

### **MCHENRY COUNTY**

# ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA • JANUARY 30, 2020

Zoning Hearing Conference Room B 1:30 PM

667 Ware Rd., Woodstock, IL 60098

#### I. AGENDA ITEMS

1. #2019-039 - Ieremciuc/Lyndale Assoc. Family Ltd. Prtnsp. - Nunda Twp - B2/R1-R1V

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#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

#2019-039 Notice (PDF)
#2019-039 Site Plan (PDF)
#2019-039 Application (PDF)
Staff Report 2019-039 (PDF)

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION

OF *GEORGE IEREMCIUC,* FOR AN AMENDMENT OF

THE UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF

McHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS FOR A *RECLASSIFICATION*AND VARIATIONS

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#2019-039

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Notice is hereby given in compliance with the McHenry County Unified Development Ordinance, that a public hearing will be held before the **McHenry County Zoning Board of Appeals**, in connection with this Ordinance, which would result in a *reclassification and variations* for the following described real estate.

PARCEL 1: THAT PART OF THE SOUTHWEST FRACTIONAL QUARTER OF SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 44
NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING
AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 1 OF JACOBY'S FOX RIVER SUBDIVISION AND RUNNING
THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE PLATTED ROAD EXTENDED SOUTHERLY 98.5
FEET; THENCE WEST TO THE EAST BANK OF THE FOX RIVER; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE
EAST BANK OF THE FOX RIVER TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LOT 1 AFORESAID; THENCE EAST
ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 1 TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, IN MCHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS;

PARCEL 2: THAT PART OF SAID LOT 1 DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT AN IRON PIPE IN THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1, A DISTANCE OF 150.0 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 1; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY 17.0 FEET TO A POINT 2 ½ FEET NORTH OF SAID SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1; THENCE WEST PARALLEL WITH 2 ½ FEET NORTH OF SAID SOUTH LINE OF LOT 1, A DISTANCE OF 35.0 FEET MORE OR LESS, TO THE FOX RIVER (WEST LINE OF SAID LOT 1); THENCE SOUTH ALONG THE FOX RIVER TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 1; THENCE EAST TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, IN JACOBY'S FOX RIVER SUBDIVISION IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 44 NORTH, RANGE 9 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED JUNE 21, 1920 AS DOCUMENT NO. 47953, IN BOOK 4 OF PLATS, PAGE 14, IN MCHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

#### PIN #15-29-352-035

The subject property is located on the west side of Wildwood Drive, approximately 130 feet south of the intersection of Wildwood Drive and Area Street, with a common address of 5019 Wildwood Drive, McHenry, Illinois, in Nunda Township.

The subject property is presently zoned "B-2" Neighborhood Business District and "R-1" Single-Family Residential District (small portion) and consists of approximately .412 acres with "R-1" and "R-1C" zoning to the North, "R-1" zoning to the South and East, and the Fox River to the West.

The Petitioner is requesting reclassification of the subject property from "B-2" Neighborhood Business District and "R-1" Single-Family Residential District to "R-1" Single-Family Residential District, with a Variation to allow a minimum lot area of .412 acres instead of the minimum .5 acres required, and a Variation to allow a minimum lot frontage of 98.50 feet instead of the minimum 100 feet required.

The partners of Lyndale Associates Family Limited Partnership (Owner of Record) are as follows:

George Ieremciuc, Limited Partner - 5113 Wildwood Drive, McHenry, Illinois.

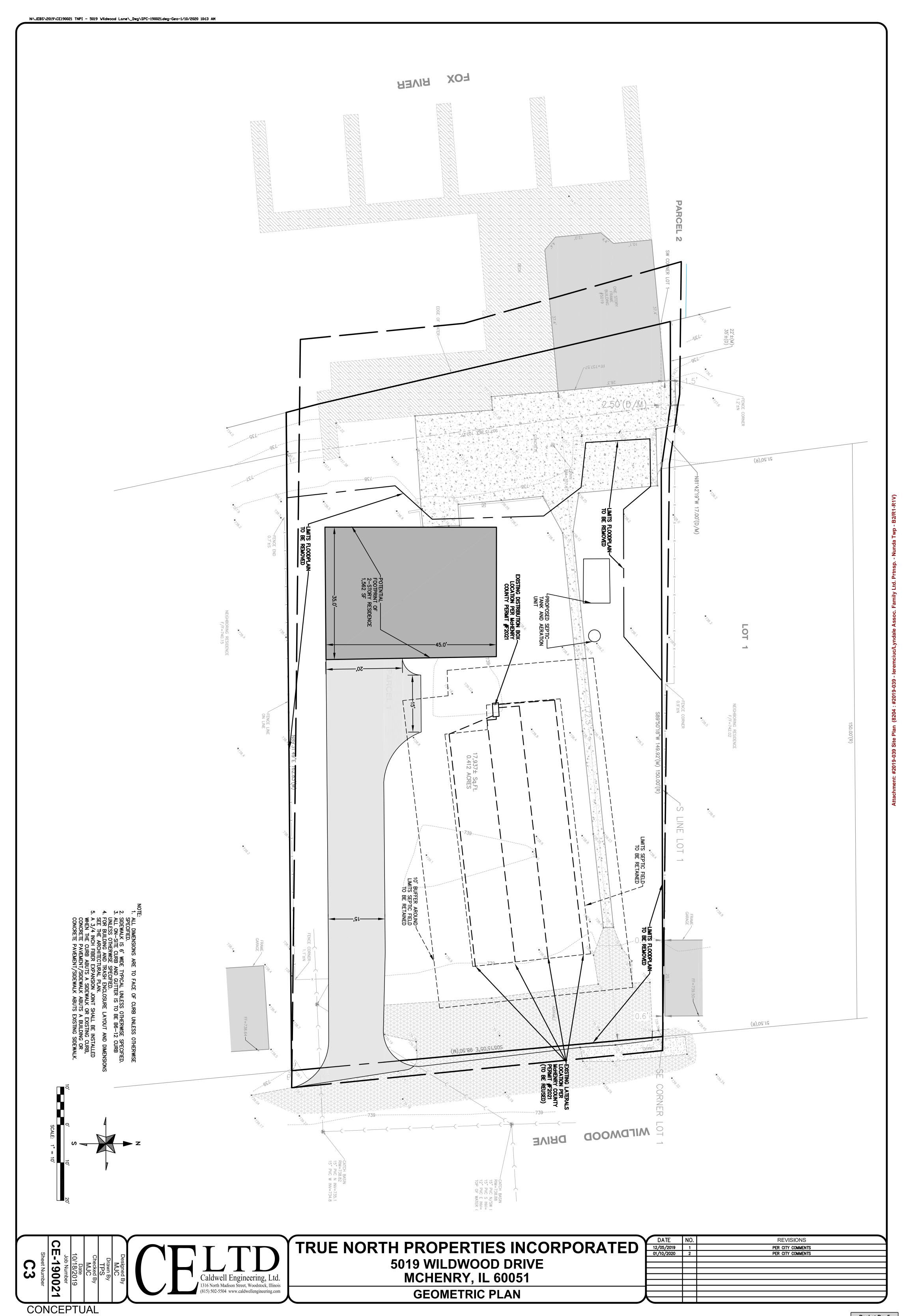
Camelia Ieremciuc, Limited Partner - 5113 Wildwood Drive, McHenry, Illinois.

True North Properties, Inc., General Partner - 660 E. Liberty Street, #100, Wauconda, Illinois.

A hearing on this Petition will be held on the *30<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2020 at 1:30 P.M. in Conference Room B* at the McHenry County Government Center/Ware Rd. Administration Building, 2200 N. Seminary Avenue, Woodstock, Illinois at which time and place any person desiring to be heard may be present.

DATED THIS 10th DAY OF January, 2020.

By: Richard Kelly Jr., Chairman McHenry County Zoning Board of Appeals 2200 N. Seminary Avenue Woodstock, IL 60098



MCHENRY COUNTY PLANNING A	DEVELOPMENT
2200 N. SEMINARY AVENUE, WOO	DSTOCK, IL 60098
815-334-4560	

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Petition #/Permit #2019 - 039	

# APPLICATION FOR ZONING PETITION, ADMINISTRATIVE VARIATION OR SITE PLAN REVIEW

OWNER INFORMATI	ON:	ATTORNEY or AGENT CONTACT INFORMATION (If Applicable):
Name George lere	mciuc	Name
Address 660 E. Lib		
		Address
	nda, IL 60084	City, St, Zip
Daytime Phone (84	17) 909-3838	Phone
Emailtnpi@comca	ist.net	Email
PETITIONER (If other th	nan owner):	TRUSTEE/BENEFICIARY/OFFICERS/DIRECTORS/CONTRACT
	300.000.0000 Box \$00	PURCHASER (please use separate page for additional information):
Name		Name
Address		Address
City, St, Zip		City, St, Zip
Daytime Phone		Phone
Email	g	Email
PARCEL INFORMATION:		
Address 5019 Wil	ldwood Drive	
CityMcHenry	Zip60051	
Parcel/Tax Number _	15-29-352-035	
Number of Acres4	12 Acres	
Applying For:	☑ Reclassification	Current Zoning: B-2 Requested Zoning: R-1
(Check all that apply)	☐ Conditional Use & Site Plan Review	CUP Request:
	☐ Variation, Administrative  ☑ Variation, Zoning	Variation Request: Reduction of Lot Frontage Reduction of Minimum Lot Area
12	☐ Site Plan Review	*
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NARRATIVE: Please use this space to explain your request in detail.	
Reclassification Request:	
The property is currently zoned B-2. The site is currently unused. The Petitioner wo	ould like to rezone the parcel to allow
the construction of a single-family dwelling. The requested zoning of R-1 will allow	the property to match the adjacent
zoning.	
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Zoning Variation Request:	
Per the Zoning Reclassification, the Petitioner would like a reduction in the Minimu	m Lot Frontage and a reduction in
the Minimum Lot Area setback requirements for the R-1 Zoning District. The R-1 Z	oning District has a Minimum Lot
Frontage setback requirement of 100' and a Minimum Lot Area requirement of .5 A	Acre. The petitioner's property has
a Lot Frontage of 98.5' and a Lot Area of .412 Acre, The adjacent north R-1 parcel h	nas a Lot Frontage of 50' and a Lot
Area of .23 Acre. The adjacent south R-1 parcel has a Lot Frontage of 51' and a Lot	Area of .22 Acre. This parcel
would fit with the characteristics of the adjacent parcels.	
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CONSENT  I/We hereby authorize that the aforementioned petitioner, attorney, and ager as my agent in the matter of this zoning application regarding the property lis application.	it may act and testify on my behalf ted above that is the subject of this
VERIFICATION	
I/We hereby verify and attest to the truth and correctness of all facts, sented herein.	statements and information pre-
Owner's Signature Signature	A
George Teremciuc	
Print Name Print Name	
SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me his 15 day of November, 2019.  CAMELIA IERE NOTARY PUBLIC - STAT MY COMMISSION EXP	MCIUC  E OF ILLINOIS

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# Staff Report for the McHenry County Zoning Board of Appeals

# 2019-039 Petition:

PIN #15-29-352-035 PIN:

Address: 5019 Wildwood Drive, McHenry, Illinois.

**Location:** The property consists of approximately .412 acres and is located on the west side of Wildwood Drive, approximately 130 feet south of the intersection of Wildwood Drive and Area Street, in Nunda Township.

Hearing: January 30, 2020

Applicant: George Ieremciuc, Petitioner;

Lyndale Associates Family Limited Partnership, Owner of Record; George Ieremciuc and Camelia Ieremciuc, Limited Partners, and True North Properties, Inc., General Partner

Request: Reclassification from the B-2 Neighborhood Business District and R-1 Single Family Residential District to the R-1 Single-Family Residential District with Variations to allow a minimum lot area of .412 acres instead of the minimum .5 acres required, and to allow a minimum lot frontage of 98.50 feet instead of the minimum 100 feet required.



## Staff Report for the McHenry County Zoning Board of Appeals

#### **STAFF COMMENTS**

The following comments and conclusions are based upon staff analysis and review prior to this hearing and are to be considered viable unless evidence is established to the contrary. Staff may have additional comments based upon the testimony presented during the public hearing.

#### **BACKGROUND & REQUEST SUMMARY**

The petitioner is requesting a map amendment from the B-2 Neighborhood Business District and the R-1 Single-Family Residential District to the R-1 Single-Family Residential District on a .412-acre tract of land, as well as Variations to allow a minimum lot area of .412 acres instead of the minimum .5 acres required, and to allow a minimum lot frontage of 98.50 feet instead of the minimum 100 feet required. The subject property is primarily zoned B-2 with a small remnant of R-1 in the far northwest corner of the property. According to the plat of survey, the subject property contains a one-story frame building (previously used for commercial), part of a deck, approximately 2,300 square feet of concrete and 1,100 square feet of asphalt. A site plan provided by the applicant depicts a potential future residence and driveway. While this site plan is not binding for this petition, it is illustrative of the potential development capacity of the site. The petitioner did not create the subject parcel, and it has remained in its current configuration for many years.

#### MCHENRY COUNTY UNIFIED DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE

- The Petitioner must meet the Approval Standards for Map Amendment, listed in §16.20.010.E.1 of the *McHenry County Unified Development Ordinance*.
- The Petitioner must meet the Approval Standards for Variation, listed in §16.20.020.F of the *McHenry County Unified Development Ordinance*.

#### **STAFF ANALYSIS**

#### Current Land Use & Zoning

The proposed reclassification is consistent with the surrounding R-1 Single-Family Residential-zoned, residential-use properties.

#### 2030 Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use map

The proposed reclassification is not consistent with the Future Land Use map, which designates the property as Environmentally Sensitive Area. The adoption of the 2030 Plan is the first time this designation has appeared for this property, which had previous commercial development on site. Nunda Township designates the future land use as Existing Development. The Village of Island Lake Future Land Use map designates the subject area as Existing Land Uses. The Villages of Cary, Oakwood Hills, Port Barrington and Prairie Grove all have no future land use designation for this property.

#### 2030 Comprehensive Plan & 2030 and Beyond Analysis

The 2030 Comprehensive Plan and 2030 and Beyond support the reclassification to the R-1 Single-Family Residential District. There is minimal impact to the resources on the site (See comments below).

McHenry County 2030 and Beyond, Adopted October 18, 2016—

#### Big Idea #1 Let's make our communities healthy, active, and green

"We can make it happen by focusing development that is compact, contiguous to, or located within municipalities, in order to preserve rural landscapes while providing greater mobility choice for all residents." (p.12)

• This reclassification which will allow residential infill development supports the goal to promote development that is compact and contiguous to municipalities.

#### Big Idea #2 Let's build on our strengths

No applicable text.

#### Big Idea #3 Let's grow smarter

"We can make it happen by focusing development that is compact, contiguous to, or located within municipalities, and away from areas designated for agriculture and lacking infrastructure and services." (p. 16)

• See Big Idea #1 above.

#### Big Idea #4 Let's expand our economy

Reclassification of the property from B-2 Neighborhood Business District to R-1 Single-Family Residential District eliminates the opportunity for a commercial use on the property. However, given the location, surrounding land use, and environmental constraints, the property is not well suited for commercial use.

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#### Community Character & Housing

Reclassification of the property from B-2 Neighborhood Business District to R-1 Single-Family Residential District expands the opportunity to provide an additional housing unit in a well-established residential neighborhood.

#### Agricultural Resources

No applicable text.

#### Greenways, Open Space & Natural Resources

Objective: "Promote land uses that [...] minimize the impact on land, water, energy, and other natural resources"... (p. 43)

The McHenry-Lake County Soil and Water Conservation District Natural Resources Inventory was received and it
indicated that a full report would not be necessary. Please see NRI L19-055-4258 for more information. County policy
recommends, but does not require, an EcoCat for this petition. The petitioner did not submit any EcoCat or IDNR
materials.

#### Water Resources

Objective: "Preserve, improve, and replenish the quality and quantity of existing groundwater resources." (p. 63)

According to the Sensitive Aquifer Recharge Area Map, the site is located within a zone with elevated contamination
potential. The NRI letter notes that FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map Panel 17111C0239J indicates the entire parcel
is within Zone AE, 100-year floodplain with a base elevation of 738 feet. Additionally, approximately .29 acres of the
westerly portion of the parcel is mapped within the Floodway. The petitioner has provided Planning and Development
with a Letter of Map Revision from FEMA, removing a portion of the property from the Floodway. Future Development
of the property will be required to comply with McHenry County and FEMA floodplain regulations.

#### **Economic Development**

No applicable text.

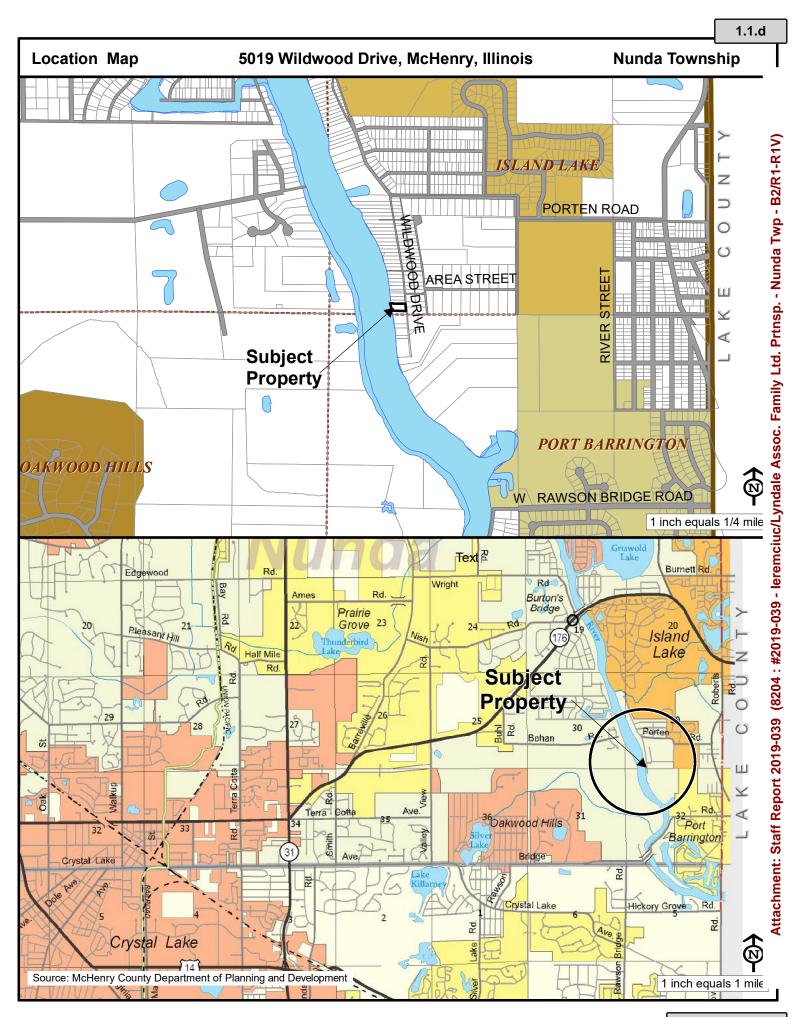
#### Infrastructure

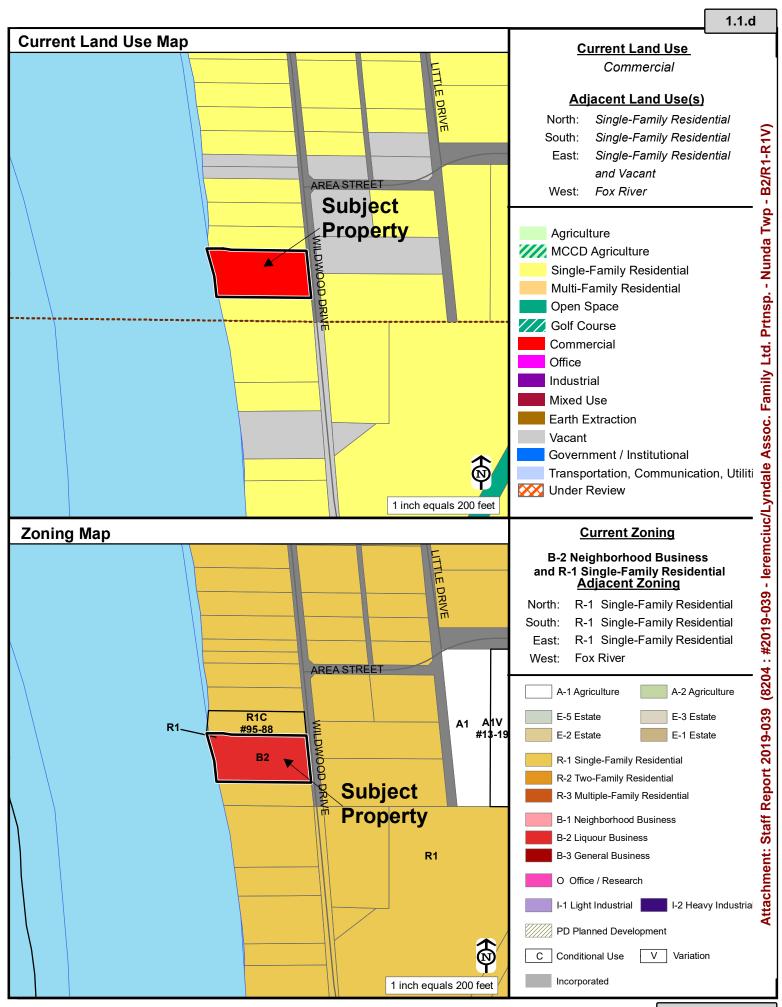
No applicable text.

#### STAFF ASSESSMENT

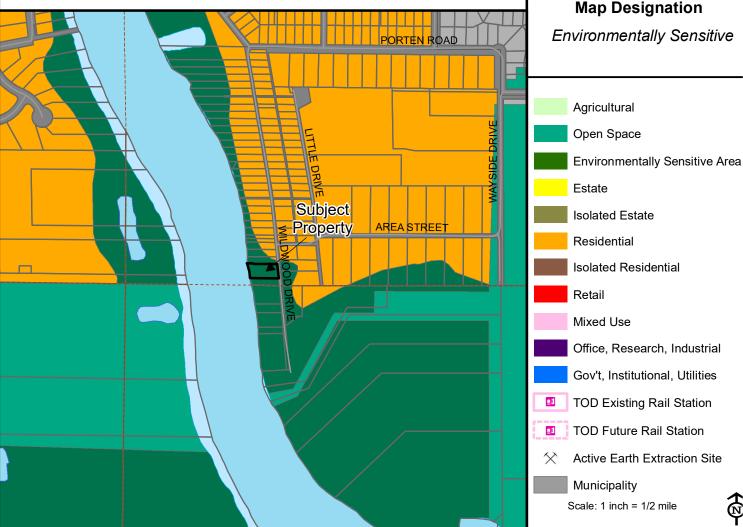
The petitioner is requesting a map amendment from the B-2 Neighborhood Business District and the R-1 Single-Family Residential District to the R-1 Single-Family Residential District on a .412-acre tract of land. The request is consistent with the existing residential land uses and zoning of the surrounding area and eliminates the potential for incompatible commercial uses. The request is consistent with many recommendations provided in the 2030 and Beyond Plan and the 2030 Comprehensive Plan text. The reclassification is not consistent with the future land use map designation for Environmentally Sensitive Area. However, the existing B-2 Neighborhood Business District zoning is also inconsistent with the future land use map. The site is located within a sensitive aquifer recharge area. The petitioner did not create the parcel in question, and it has remained in its current configuration for many years. The parcel is comparable in size, if not larger than the majority of other residential-zoned lots in the area. The request appears to meet the Approval Standards for Map Amendments listed in §16.20.010.E.1 as well as the Approval Standards for Variation in §16.20.020.F of the *Unified Development Ordinance*. Staff has no objections to the petitioner's request and recommends approval.

Report prepared the 14th day of January, 2020 by Kim Scharlow, Zoning Coordinator - McHenry County Department of Planning & Development.









McHenry County 2030 Comprehensive Plan Future Land Use Map

#### **Municipal / Township Plan Designations**

Nunda Township: EXISTING DEVELOPMENT

Oakwood Hills: No Land Use Designation

Prairie Grove: No Land Use Designation

Cary: No Land Use Designation

Island Lake: EXISTING LAND USES

Port Barrington: No Land Use Designation

#### McHenry County 2030 Comprehensive Plan — Text Analysis Land Use

Environmentally Sensitive.

## Sensitive Aquifer Recharge Areas

The site is located in a zone with elevated contamination potential.

# Sensitive Aquifer Recharge Areas (SARA

Sensitive Recharge Area

# McHENRY-LAKE COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT



1648 S. Eastwood Dr. Woodstock, Illinois 60098 (815) 338-0444 ext. 3 www.mchenryswcd.org

November 22, 2019

Michael Caldwell 1316 North Madison St. Woodstock, IL 60098

Re: Parcel # 15-29-352-035

Common Location: 5019 S. Wildwood Dr., McHenry, IL

NRI# L19-055-4258 Zoning Change: B-2 to R-1

#### Dear Mr. Caldwell:

The McHenry-Lake County Soil and Water Conservation District has carefully reviewed your application for Natural Resource Information Report on the <u>George Ieremciuc.</u> property as applied for in Report #19-055-4258. Due to the amount of previously disturbed soils on the site, the SWCD finds that impact to natural resources from the proposed use is minimal for the purposes of the NRI report. A full Natural Resource Information Report will not be necessary but we would like to highlight a few resources on the property.

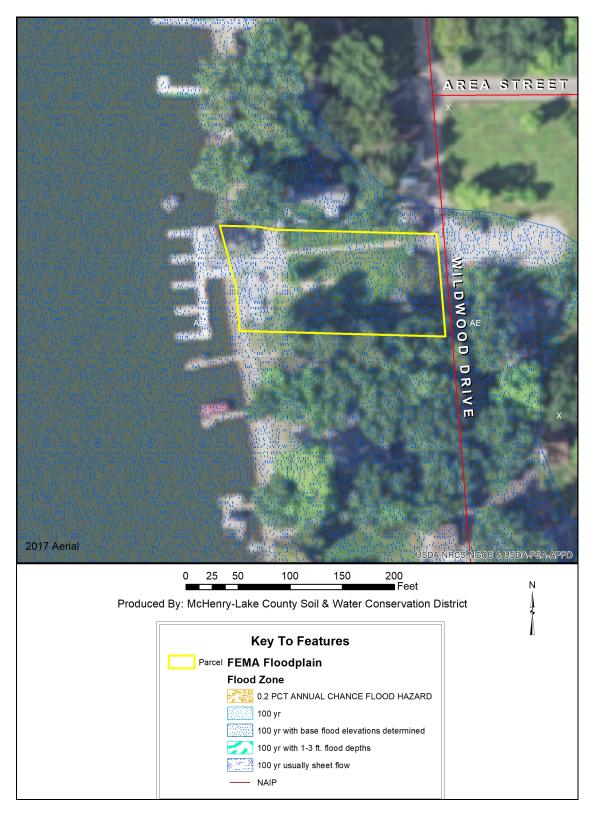
The FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map Panel 17111C0239J indicates the entire parcel is within Zone AE, 100-year floodplain with a base elevation of 738 feet. Additionally, approximately 0.29 acres of the westerly portion of the parcel is within the Floodway (see attached map). Since it was indicated that the petitioner would like to create a residence on the parcel it is recommended that early coordination with the McHenry County Department of Planning & Development occur as additional permitting or restrictions will most likely be required.

Although office maps indicate no wetlands on your parcel, your parcel is directly adjacent to a Federally Regulated Water. Our wetland inventory is for informational and planning purposes only. Any proposed drainage work, in wet areas, requires a certified wetland delineation. If drainage work is to occur, please contact the Army Corps of Engineers and McHenry County Department of Planning & Development for permit information.

This letter fulfills your requirement to notify the SWCD of land use changes as per the Illinois Compiled State Statutes, Chapter 70, Par. 405/1 et seq. Illinois Revised Statutes, Ch. 5, Par 106 et seq. and the McHenry County Stormwater Ordinance. If you have any questions concerning this letter, feel free to call our office.

Sincerely,

Spring M. Duffey Resource Analyst cc. Kim Scharlow, McHenry County Dept. of Planning and Development (email)



Resources for the Future

Attachment: Staff Report 2019-039 (8204: #2019-039 - leremciuc/Lyndale Assoc. Family Ltd. Prtnsp. - Nunda Twp - B2/R1-R1V)

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