37/03-04V 7315 Baltimore Ave Takoma Park Historic District

# Wright, Gwen

From:

Brian Finlay [bfinlay@vi.org]

Sent:

June 11, 2004 2:03 PM

To:

Wright, Gwen

Cc:

Naru, Michele

Subject:

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Importance: High

Gwen -

Thanks for your message. Sorry for the delay in getting back to you. This is just to confirm that I asked you to pull our application that was to be heard before the HPC on Wednesday June 9th.

Thanks for your help.

Brian

06/09/04

# HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address: 7315 Baltimore Avenue, Takoma Park Meeting Date:

**Resource:** Contributing Resource **Report Date:** 06/02/04

Takoma Park Historic District

Review: HAWP Public Notice: 06/26/04

Case Number: 37/03-04V REVISION Tax Credit: N/A

Applicant: Brian Finlay Staff: Michele Naru

**PROPOSAL:** Install vinyl siding on the exterior of the addition

**RECOMMEND:** Approval with condition

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends that the Commission approve this **REVISED** HAWP application with the condition that the vinyl siding be detailed with painted, wood trim (corner boards, cornices, and window and door surrounds).

# **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

SIGNIFICANCE: Contributing Resource

STYLE: Colonial Revival

DATE: 1928

The house located at 7315 Baltimore Avenue is a contributing resource within the Takoma Park Historic District. The building is a one-story, hipped roofed, frame Colonial Revival house. The house is detailed with a broad cornice and a hipped roofed entry portico, supported by Doric columns. The original 6/1, double-hung sash windows still exist on the main massing, yet the original pebbledash stucco (which is very deteriorated) has been covered with asbestos shingle. The current lot also contains an approx 42' long asphalt driveway along its front, western property line and several mature trees.

## **BACKGROUND**:

The applicant received approval from the HPC on May 12, 2004 for a new rear addition. The conditions of approval were:

1. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding of the addition will be painted, horizontal wood/Hardi-plank siding or synthetic stucco. Final selection to be approved by staff.

2. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding on the main massing will be true or synthetic stucco.

### **PROPOSAL**:

The applicant is requesting a revision to the abovementioned HAWP application to include vinyl siding as an exterior cladding option for the previously approved, new addition.

### **STAFF DISCUSSION:**

The Historic Preservation Commission utilizes the *Approved and Adopted Takoma Park Historic District Guidelines* when reviewing changes to contributing resources within the historic district. The *Takoma Park Guidelines* define contributing resources as:

A resource, which contributes to the overall character of the district and its streetscape, but is of secondary architectural and historical significance. A resource may be classified as contributing if it is a common or ubiquitous example of an architectural style that is important to the historic district, or if it was an outstanding resource that, while still identifiable as a specific architectural style, has lost some degree of its architectural integrity due to alterations. Contributing resources ass to the overall streetscape due to their size, scale and architectural character.

The following *Takoma Park Guidelines* pertain to this proposal:

• Some non-original building materials may be acceptable on a case-by-case basis; artificial siding on areas visible from the public right-of-way is discouraged where such materials would replace or damage original building materials that are in good condition.

Staff continues to support the use of wood or cement fiber horizontal siding on the new addition. Horizontal siding, in staff's opinion, is a compatible and sympathetic building material for a Colonial Revival building.

In the past, the Commission has approved on a case-by-case basis, the use of vinyl siding with wood trim on new, rear additions that will be moderately visible from the public right-of-way. The elevation that will be visible from the right of way contains a window, door and an entry portico – which will leave a very minimal wall surface for cladding. As such, staff is recommending that the Commission approve the applicant's revision to this HAWP application.

### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that the Commission *approve with the abovementioned condition* the HAWP application as being consistent with 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 the approved and adopted Takoma Park Historic District Guidelines, August 1992.

and with the general condition that the applicant shall present the 3 permit sets of drawings to HPC staff for review and stamping prior to submission for building permits and after issuance of the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) permit, the applicant will arrange for a field inspection by calling the DPS Field Services Office at (240) 777-6210 or online at <a href="www.permits.emontgomery.org">www.permits.emontgomery.org</a> prior to commencement of work and not more than two weeks following completion of work.



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HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 201/663-3400

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Date: May 13, 2004

# **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Robert Hubbard, Director

FROM:

Michele Naru, Senior Planner

Historic Preservation Section

SUBJECT:

Historic Area Work Permit # 341078

The Montgomery County Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) has reviewed the attached application for a Historic Area Work Permit (HAWP). This application was **APPROVED with conditions**. The conditions of approval are:

- 1. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding of the addition will be painted, horizontal wood/Hardi-plank siding or synthetic stucco. Final selection to be approved by staff.
- 2. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding on the main massing will be true or synthetic stucco.

The HPC staff will review and stamp the construction drawings prior to the applicant's applying for a building permit with DPS.

THE BUILDING PERMIT FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ISSUED CONDITIONAL UPON ADHERENCE TO THE APPROVED HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT (HAWP).

Applicant:

**Brian Finlay** 

Address:

7315 Baltimore Street, Takoma Park Historic District

This HAWP approval is subject to the general condition that, after issuance of the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) permit, the applicant arrange for a field inspection by calling the Montgomery County DPS Field Services Office at 240-777-6210 or online at http://permits.emontgomery.org prior to commencement of work and not more than two weeks following completion of work



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- i. 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 landscaping.

#### 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.

- Schematic construction plans, with marked dimensions, indicating location, size and general type of walls, window and door openings, and other lixed features of both the existing resource(s) and the proposed work.
- b. Elevations (facades), with marked dimensions, clearly indicating proposed work in relation to existing construction and, when appropriate, context.
  All materials and fixtures proposed for the exterior must be noted on the elevations drawings. An existing and a proposed elevation drawing of each facade affected by the proposed work is required.

#### MATERIALS SPECIFICATIONS

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.

### **PHOTOGRAPHS**

- a. 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 abstractable.
- b. Clearly label photographic prints of the resource as viewed from the public right-of-way and of the adjoining properties. All labels should be placed on the front of photographs.

#### TREE SURVEY

If you are proposing construction adjacent to or within the discline of any tree 5" or larger in diameter (at approximately 4 feet above the ground), you must fike an accurate tree survey identifying the size, location, and species of each tree of at least that dimension.

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For <u>AU</u> 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).

# Description of existing structure(s) and environmental setting, including their historical features and significance:

The existing home at 7315 Baltimore Avenue was constructed in 1928. The house is a simple frame construction with a hip roof. It encompasses approximately 940 square feet on a single floor plus a basement with limited clearance. The home sits on a lot of approximately 10,000 square feet (see site plan attached). The house is young in comparison to the adjacent homes on Baltimore Avenue and can best be described as a variation of a single story colonial revival:

- 7319 Baltimore Avenue—Victorian home built in 1908
- 7316 Baltimore Avenue—Colonial Revival built in 1911
- 7313 Baltimore Avenue—Craftsman style home built in 1896

Regrettably, the house was re-covered in asbestos cement shingles in a horizontal pattern. The original siding was a coarse stucco That has sustained heavy damage and is unlikely to be salvageable.

The lot at 7315 Baltimore Avenue is heavily treed with two large white oak trees approximately 100" DBH and 103" DBH and one red oak tree approximately 70" DBH within 40 feet of the rear of the existing house (see site plan). In addition, four younger Leland Cyprus trees measuring from 27" DBH down to 20" DBH are located between the existing home and our neighbor at 7313 Baltimore Ave. While these trees are not especially attractive, for reasons of privacy, both we and our neighbor feel strongly that these trees remain untouched.

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

My wife and two children ages one and two moved into our house in Takoma Park in October of 2003. Given the very limited space in the existing house and the generous lot size, we propose to build an addition of approximately 660 square feet onto the back of the existing structure that is both proportionate and in keeping with the existing home and with the neighboring houses on Baltimore Avenue.

The addition will encompass a single story out the back end of the home so as to maintain the existing street elevation. We are working closely with our architect and the City Arborist of Takoma Park, Brett Linkletter, to ensure that construction avoids disturbing the existing trees on the lot, and as such, the addition will be offset from the existing structure by approximately 9 feet so as to avoid interference to the maximum extent possible. The offset will also allow room down the road for a phase two construction of a small screened porch in the hollow of the "L" footprint of the build out. The proposed new structure will add three new rooms—an additional child's bedroom (approximately 10'x11'), a master bedroom (12'x16') and an ensuite bathroom (6'x10'). The addition will be covered by a hip roof with roof shingles to match the existing structure.

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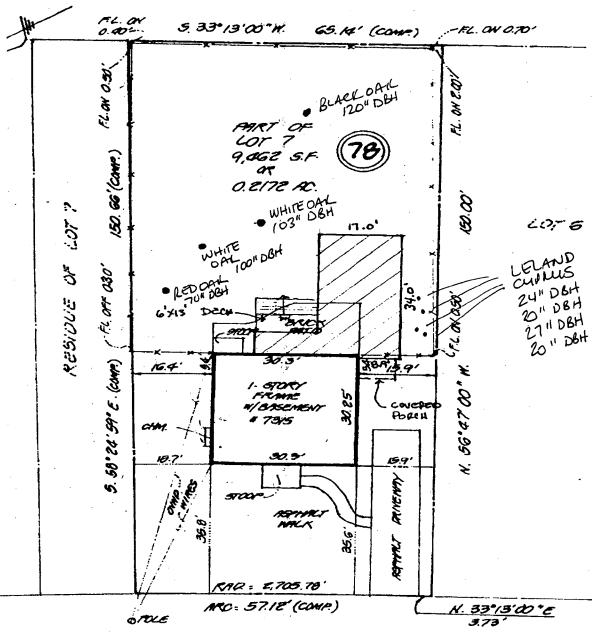
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LOT 7 BLOCK

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CALE: I'' = 20'

DATE: OCT: 22 2003

CLIENT: UNCX ONNOY

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SECTION

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Date: May 13, 2004

# **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Local Advisory Panel/Town Government

TAKOMA PARK

FROM:

Michele Naru, Senior Planner

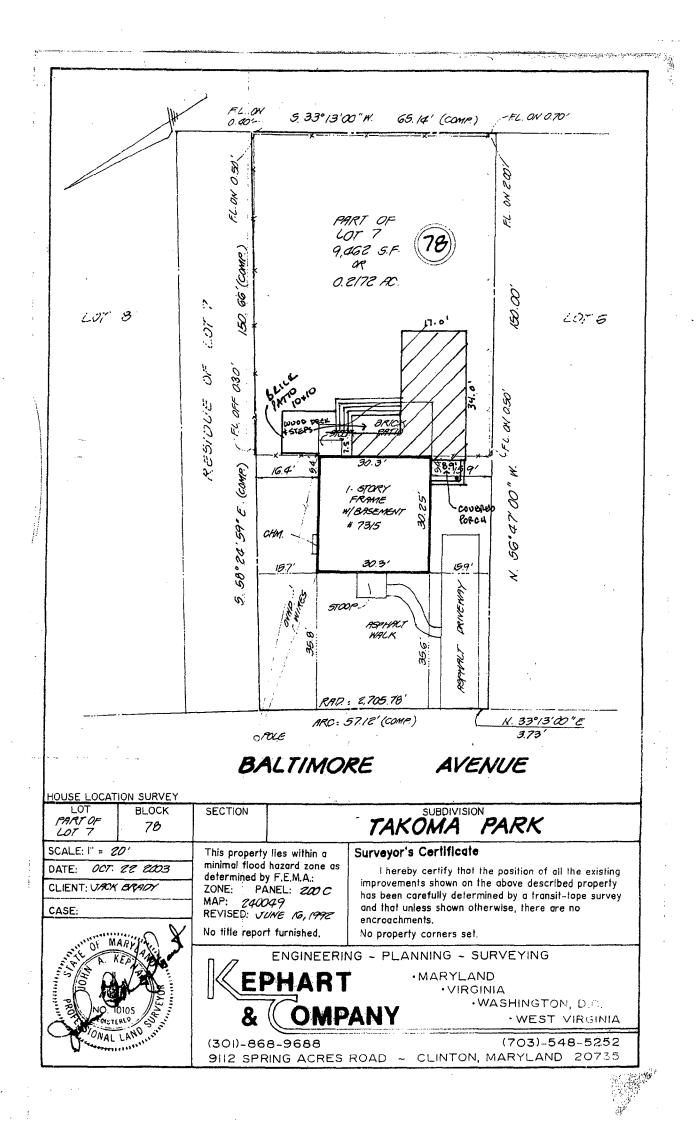
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SUBJECT:

Historic Area Work Permit Application – HPC Decision

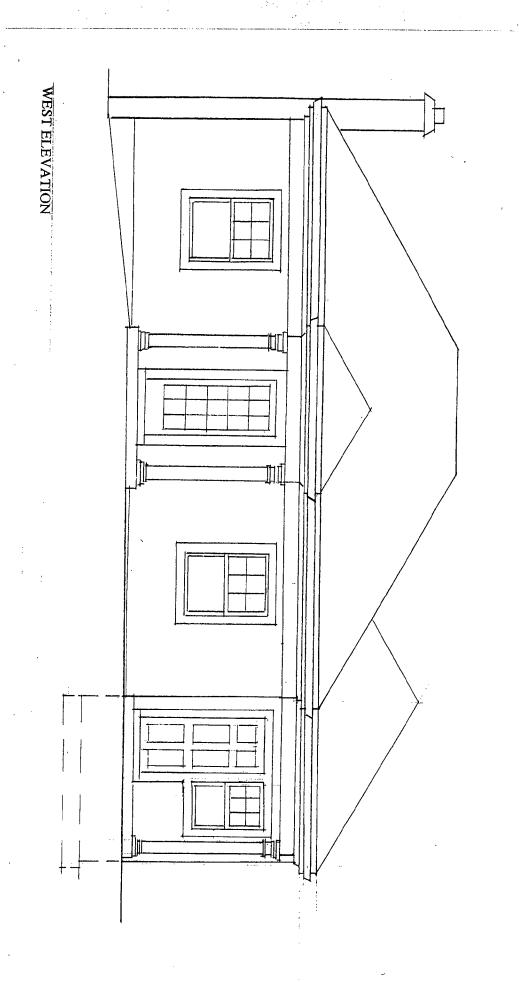
The Historic Preservation Commission reviewed this project on <u>May 12, 2004</u>. A copy of the HPC decision is enclosed for your information.

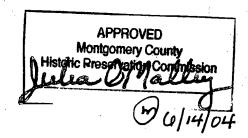
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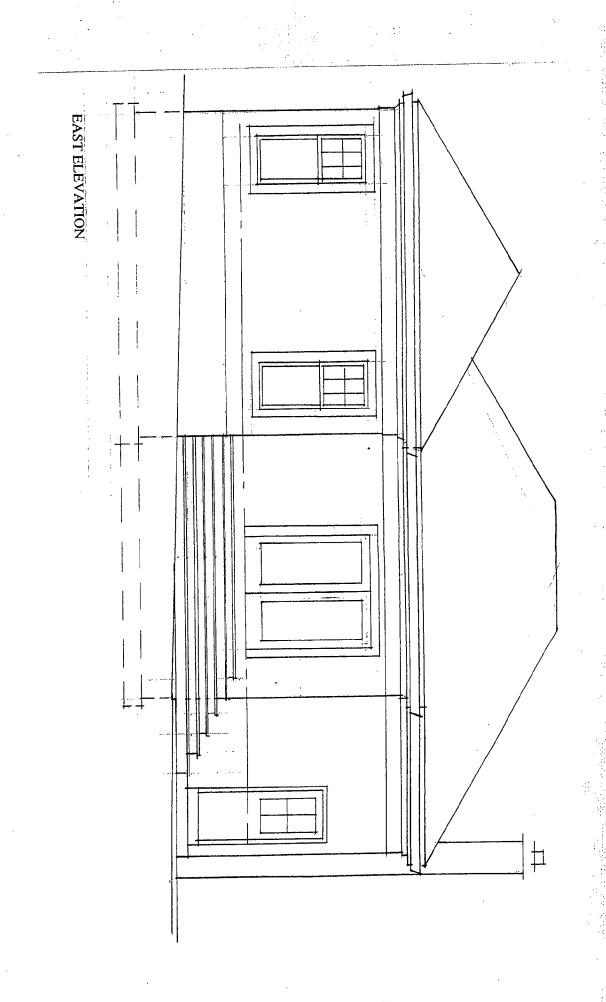


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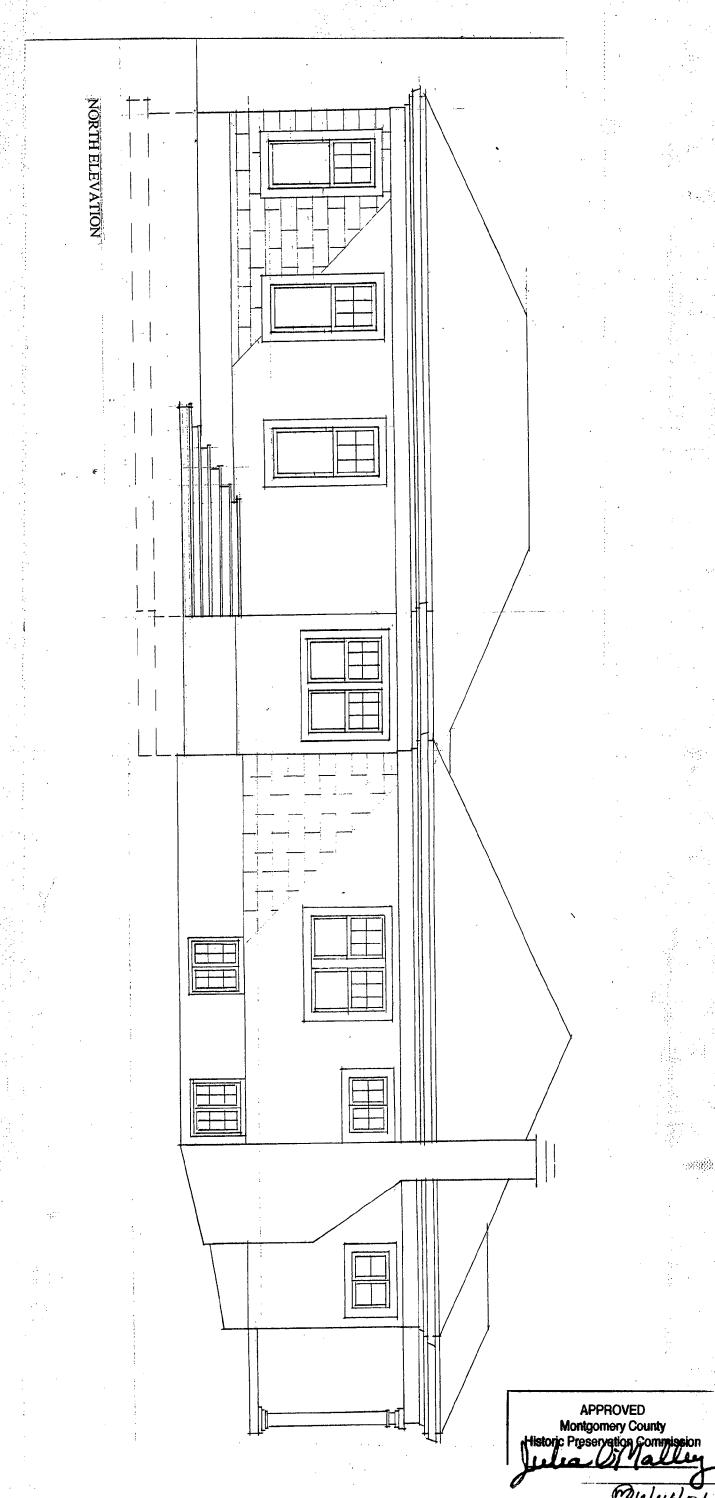


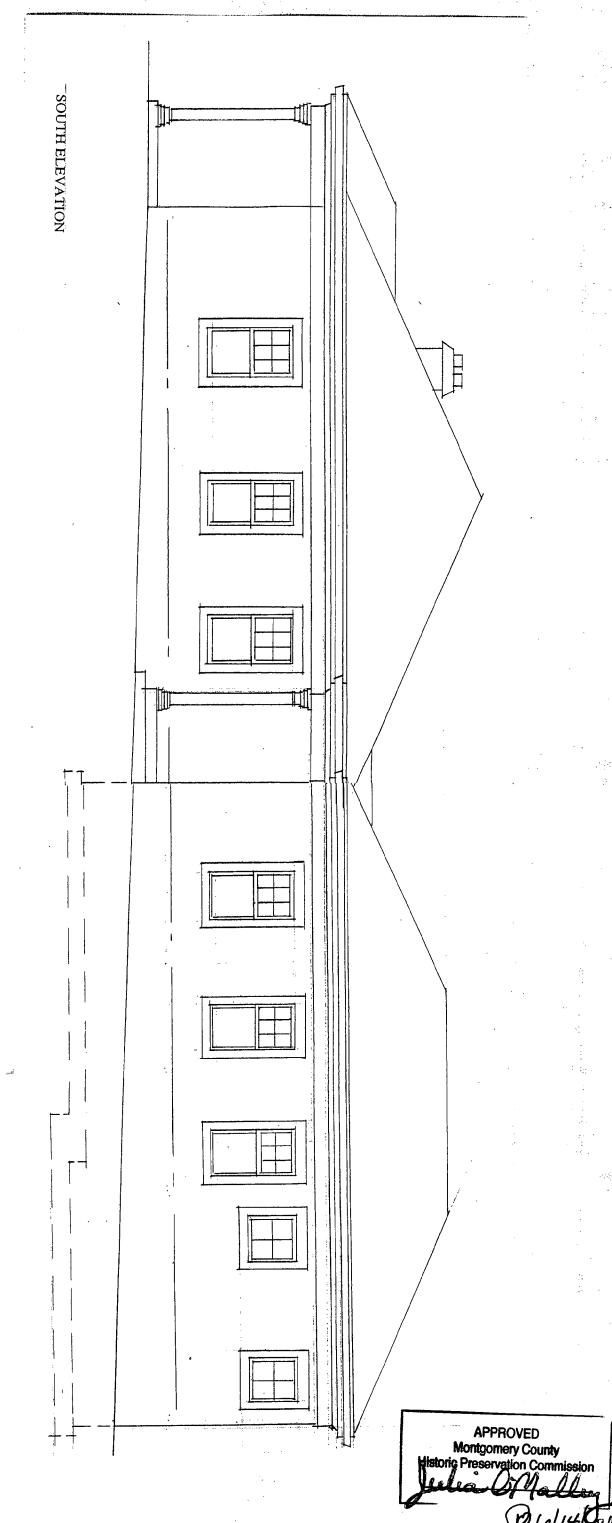












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Historic Preservation Commission EXISTING FRONT

# HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address:

7315 Baltimore Avenue, Takoma Park

**Meeting Date:** 

05/12/04

Resource:

Contributing Resource

Report Date:

05/05/04

Takoma Park Historic District

Review:

**HAWP** 

**Public Notice:** 

04/28/04

**Case Number:** 37/03-04V

Tax Credit:

N/A

Applicant:

Brian Finlay

Staff:

Michele Naru

**PROPOSAL:** Construct a new rear addition

**RECOMMEND:** Approval with conditions

approved of condition

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends that the Commission approve this HAWP application with the conditions that:

- 1. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding of the addition will be painted, horizontal wood/Hardi-plank siding or synthetic stucco. Final selection to be approved by staff.
- 2. The proposed material selection for the exterior cladding on the main massing will be true or synthetic stucco.

## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

SIGNIFICANCE:

Contributing Resource

STYLE:

Colonial Revival

DATE:

1928

The house located at 7315 Baltimore Avenue is a contributing resource within the Takoma Park Historic District. The building is a one-story, hipped roofed, frame Colonial Revival house. The house is detailed with a broad cornice and a hipped roofed entry portico, supported by Doric columns. The original 6/1, double-hung sash windows still exist on the main massing, yet the original pebbledash stucco (which is very deteriorated) has been covered with asbestos shingle. The current lot also contains an approx 42' long asphalt driveway along its front, western property line and several mature trees.

### PROPOSAL:

The applicant is proposing to:

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advice of the Takoma Park Arborist, Brett Linkletter, the proposed addition is offset from the existing structure by approx. nine feet, to avoid negatively impacting the existing three large oak trees on the property. The proposed new structure will add a child's bedroom (10' x 11"), a master bedroom (12' x 16') and an ensuite bathroom (6' x 10'). The proposed addition will be clad in stained wood, board and batten siding and covered by a hip roof with asphalt shingles to match the existing structure.

- 2. Construct a wood deck at the rear of the new addition.
- 3. Extend the existing brick patio approx. 100 sq. ft.
- 4. Construct a simple wooden shed clad in stained, wood board and batten siding.
- 5. Possibly remove the existing Leland Cyprus trees along the western property line only if their health is compromised as part of the proposed construction. The applicants will re-plant four, Leland Cyprus trees if the existing trees are removed.
- 6. Remove the existing asbestos and pebbledash stucco on the original massing and replace it with wood, stained, board and batten siding.

# **STAFF DISCUSSION:**

The Historic Preservation Commission utilizes the *Approved and Adopted Takoma Park Historic District Guidelines* when reviewing changes to contributing resources within the historic district. The *Takoma Park Guidelines* define contributing resources as:

A resource, which contributes to the overall character of the district and its streetscape, but is of secondary architectural and historical significance. A resource may be classified as contributing if it is a common or ubiquitous example of an architectural style that is important to the historic district, or if it was an outstanding resource that, while still identifiable as a specific architectural style, has lost some degree of its architectural integrity due to alterations. Contributing resources ass to the overall streetscape due to their size, scale and architectural character.

The following *Takoma Park Guidelines* pertain to this project:

- All exterior alterations, including those to architectural features and details, should be generally consistent with the predominant architectural style and period of the resource and should preserve the predominant architectural features of the resource; exact replication of existing details and features is, however, not required.
- While additions should be compatible, they are not required to be replicative of earlier architectural styles
- Some non-original building materials may be acceptable on a case-by-case basis; artificial siding on areas visible from the public right-of-way is discouraged where such materials would replace or damage original building materials that are in good condition.
- Alterations to features that are not visible at all from the public right-of-way should be allowed as a matter of
  course.

Staff generally supports the above proposal noting that the proposed addition is in scale with the existing house. The proposed addition is very sympathetic to the style, scale



and massing of the historic resource and will be located at the rear – and only slightly visible from the public right-of-way. Staff's concern with the proposed addition lies with the proposed board and batten cladding for the addition and the main house. Board and Batten was a typical building material for Gothic Revival, mid 19<sup>th</sup> century primary structures and most commonly seen on outbuildings in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century. As such, it would be incompatible with this late 1920's Colonial Revival building. The original massing of this house was historically pebbledash stucco. Currently it is in an irrepairable state under the asbestos shingle siding. Staff would like to see the applicant return the historic massing back to the pebbledash stucco façade with the notation that all of this rehabilitation work would be eligible for County Tax Credits. If pebbledash stucco is not a feasible option for the homeowner, staff would be willing to support the utilization of a synthetic stucco product. Additionally, a frame addition utilizing wood or hardi-plank horizontal siding would be a compatible building material for a Colonial Revival building. Staff is recommending that the applicant utilize a horizontal siding (Hardi-plank or wood) on the addition and stucco or synthetic stucco on the main massing.

# STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission *approve with the abovementioned conditions* the HAWP application as being consistent with 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 the approved and adopted Takoma Park Historic District Guidelines, August 1992.

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# HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301/563-3400

# APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT

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# HAWP APPLICATION: MAILING ADDRESSES FOR NOTIFING

[Owner, Owner's Agent, Adjacent and Confronting Property Owners]

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Adjacent and confr	onting Property Owners mailing addresses
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- 7319 Baltimore Avenue—Victorian home built in 1908
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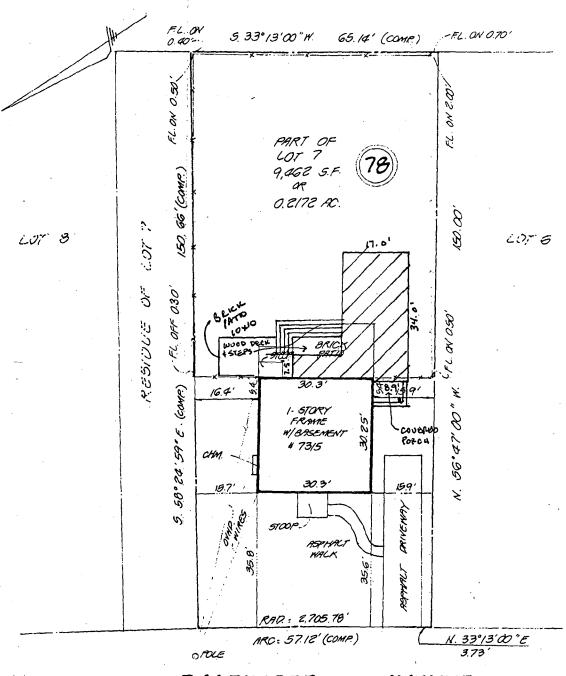
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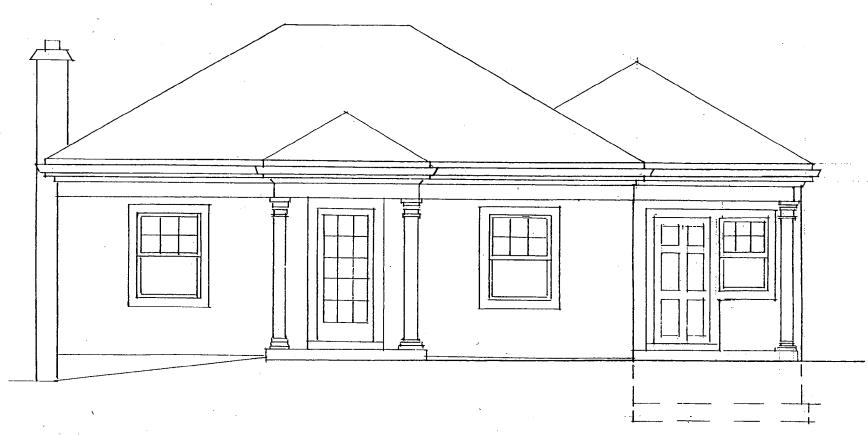
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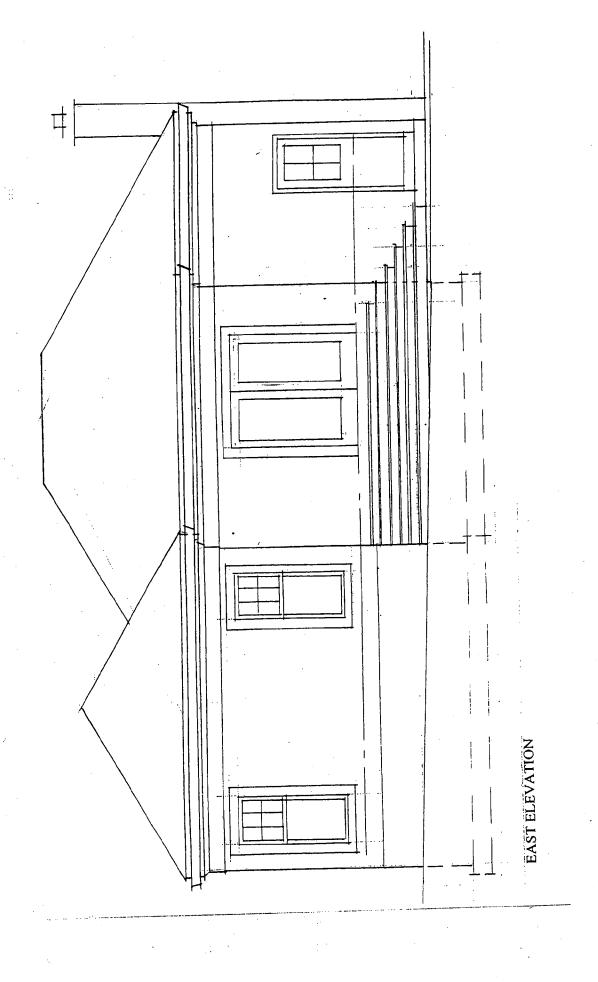
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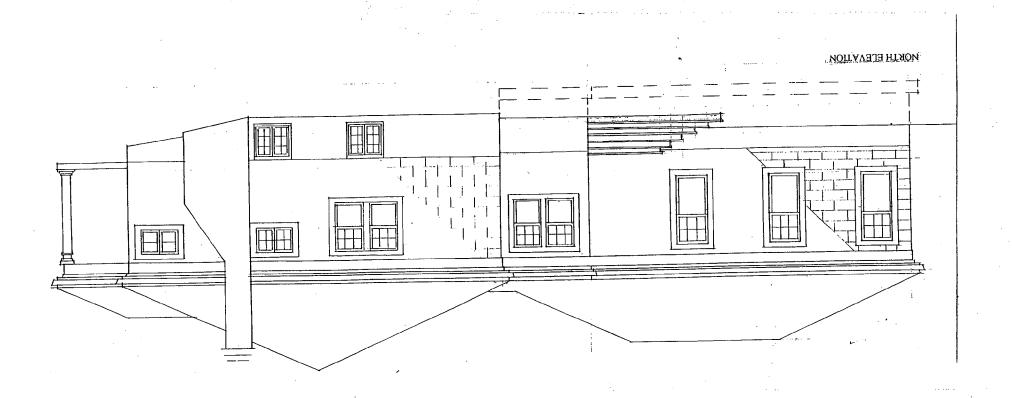


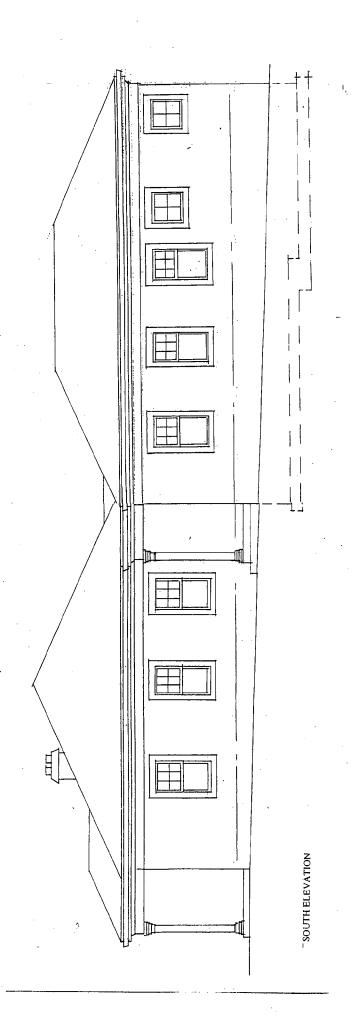
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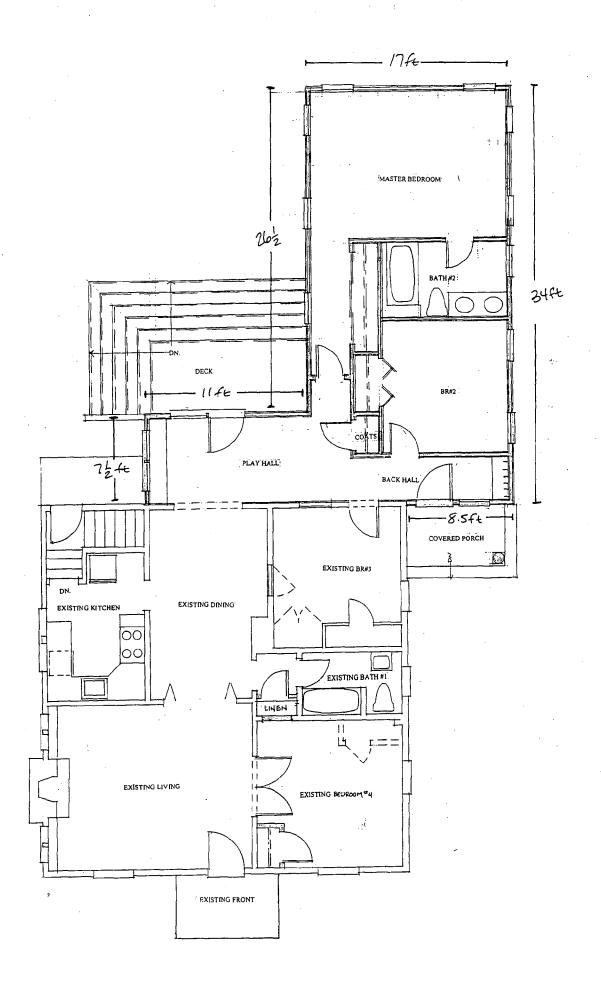






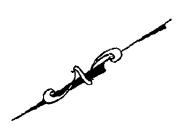


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#### CONSUMER INFORMATION NOTES:

- This plan is a benefit to a consumer insofar as it is required by a lender or a title insurance company or its
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- This plan does not provide for the accurate identification of property boundary lines, but such identification
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- 4. Building line and/or Flood Zone information is taken from available sources and is subject to interpretation of originator.



#### Notes:

- Flood zone "C" per H.U.D. panel No. 0200C.
- 2. Setback distances as shown to the principal structure from property lines are approximate. The level of accuracy for this drawing should be taken to be no greater than plus or minus 2 feet.
- Fences, if shown, were located by approximate methods.

4. No property corners found



PART OF LOT 7, BLOCK 78
T.P.L. & T. CO.'S
SUBDIVISION

OF

### TAKOMA PARK

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

~ 65.15' PROPOSED SHEP TON PART OF LOT 7 0,485 S.F. 56-47'00" & (COMP.) LOT B 30.4 1 1 Story Framo ₽7315 15°± 5. A=80.87' R=2705.78'

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### Naru, Michele

From:

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Monday, May 03, 2004 3:34 PM

To:

Naru, Michele

Subject:

Shed Photo

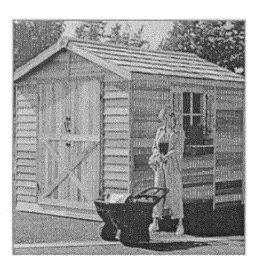
Importance: High

#### Hey Michele -

Here is a photo of the shed we'd like to put up -- with one exception... we'd like to side it in board and batten. It'll be square and cover the exact same proportions and location that the "frame shed" is showing on the original site survey... which I'm faxing to you as I type.

Hope this helps and sorry it wasn't included in the original package

#### Brian



#### Front elevation

