otherwise. B. INTERIOR DOORS - To be hallow core wood with wood veneer or piostic laminate H. Fitch beam shall be sized as indicated on drawings, using Select Structural SYP minimum and A-36 steel plated. Use two rows of 1/2" diameter. Through bolts 2" from top and bottom: space 16" O.C. at top and 32" O.C. at bottom. Begin bolt rows at 6" C. DOOR AND WINDOW SIZES - Refer to floor plons INTERIOR TRIM — Windows, door and bases may be finger jointed. 2 1/2" Traditional prafile or as indicated on drawings. GENERAL — Glazing in locatione subject to human impact such as entry doors and sidelights, allding glass doors, shower doors, tub enclosures and storm doors shall be fully tempered in accordance with 80CA code. Fixed panele with area in excess of 9 Sq. Ft. with the lowest edge less than 18" above the finished floor or walking surface within 36" of such glazing between 24" and 36" above the walking surface shall be fully tempered. See 80CA for exceptions to hazardous locations if applicable. INTERIOR STAIRS - Pre-fab wood unless otherwise noted I. All study shall be installed in accordance with NFOPA. Members are not to be drilled in excess of NDS or local code requirements, whichever is more stringent. All posts and multiple studs shall be run continuously to solid bearing an foundation welle or beams; pravide solid blocking at floors. Studs and joists or floor trusses shall align at contilevers above and below the joist or truss. Where roof trusses are spaced at 24" O.C. and studs are 16" O.C. provide \$2 SYP double top places (where truss length is less than 31") or place stud under each trues with a tolerance of not more than 1". SHELVING - 3/4" filled flakeboard with taped front edge, shop and metal brackets. 42" D.C. maximum, unless indicated otherwise on drawings. RAILINGS - Railings or handralls shall be installed on any exterior porch or etair exceeding 3 risers in height or 24" above grade. B. WEATHER PROOFING — All sliding, swinging doors, and windows opening to the exterior shall be fully weather—stripped, coulded, gasketed or otherwise treated to limit air infiltration. Provide maximum air infiltration as follows: HANDRAILS - At stair (if applicable) 34" height measured vertically from the nosing of J. Open-web trusses if applicable: Trusses shall be designed and fabricated in accordance with TPI recommendations to carry all dead and live loads. Live load deflection shall not exceed L/480 for floor trusses and L/360 for roof trusses. The manufacturer shall supply all required hongers, hold-dawn slips, shear panels, and other epecial hardware. The manufacturer shall submit erection drawings and shop drawings to engineer or architect prior to fabrication; all shop drawings shall be signed and sealed by a professional engineer registered in the state where the job is to be built. The manufacturer shall provide load test results for single-member top-chard-bearing floor trusses if required by the building official. All trusses shall be inetalled and braced in accordance and braced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. When a 2 C ribbon retains or a light solid band is used at hearing walls, shall stime writically and solid blacking or a ladder truss must b used to GUARDRAILS — Not less than 42" height measured vertically except for buildings of use group R-3 shall be not less than 36". Construct such that a sphere with a diameter of 4" cannot pass Windows shall have an air infiltration rate of less than 0.5 CFM per foot of such crack.
 Sliding glass doors shall have an air infiltration rate of less than 0.5 CFM per square foot of door are or: through any opening. 3. Swinging doors shall have an air infiltration rate of less than 1.25 CFM per square foot THERMAL AND MOISTURE PROTECTION C. EMERGENCY EGRESS — Every sleeping room below the fourth stary shoil have at least one operable window or door for emergency egress or rescue. Egress windows shall have a maximum still height af 44" above finished floor and shall have a minimum net clear open. SILL SEAL $-1/2^{\circ} \times 31/2^{\circ}$ compressible fiberglass beneath all exterior sill plates. bearing walls, stude shall align vertically and solid blocking or a ladder truss must b used to transfer loads from floor to floor. 7.02 5.7 sq. ft. with a minimum clear opening height af 24" and minimum opening width of 20" Grade floors windows may have a minimum net clear opening af 5 sq. ft. A. WALLS - R-13 minimum 3 5/8" batt insulation with kraft paper face vapor barrier unless atherwise noted. Provide 3 1/2" R-11 blanket insulation in all exterior frame walls that are four in thick. Provide 6" R-19 blanket insulation in all 6" exterior frame walls and any floor K. Prefabricated floor jaists: Prefabricated floor jaists shall be approved by a recognized testing D. ALL OPERABLE WINDOWS — Shall have non-corrosive screens not to exceed L/480. The manufacturer shall supply all required hangers, shear panels, blocking erection drawings to the engineer prior to fabrication. All prefabricated floor joists shall be installed and braced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. area exposed to the elements below storage room. Provide R-3 rigid insulation in all furred FINISHES 9.0 B. CEILINGS AT ROOF- R-30 fiber glass batt with kraft paper face vapor barrier or blawn GYPSUM WALLBOARD — Shall be installed in accordance with U.S. gypsum recommendations and shall meet the requirements of BOCA and after opplicable codes.

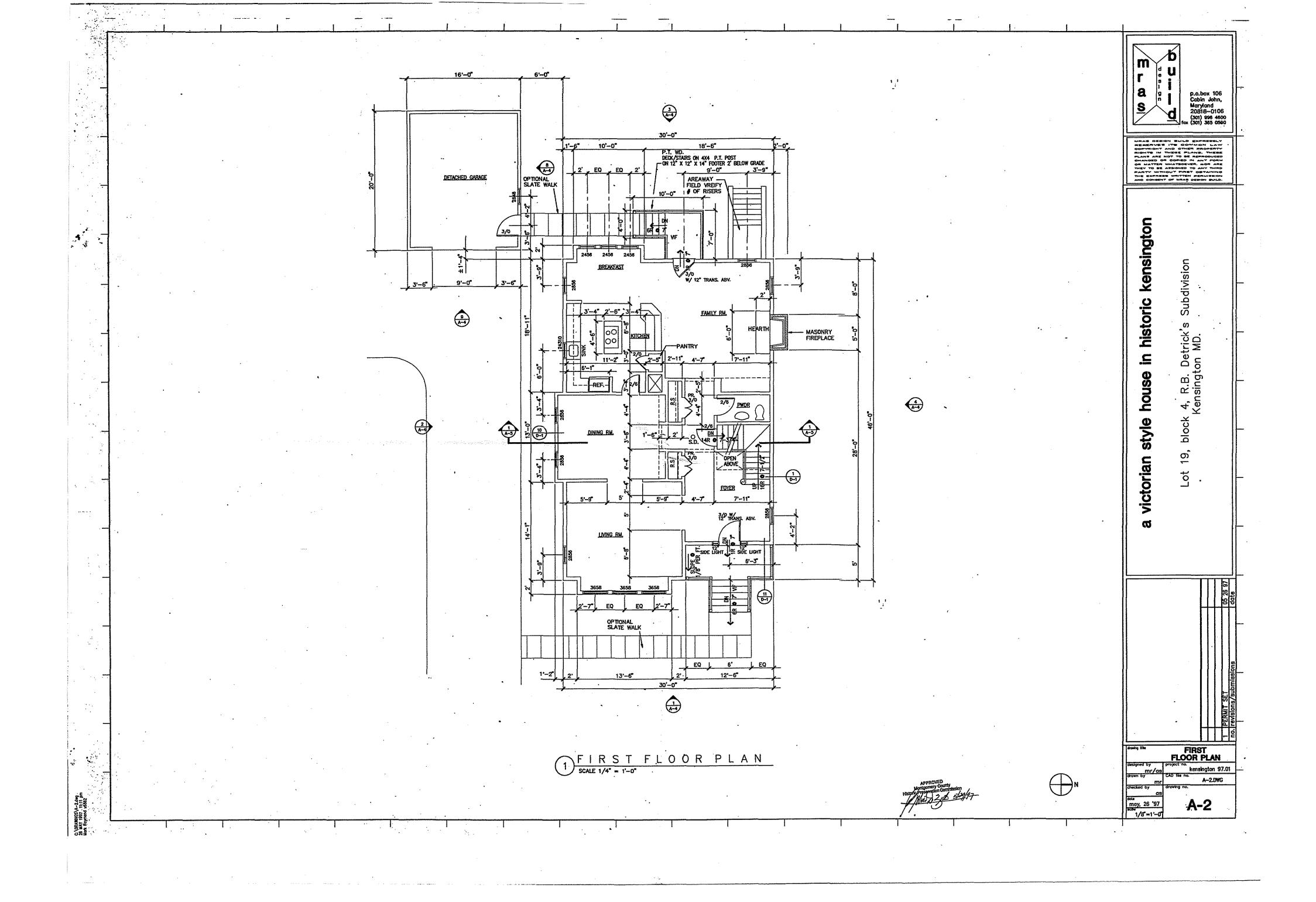
Typical interior partition to have 1/2" tapered edge taped and finished. Provids 5/8" type "X" Fire—rated gypsum board at wall & ceiling where called for on the drawings. insulation, R-30 minimum

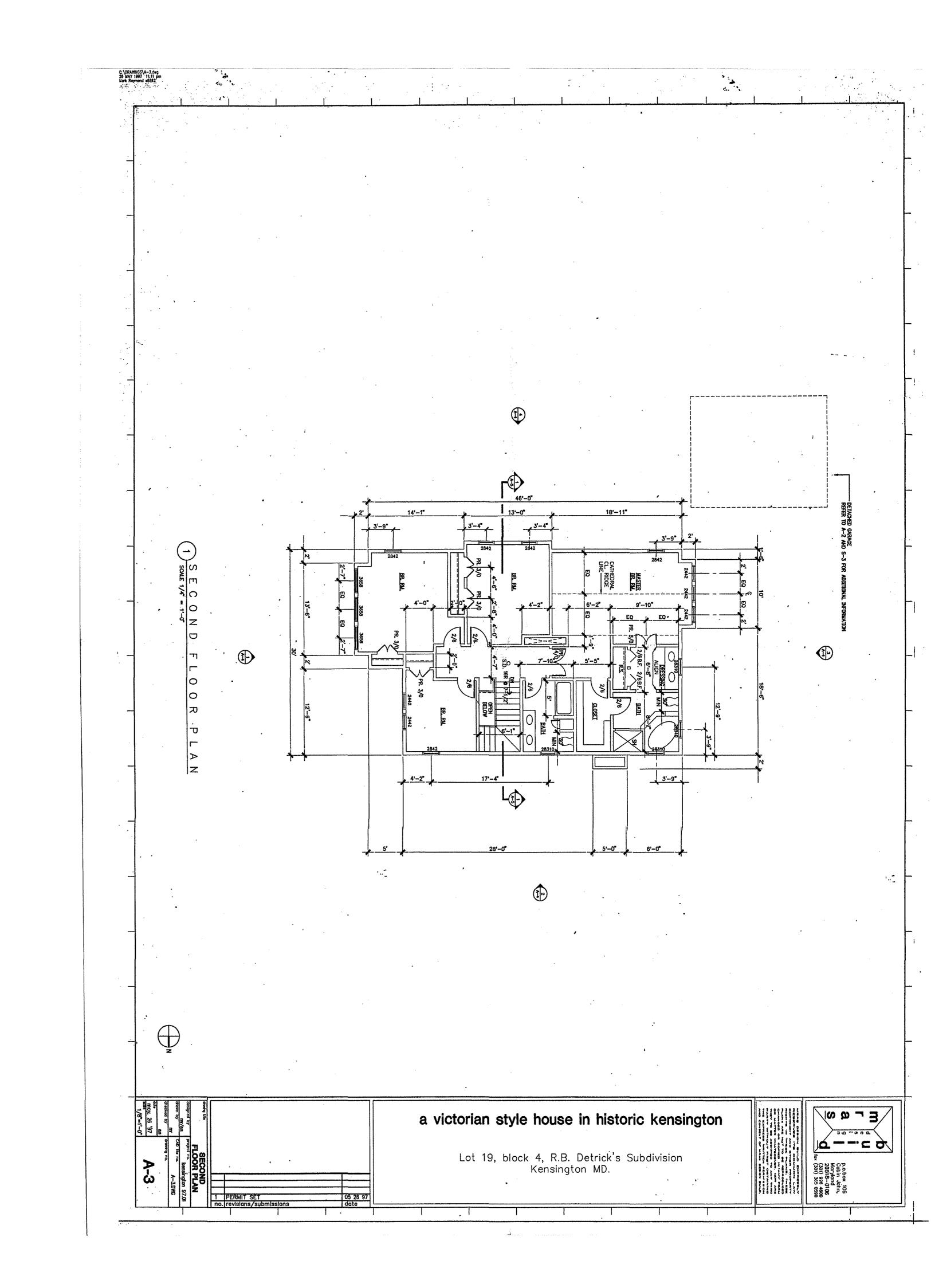
C. CRAWL SPACES— and other floors exposed to unheated epaces below, R-19 fiberglass L. Frame chimneys. Frame chimneys shall be constructed of minimum #2 SPF studs. Maximum 16° O.C. Use 2X4's if chimney extends less than 8° above roof; otherwise use 2X6's. Sheath with 1/2° APA rated sheathing continuous across plates and joiets, glue, and nall with 80 nails • 6° O.C. secure to roof. Studs must be continuous across roof batt with draft paper vapor barrier

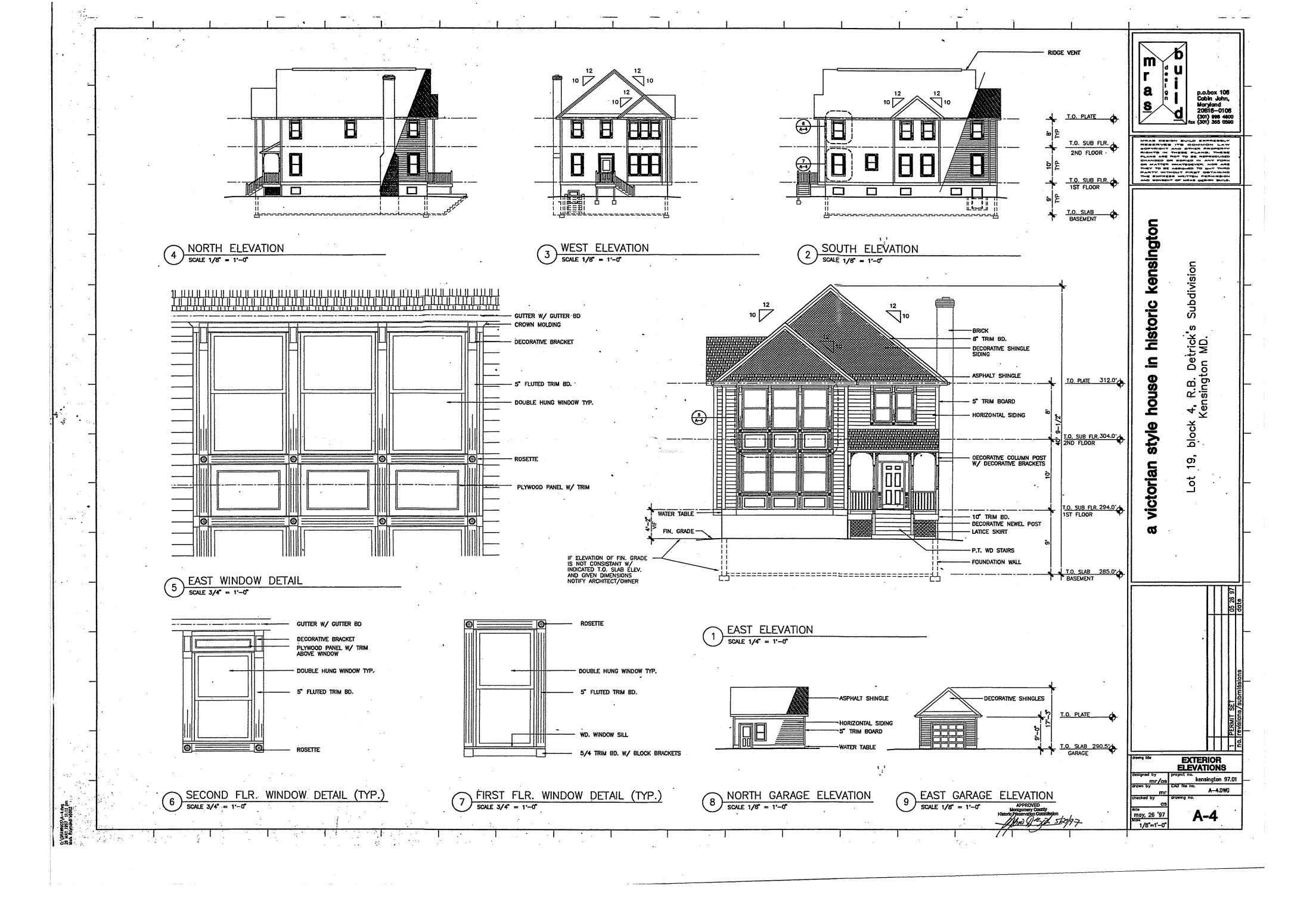
D. PERIMETER SLAB insulation to rigid exterior grade, minimum R-7 extending 2 ft wertically and 2 ft horizontally. Minimum perimeter insulation to be extruded polystyrene B. GYPSUM WALLBDARD - Shall not be installed until weather protection for the E. VAPOR BARRIERS to face warm side of epace (interior) unisss nated otherwise on installation is provided. M. Add extra joist under full height walls where wall extends more than half the span C. SUPPORT — All edges and ends of gypsum board shall occur on framing members except those edges perpendicular to framing members. 7.03 ROOFING N. Blocking: Provide solid blocking **9** 4'-0" O.C. at basement walls when joists are parallel to wall. Extend blocking 3 joists minimum. A. SHINGLES — 235# asphalt or 215# fiber glass shingles class c or better on 15# roofing feit on clopes of 4 — 12 or greater. On clopes less than 4 — 12 but greater than 2 — 12 provide double caverage asphalt/fiberglass shingles on 2 layers 15# roofing feit. Shingles shall be installed per manufacturers specifications and applicable building codss.
B. VALLEY FLASHING— open valleys shall be flashed with minimum # 28 gauge galvanized corrosion— resistant sheet metal and shall extend minimum 8" from the center line each way. Clased valleys flashing shall be 2 layers 90# mineral surfaced cap sheet with battom layer minimum 12" wide and top layer 24" wide, cemented together. Closed valleys may also be of 38" wide foil roofing material not less than no. 50 in valley over the underloyment.
C. RIDGE — FLASHING — install per manufacturers specifications. **SPECIFICATIONS** D. MOISTURE RESISTANT GYPSUM BOARD - Provide moisture resistant gypsum PAGE 2 board of all bathrooms and wherever moisture conditions can exist. O. Space joists closer under Jocuzzi tubs, ceromic or marble tile and patential water beds. kensington 97.01 E. "J" BEAD .- Should be used with M.R. GYP. BD. and wherever maisture conditions can exist. mr/qs P. Cutting and natching of floor joists shall conform to the following or per manufacturers SP-2DWC F. CERAMIC TILE - Ceramic wall tile shall be 4 1/4" X 4 1/4" glazed tile, thin set application Q. Notch depth in the top or battom of the joists and beams shall not exceed one sixth the on moisture resistant drywall. Provide base and miscellaneous trim. The color as selected by awner. Provide marble threshold for transition between ceramic floor tile and other floor depth of the members and shall not be located in middle one—third of the span (including birds mouth cuts). SP-2 may, 26 '97 finishes. Floor tile shall be non-slip. Use commercial waterproof grout coment. as note

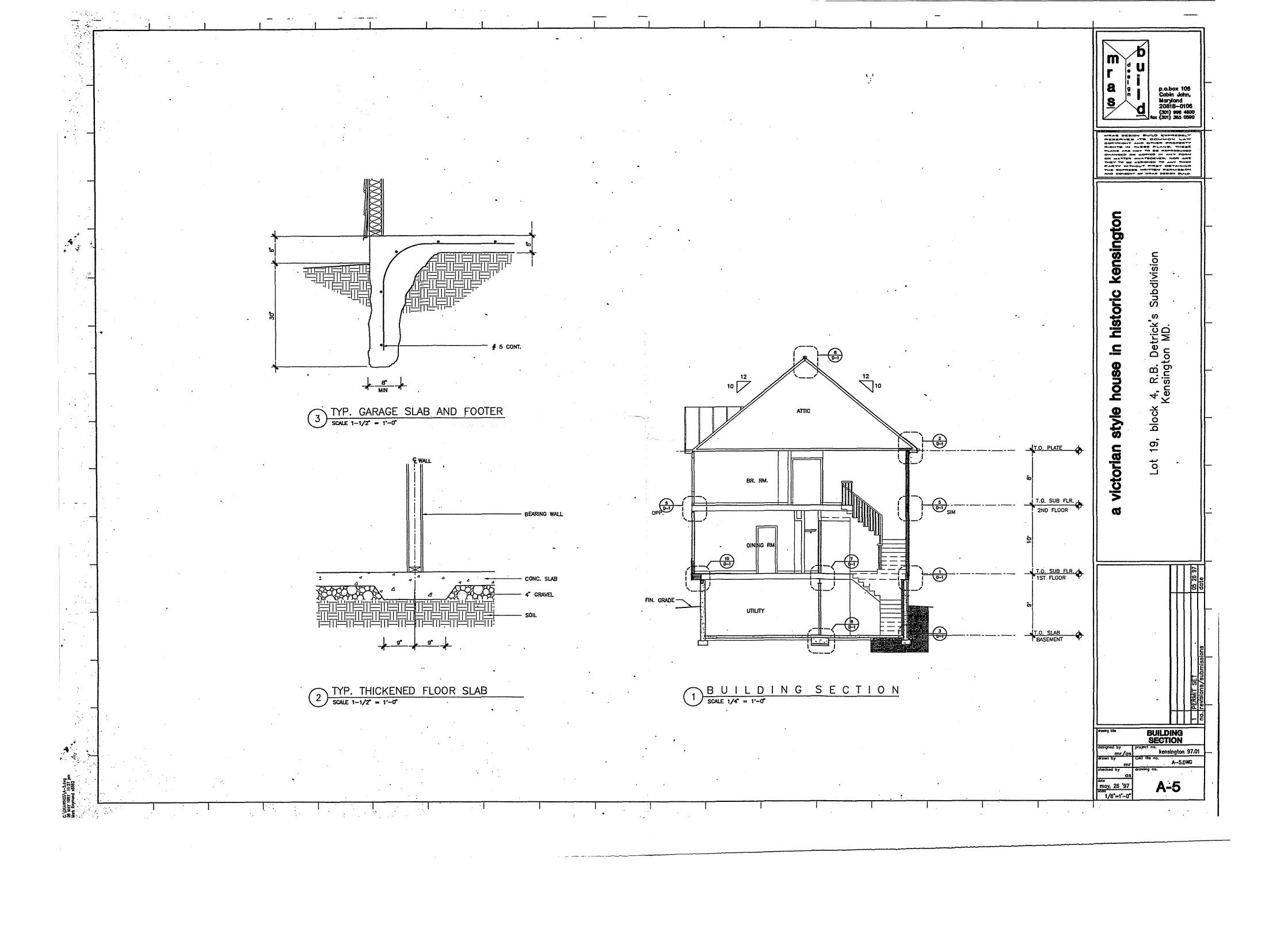
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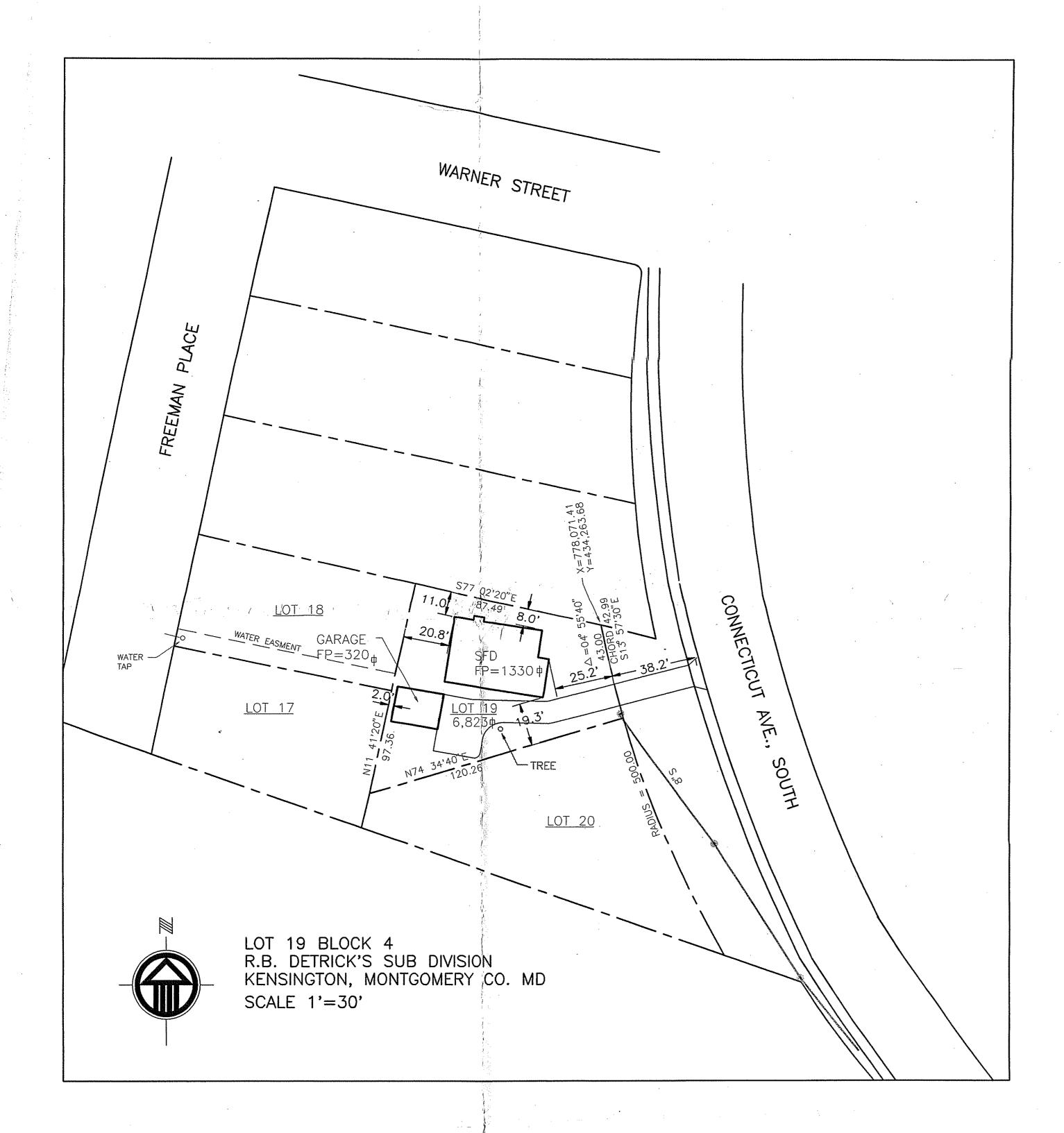






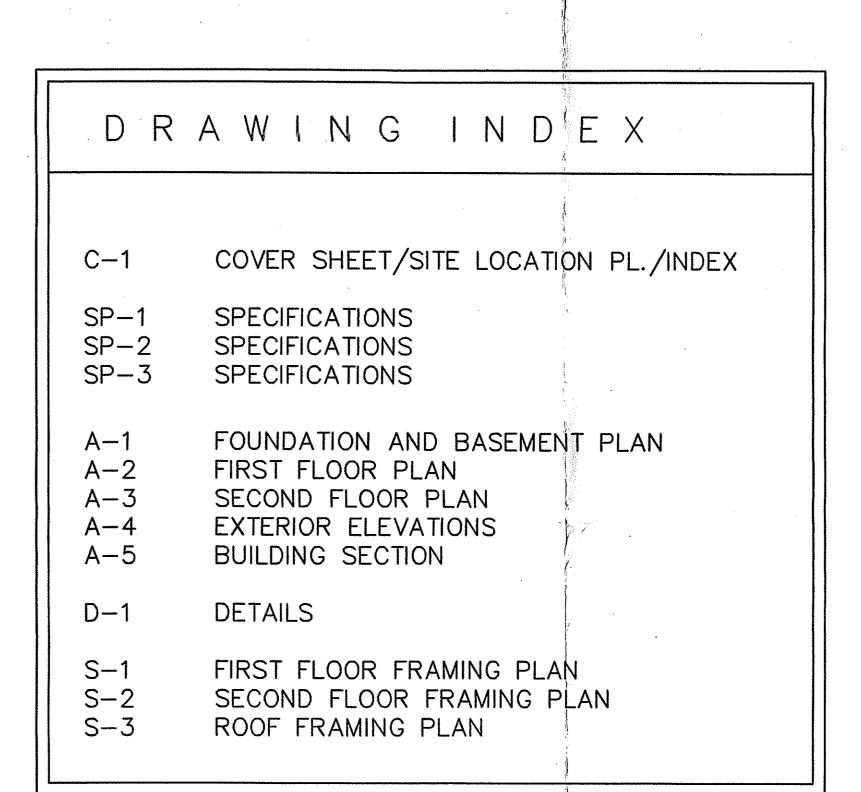






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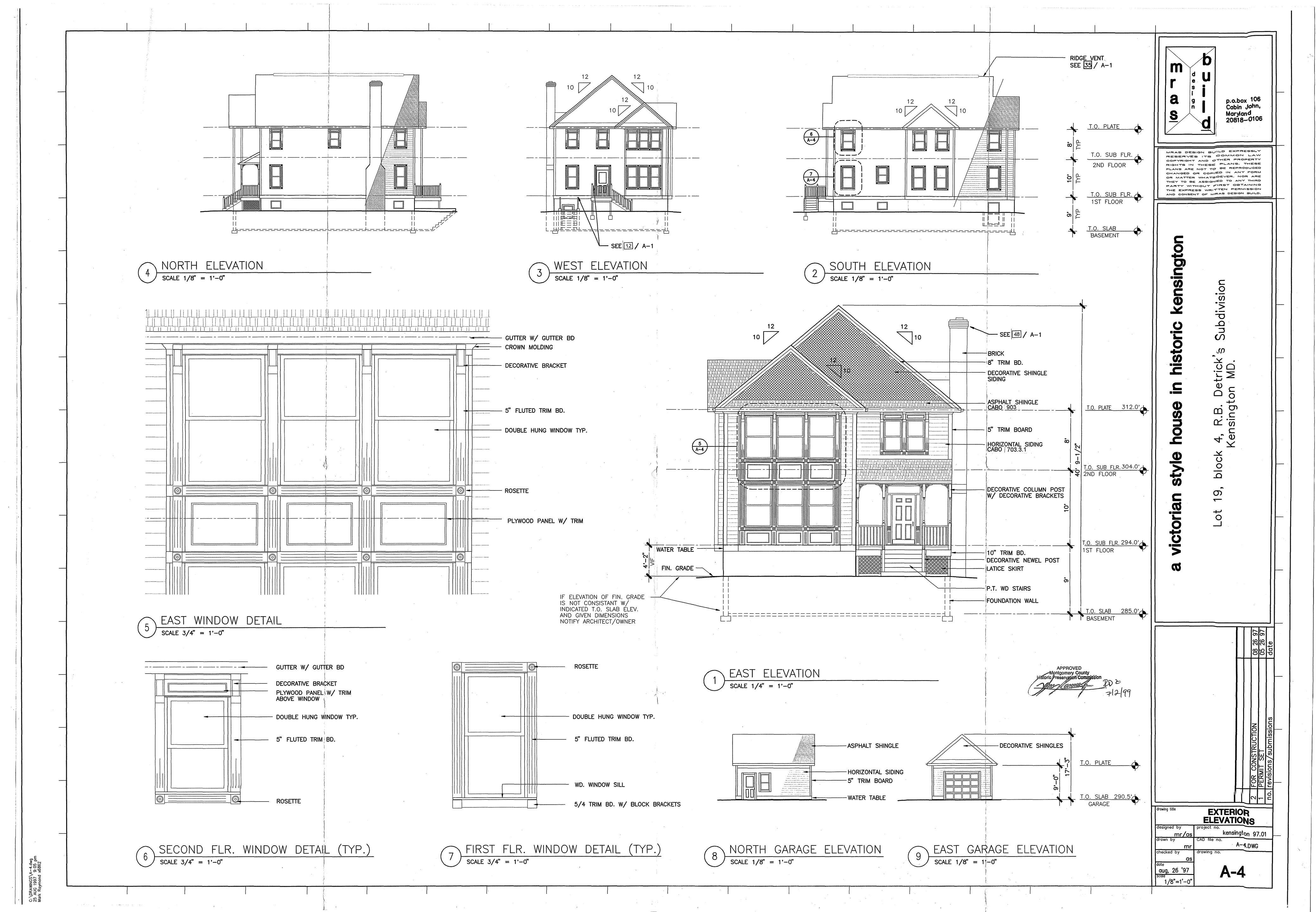
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access to the site on what is now a steep slope. The driveway would be paved in asphalt, and would go along the south side of the property, curving around the magnolia to avoid damaging the tree. Tree protection measures would be taken to assure the continued health of the magnolia. The garage would be placed at the rear of the yard in the southwest corner.

The proposed new house would be wood frame (30' x 46') with wood siding. The design calls for shingles in the gable ends and wood clapboard on the rest of the house. The proposed foundation would be concrete. The basement would extend approximately 3' above grade to permit installation of basement windows without using window wells. The **chimney would be metal pipe boxed out in wood siding**. Wood windows, with wood trim and wood corner blocks, are proposed. The front door would be a six-panel solid wood door, with sidelights. The front porch would not extend across the entire front of the house (as may be more typical in Kensington), but will provide a porch entry at the front door. The porch will have a wood railing with straight pickets. All of the wood would be painted. The roof would be composition shingle, and the roof pitch would be approximately 38, or a 10-12 pitch.

The single-car garage would measure 16' x' 20'. It would be one-story frame building with wood clapboard and shingles for siding to match the house. The drawing doesn't specify, but staff feels that a single-car garage door is appropriate, and would measure no more than 9' in width. The garage would be painted to match the house.

GENERAL STAFF COMMENTS

The <u>Vision of Kensington</u>, a planning document commissioned by the HPC, applies lot coverage as a way to measure building density in this garden suburb. The average lot coverage in the Kensington Historic District is 15%. The houses have an average front yard set-back of 33'. This particular lot on Connecticut Avenue is considered a "Peripheral Residential Area", and the recommended lot coverage is 15%. The minimum front yard setback recommendation is 35'.

The proposed new house meets a 25' set back from the Connecticut Avenue right-of-way, which is 38' from the existing roadway. The new house will therefore be set 58' from the existing sidewalk. This is in line with the existing day care building, and will therefore maintain a consistent street edge along this block, even though this is much deeper than recommended by the <u>Vision of Kensington</u>. The footprint of the proposed house (30' x 46', or 1380 sf.) would provide a 20% lot coverage. With the garage (320 sf), the applicant proposes a total lot coverage of 25%.

Staff appreciates the applicant's cooperation in developing this project. The site is a difficult and atypical site in Kensington. The lot is small (6,280 sf) in comparison to the typical building lot in Kensington (50' x 175', or 8750 sf), and it is an odd shape. In addition, it fronts Connecticut Avenue and therefore has a substantial dedicated right-of-way which takes a portion of the front yard. The topography is problematic for construction, but ultimately may help with the placement of the house in the historic district.

Staff feels that the actual footprints proposed for the two structures are within keeping with the historic district. The structure and its neighboring day care center sit in virtual isolation on this part of Connecticut Avenue, and will have minimal impact on any other neighbors (except to the extent that the loss of an open lot and the construction of a new house always has an impact on a neighborhood.) Because of the lower elevation of the construction site from the public right-of-way, the effective height of the house will be reduced.

The building pattern in Kensington will be met by the proposed development. The single-family house to the foreground, and the ancillary building behind is consistent with the historic development in Kensington. Staff recognizes, however, that the proposed lot coverage is significantly higher than that recommended by the <u>Vision of Kensington</u>.

The particulars of the site are such, however, that the proposed building mass will not encroach on the quality or character of the Kensington Historic District. This is, to some extent, a gateway site for Kensington. Traffic pours down Connecticut Avenue heading south at this point, having just passed a modern commercial district, and a concrete parking garage. Warner Street is the edge of the historic district, but the historic corner house presents a side to Connecticut Avenue since it faces Warner Street. The new house, then, will be the first house on this side of the street in the historic district facing Connecticut.

The proposed new house is an abstracted Victorian style, using natural materials that are characteristic of the historic district. The house is long, of average width, and of average height. The simplified massing, the extensive windows, and the reduced porch all indicate a modern house, which is consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's <u>Guidelines</u> for new construction. Staff feels that the proposal is compatible with the historic district except for the proposed boxed-in chimney. The chimney should be built in a more historic material, such as brick or stone. In addition, the concrete foundation should either be poured concrete, or concrete block with parging.

Finally, the health of the mature magnolia is very important, and the tree should be protected. Tree-saving measures should be taken before, during and after construction.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that, with the following conditions, the Commission approve the proposal, finding that the proposal is consistent with the purposes of Chapter 24A-8(b)2:

The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site, or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter;

and with Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation #2:

The historic character of a property shall be retained and preserved. The removal of historic materials or alteration of features and spaces that characterize a property shall be avoided.

CONDITIONS:

- 1) The chimney should be built of brick.
- 2) The foundation should be parged concrete block or poured concrete with a smooth face.
- 3) Adequate and effective tree protection should be undertaken for the magnolia, including the use of a root protection mat over the area where the driveway will impact the roots; feeding the tree before and after construction according to the direction of a certified arborist with written confirmation to staff; and the use of adequate and effective tree protection including barrier fencing at tree driplines developed and enforced throughout construction period.
- 4) Use of single-car garage door no wider than 9'.

and subject to the general condition that the applicant arrange for a field inspection by calling the Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), Field Services Office, five days prior to commencement of work and within two weeks following completion of work.



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GUIDELINES FOR TREE PRESERVATION IN CONSTRUCTION AREAS

The objective of this guideline is to suggest procedures that will aid in preserving the health and habit of all trees within the contract limits not to be removed for construction purposes. This is only a general guideline and specific situations will require further detail.

- 1. Engage a Maryland licensed arborist who is familiar with construction activity to work with you throughout the entire process. The arborist should be consulted on all aspects regarding trees whether it be tree removal, pruning, repairing damage caused by equipment, root loss, soil compaction, etc.
- 2. Work shall conform to the requirements of the Maryland State Highway Administration, the Department of Natural Resources and local county and municipal requirements.
- 3. The limits of clearing shall be located outside the drip line of any tree to be retained and in no case closer than 5' of the trunk of any tree.
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- 6. Do not permit vehicles within the drip lines and restrict foot traffic to prevent excessive compaction of the soil over the root system.
- 7. Trees being removed should not be felled, pushed or pulled into trees being retained. In no case should bulldozers or other mechanical equipment be used to clear trees in areas where other trees will be retained.
- 8. Cut branches and roots, if required, with a saw or shears. Do not break, chop or cut with mechanical excavation equipment.
- 9. Do not tolerate construction equipment to cut, break or skin the bark from any remaining tree.
- 10. Maintain existing grades within the drip line of trees.



- 11. Should grades have to be lowered slightly, hand excavation is necessary.
- 12. Should grades need to be raised, appropriate soil material, tree wells and procedures must be followed to minimize the impact.
- 13. Make certain that drainage is maintained throughout the process.
- 14. All trenching should be done as far away from the trunks of the trees as possible.
- 15. Work with the utilities to minimize the area where trenches are placed. Try to concentrate trenching.
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May 27, 1997

2279 Lewis Avenue Rockville, Maryland 20851 (301) 881-8130

Mr. Mark Raymond c/o Anthony Segreti 8210 Stone Trail Dr. Bethesda, MD 20817

Dear Mr. Raymond,

The following is a price estimate for a procedure to assist in the preservation of the large Southern magnolia tree located on the south side of your property, Lot 19, Block 4, R. B. Detrick's Subdivision, Kensington, MD. This procedure is based on my inspection of the tree and my discussions with Anthony Segreti.

1. Fertilize the tree prior to construction with an added ingredient, mycorrhizae, to enhance root formation.

Cost \$125.00

2. Provide 4" of woodchips around the base of the tree for root protection during construction.

Cost \$175.00

3. Remove low limbs to a height of 10' on the side facing the house to allow small equipment movement during construction and provide a pathway for the brick driveway around the tree.

Cost \$ 65.00

4. Prune branches at the dripline to provide clearance for the house.

Cost \$ 65.00

5. Inspect the tree twice during construction to determine if additional treatments are required.

Cost \$160.00

These prices include all labor, materials, insurance, proper supervision and the hauling of all resulting debris.

Also enclosed ar important guidelines for tree preservation in construction areas which should be taken into consideration during the construction of your new home.

If you should have any questions or desire additional information, please call. We look forward to working with you in providing for your tree.

Sinceæely

Paul L. Wolfe, II

President

Integrated Plant Care, Inc.

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Member National Arborist May 29, 1997

Ms. Robin Ziek
Design, Zoning and Preservation Division
HPC-MNCPPC
1109 Spring Street, 8th Floor
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Re: plan submittal for Lot 19, Block 4, RB Detrick's Subdivision

Dear Ms. Ziek:

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You may contact me at (301) 996-4600 if you have any questions.

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The particulars of the site are such, however, that the proposed building mass will not encroach on the quality or character of the Kensington Historic District. This is, to some extent, a gateway site for Kensington. Traffic pours down Connecticut Avenue heading south at this point, having just passed a modern commercial district, and a concrete parking garage. Warner Street is the edge of the historic district, but the historic corner house presents a side to Connecticut Avenue since it faces Warner Street. The new house, then, will be the first house on this side of the street in the historic district facing Connecticut.

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Finally, the health of the mature magnolia is very important, and the tree should be protected. Tree-saving measures should be taken before, during and after construction.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that, with the following conditions, the Commission approve the proposal, finding that the proposal is consistent with the purposes of Chapter 24A-8(b)2:

The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site, or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter;

and with Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation #2:

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 General description of project and its effect on the historic resource(s), the environmental setting, and, where applicable, the historic district:

Construction of a Single Family	Residence
that conforms in architectural	style
with the Victorian elements in	the subdivision.

2. SITE PLAN

Site and environmental setting, drawn to scale. You may use your plat. Your site plan must include:

- a. the scale, north arrow, and date;
- b. dimensions of all existing and proposed structures; and
- site features such as walkways, driveways, fences, ponds, streams, trash dumpsters, mechanical equipment, and landscaping.

3. PLANS AND ELEVATIONS

You must submit 2 copies of plans and elevations in a format no larger than 11" X 17". Plans on 8 1/2" X 11" paper are preferred.

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General description of materials and manufactured items proposed for incorporation in the work of the project. This information may be included on your design drawings.

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- Clearly labeled photographic prints of each facade of existing resource, including details of the affected portions. All labels should be placed on the front of photographs.
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Please print (in blue or black ink) or type this information on the following page. Please stay within the guides of the template, as this will be photocopied directly onto mailing labels.

MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

8787 Georgia Avenue • Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3760

DATE: 3/27/97

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Historic Area Work Permit Applicants

FROM:

Historic Preservation Coordinator

Design, Zoning, and Preservation Division

M-NCPPC

SUBJECT:

Historic Area Work Permit Application - Approval of

Application/ Release of Other Required Permits

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The building pattern in Kensington will be met by the proposed development. The single-family house to the foreground, and the ancillary building behind is consistent with the historic development in Kensington. Staff recognizes, however, that the proposed lot coverage is significantly higher than that recommended by the <u>Vision of Kensington</u>.

The particulars of the site are such, however, that the proposed building mass will not encroach on the quality or character of the Kensington Historic District. This is, to some extent, a gateway site for Kensington. Traffic pours down Connecticut Avenue heading south at this point, having just passed a modern commercial district, and a concrete parking garage. Warner Street is the edge of the historic district, but the historic corner house presents a side to Connecticut Avenue since it faces Warner Street. The new house, then, will be the first house on this side of the street in the historic district facing Connecticut.

The proposed new house is an abstracted Victorian style, using natural materials that are characteristic of the historic district. The house is long, of average width, and of average height. The simplified massing, the extensive windows, and the reduced porch all indicate a modern house, which is consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's <u>Guidelines</u> for new construction. Staff feels that the proposal is compatible with the historic district except for the proposed boxed-in chimney. The chimney should be built in a more historic material, such as brick or stone. In addition, the concrete foundation should either be poured concrete, or concrete block with parging.

Finally, the health of the mature magnolia is very important, and the tree should be protected. Tree-saving measures should be taken before, during and after construction.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that, with the following conditions, the Commission approve the proposal, finding that the proposal is consistent with the purposes of Chapter 24A-8(b)2:

The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site, or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter;

and with Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation #2:

The historic character of a property shall be retained and preserved. The removal of historic materials or alteration of features and spaces that characterize a property shall be avoided.

CONDITIONS:

- 1) The chimney should be built of brick.
- 2) The foundation should be parged concrete block or poured concrete with a smooth face.
- 3) Adequate and effective tree protection should be undertaken for the magnolia, including the use of a root protection mat over the area where the driveway will impact the roots; feeding the tree before and after construction according to the direction of a certified arborist with written confirmation to staff, and the use of adequate and effective tree protection including barrier fencing at tree driplines developed and enforced throughout construction period.
- 4) Use of single-car garage door no wider than 9'.

and subject to the general condition that the applicant arrange for a field inspection by calling the Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), Field Services Office, five days prior to commencement of work and within two weeks following completion of work.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO MAKE THE FOREGOING APPLICATION, THAT THE APPLICATION IS CORRECT, THE CONSTRUCTION WILL COMPLY WITH PLANS APPROVED BY ALL AGENCIES LISTED AND I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE AND ACC	AND THA
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TREE SURVEY

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Clearly label pholographic prints of the resource as viewed from the public right-of-way and of the

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March 5, 1997

Robin Ziek M-NCP&PC, Design Zoning and Preservation 1109 Spring Street, Suite 801 Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Dear Robin:

Enclosed are house elevations and a rendering of the front gable facade including the window treatment as decided by the contract purchasers on Lot19, Block 4 in RB Detrick's Subdivision, Kensington Maryland.

This Victorian theme implements double-hung windows of proportions typical for the period framed by a combination of fluted and flat board molding with rosettes. Second story windows will have decorative brackets or blocks at the top corners abutting the roof over-hang. Square raised or recessed panels will be set between the first and second story windows on front and side gables.

Front gables will implement a decorative triangular louver (attic vent) at each peak. The front gables will have a decorative shingled facade. The theme for the window molding will be carried out on the side exterior windows as well (see rendering). The horizontal siding on the house will be masonite (composite wood) with a decorative bead. A band board and water table will run the perimeter of house. Victorian type brackets will accent the front porch. Attached are picture examples of the above concepts.

Included is a revised site plan with a detached 1½ car garage behind the house. Note that the garage will not be fully visible from the road as it is located at the southwest corner of the lot behind the large tree. Please feel free to call me if you have any questions at (301) 996-4600.

Sincerely,

Anthony Segreti

March 17, 1997

Robin Ziek
M-NCP&PC, Design Zoning and Preservation
1109 Spring Street, Suite 801
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Dear Robin:

Enclosed is a copy of the likely floor plan to be used and a photograph of a front door scheme that the contract purchasers will implement for the new construction on Lot19, Block 4 in RB Detrick's Subdivision, Kensington Maryland. The transept may or may not be utilized but the half height side lights will be.

After discussing the concept of a brick chimney with the contract purchasers, initially they thought it to be cost prohibitive under their current budget. However, I am presently obtaining cost estimates and hope to convince them of the overall benefit despite the additional cost. I will keep you informed.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions at (301) 996-4600.

Sincerely,

Anthony Segreti

Date:

January 29, 1997

Subject:

New residential construction Town of Kensington.

Address:

Lot 19, Block 4 "R.B. Detrick's Subdivision of Kensington"

Located in the 10300 block of Connecticut Avenue.

Applicants:

Marita K. Liebegut and Mark W. Raymond

2221 E. Lombard, Baltimore, Maryland 21231

Setting

Lot size:

6828 sq. feet per recorded subdivision plat.

Lot Shape:

Quadrilateral with 43 ft. frontal width, sides of 120 and 87 ft. and

rear footage of 97 feet.

Location

10300 block of Connecticut Avenue.

Utilities:

Water and sewer taps installed in 1996 by WSSC.

Proposal

Style:

Two story house with front-gabled roof exhibiting 19th and 20th

century Victorian styles.

Footprint:

30'W x 42'D 1380 \$ House , 320 \$ garage = 1700 \$ lot coverage

Lot coverage:

25% lot coverage

Set backs:

Minimum of 50 feet from the Conn. Ave. Other minimum

setbacks will be met without difficulty.

Materials:

Concrete basement wall construction. Painted exterior hardboard siding or high quality vinyl on all sides. Some areas of the house front may be shingled. Front porch entrance. Possible brick skirt

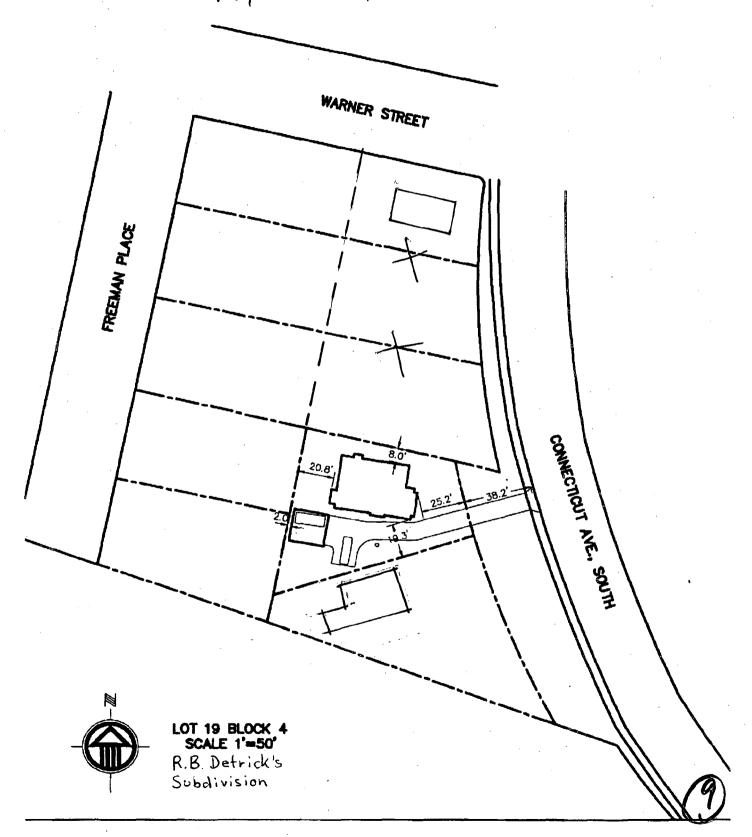
on house. Asphalt roof.

Colors:

Typical for the period and style. Possibly black on gray or blue

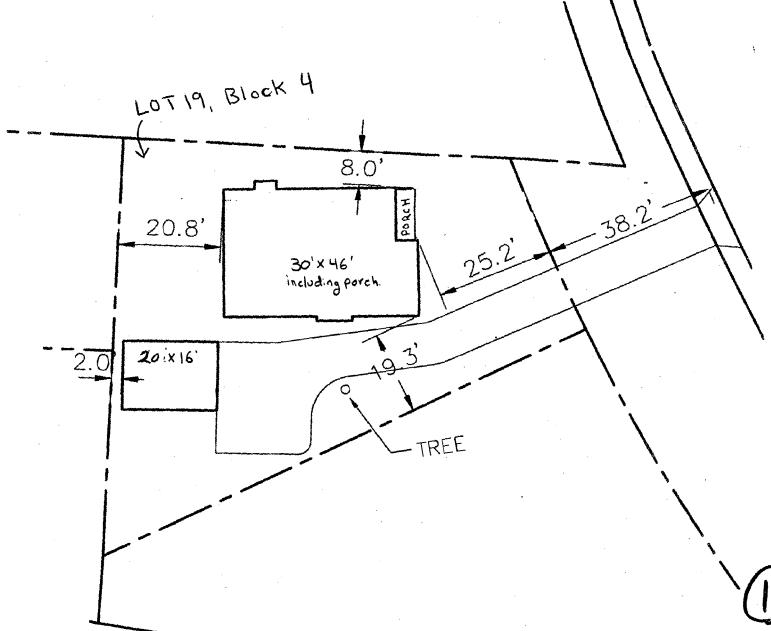
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House, garage and driveway locations. Lot 19, Block 4, R.B. Detrick's Subdivision



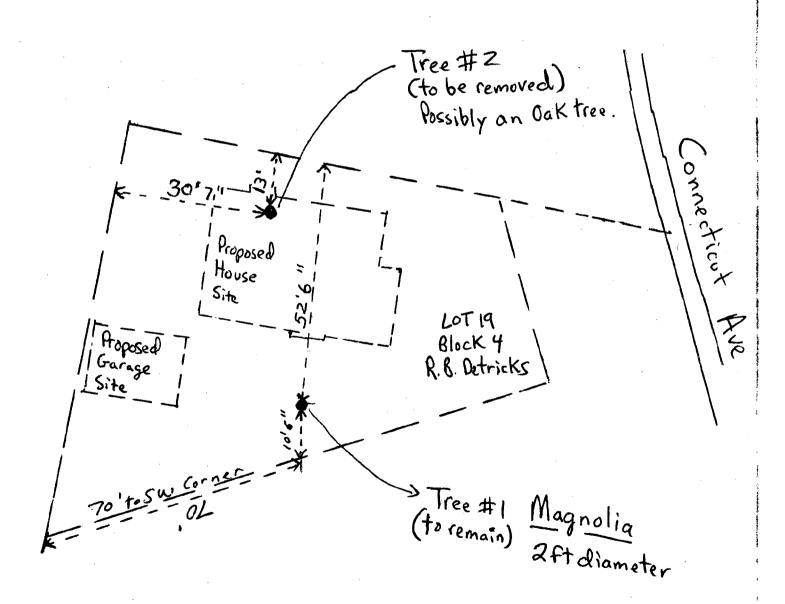
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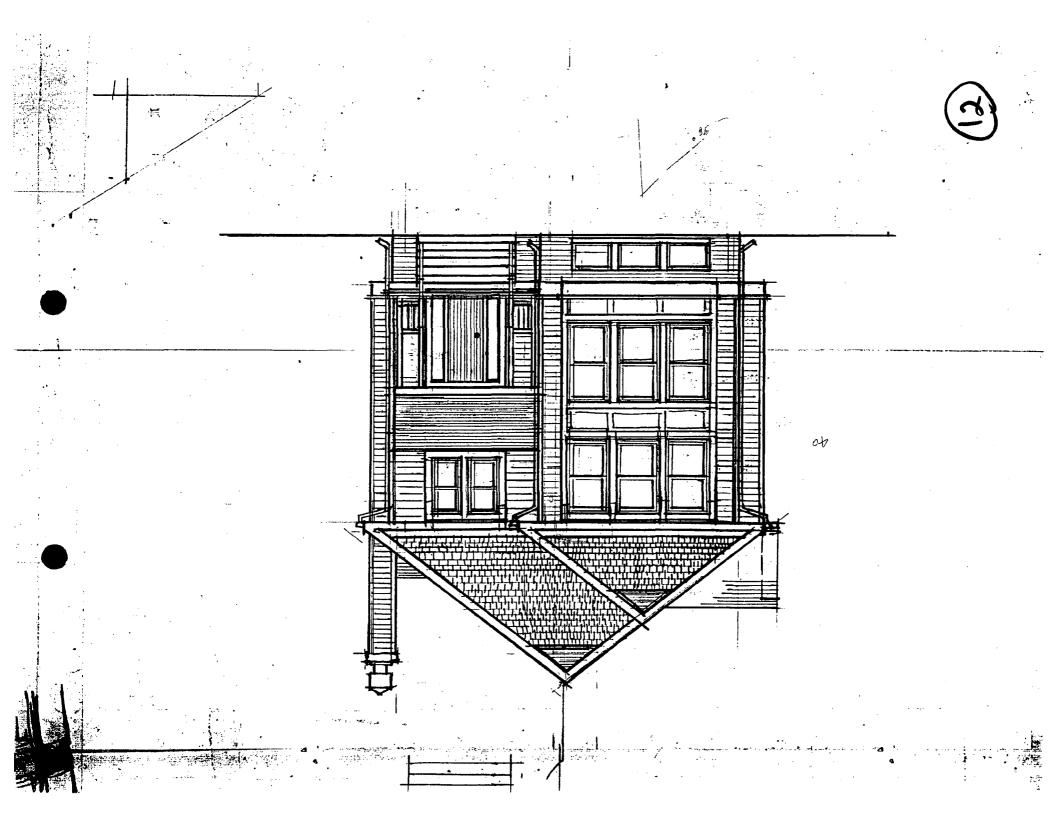


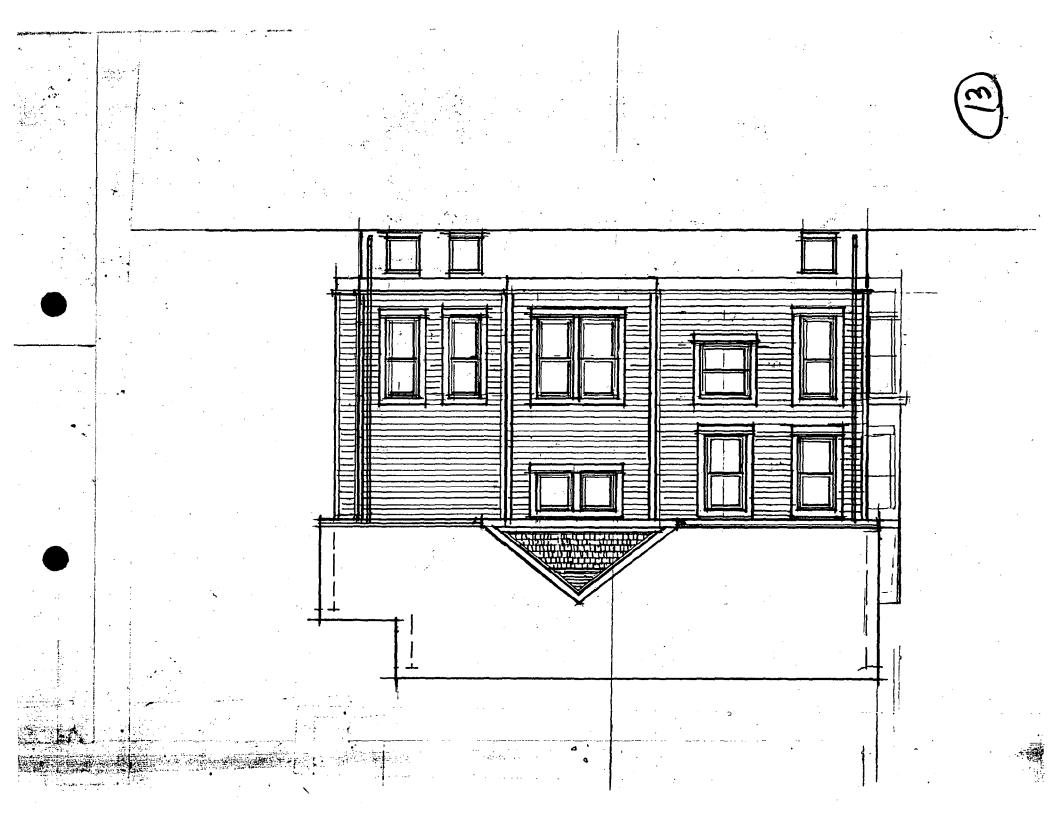


Tree Locations LOT 19, Block 4, R.B. Detrick's Subdivision

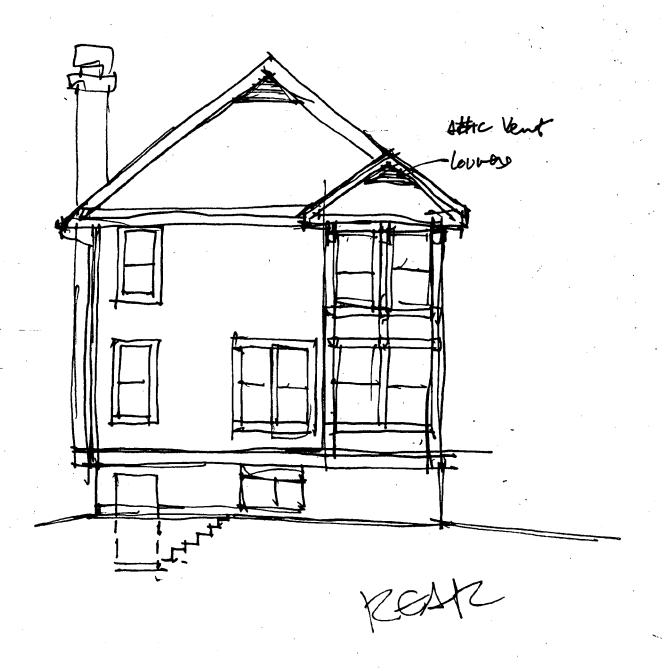


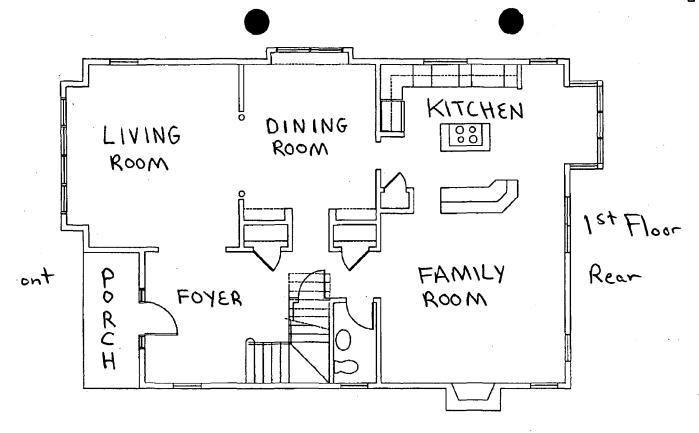


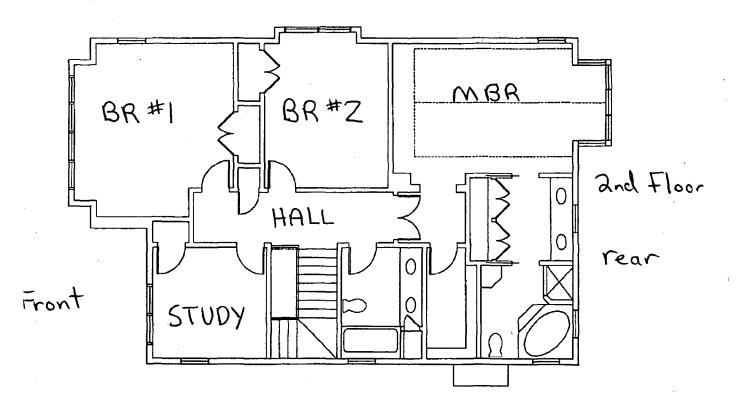




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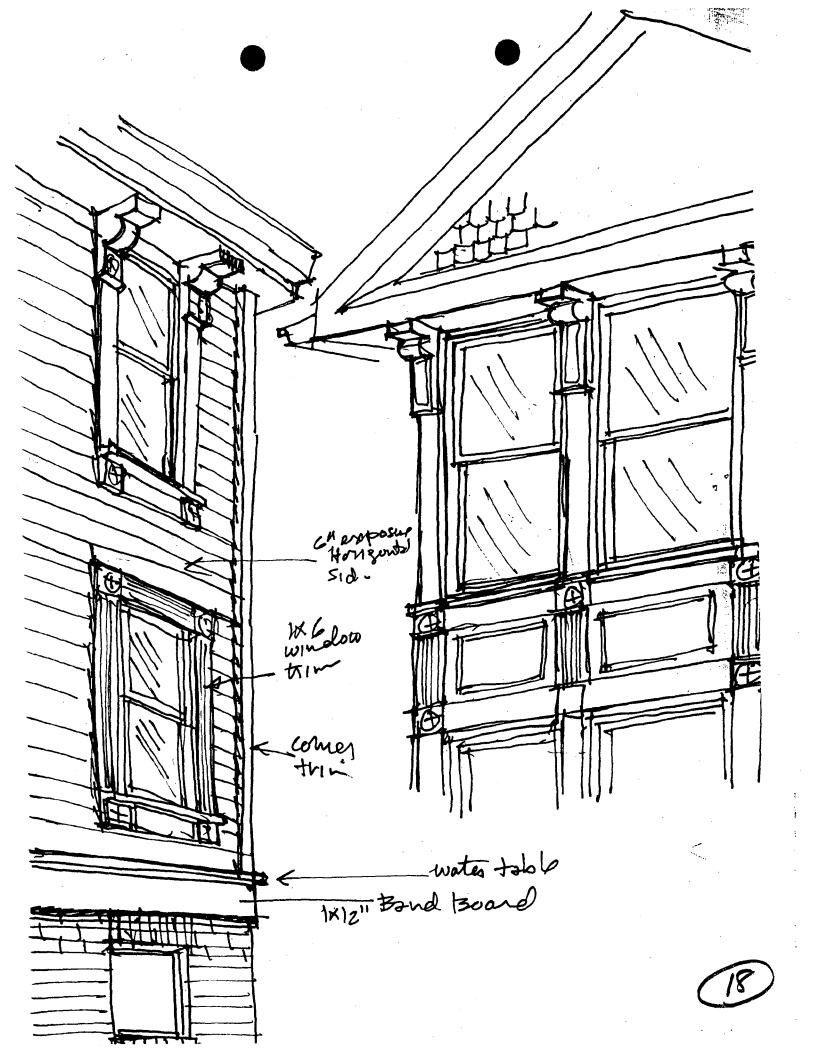




LIKELY Floor Plan For New Construction on Lot 19, block 4, R.B. Detrick's Subdivision

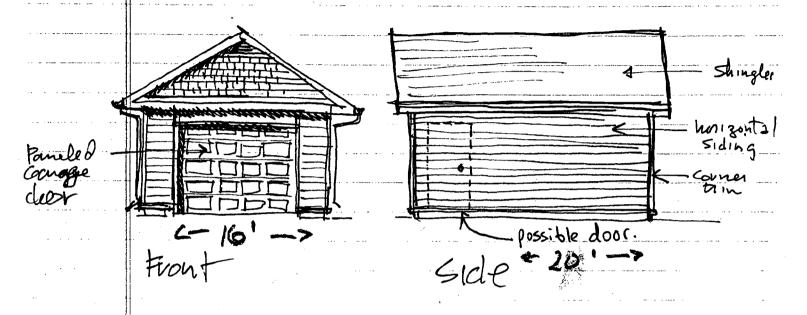


Front Door Scheme For Lot 19, block 4 R.B. Detrick's Subdivision.



LOT99, Block 4, RBOletrick's Sub.

1/2 car - Detached garage, (at rear of lot)



Materials - Masonite wood siding w/ bead.
- concrete slab.

- Shingled Front gable.
- asphault roof.

Contract Purchasers - Mark W. Raymond 202-471-5068 Marita K. Liebegut

Agent - Anthony Segreti - 301-996-4600

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No. 760R

Window/Door Trim Height: 92" with rosette attached. Width: 5"

Matches Molding No. 760



No. 753R

Window/Door Trim Height: 92" with rosette attached.

Width: 61/4"

Matches Molding No. 753





No. 750R

Window/Door Trim Height: 92" with rosette attached.

Width: 51/8"

Matches Molding No. 750



No. 754R

Window/Door Trim Height: 85" with rosette attached.

Width: 31/6"

Matches Molding No. 754







No. 755R

Window/Door Trim

Height: 85" with rosette attached.

Width: 31/4"

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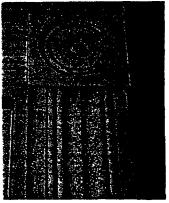


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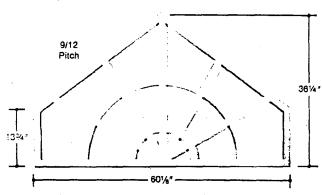
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Width: 61/2"

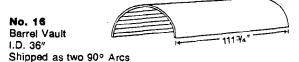
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No. 760R



No. 722 Window/Door Decoration





No. 734 Plaque. No. 16 Barrel Vault.

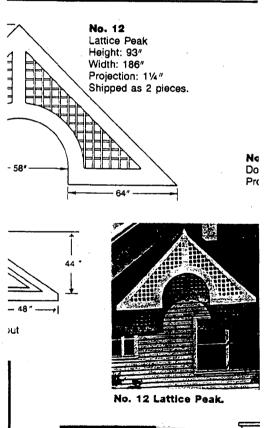


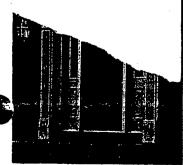
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No. 3032 Scallop Siding Length: 93" Height: 48" Projection: 11/4" Scallop Size: 51/2" x 21/4"



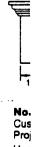




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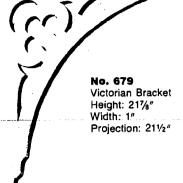
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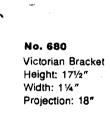
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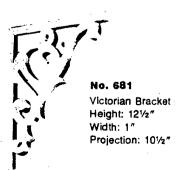
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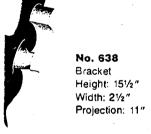


Projection: 20"



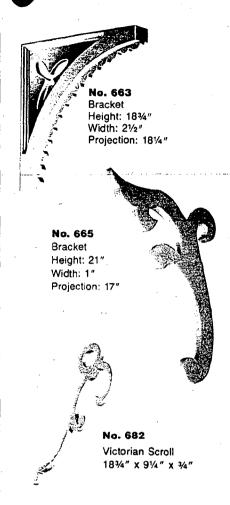














No. 680 Bracket. No. 682 Scroll.

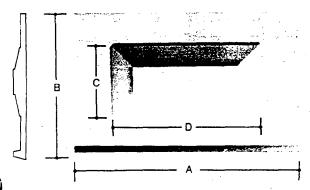


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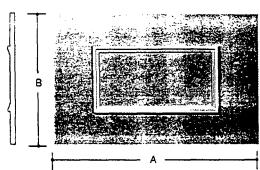
No. 950 Window Panel. No. 981L-30 Brick Mold Corner.



No. 951

Flat Panel with Center Panel and Sill

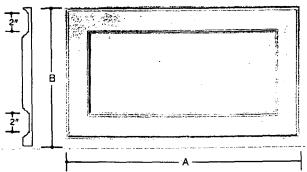
		Center Panel		
A	В	С	D	
22"	231/2"	11"	11"	
36"	35"	22"	24"	
36"	451/2"	321/2"	24"	
375/8"	24"	113/4"	245%"	
44"	41"	33"	371/2"	
44"	44"	36"	37"	
441/2"	48"	40"	371/2"	
451/4"	24"	113/4"	245/8"	
40"	43"	34"	32"	
44"	43"	34"	36"	
72"	43"	34"	64"	
48"	43"	34"	40"	



No. 954

Flat Panel with Picture Molding, No Sill

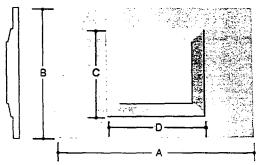
A	В	Picture Molding
66"	39″	19" × 36"



No. 952

Raised Panel with Cove Molding and Bottom Sill

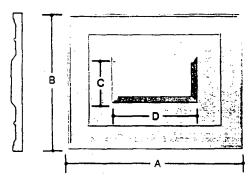
A	141/2"	281/2"	281/2"	36"	381/2"	391/4"	40″	41"	72″	76″	80"
В	29"	141/2"	381/2"	213/8"	29"	21"	40"	21%"	21%"	40"	21%"



No. 955

Flat Panel with Center Panel, No Sill

Α	В	Center Panel		
		С	D	
231/4"	125/g"	81/4"	187/ ₈ "	
34"	25″	13"	22"	
371/2"	371/2"	153/4"	231/2"	
391/4"	125/8"	81/4"	347/8"	
34"	42"	22"	30″	
431/2"	125/8"	81/4"	391/6"	
457/8"	231/4"	187⁄ ₈ ″	411/2"	
457/8"	391/4"	347/8"	411/2"	
51″	34"	22"	39″	
55"	36"	24"	27"	
58"	34"	22"	46"	
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81"	125/8"	81/4"	765%"	
81"	451/8"	411/2"	765%"	

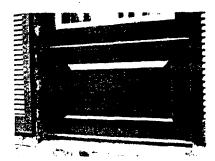


No. 956

Flat Panel with Center Panel, 2" Side Trim

A		Center Panel		
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391/2" 507/4"	22¼" 39½"	9¼" 13"	26½″ 12½″	

WINDOW PANELS



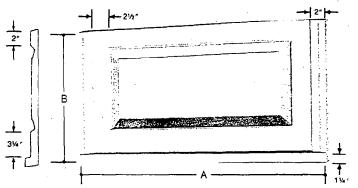
No. 950 Panel



No. 952 Panel, No. 855K Window Head. No. 840 Molding.



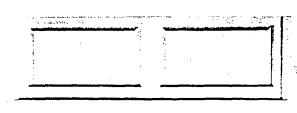
No. 950 Panel, No. 907 Molding.



No. 950 Raised panel with 2" Brick Mold and Bottom Sill.

Note: For clad window units without wood brick mold specify panel width. Brick Molding on panel will be trimmed to fit size. Example — 40" x 18" trimmed to $37\frac{5}{8}$ " x 18"

A B	A B	A B	A B
24" × 13"	24" × 18"	24" × 26"	24" × 34"
28" × 13"	28" × 18"	28" × 26"	28" × 34"
30" × 13"	30" × 18"	30" × 26"	30" × 34"
32" × 13"	32" × 18"	32" × 26"	32" × 34"
36" × 13"	36" × 18"	36" × 26"	36" × 34"
40" × 13"	40" × 18"	40" × 26"	40" × 34"
42" × 13"	42" × 18"	42" × 26"	42" × 34"
44" × 13"	44" × 18"	44" × 26"	44" × 34"
48" × 13"	48" × 18"	48" × 26"	48" × 34"
52" × 13"	52" × 18"	52" × 26"	52" × 34"
56" × 13"	56" × 18"	56" × 26"	56" × 34"
60" × 13"	60" × 18"	60" × 26"	
64" × 13"	64" × 18"	64" × 26"	48" × 48"
68" × 13"	68" × 18"	68" × 26"	59" × 30½"
72" × 13"	72" × 18"	72" × 26"	59" × 45%"
76" × 13"	76" × 18"	76" × 26"	64" × 20"
80" × 13"	80" × 18"	80" × 26"	67¼"×53½"
84" × 13"	84" × 18"	84" × 26"	70" × 59"
88" × 13"	88" × 18"	88" × 26"	$711/4'' \times 503/8''$
92" × 13"	92" × 18"	92" × 26"	72" × 20"
96" × 13"	96" × 18"	96" × 26"	
100" × 13"	100" × 18"	100" × 26"	
104" × 13"	104" × 18"	104" × 26"	



No. 950DP

Double Raised Panel 24" x 76"

No. 950B (Not Shown)

Raised Panel with 2" Brick Mold, all sides. 40" x 4334" 46" x 35"

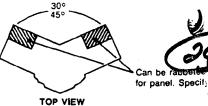
40" x 533/4" 46" x 38"

48" x 48"

No. 981L-30 No. 981L-45

Brick Mold Corner for angle bay window.

Length: 72"



February 13, 1997

To:

Robin Ziek, M-NCPPC

From:

Anthony Segreti

Subject:

Neighbors adjacent to Lot 19, Block 4 in "R.B. Detrick's

Subdivision of Kensington" for contract purchasers -

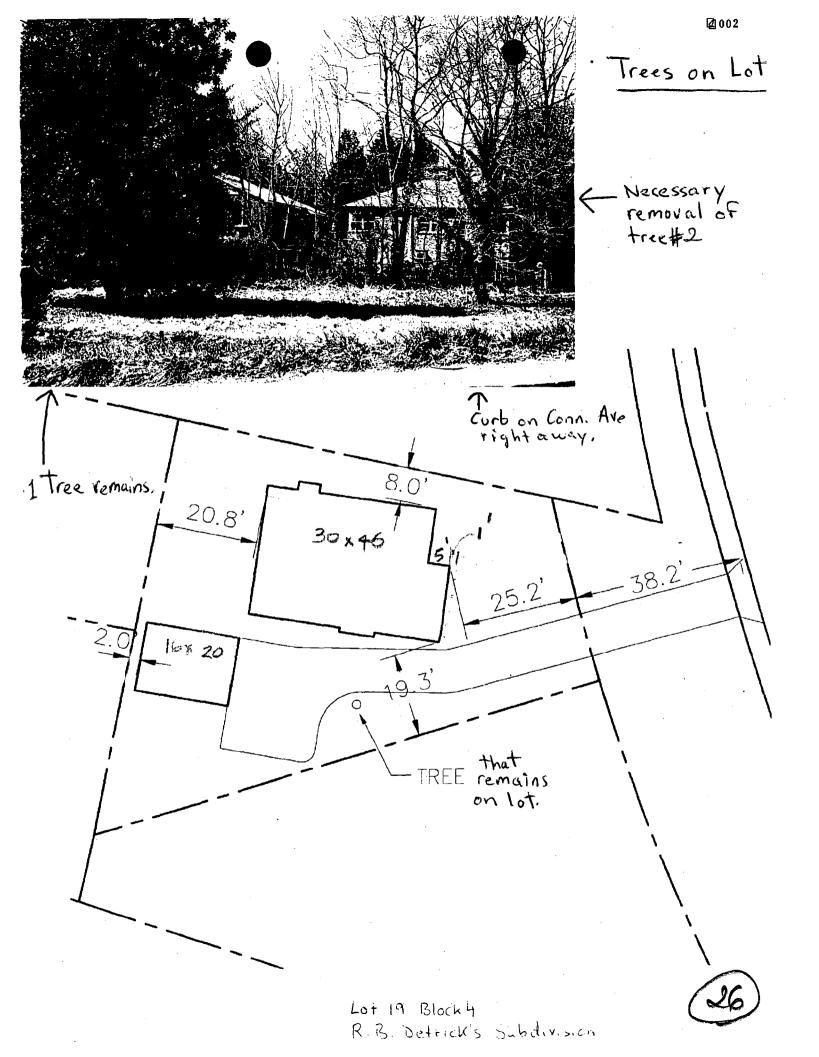
Marita K. Liebegut and Mark W. Raymond

Adjacent Properties:

1) Surfs, Inc. 10308 Connecticut Avenue Kensington, MD 20895

- 2) Gilbert E. and M. L. Prine 3820 Warner Street Kensington, MD 20895
- 3) Bernard and J. T. Didinsky 10309 Freeman Place Kensington, MD 20895
- 4) Clarence I. Gessford 10313 Freeman Place Kensington, MD 20895
- 5) Charles R. Hollowell 10311 Freeman Place Kensington, MD 20895

Please call me if you have any questions. I look forward to meeting you on Tuesday, Frebruary 18, 1997 at 10:00 a.m. at the property.





Adjacent meighbours on West side of Lot 19

> REAR YARD NEIGHBORS



- Adjacent

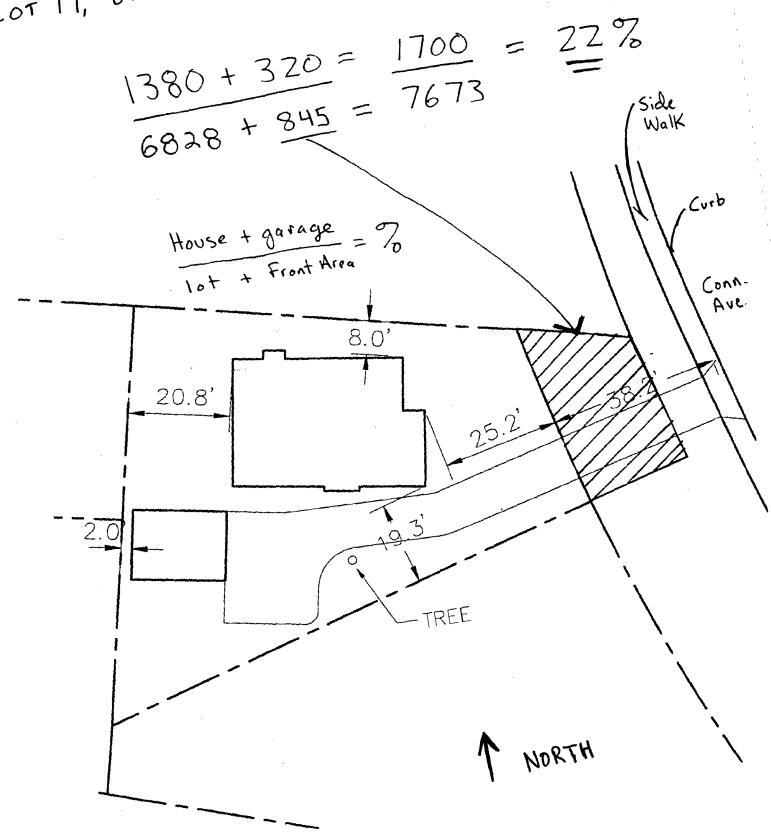
neighbour on

north Side of

Lot 13 Block 4

R.B. Detrick Subdivision

LOT 19, block 4, RB Detrick's Subdivision



MLS#:

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** PUBLIC RECORD **

Tax ID#: 2772917

County: MC

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 10309 FREEMAN PL, , KENSINGTON, MD 20895-3915

Legal/Recorded Subdivision: KENSINGTON

Incorporated City: KENSINGTON

OWNER:

Phone #: (301) 946-4988

Abs Owner: N

Company: BERNARD DIDINSKY ET AL TR

MAIL ADDRESS: 10309 FREEMAN PL., KENSINGTON, MD 20895-3915

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: IMPS R B DETRICK SUB

Mag/Dist #: 13

Lot: 21

Block/Square: 4

Tax Map:

Elec Dist: 13

Legal Unit #:

Grid: 0000

Map: HP43

TOTAL TAX BILL: \$5.082

County Tax: \$3,257

City Tax: \$740

Levy Yr: 1996

Front Foot Fee: \$115

Spec Tax Assmt: \$884

Refuse: \$86

Rate: 2.70

Tax Class: **ASSESSMENT**

Homestd/Exempt Status:

1994

Year Assessed

Total Tax Value Land

Improvement \$291,840

Land Use State: \$

Taxable Assessment

Previous

\$148,060 \$148,060 \$78,320 \$78,160

\$302,860

Municipal: \$ City: \$148,060

Early

DEED Transfer Date Deed Liber: 11752

Deed Folio: 582 Grantor

Deed Type: Grantee

Price

Land Use: Residential

09-SEP-1993

\$0

BERNARD & J T DIDINSKY

BERNARD DIDINSKY ET AL TR

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

Year Built: 1989

Zoning: R60

Census Trct/Blck: 704200/2

Irregular Lot:

Square Feet: 6,323 Prop Class: R

Prop Use Code: RESIDENTIAL

Building Use: RESIDENTIAL

STRUCTURE DESCRIPTION

Section 1 Frame

Section 2

Acreage: 0.15

Section 3

Section 4

Section 5

Construction

Story

Area

2,720

Ext Wall: Wood

Roofing: Shingle - Composite

Style:

Foundation:

Year Remodeled:

Total Building Area:

Stories: 2B

Units: 1

Living Area: 2,720

Base Sq Ft: 1,360 \

Model/Unit

Type: SINGLE FAMILY

Patio/Deck Type: DECK

Sq Ft: 220

Porch Type: 1 STORY OPEN

Sa Ft: 105

Rooms:

Bsmt Type: Not Specified

Fireplaces: 2

Garage Type: Built In

Bedrooms: Full Baths: 3 Bsmt Tot Sa Ft:

Fireplace Type:

Garage Sq Ft: 440 Garage Const.:

Half Baths: 1

Bsmt Fin Sq Ft: Bsmt Unfin Sq Ft: Attic Type: Attic Sq Ft:

Garage Spaces:

Baths: 3.5

Gas: Electric: Heat: Hot Water:

Sewer:

Underground:

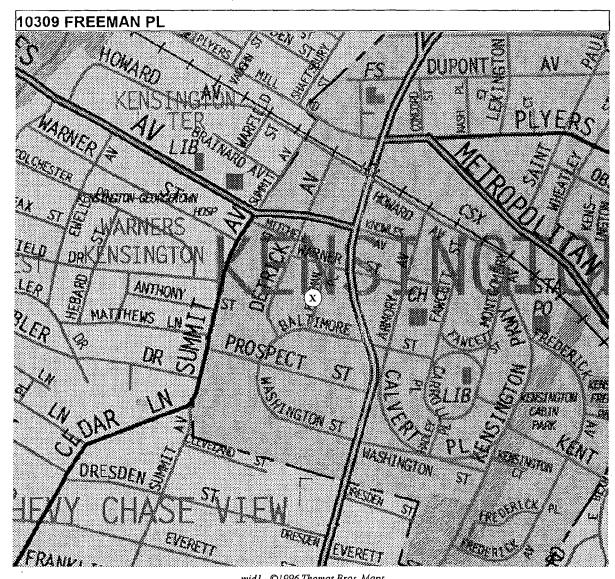
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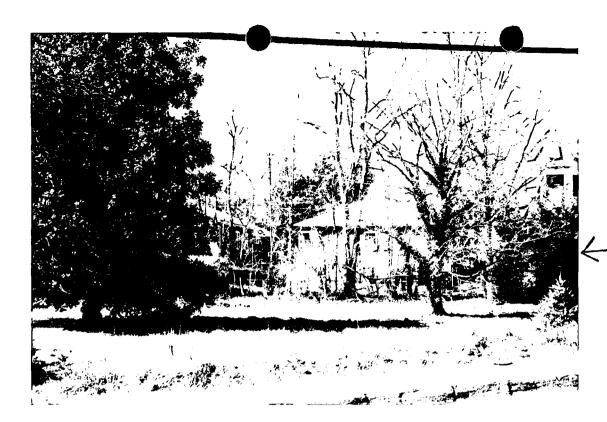
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Property Type: Residential



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Lot 19 Block 4 R.B. Detrick's Subdivision



Adjacent meighbours on West side of Lot 19



Adjacent

neighbour on

north Side of

Lot 19 Block 4

R.B. Detrick Subdivision

March 17, 1997

Robin Ziek M-NCP&PC, Design Zoning and Preservation 1109 Spring Street, Suite 801 Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Dear Robin:

Enclosed is a copy of the likely floor plan to be used and a photograph of a front door scheme that the contract purchasers will implement for the new construction on Lot19, Block 4 in RB Detrick's Subdivision, Kensington Maryland. The transept may or may not be utilized but the half height side lights will be.

After discussing the concept of a brick chimney with the contract purchasers, initially they thought it to be cost prohibitive under their current budget. However, I am presently obtaining cost estimates and hope to convince them of the overall benefit despite the additional cost. I will keep you informed.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions at (301) 996-4600.

Sincerely,

Anthony Segreti



Front Door Scheme For Lot 19, block 4 R.B. Detrick's Subdivision.

February 19, 1997

To:

Robin Ziek, M-NCPPC

From:

Anthony Segreti

Subject:

Withdrawal of scheduled preliminary hearing with the HPC

on February 26, 1997 for new construction on Lot 19, Block 4 in

"R.B. Detrick's Subdivision of Kensington" for contract purchasers - Marita K. Liebegut and Mark W. Raymond

I have spoken with the contract purchasers and they are in favor of withdrawing from the preliminary meeting scheduled for February 26, 1997 and rescheduling on March 26, 1997 for a full hearing for a work permit in a historic district.

As we discussed, I will contact you soon to review house renderings, site plans, and material lists as proposed by the contract purchasers and their architect.

January 29, 1997

Ms. Gwen Marcus-Wright
Design, Zoning and Preservation Division
Historic Preservation Commission
The Maryland-National Capital Park and
Planning Commission
1109 Spring Street, 8th Floor
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Dear Ms. Marcus-Wright:

Please find enclosed a preliminary proposal for new residential construction on Lot 19, Block 4 in the subdivision known as "R.B. Detrick's Subdivision of Kensington" in Montgomery County, Maryland. The property is located in the 10300 block of Connecticut Avenue.

I am a consultant for the prospective owners of the property and house to be built. At the current time, they are interviewing area builders and anticipate making a selection by the early March, 1997.

We look forward to your recommendations on our proposal. You may contact me at (301) 996-4600 if you have any questions.

Sincerley,

Anthony J. Segreti

January 29, 1997

Subject:

New residential construction Town of Kensington.

Address:

Lot 19, Block 4 "R.B. Detrick's Subdivision of Kensington"

Located in the 10300 block of Connecticut Avenue.

Applicants:

Marita K. Liebegut and Mark W. Raymond

2221 E. Lombard, Baltimore, Maryland 21231

Setting

Lot size:

6828 sq. feet per recorded subdivision plat.

Lot Shape:

Quadrilateral with 43 ft. frontal width, sides of 120 and 87 ft. and

rear footage of 97 feet.

Location

10300 block of Connecticut Avenue.

Utilities:

Water and sewer taps installed in 1996 by WSSC.

Proposal

Style:

Two story house with front-gabled roof exhibiting 19th and 20th

century Victorian styles.

Footprint:

30'W x 42'D

Lot coverage: 18.45%

Set backs:

Minimum of 50 feet from the Conn. Ave. Other minimum

setbacks will be met without difficulty.

Materials:

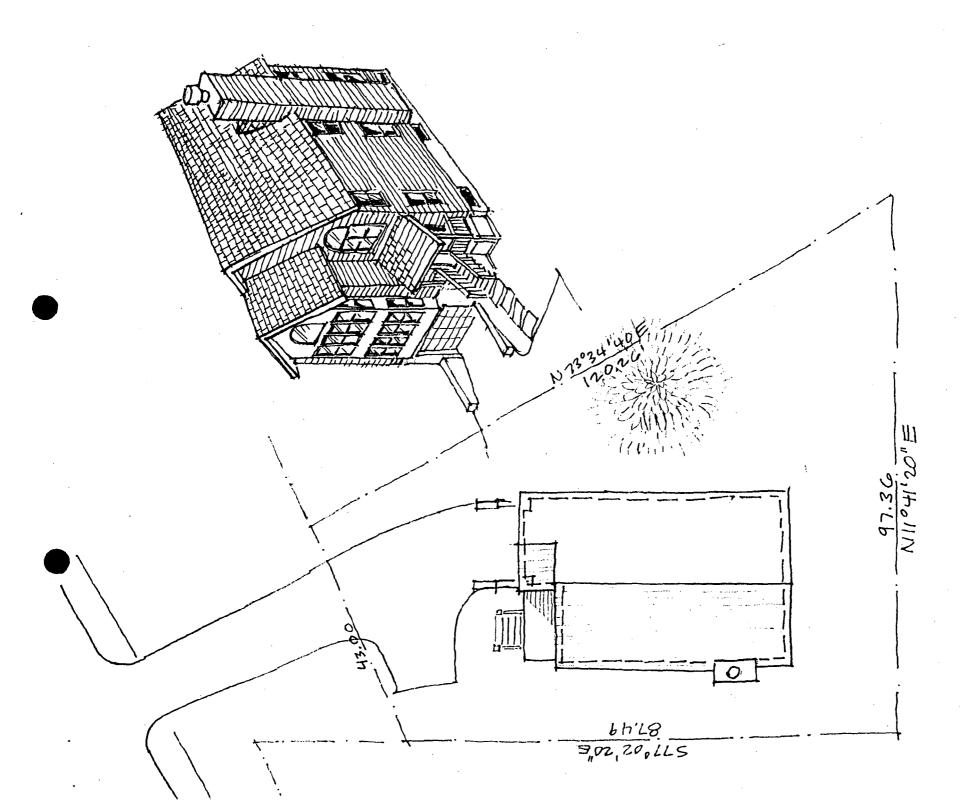
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on house. Asphalt roof.

Colors:

Typical for the period and style. Possibly black on gray or blue

on light blue.



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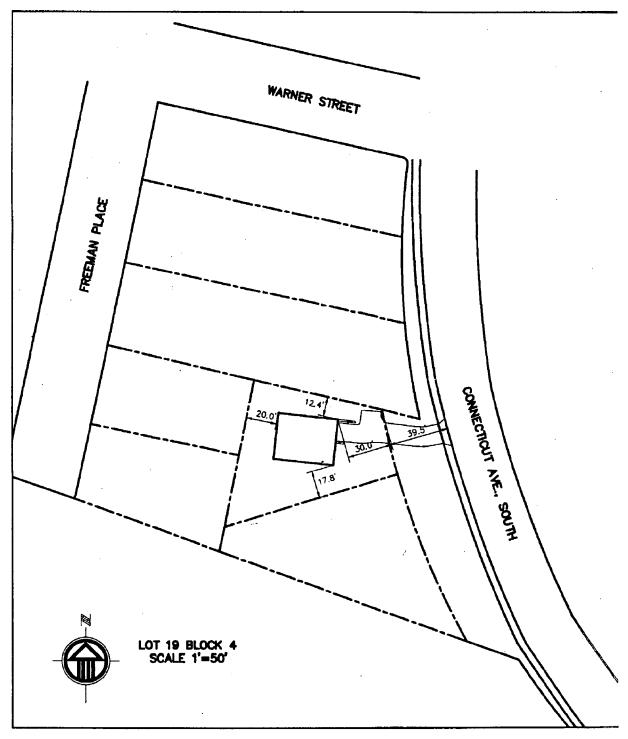
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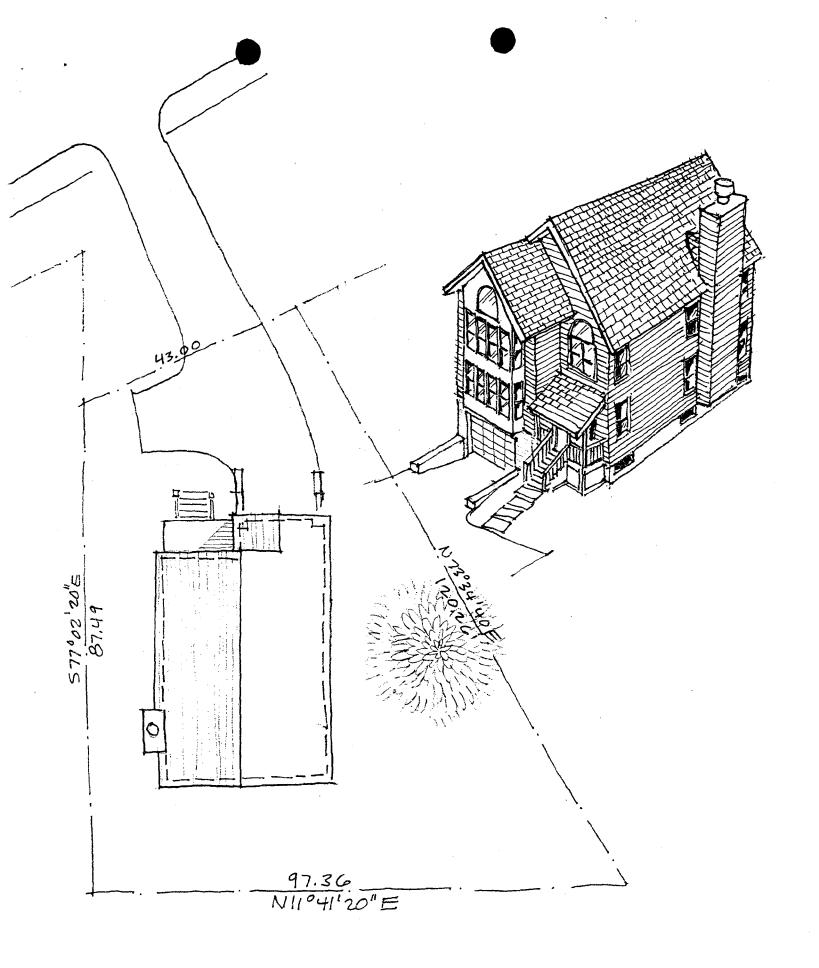
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