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### MONTGOMERY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PARK & PLANNING

THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION

	PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION	
	8787 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3760  Date: 11600	
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TO:	Robert Hubbard, Director Department of Permitting Services	
FROM:	Gwen Wright, Coordinator  Historic Preservation  Historic Preservation  Historic Preservation Commission	<b>'2</b> '
SUBJECT:	Historic Area Work Permit	57
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	aff will review and stamp the construction drawings prior to the applicant's applying g permit with DPS; and (please call 301.563.3408 for appointment)	<del>*</del>
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Applicant:	John + Janet Galloway	
Address:	John + Janet Calloway  3708 Washington St., Kennington MD 188	
of Permitting Montgomery	to the general condition that, after issuance of the Montgomery County Department g Services (DPS) permit, the applicant arrange for a field inspection by calling the y County DPS Field Services Office at 240-777-6210 prior to commencement of our more than two weeks following completion of work.	
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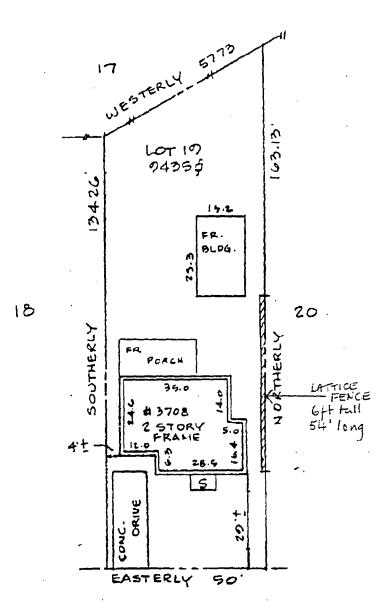
### HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301/563-3400

### **APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT**

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☐ Move 🔯 Install	☐ Wreck/Raze	☐ Solar	☐ Fireplace	☐ Woodburning Stov	e 🔲 Single Family
☐ Revision ☐ Repair	Revocable	⊠. Fence/	Wall (complete	Section 4) 🗀 Oth	er:
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1C. If this is a revision of a previo	usly approved active permit, see Pe	ermit #	)		
PART TWO: COMPLETE FOR	NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EX	XTEND/ADDIT	IONS		
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2B. Type of water supply:		Well			
PART THREE: COMPLETE ON	ILY FOR FENCE/RETAINING WA	ALL			
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Montgomery County
Historic Processation Commission



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## HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301/563-3400

# APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT

			Contact Person:	INNUL (	MILORIA.
			Daytime Phone No	: 103 44	8 2272
Tax Account No.:	40-41	<u>-1</u>		·	
Name of Property Owner: JOHN	1 & JANE	T GALLOL	Daytime Phone No	: <u>AJ AB</u>	OVE
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7516 ROYAL	DOMINION	UDR, BE	THESDA Phone No	HD 2081	Zip Code
Contractor Registration No.:					
Agent for Owner:			_ Daytime Phone No.		
LOCATION OF BUILDING/PREMIS	SE				
House Number: 3706		Street:	WASHIN	JUTUN S	TREET
Town/City: KENSING	TON	Nearest Cross Street:	CALVE	RJ.	
Lot: Block:	3 Subdivision:	KENSI	JATON	PARK	
Liber: Folio:					
PART ONE: TYPE OF PERMIT AC	TION AND USE				
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☐ Move ☑ Install	☐ Wreck/Raze	☐ Solar ☐	] Fireplace 🔲 Woo	odburning Stove	☐ Single Family
☐ Revision ☐ Repair	☐ Revocable	'⊠. Fence/Wa	all (complete Section 4	)	
1B. Construction cost estimate: \$	?				
1C. If this is a revision of a previously	approved active permit,	see Permit #			
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31/6-00M

## EXPEDITED HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address:	3708 Washington Street, Kensington	Meeting Date:	11/15/00
Applicant:	John & Janet Galloway	Report Date:	11/08/00
Resource:	Kensington Historic District	Public Notice:	11/01/00
Review:	HAWP	Tax Credit:	None
Case Numb	er: 31/6-00M	Staff:	Perry Kephart
PROPOSAI	L: Install lattice fence.	RECOMMENDA	
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	ENDATION: Staff would recommend the as a garden trellis.		
	x_ApprovalApproval with conditions:		
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purposes of this chapter, or

3. The proposal would enhance or aid in the protection, preservation and public or private utilization of the historic site, or historic resource located within an historic district, in a manner compatible with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural value of the historic site or historic district in which an historic resource is located, or
4. The proposal is necessary in order that unsafe conditions or health hazards be remedied; or
5. The proposal is necessary in order that the owner of the subject property not be deprived of reasonable use of the property or suffer undue hardship; or
6. In balancing the interests of the public in preserving the historic site, or historic resource located within an historic district, with the interests of the public from the use and benefit of the alternative proposal, the general public welfare is better served by granting the permit.

### Policy On Use of Expedited Staff Reports for Simple HAWP Cases

This policy is developed with the understanding that:

- I. The HPC's policy regarding in-kind replacements has not changed, that is, all replacements of exterior features with exactly matching materials may be done without a HAWP.
- II. Staff will continue to notify Local Advisory Panel (LAP), and adjacent and confronting owners of all HAWP applications and, if a neighbor or the LAP is known to object to a proposal, the Expedited Staff Report will not be used.
- III. If, because of the specifics of the case, staff is uncertain whether the Expedited Staff Report format is appropriate, or if an applicant requests it, the Standard Staff Report will be used.
- IV. The Expedited Staff Report format may be used on the following type of cases:
  - 1. Alterations to properties on which the Maryland Historical Trust (MHT) holds an easement and which have been reviewed and approved by the MHT Easement Committee.
  - 2. Modifications to a property which do not significantly alter its visual character. These include, but are not limited to:
    - A. Repair or replacement of masonry foundations with new materials that match the original closely.
    - B. Installation of vents, venting pipes, and exterior grills.
    - C. New installation of gutters.
  - 4. Removal of asbestos, asphalt, or other artificial siding when the original siding is to be repaired, and, where necessary, replaced in kind.
  - 5. Removal of accessory building that are not original to the site or otherwise historically significant.
  - 6. Replacement of missing architectural details, provided that at lease one example of the detail to be replaced exists on the house, and/or physical or documentary evidence exists that illustrates or describes the missing detail or details.
  - 7. Signs that are in conformance with all other County sign regulations.

- 8. Construction of wooden decks that are at the rear of a structure and are not readily visible from a public right-of-way. This applies to all categories of resources:

  Outstanding, Contributing, Individually Designated Sites, or Non-contributing.
- 9. Replacement of roofs on non-contributing or out-of-period building, as well as new installation of historically appropriate roofing materials on outstanding and contributing buildings.
- 10. Installation of exterior storm windows or doors that are compatible with the historic site or district in terms of material or design.
- 11. Construction of fences that are compatible with historic site or district in terms of material, height, location, and design. Requests for fences higher than 48" to be located in the front yard of a property will not be reviewed using an Expedited Staff Report.
- 12. Construction or replacement of walkways, parking areas, patios, driveways or other paved areas that are not readily visible from a public right-of-way and/or are compatible in material, location, and design with the visual character of the historic site or district.
- 13. Construction or repair of retaining walls where the new walls are compatible in material, location, design and height with the visual character of the historic site or district.
- 14 Construction or replacement of storage and small accessory buildings that are not readily visible from a public right-of-way.
- 15. Landscaping, or the removal or modification of existing planting, that is compatible with the visual character of the historic site or district.



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### HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301/563-3400

## **APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT**

			Contact Person: 1	PNET GI	FLLOWAY
			Daytime Phone No.:	703 448	3 2277
Tax Account No.: 515	40-490	-1			
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	SHANAFAN	STUG			120895
Street Number	L DOMINION	Citv	Staet		Zip Code 1-
Contractor Registration No.:					
Agent for Owner:			Daytime Phone No.:		
LOCATION OF BUILDING/PREM	NICE				
House Number: 3708	<u>113E</u>	Stree	WASHING	GTON ST	REET
Town/City: KENSING					
Lot: 19 Block:	Subdivision:	KENS	INGTON P	MRK	
Liber: Folio:	Parcel:			•	
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Approved: 2329	'le2	· For Che	airperson, Historic Preservat	tion Commission	
Disapproved:	Signature:			Date:	
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## THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST BE COMPLETED AND THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION.

WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT	
a. Description of existing structure(s) and environmental setting, including their historical features and significance:	
NO EXISTING FENCE STRUCTURE	<u> </u>
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b. General description of project and its effect on the historic resource(s), the environmental setting, and, where applicable, the historic district:  NSTALL LATTICE PRESSILRE TREATED FENCE TO REPLACE	
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BEAUTIFY THE STRUCTURE	
SITEPLAN THE FENCE WILL NOT GO PAST THE FRONT BUILDING LINE	· •
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	
c. site features such as walkways, driveways, fences, ponds, streams, trash dumpsters, mechanical equipment, and lendscaping.	
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.	
a. Schematic construction plans, with marked dimensions, indicating location, size and general type of walls, window end door openings, and fixed features of both the existing resource(s) and the proposed work.	i other
b. Elevations (facades), with marked dimensions, clearly indicating proposed work in relation to existing construction and, when appropriate, cor All materials and fixtures proposed for the exterior must be noted on the elevations drawings. An existing and a proposed elevation drawing of facade affected by the proposed work is required.	itext. each
MATERIALS SPECIFICATIONS	
General description of materials and manufactured items proposed for incorporation in the work of the project. This information may be included of design drawings.	n your
<u>PHOTOGRAPHS</u>	
a. Clearly labeled photographic prints of each facade of existing resource, including details of the affected portions. All labels should be placed on front of photographs.	the
<ul> <li>Clearly label photographic prints of the resource as viewed from the public right-of-way and of the adjoining properties. All labels should be pla the front of photographs.</li> </ul>	ced on
TREE SURVEY	

7. ADDRESSES OF ADJACENT AND CONFRONTING PROPERTY OWNERS

3.

For ALL projects, provide an accurate list of adjacent and confronting property owners (not tenants), including names, addresses, and zip codes. This list should include the owners of all lots or parcels which adjoin the parcel in question, as well as the owner(s) of lot(s) or parcel(s) which lie directly across the street/highway from the parcel in question. You can obtain this information from the Department of Assessments and Taxation, 51 Monroe Street, Rockville, (301/279-1355).

If you are proposing construction adjacent to or within the dripline of any tree 6" or larger in diameter (at approximately 4 feet above the ground), you

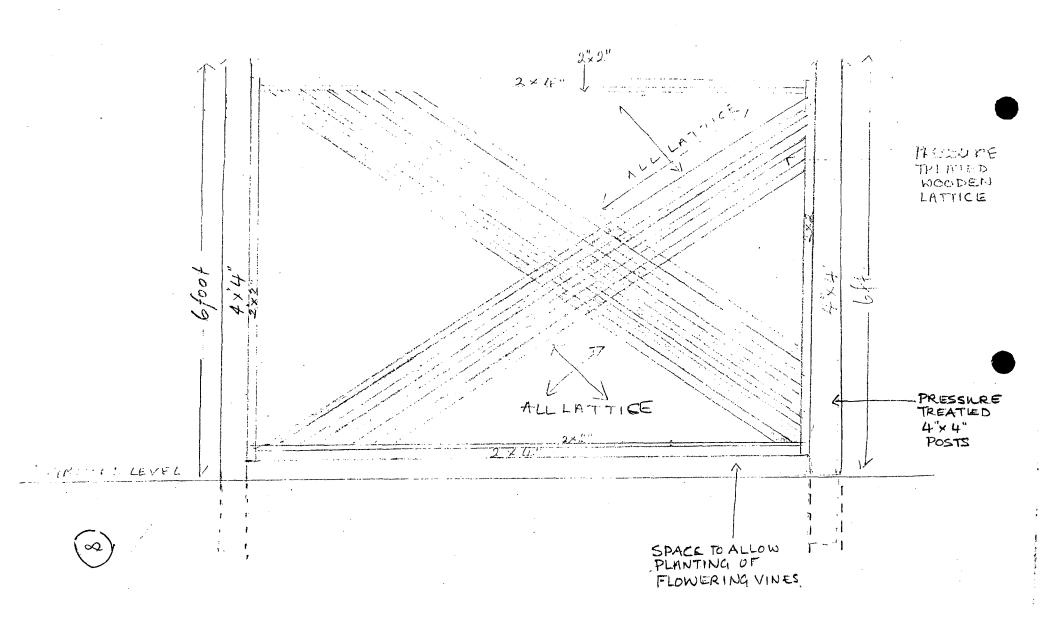
must file an accurate tree survey identifying the size, location, and species of each tree of at least that dimension.

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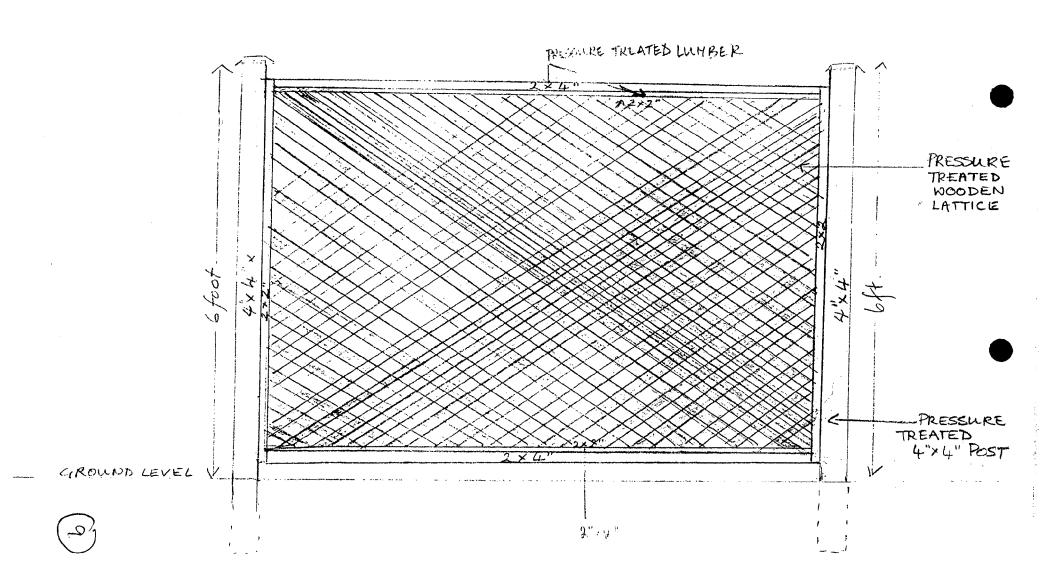


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# DRAWING OF LATTICE FENCE FOR GALLOWAY PROPERTY 3708 WASHINGTON STREET, KENSINGTON, MD ALL PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER FENCE



DRAWING OF LATIKE FENCE TOP GALLOWAY PROPERTY 3708 WASHINGTON STREET, KENSINGTON, HD ALL PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER



# Materials Spenfication

All humber is pressure treated Posts 4"×4"×96" 2"×4"×96" 2"×2"×96"

> 3708 Washington St Kensington Mi) 20895

Mailing address: of owner of properly Janer Galloway. 7516 Royal Dominion Dr Betherda Md 20817 Names and Address of Adjacent and Confronting property Owners to (Lot 19)

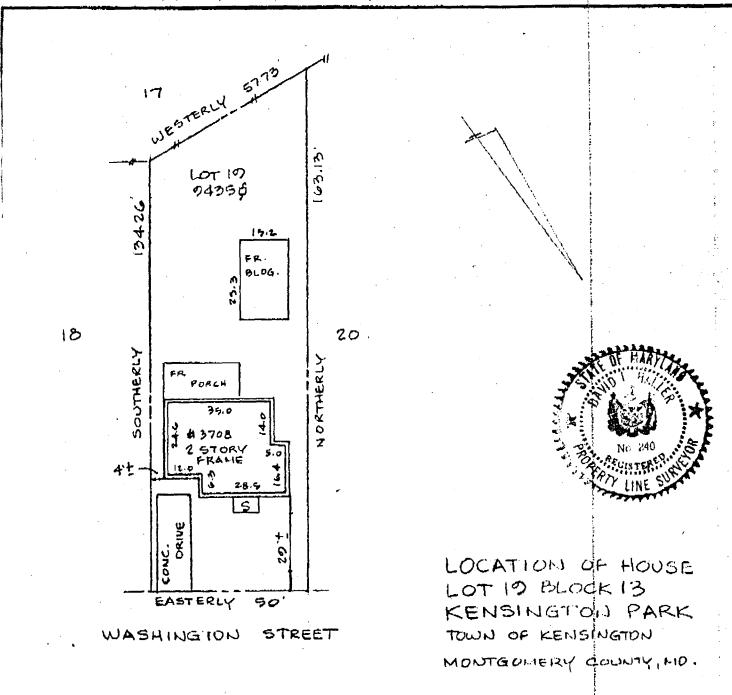
Mrand Mrs Neil Wilson (Lot 20) 3710 Washington St. Kensington Md 20895

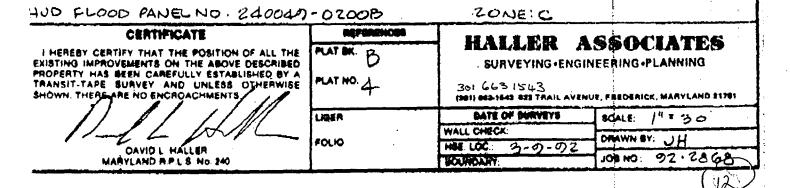
Mrs + Mrs S. Hollman (Lot 18) 3706 Washington St Kensington Md 20895

Confronting properly owners Mrt Mrs Nellis 3709 Calvert Place Kensington Md 20895

Rear property time mr Barry Reoples 10030 Kensington Par Kway Kensington Md 20895 NOTS: This location for title purposes only — not to be used for determining property lines. Property corner Markers Not gualanteed by this location

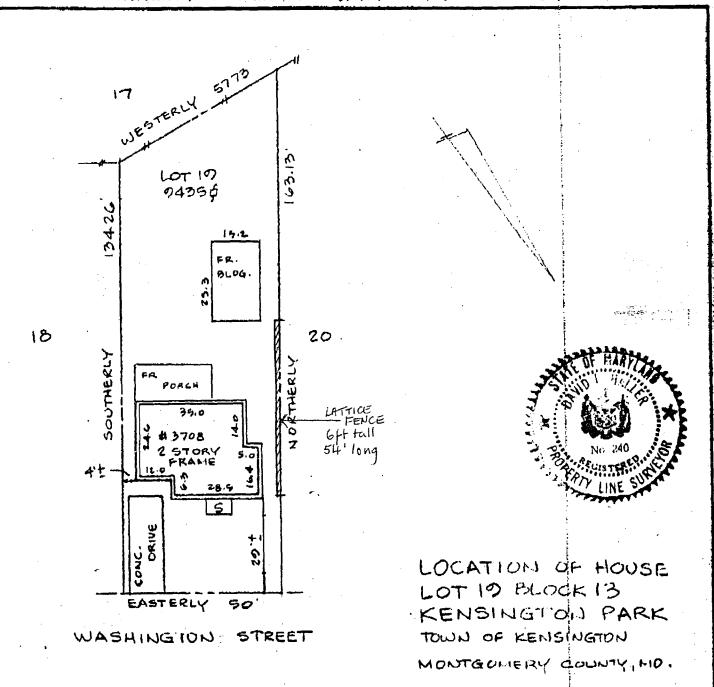
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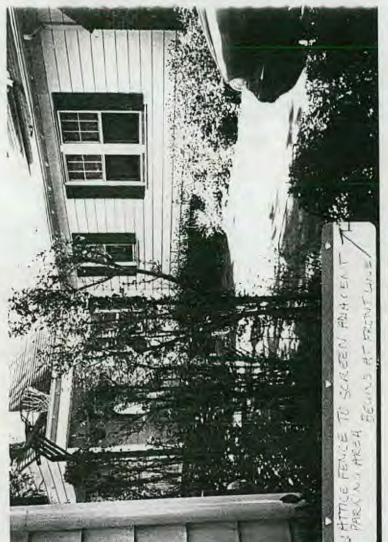
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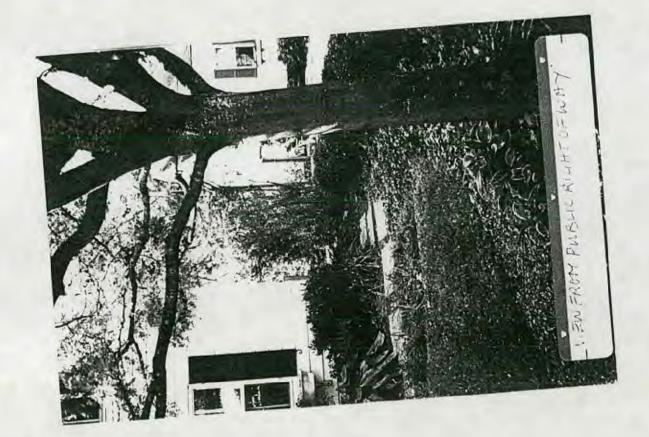












### November 14, 2000

VIA FACSIMILE

Maryland Historical Preservation Trust

Attn: Robin Ziek

I am writing with respect to the construction permit application filed by Jack and Janet Galloway, 3708 Washington Street, Kensington, MD 20895. The Galloways seek to build a six foot high fence along our respective property lines. The application is scheduled to be considered at a hearing this Wednesday.

My husband and I approved the fence as proposed subject to a property survey. After further considering the application, we would like to amend our approval to include the condition that the fence be no more that 4 feet high. I have expressed our view to the Galloways directly.

Thank you very much for including this further issue.

Very truly yours,

Coleen Wilson

3710 Washington Street Kensington, MD 20895

Coleen Wilson

301-949-9438

## LOCAL ADVISORY PANEL KENSINGTON HISTORIC DISTRICT

Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission Historic Preservation Commission 8787 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20910

RE: HAWP Cases, 31/6-00M, 31/6-00N, 31/6-00O

LAP members met recently to discuss the above referenced cases with regard to their impact on the garden character of the Kensington historic district. With regard to Case 31/6-00N (10312 Kensington Parkway) and Case 31/6-00O (3908 Baltimore Street), LAP members raised no objections to either the scope of the projects or the particular materials and design to be employed.

With regard to Case 31/6-00M (3708 Washington Street), three LAP members recommended that the height of the fence being proposed be limited to four feet. It was felt that while the location and purpose of the fence was not in conflict with overall preservation of the character of the historic district, a fence height in excess of four feet would detract from the garden character of the district and would possibly set a precedent for future HAWPs concerning fence construction. To that extent, one LAP member suggested that the HPC consider a height of four feet as a guideline for future fence construction in the historic district.

It was recommended by two members of LAP that the homeowners consider the use of plantings: i.e., a more "dense" type of shrub in place of a fence, such as barberry. It was also recommended that the homeowners be encouraged to use a more durable design of natural wood, given the limited structural strength of standard "lattice" type materials.

Sincerely,

Jim Engel

LAP Commissioner

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November 13, 2000

Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission 8787 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, MD 20910

Dear Members of the Historic Preservation Commission:

I am writing in reference to two different matters being considered by the Commission. I write as a resident of the Historic District who is a residential architect and the President of the Kensington Land Trust. I believe the two cases are related in their impact on the historic garden setting of Kensington, and I believe that it is important that the Commission consider the impact of these proposed interventions on this historic landscape. At first glance, the actions of these property owners might seem to have a relatively minor impact on the properties they affect and on the historic district. But I would maintain that they disregard and undermine essential features of the Kensington Historic District. It has become apparent that we must be increasingly vigilant in Kensington as essential landscape characteristics are being obliterated. at worst, and obscured, at best.

The paying over of the greater portion of the front yard at 3802 Washington Street—work already performed, without a HAWP--- is especially detrimental in its impact, both for the immediate physical and aesthetic effect on the landscape as well as for the damaging precedent established by the paving over of a disproportionate quantity of landscape around a home within the Historic District. Although the house on this property is not a primary resource, the property is nonetheless a contributing portion of the whole landscape that constitutes the Historic District. There are real physical problems that result from the paving over of the front yard, including the fact that about half of the drip line of the single mature front yard tree is covered over—which is likely to result in the decline of that tree. As precedent as well as aesthetically, the covering over of most of a front yard to create a parking pad/ play pad is inappropriate and very detrimental to the historic garden landscape of Kensington. It is an intervention that changes the fundamental character of the landscape as well as the streetscape reading of the house. It is important to note that many houses in historic Kensington do not have off-street parking, and that the preservation of landscape has taken precedence over the building of driveways and garages in several previous cases in the Historic District.

The other case being considered, at 3708 Washington Street, involves installing a six foot high lattice fence on the property line between the house and its neighbor to the west. With each hard edge that is introduced into the landscape, the rolling landscape character of Kensington is altered. Therefore, it is desirable that the necessity that some property owners have to install fences be tempered by minimizing their impact. Visual porosity is important, as is minimizing the height. Fences can enclose without obscuring view; but in this case, it is clear that the intent is to obscure view. It would be preferable that plantings be used to do this instead, since the introduction of a hard, high edge as a side yard fence between houses is, in my opinion, detrimental to the historic landscape.

It is important that the Historic Preservation Commission keep in mind, in its deliberations on projects in Kensington, that the rolling garden landscape is a primary and essential element of the Historic District. The garden park aesthetic dictates that houses are set as objects into the landscape quite the opposite of the hard urban edge presented by buildings lined up in close proximity to one another, where the frontal relationship of the houses to the street is primary. Please help us to preserve the many pieces of this heritage that are being whittled away by well-intentioned but underinformed property owners

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### KENSINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. PO BOX 453 KENSINGTON, MD 20895

November 15, 2000

Historic Preservation Commission Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission 8787 Georgia Avenue Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Dear Commissioners and Staff:

1 am writing concerning Case No. 31/6-00M, 3708 Washington Street. The Kensington Historical Society Preservation Committee feels unanimously that the proposal to place a 54 foot long, six foot high fence along the side property line is inappropriate.

A six foot high sence between houses is not typical in this neighborhood. It presents a barrier to the vista between properties blocking the garden setting which would be a bad precedent for the District. The present hedge could be replaced by green material. A proposed fence in this area should be no higher than four seet. Because the two houses are very close together due to the fifty foot lot width, the sence would particularly close in the adjoining neighbor at 3710 Washington Street. The house at 3708 is very close to the lot line with only one first floor window facing the neighbors.

Another resident in the Historic District, 10301 Armory Ave., came to staff last year to replace a solid board fence with a similar lattice fence to the rear of the house perpendicular to the street. They were advised that the lattice fencing would be inappropriate.

In January of 1999, a six foot fence was approved for 10204 Kensington Parkway. This fence was a replacement fence on the property line starting 24 feet behind the front of the house and completely behind the neighbor's home. There also was a fence approved several years ago at the rear of a property between Prospect St. and Baltimore St.

We are opposed to six foot fences of any type hetween houses.

Sincerely,

Julie O'Malley, Chair KHS Preservation Committee

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Cc: Galloway, Wilson

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Dear Commissioners and Staff:

I am writing regarding Case No. 31/6-00N, 10312 Kensington Parkway. The Kensington Historical Society Preservation Committee feels that a 42 inch high picket fence around this property would not be detrimental to the District. In particular this home sits very high on its foundation. The property as well as the historic structure will still be quite visible.

Sincerely,

Julie O'Malley, Chair KHS Preservation Committee

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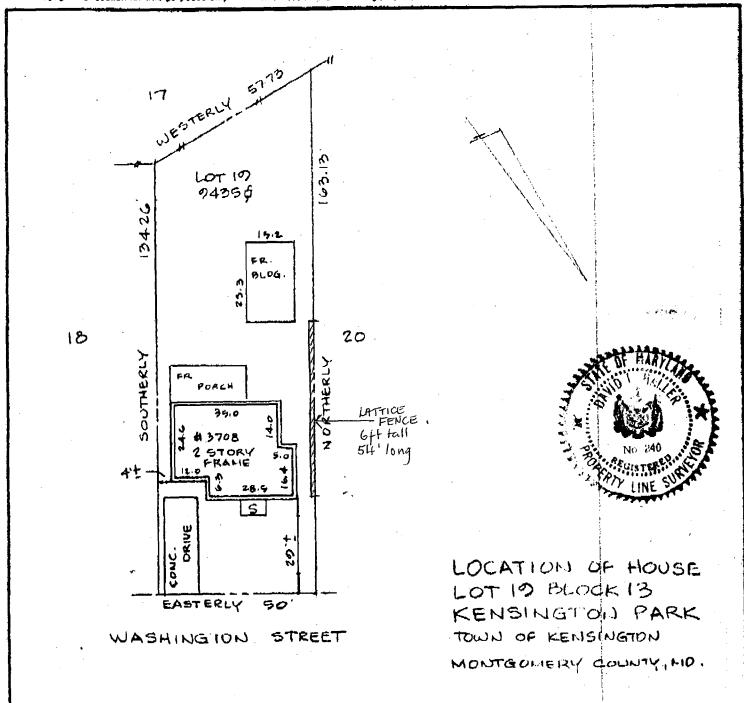
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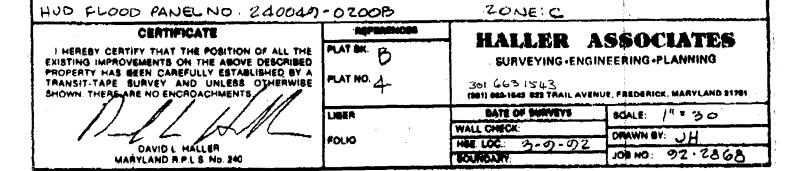
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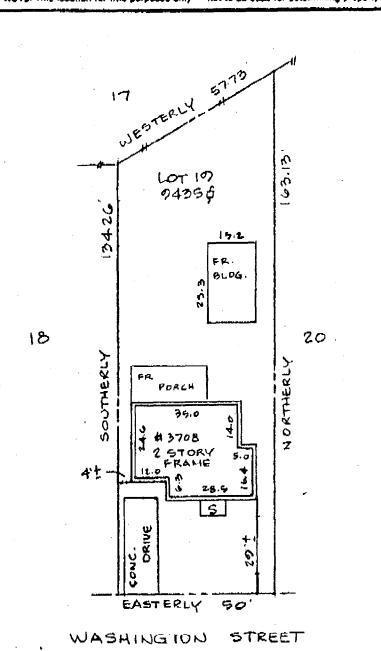
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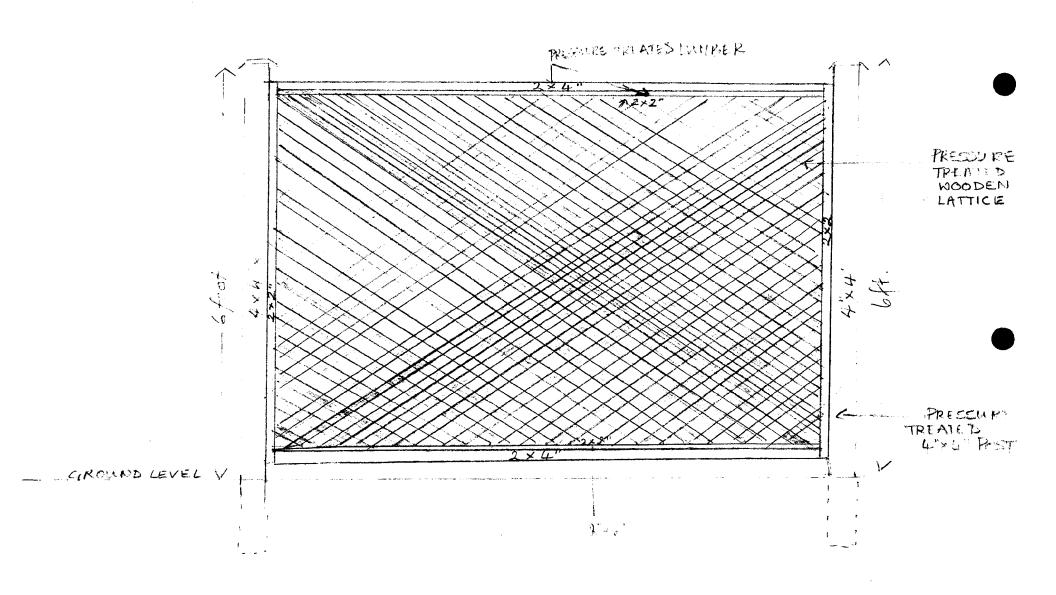
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