## PETITION TO AMEND THE ZONING REGULATIONS OF HOWARD COUNTY

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Case	Case No. ZFA III Date Filed								
Date.	Date Accepted for Scheduling								
Plann	ing Board Meeting Date								
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	e Checks Payable to "Director of Finance")								
1.	I (we), the undersigned, hereby petition the County Council of Howard County to amend the Zoning Regulations of Howard County as follows:								
	See attached Supplemental Statement								
2.	Petitioner's Name: Land Design & Development								
	Address: 5300 Dorsey Hall Drive, Ellicott City, Maryland 21042								
	Phone No.: (W) (443) 367-0422 (H)								
3.	Counsel for Petitioner: Richard B. Talkin, Talkin & Oh, LLP								
	Counsel's Address: 5100 Dorsey Hall Drive, Ellicott City, Maryland 21042								
	Counsel's Phone No.: (410) 964-0300								
4.	The text of proposed amendment(s) to the regulations together with the text								
	of the present regulations showing the proposed amendment(s):								
	See attached Supplemental Statement								
5.	The reason(s) for the requested amendment(s) to the Zoning Regulations:								
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6.	A statement as to whether or not such amendment will be in harmony with the General Plan for Howard County:
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7.	Any other factors which the petitioner desires the Council to consider including copies of any written reports
	intended to be introduced at the hearing and a written summary of verbal evidence of any expert which will
	be proffered at the hearing (if such hearing is necessary):
	See attached Supplemental Statement.
8.	<u>FEES</u> :
	The Petitioner agrees to pay all fees pursuant to County Council Resolution No. 60, effective July 1, 1995, as follows:
	a. Filing fee including first hearing
	Each additional hearing night\$510.00*
	b. In addition, if the petition is approved, the following
	fees will be assessed:
	Per every 200 words of text, or fraction thereof, for each separate textually continuous amendment
	to the Zoning Regulations \$40.00*
	Minimum Zoning Regulations revision fee \$ 40.00*
	Maximum Zoning Regulations revision fee \$ 85.00*
•	*1. The County Council may refund or waive all or part of the filing fee where the petitioner demonstrates to the satisfaction of the County Council that the payment of the fee would work an extraordinary hardship
	on the petitioner.  2. The County Council may refund part of the filing fee for withdrawn petitions.
	3. The County Council shall waive all fees for petitions filed in the performance of governmental duties by
	an official, board or agency of the Howard County government.
9.	The Petitioner agrees to furnish such data as may be required by the County Council and/or the Department of Planning and Zoning.
10.	The undersigned hereby affirms that all of the statements and information contained in, or filed with this petition are true and correct. The undersigned has read the instructions on this form, filing herewith all of the required accompanying information.
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# SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT TO PETITION TO AMEND THE ZONING REGULATIONS OF HOWARD COUNTY

#### Land Design & Development

#### 1 & 4. AMEND SECTION 128 L. 3. TO READ:

- 3. Receiving Development Requirements
- a. Residential development rights derived from neighborhood preservation sending parcels may be received as bonus density for developments on parcels in the R-SA-8, R-A-15, CAC.
- b. Residential development rights derived from neighborhood preservation sending parcels may be received as bonus density for developments on parcels at least 11 acres in size in the R-20 and R-12 districts.
- C. RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS DERIVED FROM NEIGHBORHOOD PRESERVATION SENDING PARCELS MAY BE RECEIVED AS BONUS DENSITY FOR DEVELOPMENTS ON PARCELS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONAL USE APPROVAL AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 131 N. 1 AGE-RESTRICTED ADULT HOUSING.
- D [c]. development rights shall be received in accordance with the following ratios:

#### AMEND SECTION 131N. 1 (3) TO READ:

(3) The maximum density shall be as follows:

Zoning District	Number of Dwelling	Maximum Units	
	Units in Development	Per Net Acre	
RC and RR	20 or more	1	
RED and R-20	20-49	4	
	50 or more	5	
R-12	20-49	5	
	50 or more	6	
R-SC	20-49	7	
	50 or more	8	
R-SA-8	20 or more	12	

R-A-15 20 or more 25

ADD NEW TEXT FOLLOWING THE CHART IN 131 N 1 a (3):

EXCEPT IN THE RR AND RC DISTRICTS, AN AGE-RESTRICTED ADULT HOUSING DEVELOPMENT MAY BE DEVELOPED AS A RECEIVING PARCEL IN ASSOCIATION WITH NEIGHBORHOOD PRESERVATION PARCEL SENDING PARCELS AT A BONUS OF UP TO 30% MORE DWELLING UNITS THAN WOULD BE ACHIEVED BASED ON THE ABOVE CHART.

7. The instant ZRA proposes to extend the eligibility for potential receiving parcels to age-restricted adult housing developments. Currently, age-restricted adult housing developments cannot receive increased density under the neighborhood preservation parcel legislation. The proposed ZRA would permit age-restricted adult housing developments to receive up to 30% more than the number of dwelling units prescribed under Section 131 of the zoning regulations. Each project proposing to receive higher densities under this legislation would have to be evaluated for compatibility on a case-by-case basis by the Board of Appeals and would have to receive conditional use approval.

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September 8, 2008

Ms. Robin Regner, Administrative Assistant Howard County Zoning Board and Board of Appeals 3430 Courthouse Drive Ellicott City, Maryland 21043

Re: Land Design & Development, Petitioner

ZRA III

Dear Ms. Regner:

Please accept the following information as a supplement to the above-referenced Petition to Amend the Zoning Regulations of Howard County, which was filed on August 29, 2008:

## Response to Section 8.

Yes. The number of properties impacted by this amendment will be greater than 12. The impact will be that age-restricted adult housing developments will be allowed to be receiving parcels for additional density under the neighborhood preservation parcel legislation.

We were not aware that a new form was being utilized for the filing of ZRA's. We apologize for any inconvenience that this oversight has caused and request that the information above be appended to our Petition.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

TALKIN & OH, LLP

Kelly L. Wagner

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Paralegal