

MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Land Use and Environmental Services Agency

March 18, 2008

Mr. Solomon Fortune Charlotte-Mecklenburg Planning Commission 600 East Fourth Street Charlotte, North Carolina 28202

Re: Rezoning Petition 2008-078

Approximately 8.03 acres located on the north side of E Mallard Creek Church Road between Stone Quarry Road and Bonnie Cone

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Dear Mr. Fortune:

Representatives of the Air Quality (MCAQ), Groundwater & Wastewater Services (MCGWS), Solid Waste (MCSW), Storm Water Services (MCSWS), and Water Quality (MCWQ) Programs of the Mecklenburg County Land Use and Environmental Services Agency (LUESA) have reviewed the above referenced rezoning petition. In order for the Mecklenburg County LUESA to support this rezoning, the following recommendations should be implemented and appear as notes or modifications on site plans:

Air Quality

Development of this site may require submission of an asbestos Notification of Demolition and Renovation to MCAQ due to possible demolition or renovation of an existing structure. A letter of notification and the required forms will be mailed directly to the petitioner by MCAQ.

Solid Waste

Mecklenburg County Solid Waste requests the petitioner submit a Solid Waste Management Plan prior to initiating demolition and/or construction activities to include, at a minimum, the procedures that will be used to recycle all clean wood, metal, and concrete generated during demolition and construction activities; when applicable. Additionally, the plan should specify that all land clearing and/or inert debris shall be taken to a properly permitted facility. The Plan shall also state that monthly reporting of all tonnage disposed and recycled will be made to the Mecklenburg County Solid Waste Program. The report shall include the identification and location of all facilities receiving disposed or recycled materials.

Mecklenburg County is committed to reduction of construction/demolition waste. Technical assistance is available at no charge to those companies willing to partner with the County in this effort.

Groundwater & Wastewater Services

Review of Charlotte-Mecklenburg Utilities billing data indicates that parcel 051-401-06 is served by a private on-site water supply well. No grading activity should be conducted until existing wells are either properly abandoned or the wellhead cordoned off to protect it from damage. The Mecklenburg County Groundwater & Wastewater Services (GWS) Program should be contacted at 704-336-5103 prior to undertaking any well related activity.

Parcel 051-401-06 is served by an individual on-site wastewater disposal system (septic system). No regulation governs the abandonment of septic systems; however, GWS does recommend that septic tanks be pumped by a licensed waste hauler to removal any residual contents, and then crushed and backfilled. This recommendation is made because tanks that collapse pose a safety hazard and improperly abandoned septic tanks may not be able to support the weight of vehicular traffic, structural foundations, or people.

Groundwater & Wastewater Services request the following statements be added to the notes of the site plan:

The existing water supply wells shall be cordoned off to protect it from damage or abandoned per the Mecklenburg County Groundwater Well Regulations prior to any demolition or grading activity.

Existing septic tanks shall be located, pumped by a licensed waste hauler to removal residual contents, crushed and backfilled prior to any demolition or grading activity.

Water Quality

Mecklenburg County Water Quality Program has no additional comments beyond the required Post Construction Control Ordinance.

Please contact the staff members who conducted the reviews if you have any questions. The reviews were conducted by, Leslie Rhodes (Leslie.Rhodes@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCAQ, Jack Stutts (Jack.Stutts@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with GWS, Joe Hack (Joe.Hack@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSW, Bill Tingle (Bill.Tingle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with MCSWS, and Rusty Rozzelle (Rusty.Rozzelle@mecklenburgcountync.gov) with the MCWQ.

Respectfully,

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