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NOTICE OF DECISION

June 9, 2021

Ronald & Michelle Balcar 16 Cassily Lane Dover, NH 03820

Re: Subdivision amendment and conditional use permit to create a single driveway access. Case# 253 – 47-13 – A – 21

Dear Applicant:

This is to inform you that the Rochester Planning Board at its June 7, 2021 meeting **APPROVED** your application referenced above.

"Applicant", herein, refers to the property owner, business owner, individual(s), or organization submitting this application and to his/her/its agents, successors, and assigns.

Precedent Conditions [Office use only. Date certified: ______ ROD received?_____

All of the precedent conditions below must be met by the applicant, at the expense of the applicant, prior to the plans being certified by the Planning Department. Certification of the plans is required prior to issuance of a building permit or recording of any plans. Once these precedent conditions are met and the plans are certified the approval is considered final.

Please note* If all of the precedent conditions are not met within 6 calendar months to the day of the board's approval – by December 7, 2021 - the board's approval will be considered to have lapsed and resubmission of the application will be required. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant (or his/her agent) to ensure

that these conditions are met by this deadline. We urge the applicant to carefully track his/her progress in meeting the individual conditions. See RSA 674:39 on vesting.

- 1) Plan modifications. The plan drawings are to be modified as follows:
 - a) Please add a third culvert, between the other two in order to slow the impervious surface run off down the slope.
- 2) Plan notes. Add the following notes (or equivalent) to the plan drawings:
 - a) None.
- 3) <u>State plane coordinates.</u> The plans are to be tied into the State Plane Coordinate System.
- 4) There was concern from the abutter across the street regarding wetland/stream buffer impacts and their well water. Per the PB Chairman's directive please provide a memo outlining the distance from the buffer impacts to the well (according to the map provided by the abutter) and a brief explanation as to why the impacts will not affect the well.
- 5) Other permits. All required State and Federal permits must be obtained including any Driveway/Curb Cut permit, Water Service Connection Permit, Drainage Permit, Cross Connection Control Permit, etc., as appropriate with copies of permits or confirmation of approvals delivered to the Planning Department.
- Final Drawings. (a) three sets of large black-line plus (b) one set of 11" x 17" final approved site plan drawings plus (c) one electronic version by pdf or flash drive must be on file with the City. Each individual sheet in every set of drawings must be stamped and signed by the land surveyor, engineer, or architect responsible for the site plans. (The applicant need only submit additional black-line sets of drawings or individual sheets, as needed, to make five complete sets consult the Planning Department). At the discretion of the Planning Department minor changes to drawings (as required in the precedent conditions, above) may be marked by hand. Note: If there are significant changes to made to the plans, as specified above, one full size paper check print must be sent to the Planning Department for review prior to producing these final drawings. Once the plan is recorded at the Registry of Deeds, submit two 11x17 recorded copies of the plan. Assessing will need an 11x17 recorded copy of the plan.
- 7) Recording. The plat and this notice of decision must be recorded together at the Strafford County Registry of Deeds within six calendar months to the date the plat is certified (e.g. if certified September 9th they must be recorded by March 9th).

General and Subsequent Conditions

All of the conditions below are attached to this approval.

1. Per RSA 236:13 (VI), maintenance of the combined driveway culvert for Lots 47-13 & 47-15 as depicted on the Driveway Plan & Profile sheet, dated April 2021 shall be the responsibility of the benefiting lot owners.

- 2. Erosion control shall be properly installed on site PRIOR to any construction. Erosion control shall be properly maintained throughout construction; any breaks or breeches shall be repaired within 48 hours of the storm event.
- 3. Wetland buffer areas shall not be impacted by any construction activities (other than those impacts permitted under the CUP and DES wetlands permit). Wetland buffers shall be marked with orange snow fence prior to any onsite activity, and such markets shall be maintained throughout construction.
- 4. As-Builts. Three sets of full size (measuring at least 22" x 34") or black line paper plus 1 set of 11" x 17" plus one digital pdf copy of the as-built site plans (or "record drawings") stamped and signed by the Engineer or Surveyor are to be submitted to the Planning Department prior to issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy (or use/occupancy of the site where no CO is required). The as-built drawings must include the following language or equivalent: "This as-built drawing substantially conforms with the final plans approved by the City of Rochester Planning Board and certified by the Planning and Development Department except for the following significant modifications: ...". If no significant modifications were made simply state "none". Otherwise, itemize the modifications on the as-built or on an accompanying letter. The Department relies on the good judgement and good faith of the Engineer/Surveyor in determining which modifications should be considered significant (for example, minor adjustments in locations of plant materials would not be significant whereas relocation of a catch basin would be).

As-builts are to include State Plane Coordinates. A copy of the Asbuilt line work is also to be submitted as a CAD file that is georeferenced to that same coordinate system.

- 5. Execution. The project must be built and executed exactly as specified in the approved application unless changes are approved by the City.
- 6. Approvals. All of the documentation submitted in the application package by the applicant and any requirements imposed by other agencies are part of this approval unless otherwise updated, revised, clarified in some manner, or superseded in full or in part. In the case of conflicting information between documents, the most recent documentation and this notice herein shall generally be determining.
- 7. <u>Violations</u>. In the event of any violations of these conditions of approval or of any pertinent local, state, or federal laws such as those regarding erosion and sedimentation control, wetlands, stormwater management, and general site development standards the City of Rochester reserves the right to take any appropriate permissible action, including, but not limited to, withholding of building permits, withholding of certificates of occupancy, withholding of driveway permits, revocations of permits/approvals, referring violations to other agencies, and calling of bonds.
- 8. Other permits. It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain all other local, state, and federal permits, licenses, and approvals which may be required as part of this project. Contact the City of Rochester's Building, Zoning and Licensing Department at 332-3508 regarding building permits. Please also contact the City of Rochester Fire Department at

330-7182 to ensure that the proposed building meets all Fire Codes. Finally, please contact the Department of Public Works for any stormwater, sewer, or water permits or fees that are required.

9. APPEAL PROCESS: Pursuant to RSA 677:15, an aggrieved party may appeal this decision to the Strafford County Superior Court within 30 days of the date the Board voted to approve or disapprove the application, or to the ZBA pursuant to RSA 676:5, III within 30 days of the date the Board made its decision.

Sincerely,

hanna B. Saunders

Director of Planning & Development

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