

Members: Gregory Parks Marva Lucas-Moore Linda Amos Robert Davis Vickie Mullins Alternates: Kenneth Turner Gary Silverman Brenee Orozco Jovan Bowser Donald Brooks

AGENDA April 18, 2024 6:00 PM

A meeting of the Cumberland County Board of Adjustment is to be held on Thursday, April 18, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. in Hearing Room #3 of the Historic Courthouse at 130 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, North Carolina. The agenda is as follows:

- 1. INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. SWEAR IN STAFF
- 4. ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA
- 5. APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 21, 2024 MINUTES
- 6. ABSTENTIONS BY BOARD MEMBERS/BOARD MEMBER DISCLOSURES (SITE VISITS AND/OR PERSONAL AFFILIATIONS)
- 7. PUBLIC HEARING DEFERRALS/WITHDRAWALS
- 8. POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING APPEAL PROCESS
- 9. PUBLIC HEARING(S):
 - **A. BOA-2024-0004:**Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a telecommunication monopole in an A1 Agricultural District on 3.67 +/- acres, located at 7131 Cedar Creek Road; submitted by Max Casey (Agent) on behalf of the State of North Carolina (Owner).
 - **B.** BOA-2024-0005: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a convenience container and recycling center in a RR Rural Residential District on 24.16 acres, located 140 feet south of the intersection of Parkton Road and Brisson Road; submitted by Smith Gardner, Inc. (Agent) on behalf of NC Department of Transportation (Owner).
- 10. DISCUSSION/UPDATE(S):
- 11. ADJOURNMENT

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David Moon Deputy Director

Board of Adjustment

MINUTES March 21, 2024 6:00 PM

Regular Members

Gregory Parks-Chair Linda Amos, Vice-Chair Robert Davis Marva Lucas-Moore Vickie Mullins

Alternate Members

Brenee Orozco-Alt Donald Brooks-Alt Jovan Bowser-Alt Kenneth Turner-Alt Gary Silverman- Alt

Absent Members

Linda Amos, Vice-Chair Robert Davis Jovan Bowser-Alt Kenneth Turner-Alt Gary Silverman- Alt Brenee Orozco-Alt

Present Members:

Gregory Parks-Chair Vickie Mullins Marva Lucas-Moore Donald Brooks

Staff/Others Present

David Moon Timothy Doersam

Amanda Ozanich Robert Hasty (Asst County Attorney)

Chair Parks called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in Public Hearing Room #3 of the Historic Courthouse.

1. INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Donald Brooks read the invocation. Pledge said by all.

Pledge Recited by all.

Chair Parks stated the procedural matters are to turn off all cell phones or to place them on silent. Please speak clear. Please do not repeat what the last speaker spoke. The Chair requested to limit time per speaker to 5 minutes. If any Board member wishes to speak, please ask to be recognized by the Chair.

2. ROLL CALL

David Moon called the roll. Mr. Moon made note of the absence of Linda Amos, Robert Davis, Kenneth Turner, Gary Silverman, Brenee Orozco, and Jovan Bowser. Mr. Moon stated we do have a quorum.

3. SWEAR IN OF STAFF

Chair Parks swore in staff Timothy Doersam and David Moon.

4. ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA

There were none.

5. APPROVAL OF THE OCTOBER 19, 2023, MINUTES

Vickie Mullins made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 19, 2023, meeting as written, seconded by Mr. Donald Brooks.

All are in favor.



6. ABSTENTIONS BY BOARD MEMBERS/BOARD MEMBER DISCLOSURES (SITE VISITS AND/OR PERSONAL AFFILIATIONS)

There were none.

7. PUBLIC HEARING DEFERRALS/WITHDRAWALS

There were none.

8. POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING APPEAL PROCESS:

Mr. Moon read the policy statement.

9. PUBLIC HEARING(S)

Chair Parks read:

BOA-2024-0002: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a telecommunications monopole in an A1 Agricultural District on 261.39 +/- acres, located at 3142 County Line Road; submitted by Ryan Woods (applicant) on behalf of Grays Creek Properties, LLC (owner).

David Moon: Thank you, chair. I am David Moon, Deputy Director of planning and inspections. I'll provide the introduction while Tim Doersam, planner with planning and inspections, will provide the presentation.

The case before you is a special use permit for a communication tower for Duke Energy Progress. They will be the sole user. It will not be a common communication tower with multiple antennas for communication companies. It will fully serve the purpose of communications with Duke. They can coordinate the operations of the transmission center and I believe the solar panel station. The applicant can provide more details.

This slide is located on the southwest corner of the county, in the vicinity of Rufus Road and County Line Rd.

This is a special use. As a special use which are those uses for which a permit is required for the proposed activities, which are essentially compatible with other uses or activities permitted in a zoning district, but which presents unique challenges or possess unique characteristics or qualities that require comprehensive review at a public hearing by the county Board of Adjustment and which may be allowed only after the findings of fact and the imposition of reasonable conditions. 00:07:55

This next slide is from the zoning ordinance for the county. This shows that a communication tower is a special use under the A1 agricultural zoning category.

The board this evening will make its decision based on 4 special use criteria from the zoning ordinance. These four criteria are: the use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and proposed; The use meets all required conditions and specifications; the use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; and the location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with Cumberland County's most recent Land Use Plan, either comprehensive or a detailed area plan. 00:09:09



David Moon Deputy Director

Board of Adjustment

The Board of Adjustment has the authority to approve, deny or approve with conditions. Your actions this evening is final. If the applicant or adjacent property owners affected wish to appeal. Then that appeal goes to the County Superior Court. With that, I'll turn the mic over to Tim Dorson. He'll provide the key information about the special use application. Thank you.

Timothy Doersam:

Good evening, ladies and gentlemen, Board. My name is Timothy Dorson. I am a planner I with the current planning office, with the planning and inspection department. The subject property, it is located on a total of about 261, give or take, acres of land. The special use permit, as described, is going to affect only approximately 1.21 acres. Here we kind of see the surrounding areas. To the north of the subject property, we have several residential subdivisions that are located across County Line Rd.. Of the actual site, to the north, is more rural agricultural farm use along with some single family residential. To the east, we have predominantly wooded lands. To the South is more wooded lands with the extension of the solar farm that reaches across seaplane County line and to the West, we have the majority of the solar farm that is located on the property site.

(presentation slide descriptions)

This is a close up of the actual subject site that the tower will be housed on, which is an existing utility substation that Duke Energy is owning and operating. It will be located within the existing channeling fence as well. Here we see the surrounding and fencing zoning of the area. It is predominantly A1 agricultural. We do have some scatterings of R40 residential and a pocket of R20 residential to the west.

From soils, the property does have hydric soils with some hybrid inclusion soils to the top right portion of it. It is located in the Greys Creek Water District, but there are no water lines and there are no sewer lines located along the county Line Rd. and the applicant is not proposing any well or septic, as they are not foreseeing that it is a necessity for the tower operation.

We have a picture looking at the property itself at one of the security gates that Duke Energy has and operates for the sake of keeping people away from their apparatuses.

This is a western view from down county line Rd., this is looking across it to one of the Jefferson Landing subdivision properties that is across the street from County Line Rd.

This is looking across it, to one of the Jefferson Landing subdivision properties that is across the street from County Line Rd. And here is the eastern view looking down county line roads.

This is sheet one of the actual site plans, you get an idea of the surrounding wooded areas that are to the east and towards the north of the subject site. That would house the tower and then again to the South and to the West is the Solar Farm and all these solar panels are used for it.

For the key conditions that we have for the special use permit, the 1st is that they're only one tower constructed and in operation at any given time. Within the special use permit area. The tower may be replaced by a new tower with any special use permit area, but once that tower is completed and in operation, the old tower must be removed within 90 days.

There are no third-party Co locations allowed on the new monopole.

Any additional antenna that would be put onto the monopole would be solely used by duke.

The existing 8-foot-high chain link fencing that is around the existing substation. That is found to be sufficient to satisfy Section 927, subsection E of the county zoning Ordinance.

No additional vegetation buffers shall be required because the site is sufficiently screened because of the existing wooded areas to the east and to the north property lines and the Special use permits expirations date will be two years from the date of approval.



Chair Parks:

Can I ask a question? Once they get the special use permit, do they have to come back in 2 years to get another special use permit?

David Moon:

The as long as they proceed with the use approved within the special use, within those two years, then they have what is called vested rights. If they should not install that tower, then there's the risk that it expires. Should it expire and they would like to put a Monopoly on the site and then they would have to request a special use permit again.

Timothy Doersam:

And as Mr. Moon has said, you have the ability to: approve, deny or approve with conditions, the Special use permit that is being heard tonight. That concludes my presentation. Thank you for your time.

David Moon:

Chair, the staff has reviewed the special use site plan and found it to be consistent with the county's zoning ordinance. The proposed tower is a maximum height of 120 feet, so they will be limited to the height. That is identified within the proposed special use permit.

Chair Parks:

You all basically have done the improvement yourself. We just need to say...

David Moon:

The role is to determine that this use within the A1 zoning district at this location, meets those 4 criteria. You're also approving the subdivision, or rather the special use permit and the conditions of approval. There is 27 conditions in there that the applicant must meet. To install, to operate, and to remove the structure.

Chair Parks:

Do we have anybody who's going to talk?

David Moon

Well, if you have any questions of the staff the board can ask those now. If not, then chair you can close the staff discussion and open the public hearing.

Chair Parks

No.

Donald Brooks:

It's 261 acres. Is it possible in the future this could be resolved for residential areas and if so? Just have a buffer needs to be around in order for it to be rezoned a residential area?

David Moon:

For the applicant can address that to some extent, but currently the property is used as a solar farm. The applicant is Duke and there's a separate property owner and he's most liking leasing the property to Duke, as well as to the solar panel operators, but ultimately yes, it could, A property owner can request to rezone a property, but that rezoning has to be approved by the board of County commissioner at a hearing.

Donald Brooks:



So on the 261 acres, it is a solar farm, is there right now?

David Moon:

Yes. OK. Can we go back to the air photo. As you can see, the solar farm is not only within north of the county line, but it extends South over the county line into Bladen County. The 261 acres only covers the solar farm within Cumberland County. There is More acreage within Bladen County.

Chair Parks:

Is Mr. Woods here? Or somebody speaking for him?

Amy Crout:

Yes, I have a presentation if you like.

David Moon:

Yeah, you've closed the staff discussion and you're opening up for the public hearing, yeah.

Chair Parks

I am. Please state your name your address please.

Amy Crout:

My name is Amy Kraut. I'm an attorney at Smith Anderson, 150 Fayetteville St. Ste. 2300, in Raleigh. I'm here on behalf of Duke Energy to do a Presentation and talk to you a little bit about and we have notebooks to pass out tonight.

Chair Parks:

I'm sorry I didn't swear you in.

Do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth so help you god?

Amy Crout: I do

Amy Crout

All right, Miss Tucker is just passing around notebooks with the application materials and an impact study that was conducted for the property. And we asked that the notebook, my presentation and the staff presentation. All go on record for this case.

So first we always just like to start by thanking the county and staff for the work they've done to get us this far, we work very closely with them on this application, and we appreciate the opportunity with the county on Duke projects and we're working with them. You might recognize me. I was here on 2 of the previous duke projects.

One of the first things I kind of like to do with these cambium poles is explain what it is and how it serves to you, because it's not what you typically think of when you think of a wireless communication tower. We think wireless communication tower, we think 2300 feet tower with guidewires attached and lots. The barrier antennas on the top. This is not at all what this is. You can see a rendering of what the typical 120 foot cambium pole looks like on the screen. It's 120 foot above ground, 20 foot underground with an attached wireless network device at the top and it's. Place within an existing Duke Energy substation for Duke Energies Communication Network. It remotely monitors the substation and securely transmitted data to and from other substations. That's why the 120 feet is important. It operates within a line of sight from other cambium poles.



So, because it's needed to securely transmit data. We do not allow any third parties, so any of those cell phone carriers, they're not allowed to Co locate on our pole and it's the reason why Duke doesn't Co locate on any, you know, traditional wireless communication towers.

Chair Parks:

So can I ask you a question, you say transmit data. So, no electricity?

Amy Crout:

No, not electricity.

Chair Parks:

So, it has nothing to do with the solar panels?

Amy Crout:

So, the Cambion pole monitors the activity on a substation. The substation is already existing and that handles all the electricity it taps into the solar farm and the transmission line distribution towers already on the property. This is just to monitor the kind of ins and outs of how the substation is functioning.

Chair Parks:

So instead of y'all checking it with manual people y'all just get it transmitted, the information, through the poles, I guess.

Amy Crout:

Yeah. So, the reason that this is, we used to have communications provider that are no longer providing services to Duke Energy, so we need to update our system and these upgrades are necessary to ensure that that substation operates efficiency and meets all customer needs. It's also a part of Dukes, commitment to smart technology improvements this monopole helps support a smarter grid and more reliable and efficient operations and as part of those communication functions it serves during the following major storms. It allows duke to communicate important messages to their employees during the power restoration process. So overall, it's really benefiting the public health and safety. It supports the energy grid for the surrounding area and is really a public necessity in this case because our communications provider is no longer serving.

Donald Brooks:

The line of sight, I understand that type of communication. What is the line of sight communicating with?

Amy Crout: our other cambion poles and substations.

Donald Brooks:

So, you're actually that the communication people against go across private property. The site, I mean the line of site.

Amy Crout: it is a Wi-Fi event.

Donald Brooks:

Right. But if someone wanted to hear something there that you see, not 120 feet from the sound breaker number. Because they will block your line of sight.

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Amy Crout:

I don't believe...We have Aaron Cook here with Duke Energy. He could answer that question better for you in terms of how those that communication specifically works in functions. I'm happy to bring him up at the end.

Amy Crout:

With my presentation to answer that brief, because really this its just a special use permit application that affects You know 1.21 acres to.

Donald Brooks:

From the best of the construction, but the transmission is not restricted to that 1.2 acres, it's going Across somewhere else. To some other pole that it is communicating with.

Amy Crout:

Yes.

Donald Brooks:

So, it is beyond the communications beyond the 1.2 acres.

Amy Crout:

It communicates with other parties beyond, correct? Yeah.

Amy Crout:

Looking at the location and the aerial map of this property, you know, I think staff did a did a really good job of explaining. This is a very small part of a very large parcel owned by Greys Creek properties that's being leased as a solar farm and that's a long-standing recorded lease. So that's between Greys Creek properties and the Solar Farm. Duke is a not a part of that lease. However, Duke does have an easement over that small blue highlighted area for the substation, and the substation was built in part to serve the Solar farm. You can see there are taps. Our substation from the solar farm.

What's important is, as you mentioned, that highlighted blue area is the only area that this special use permit affects. It does not affect the entire 261 Parcel. So, while it was never our intent to do so, you couldn't build this on the previous special use permit. It wouldn't allow you to build a monopole anywhere except for a finite use existing substation. So very limited in scope. Being located on such a large parcel and within the existing substation means the use doesn't materially endanger the public health and safety. Neither would it impact the Value abutting properties and is in harmony with the general areas and existing substations around the bio solar farm.

Again, the staff went over this the site plan and full design. I'm just going to cover it in a little bit in more detail to the extent it helps the entire construction plans. In that notebook that you have again, the blue area kind of highlights, you know Dukes, part of the substation and where that monopole would be located. The specific location and for the monopole will be that where that Red Star is. You can see it set back more than 350 feet from all property lines and 350 feet is the closest one. Our next one is 408 feet and then 600 feet, so it's really insulated within the property. Again, it's going to be 120 feet above ground, 20 feet below ground, and this monopole design is really chosen because it's the least intrusive and most aesthetic option. It won't be painted, it'll be constructed of galvanized steel, which conforms aesthetically to the other equipment and distribution. Powers that are already within the existing substation on the site there are transmission or distribution lines already across the solar farm. One cutting through the middle and one cutting across the corner.



Because it's going into an existing site, there are already adequate utilities, access roads, equipment storage. We're not proposing any of that. No other changes or infrastructure truly just building this monopole to monitor communications.

The substation is already fenced and gated, and as noted is only accessed for routine maintenance which is approximately once a month that was already occurring. So, there will be no additional traffic impact to the site. Going over, you know the wireless communication towers ordinance, you know, I think as staff mentioned this use is unique and doesn't always perfectly fit in the traditional concept of what you think the wireless communication tower is. So what Dukes application is, it went through each of section 927's requirements related to our communication towers and set forth how we met those and then the couple that didn't quite fit with our use, we asked for some special use conditions initially those were special use conditions 1621 and 22 and you can find those on exhibit I of the special use permit that's in staffs staff report. To walk through those originally, we submitted the Sup for the entire property. Staff asked us and we had no issue with just limiting it to Dukes existing substation. That's the intent. So that's the only area that this will apply to. 00:29:18

Next, the wireless communication hours or next technically requires a 10-foot fence around. Told here we're already putting it in an existing substation. There's already fencing around the substation, and it is an 8-foot fence with barbed wire. This is Duke standard fencing that they use around all substations for security purposes.

Condition 17. This is kind of already part of the code, but we also ran these proposed conditions again by the property owner, obviously and the solar farms attorney. And there is a question about what would happen if you knew the pole would be abandoned or seized operations. Would we remove it? So, we propose this condition, we'll remove it per the code in 90 days, if it ever ceases to be used.

Next, is a condition that we actually worked with staff on. It just allows the pole to be relocated in the substation if needed with administrative approval. Condition 21. I talked about this. The pole is only used for Dukes internal purposes, so no third-party Co locations would be allowed on the monopole. There are some significant security and safety issues here. One we're securely transmitting and collecting data using this pole. But also, their safety and security concerns anytime and outside third party enters the substation. You know we really try to avoid that at all costs due to those concerns.

Finally, condition 22. Again, this monopole is located in an existing substation, all of that infrastructure is already there. The solar farm is already there, the substation is already there. We're just adding this pole, so we're asking that the existing vegetation that buffers the substation and the solar farm is sufficient Because any additional landscaping really compromises security into the site. You know we want to be able always able to see within our substations. That's not just for the safety of Duke employees, but also local law enforcement always kind of line of sight into the substation is important to us and quite frankly, landscaping around pitching around Substation encourages animals to get in the substation and so not great for that 00:31:59

So overall this request meets the four standards required by the ordinance. The location of the monopole and an existing substation will materially endanger the public health or safety. We actually think it benefits the public health and safety because it supports more reliable and efficient operations as staff Noted they found that the special use site plan is consistent with the county zoning code and meets those requirements. Aside from being a public necessity, which is one of the requirements under the code, the dual requirement of that is also, you know that it won't have any. It will maintain property values of adjoining properties. We had an impact study conducted that found that real estate values aren't impacted. By either the use or proximity of an existing monopole communications tower, such that properties in close proximity to the monopole should maintain their value and we have Allan Hair, here who will get up and can talk a little bit more about that impact study if you would like.



David Moon
Deputy Director

Board of Adjustment

Otherwise, the location and character of the pole is in harmony with the area and conforms to the county plans. It will aid in the existing substations functionality and should increase efficiency and reliability in the area. It doesn't inhibit any future land development plans for the area, and it overall supports economic development, safety and Quality of life as electricity is used from all forms of land use. The Cambion pole it really supports Dukes commitment to provide customers with reliable, affordable, and increasingly clean energy, and Cumberland County and throughout Duke service area. And we ask that you approve this request and are happy to answer any questions and bring Al Hair to go through that entire report. 00:34:08

David Moon:

Miss Crout, do you have any other speakers with your party?

Amy Crout:

No other speakers that would likely need to speak. I would ask just that that impact study being included in the record for the purposes of this meeting.

David Moon:

Is it in that packet that was distributed?

Amy Crout:

It was in the packet that's distributed, and I do think it might be helpful if Mr. Hair just came up, introduced himself and gave just a two second summary of that.

Chair Parks:

Mr. Hair, I need swear you in please. Do you swear to tell the truth the whole truth and nothing but so help you God?

Allen Hair:

I do.

Chair Parks

You state your name and address.

Allen Hair

My name is Marcus Allen Hair II and I live at 5114 Cedar Creek Rd. Fayetteville, NC. And I am a general certified real estate appraiser in the state of North Carolina, a licensed real estate broker in state North Carolina, a license irrigation contractor, the state of North Carolina, a licensed landscape contractor and a lead paint remediation for people who need lead paint remediation. I did an impact study on this particular monopole and what I did was I found properties that sold in close proximity to these monopoles, and then I found other comparable that sold further away. The theory being that if there's any influence from the monopole towers, the influence would mitigate as you got further away from the town, and I was not able to find any sort of information On the monopole. To the real estate values, the first data set that I had was Beaver Creek South, which is off of Bingham and the church, all the church on Bingham, has 150-foot monopole and Beaver Creek South in that in that data set. I had three comparables and the comparable with sold adjoining the tower side. All the comparable are very consistent. They were all built in 1991. They all have the same room count. They were all three bedrooms, 2 bath. They all had a garage and the Comparable adjoining the tower site, sold for just slightly more than the other comparable, but it was at the upper end of the range. I wouldn't say there would be any statistical variation or deviation. It's not significant enough to say that you know the towers has a positive influence on it. The second study that I did was in, it's called the Roxanna Williams subdivision is it's kind of like where Drake Park is and the Lafayette village, the intersection



of Ireland Drive and record rd. So, the tower there is right where there used to be, like a golden grouse steakhouse and cardiology clinic. Now they're going down walleyes purchased the site. The tower is right behind that. It's 180-foot monopole tower. And I had sales all in that subdivision and found no difference. That was all neutral, all the comparable. All the comparable had generally the same price per square foot, so at the same price, but, then I had a commercial sale. It was the towers located on Rayford Road, right where the old Christ United Church used to be. It's now Chipotle and a panda. Express the Panda Express site sold. It's 130 feet from that 181-foot monopole tower. And then I had the Panera Bread sale commercial sites and there was virtually no difference in those sales either. So, my conclusion is that the presence of these towers, while you may have a preconceived notion that they have a damaging effect on real estate values, they really don't have any impact on the markets, not the markets not currently recognizing these towers and they've just been pretty ubiquitous and in our modern times that we just kind of ignore them. I'll take any questions anybody may ask.

Chair Parks: any questions? None

David Moon:

Chair that concludes the speakers. No one has signed to speak in opposition to the special use permit.

Robert Hasty:

Chair do you accept the report as part of the record?

Chair Parks: yes

David Moon:

Chair if the board chooses to vote in favor of the application. Then I suggest that in your motion for each of the four criteria, you base it on the applicant's response. The special use permit conditions and the special use site plan.

Marva Lucas-Moore

I'll make the motion that we incorporate exhibit J the special use criteria with four special requirements we accept as written.

Chair Parks:

The motion has been made. Do we have any discussions on that motion?

Robert Hasty: that is also to approve the special use permit?

Marva Lucas-Moore:

Yes, and to approve the special use permit and site plan. Thank you.

Chair Parks: All in favor. Unanimous vote in favor to approve.

Marva Lucas-Moore Motioned to Approve with conditions.

Donald Brooks Second

All are in Favor

- 10. Discussion Update (s): none
- 11. Adjournment: Motion to adjourn made by Vickie Mullins. Chair Parks Adjourned at 18:41

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PLANNING & INSPECTIONS

PLANNING STAFF REPORT

SPECIAL USE CASE # BOA-2024-0004
Board of Adjustment Meeting:
April 18, 2024

Jurisdiction: County-Unincorporated

REQUEST

Special Use – Tower in an A1 District

Applicant requests the BOA grant a Special Use Permit for replacing the existing 250' telecommunications tower with a new 380' telecommunications tower using updated technology at a location illustrated on Exhibit "A". The proposed site is owned by the State of North Carolina and is located on an approximately 3.67 +/- acre size parcel. The property is located on the east side of Cedar Creek Road and north of Mack Simmons Road.

The proposed 380' tower is to be operated by the North Carolina State Highway Patrol under the VIPER division. VIPER has stated that all Public Safety agencies and Federal agencies would be allowed on the tower and to use the tower house.

<u>Exhibits</u>

- A. Site Location/Zonina
- B. Use Matrix, Sec. 403, Zoning Code
- C. Section 901, Individual Uses
- D. Section 927 Towers
- E. Special Use Site Plan
- F. Existing and Adjacent Uses
- G. Soil and Utilities
- H. Southeast Cumberland Land Use Plan
- I. Special Use Permit Conditions
- J. Sec. 1606 Applicant Response

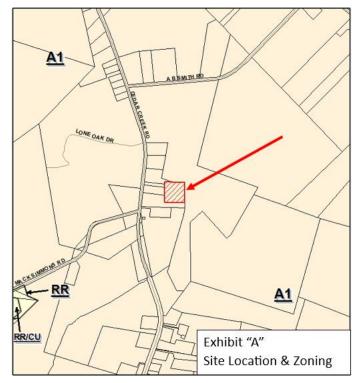
Attachment: mailing list.

A Tower within an A1 zoning district must obtain a Special Use approval from the Board of Adjustment, per Section 403, County Zoning Code, as shown in Exhibit "B" (attached). A Tower in an A1 zoning district must comply with the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 901 and 927 of the Zoning Code, including submittal of a site plan. Refer to Exhibit "C" and "D" (attached) for the

development standards and requirements set forth in Section 901 & 927. The applicant's proposed special use site plan appears in Exhibit "E" (attached).

A communication tower within an A1 zoning district must obtain a Special Use approval from the Board of Adjustment, per Section 403, County Zoning Code, as shown in Exhibit "B" (attached). A communication tower falls under the Use Matrix category of "Tower". A communication tower in an A1 zoning district must comply with the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 927 of the Zoning Code, including submittal of a site plan. Refer to Exhibit "C" (attached) for the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 927.

The applicant's proposed special use site plan appears in Exhibit "E" (attached). For any tower located within an A1 zoning district, the height of a tower is not restricted but the special setback standards for a tower apply. (Section 927.C.1)



PROPERTY INFORMATION

OWNER/APPLICANT: State of North Carolina, Owner; Max Casey, Agent; North Carolina State Highway Patrol, Applicant.

ADDRESS/LOCATION: Located at 7131 Cedar Creek Road Fayetteville NC, 28312.

REID: 0482014995000

SIZE: 3.67 +/- acres.

ROAD FRONTAGE: The subject property does not have direct road frontage to Cedar Creek Road, but it has easement 2618/809 on the parcel with PIN 0482-20-2019 providing a 60' wide access easement to the Cedar Creek Road.

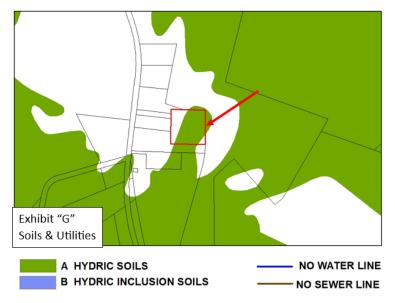
EXISTING LAND USE: The property has a preexisting 250' telecommunications tower located on it, as shown in Exhibit "E" (site plan) and "F" (existing use and surrounding uses.)

SURROUNDING LAND USE: Uses in the surrounding area and adjacent properties comprise wooded lands and single-family residences. Surrounding uses are shown on Exhibit "F".

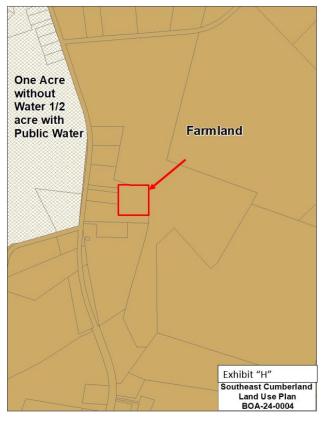
OTHER SITE CHARACTERISTICS: The property is not located within a 100-Year Flood Zone nor situated within a watershed. There are hydric soils on the property, as shown on Exhibit "G".

MINIMUM YARD SETBACKS: The Tower would meet the required setbacks for the A1 zoning district.





COMPREHENSIVE PLANS:



This property is located in the Southeast Cumberland Land Use Plan 2016. The future land use classification of the property is Farmland. Associated Zoning districts for this classification is A1, A1A.

The Comprehensive Planning Section has no other comments.

OVERLAY DISTRICTS: None

IMPACTS ON LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE

TRAFFIC: The subject property, Cedar Creek Road is located outside of FAMPO boundaries. Mid-Carolina RPO did not provide any comment on this facility at this time.

UTILITIES: Public water and sewer services are not available. Exhibit "G" provides information on utilities available to the subject property.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: The staff from the Fayetteville Economic Development Commission have not identified any concerns and are supportive of this action.

EMERGENCY SERVICES: Cumberland County Fire Marshal's office has reviewed the request and has no comments at this time.

SPECIAL DISTRICTS: The subject property is not located within five miles of Fort Liberty Military base and is not located within or near the Fayetteville Regional Airport Overlay District.

APPLICABLE CODES

Use and development of the subject site must occur consistent with Section 927 of the Zoning Code, Case No. BOA-2024-0004 Site Plan (Exhibit "E"), and Special Use Conditions (Exhibit "I")

FINDINGS OF FACT

The proposed Special Use Permit is provided in Exhibit "E".

Pursuant to Section 1606.C. Special Use Permits, Consideration of Application, the Board of Adjustment must establish a finding of fact for the following criteria to approve the special use:

- 1. The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and recommended.
- 2. The use meets all required conditions and specifications.
- 3. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; and

4. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Applicant's response to each of these criteria are provided within Exhibit "J".

Staff finds the Special Use Site Plan to be consistent with the Zoning Code.

MOTION

The BOA is requested to take action/motion based on the findings of fact, as supported by the Special Use Site Plan (Exhibit "E") and Special Use Conditions (Exhibit "I"). Any motion to approve the special use includes approval of the Special Use Permit conditions and the Special Use Site Plan.

Attachments: Notification Mailing List

EXHIBIT "B" USE MATRIX

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CUMBERLAND COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE P = PERMITTED USE S = SPECIAL USE (Sec. 1606 Board of Adjustment) Z = CONDITIONAL ZONING (Article V – County BOC)	LAND USES		SAWMILL AND/OR PLANING OPERATION (Sec. 916)	SCHOOL, business and commercial for nurses or other medically oriented professions, trade, vocational & fine arts	SCHOOLS, public, private, elementary or secondary (Sec. 916)	SECOND-HAND, PAWN AND FLEA MARKET (Sec. 923)	SEPTAGE DISPOSAL SITE	SEXUALLY ORIENTED BUSINESSES (Sec. 924)	SHEET METAL FABRICATION	SOLAR FARM	SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL FAC. (Sec. 925)	SPECIAL INFORMATION SIGNS (Sec. 1304 D)	STORAGE-FLAMMABLE	STORAGE-OPEN	STORAGE-WAREHOUSE	SWIMMING POOLS, incidental to a principal use, (Sec. 1002C)	TAILORING (Dressmaking)	TAXICAB STAND OPERATION	TELEPHONE SWITCHING/BOOSTER STATION	THEATER PRODUCTIONS, indoor, which show only	films previously submitted to & rated by the Motion	theaters regulated by Section 924	THEATER PRODUCTIONS, outdoor (Sec. 926), which	show only films previously submitted to & rated by	the Motion Picture Association of America & not	including theaters regulated by Section 924	TIRE RECAPPING	TOBACCO AND HEMP RETAIL (Sec. 926.1)	TOWER (Sec. 927)	outside storage of equipment or supplies	TRAILER RENTALS, Including terminal activities, hauling and/or storage, incidental to same, but	excluding mini-warehousing as defined herein

EXHIBIT "C" SECTION 901, INDIVIDUAL USES

SECTION 901. DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR INDIVIDUAL USES.

The development standards of this article are additional to other requirements in this ordinance. If there is a conflict with another section of this ordinance or any other Federal, State or local regulation, the most restrictive requirement shall apply. These development standards are use-specific and apply as minimum development standards for the use regardless of the type of approval or permit otherwise required by this ordinance. All non-residential uses listed within this article require site plan review and approval in accordance with Article XIV unless this article specifically requires approval of a Special Use Permit or Conditional Zoning District. Those uses requiring approval as a Special Use Permit (Section 1606) or a Conditional Zoning District (Article V) shall also be subject to these standards and any additional standards or conditions required by the approval.

(Amd. 11-20-06; 04-18-11)

In addition to the specific criteria listed for each use, the following are to be considered as minimum criteria for every non-residential use:

- A. All parking and loading areas shall comply with the minimum provisions established in Article XII, Off-Street Parking and Loading;
 - B. All lighting shall be directed internally and shall comply with Section 1102.M;
- C. Noise generated by any use shall not substantially or detrimentally affect the ability of surrounding property owners to reasonably enjoy the use of their properties and shall not contradict those standards of Chapter 9.5, Cumberland County Code, Article II, entitled: "Noise" (Noise Ordinance);
- D. When any non-residential use is adjacent to residentially zoned properties, a screening buffer shall be provided in accordance with Section 1102.G of this ordinance; (Amd. 01-19-10; Amd. 06-18-12)
- E. Unless otherwise specified within these individual sections, all signage shall be in compliance with Article XIII, Sign Regulations, for the specific district in which the subject property is located;
- F. All new non-residential development shall comply with the landscaping provisions of Section 1102.N; and
- G. Compliance with all Federal, State, and local regulations, including the County Subdivision Ordinance, is mandatory.

EXHIBIT "D" SECTION 927. ZONING CODE

SECTION 927. TOWERS.

- A. A communication tower and associated equipment totally concealed within a building or structure so as to be architecturally indiscernible shall not be regulated as a tower under this section.
- B. The applicant, owner, or developer of a tower that is to be at least 75 feet in height shall submit a site plan with the application for permits to authorize construction or erection of the tower. The site plan shall include:
 - Identity of the proposed or intended user(s) of the tower.
- The certification of a registered engineer that the tower has the structural integrity and/or capacity to support or to accommodate more than one use or user.
- The statement and supporting information and documentation by the applicant, owner, or developer that no structures or facilities suitable for collocation are available within the coverage area.
- 4. The statement of the owner indicating the intent and willingness to permit shared use of the tower and the potential for or limitations on the number of other users that the proposed tower can accommodate.
- Elements and design that meet all requirements of this ordinance and the County Subdivision Ordinance.
- C. Setbacks as prescribed below are intended for the assurance of public safety and protection of the property rights of adjacent property owners and shall not be less than the minimum required and shall not be varied by the Board of Adjustment:
- Residential/Agricultural Zones. Towers in any residential or agricultural district shall be set back from all adjacent property lines and/or lease lines a distance not less than the height of the tower. The distance shall be measured from the base of the tower.
- Commercial/Industrial Zones. Any tower shall be set back from property and/or lease lines a minimum of 50 feet or one foot of setback for each two feet of tower height, whichever is greater.
- D. Structures located near towers shall not encroach upon the setbacks of the towers, unless such towers are of monopole design and construction, in which case buildings and structures may be located within the setback distances.
- E. A chain link fence at least ten feet in height and located at least ten feet from the base of the tower shall enclose the tower base.
- F. A buffer area at least 25 feet wide shall surround the tower compound. The buffer shall shield the compound area from the entire tract. No structures, including guyed

wires or anchors, may be constructed or located within the buffer. The buffer area shall be planted with evergreen trees that will attain a minimum height of 25 feet within four years and be spaced no greater than 20 feet apart. The inner fringe of the buffer area shall be planted with an evergreen hedge that shall have an initial height of at least three feet and an expected attainment of six feet in height within four years of planting. The hedge shall constitute a complete shield or visual blockage. If the Coordinator determines that a natural buffer already exists on site that substantially complies with the purpose and intent of this performance standard to an equal or greater degree, such an alternative natural buffer shall be considered adequate. If an alternative natural buffer is used, the user shall be responsible to ensure that the buffer remains compliant for as long as the tower remains. If a buffer is altered to an extent where it no longer serves to shield or obscure the compound from view, the applicant or tower user(s) shall install buffers as required by this section.

- G. The applicant, owner or developer shall certify that the proposed tower will be constructed and operated in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and local laws and ordinances, including but not limited to all Federal Communication Commission (FCC) and Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) rules and guidelines.
- H. Prior to the issuance of a building permit for a tower, the applicant, owner or developer shall submit drawings sealed by a licensed engineer and a certification letter from the licensed engineer who prepared the plans that the tower will meet all applicable Federal, State and local building codes and structural standards.

Repealed.

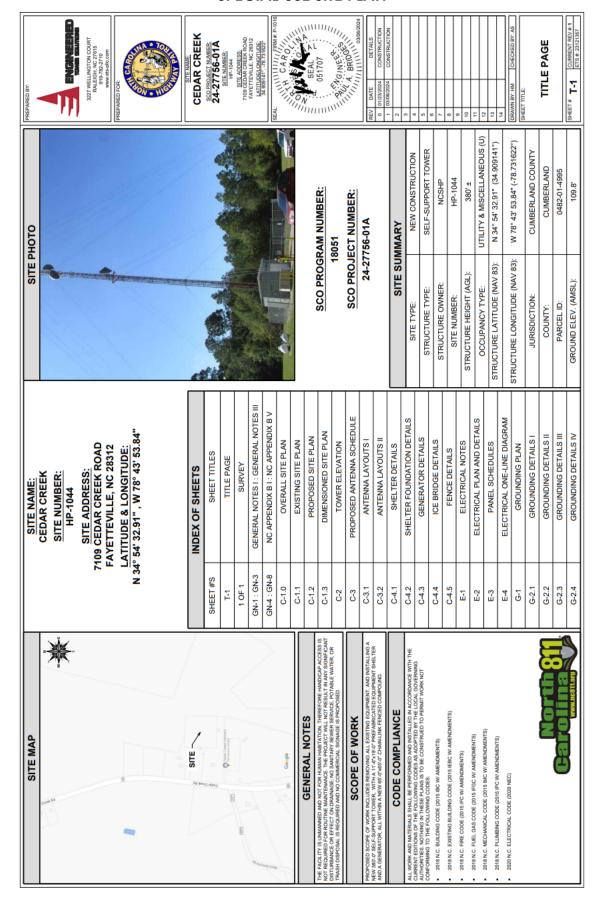
- J. The tower's height shall not exceed 450 feet. When a tower is located on a building or structure, the combined height of the building or structure and the tower shall not exceed 450 feet, except in the A1 Agricultural District. The height of a tower located in the A1 Agricultural District shall not be restricted. However, a tower located in the A1 Agricultural District must meet all applicable setbacks.
- K. The exterior appearance of any building or structure associated with a tower and located in a residential zone shall maintain a residential architectural quality including, without limitation, a pitched roof and frame or brick veneer construction.
- L. No building or structure associated with a tower and located in a residential zone may be used as a work site for any worker. However, periodic maintenance, inspection and renovation of the facility shall be permitted.
- M. Each applicant, owner or developer shall demonstrate that the use will not be detrimental or injurious to the property values of the surrounding neighborhood. In

zoning districts where the tower is a use by right, the applicant, owner or developer may satisfy the requirement by submitting a statement signed by a licensed appraiser or real estate broker which expresses an opinion that the use will not be detrimental or injurious to the property values of the surrounding neighborhood.

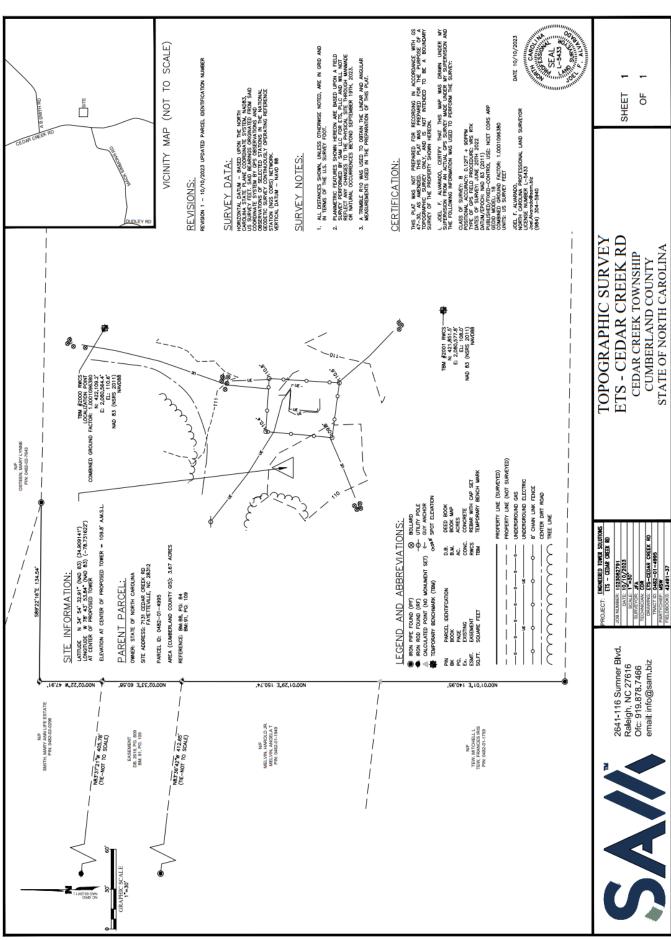
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- O. To protect the public from unnecessary exposure to electromagnetic radiation, the applicant, developer, owner or operator of the tower shall document that the power density levels do not exceed federally approved levels or American National Standards Institute (ANSI) standards, whichever is stricter.
- P. If lighting is required by the FAA, it shall meet or exceed the FAA standards. To the extent allowed by FAA regulations and standards, strobes shall not be used for nighttime lighting. To the extent permitted by Federal statutes, regulations and standards, the lights shall be oriented so as not to project directly onto surrounding residential property. Prior to issuance of a building permit, the applicant, developer or owner shall submit documentation from the FAA that the proposed lighting is the minimum lighting required by the FAA.
- Q. A tower not used for a period of at least six months shall be determined to be abandoned and shall be removed. The owner of the tower shall remove any abandoned, unused or structurally unsound tower within 90 days of receiving notice requiring removal. The Coordinator may establish a shorter period of time for the removal of a tower that is structurally unsound.
- R. The owner or operator of a tower shall submit a statement signed and sealed by a licensed engineer that the tower will be structurally sound.
- S. If the Coordinator determines a tower is not structurally sound, the owner or operator of the tower shall, within 60 days or a shorter time period if required by the Coordinator, complete repairs to restore the structural soundness of the tower.
- T. The owner, applicant, or developer shall camouflage the tower so that it blends into the surrounding area. Methods of camouflage include paint, architectural design or structure, and other means.
 - U. No outside storage on the site of the tower shall be permitted.
- V. All tower sites shall comply with the provisions of the County Subdivision Ordinance. (Amd. 02-19-08; Amd. 01-19-10)

EXHIBIT "E" SPECIAL USE SITE PLAN

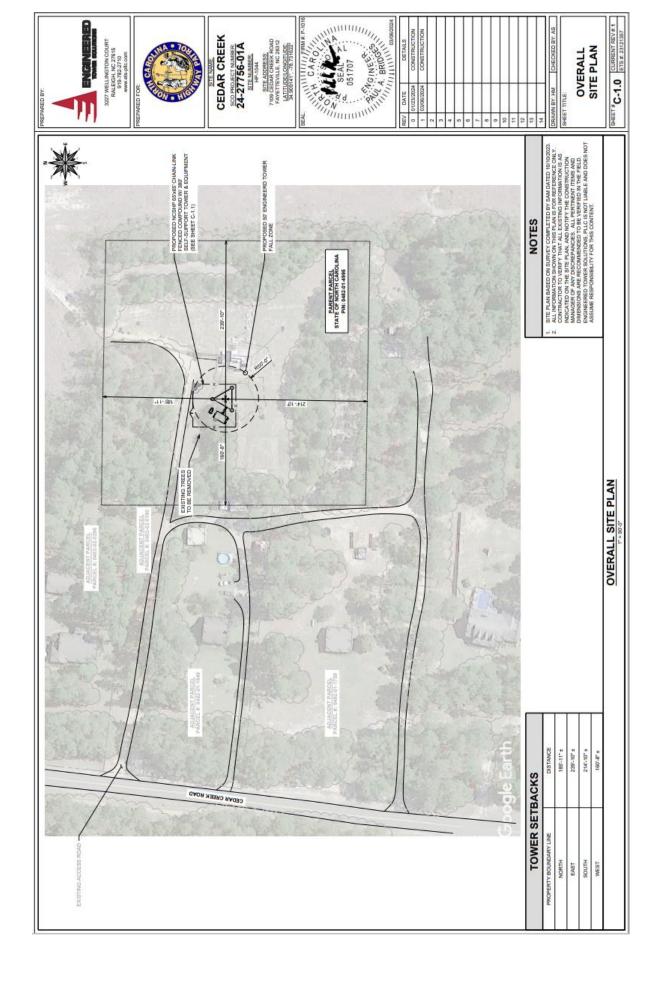


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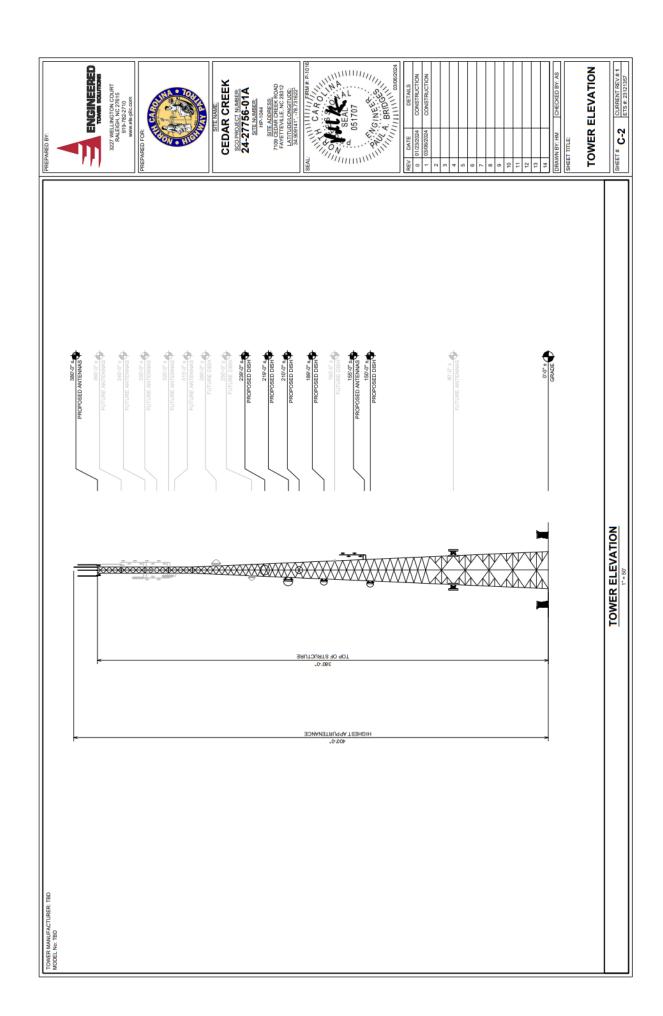


EXHIBIT "I Special Use Permit Conditions EXHIBIT "I" SPECIAL USE PERMIT BOA-2024-0004

Special Use Permit Conditions

Special Use Permit-Board of Adjustment

(Communication Tower Special Use Permit and Site Plan) Ordinance Related Conditions

BOA-2024-0004: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to replace an existing 250' telecommunication tower with a new 380' telecommunication tower in an A1 Agricultural District on a 3.67 +/- acres parcel, located at 7131 Cedar Creek Road owned by the State of North Carolina, Submitted by Max Casey (Applicant) on behalf of the North Carolina State Highway Patrol/State of North Carolina (Owner).

The Special Use Permit requested is approved subject to the contents of the application, site plan appearing in Exhibit "A" and the following conditions:

<u>Applicability:</u> This Special Use Permit shall only apply to a 3.67 acre parcel at REID#:0482014995000 (as shown in the record of the Cumberland County Register of Deeds as of March 28, 2024) on which the North Carolina State Highway Patrol operates an existing 250' telecommunications tower as such area is shown on the attached Special Use Site Plan (Exhibit "A").

Pre-Permit:

1. Prior to any construction activity, applicant shall submit a site plan providing the following information to the Current Planning section for review, demonstrating compliance with the requirements and information required herein in this Special Use Permit.

Permit-Related:

- The owner/developer(s) of these lots must obtain detailed instruction on provisions of the County Zoning Code and permits required to place any structure within this development from the County Code Enforcement Section, at the Historic Courthouse at 130 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, N.C. For additional information, the developer should contact the Code Enforcement Section. (Chpt. 4, County Code & Sec. 107, County Zoning Ord.)
- 2. New development where the developer will disturb or intends to disturb more than one acre of land is subject to the Post-Construction Stormwater Management Permitting Program (Phase II Stormwater Management Requirements) administered by the Department of Energy, Minerals and Land Resources, NC Department of Environmental Quality (DEMLR NCDEQ). If one acre or more of land is to be disturbed, a copy of the State's Post-Construction Permit must be provided to County Code Enforcement prior to the issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy. (Note: If any retention/detention basins are required for state approval of this plan, three copies of a revised plan (and \$25/\$50 revision fee) must be submitted and approved by Planning & Inspections.) (Sec. 2306.D, County Subdivision Ord. & 2006-246, NC Session Law)
- 3. The proposed tower is approved only as the height depicted on sheet C-2 (Exhibit "A") at a maximum height of 380 feet with twenty feet tall (20') additional antennae attached. Tower height will be measured from finished grade.
- 4. The developer must provide a site-specific address and tax parcel number at the time of building/zoning permit application. [Sec. 4-8(b)(2), County Code]

- 5. Prior to issuance of a building permit for the tower, the applicant/owner or developer must submit to the Code Enforcement Sections, drawings sealed by a licensed engineer and a certification letter from the licensed engineer who prepared the plans that the tower will meet all applicable Federal, State and local building codes and structure standards applicable to a communication tower (Section 927. H, Towers, County Zoning Ordinance.)
- 6. Prior to issuance of the building permit for the tower, the owner/operator of the tower shall submit a signed and sealed engineer's statement that the tower is structurally sound. If the Coordinator determines a tower is not structurally sound, the owner or operator of the tower shall, within 60 days or a shorter time period if required by the coordinator, complete repairs to restore the structural soundness of the tower.
- 7. A signed and sealed statement by the engineer of record shall be provided to the County that the proposed telecommunication tower is designed to collapse entirely within the perimeter of the project area, as delineated on the site plan provided in Exhibit "A".
- 8. The building final inspection cannot be accomplished until a Code Enforcement Officer inspects the site and certifies that the site is developed in accordance with the approved plans. (Sec. 107.B, County Zoning Ord.; & Secs. 2005 & 2007 County Subdivision Ord.)
- 9. A driveway from Cedar Creek Road to the tower site shall be maintained to allow access by emergency vehicles, and an overhead clearance of 14 feet shall be maintained over the driveway.
- 10. Proposed access drive for the subject tower site shall comply with NC State Building Code: Fire Prevention Code, Section D102 Required Access "D102.1 Access and loading. Facilities, buildings or portions of buildings hereafter constructed shall be accessible to fire department apparatus by way of an approved fire apparatus access road with an asphalt, concrete or other approved driving surface capable of supporting the imposed load of fire apparatus weighing at least 75,0000 pounds".

Site-Related:

- 11. Development and use of the project site shall occur consistent with the Special Use Permit site plan (Exhibit "A"). All uses, dimensions, setbacks and other related provisions of the County Subdivision and Development Ordinance, and County Zoning Ordinance for the A1 zoning district for a communication tower must be complied with, as applicable.
- 12. This conditional approval is not approval of any freestanding signs. If a freestanding sign is desired, re-submittal of the site plan is required prior to application for any freestanding sign permits. Attached signage for this development must be in accordance with the applicable sign regulations as set forth in Article XIII of the County Zoning Ordinance and that the proper permit(s) must be obtained prior to the installation of any permanent signs on the property. (Note: This conditional approval is **not** approval of the size, shape, or location of any signs.) (Art. XIII, County Zoning Ord.)
- 13. For any new development, an adequate drainage system must be installed by the developer in accordance with the NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) Manual on Best Management Practices and all drainage ways must be kept clean and free of debris. (Section 2307.A, County Subdivision Ord.)
- 14. In the event a stormwater utility structure is required by the NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ), the owner/developer must secure the stormwater structure with a four-foot-high fence with a lockable gate, and is required to maintain the detention/retention basin, keeping it clear of debris and taking measures for the prevention of insect and rodent infestation. (Sec. 1102.O, County Zoning Ord.)

- 15. All lighting is required to be directed internally within this development and comply with the provisions of Section 1102 M, Outdoor Lighting, County Zoning Ordinance.
- 16. In the event the tower is not used for a period of six consecutive months (180 days), the tower shall be considered abandoned and must be removed at the owner's expense. The owner of the tower is required to remove any abandoned, unused or structurally unsound tower within 90 days of receiving notice from the County requiring removal. The Code Enforcement Manager may establish a shorter period of time for removal in the event the tower is determined to be structurally unsound (Section 927.Q. Towers, County Zoning Ordinance).
- 17. Removal of the pre-existing communication tower must occur within six months from the date that the new tower becomes operational.
- 18. The owner/developer is responsible and liable for maintenance and upkeep of this site, all structures, and appurtenances, to include ensuring that the site and landscape areas are kept free of litter and debris, all grass areas mowed, all buffers and shrubbery kept trim and maintained, so that the site remains in a constant state of being aesthetically and environmentally pleasing. (Sec. 1403, County Zoning Ord.)
- 19. If lighting is required by the FAA, it shall meet or exceed the FAA standards. To the extent allowed by FAA regulations and standards, strobes shall not be used for nighttime lighting. To the extent permitted by Federal statutes, regulations and standards, the lights shall be oriented so as not to project directly onto surrounding residential property. Prior to issuance of a building permit, the applicant, developer or owner shall submit documentation from the FAA that the proposed lighting is the minimum lighting required by the FAA.
- 20. The tower will serve as communication purposes for law enforcement and emergency response agencies. Any additional antennae or equipment proposed to be placed on the tower for commercial telecommunication purposes, shall require an amendment to this Special Use Permit, which must be approved by the County Board of Adjustment.
- 21. Driveway Permit required. Change of use of subject properties and/or construction of any new connection or alteration of any existing connection shall require an approved Driveway Permit from NCDOT.

Failure to secure required permits prior to construction or change in property usage may result in the removal of the driveway or street connections at the property owner's/developer's expense.

In the event that a structure (house) is built by a contractor for commercial gain and/or if property changes ownership from existing owner to builder, an approved Driveway Permit must be secured.

For additional information contact the Division 6 / District 2 office.

Expiration Date.

This special use expires two years from the date the County Board of Adjustment approves the Special Permit No. BOA-2024-0004. The Board of Adjustment may approve an extension of this special use permit for up to two years if a written request for an extension is submitted at least thirty days prior to the expiration date.

Advisories:

- 22. Any revision or addition to this plan necessitates re-submission for review and approval by the Planning & Inspections Department prior to the commencement of the change.
- 23. The owner/developer is responsible for ensuring easements which may exist on the subject property are accounted for, not encumbered and that no part of this development is violating the rights of the easement holder.
- 24. The developer's subsequent application for permits upon receipt of these conditions of approval constitutes the developer's understanding and acceptance of the conditions of approval for this development.
- 25. This conditional approval is not to be construed as all-encompassing of the applicable rules, regulations, etc. which must be complied with for any development. Other regulations, such as building, environmental, health and so forth, may govern the specific development. The developer is the responsible party to ensure full compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local regulations.

Other Relevant Conditions:

26. This conditional approval is contingent upon continued compliance with the County's Subdivision and Development Ordinance and Zoning Ordinance, and the conditions set forth in the Special Use Permit. Development of the property must comply with all applicable local, state and federal laws and ordinances.

Issued by:	
David B. Moon, AICP, CZO	 Date

The above Special Use Conditions are accepted by the North Carolina State Highway Patrol, at the April 18, 2024 BOA hearing, as documented by the official hearing minutes for that date.

EXHIBIT "A" OF SPECIAL USE PERMIT BOA-2024-0004 SPECIAL USE SITE PLAN

(Same as Exhibit "A" of the Staff Report)

"EXHIBIT J" APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO SPECIAL USE CRITERIA AND APPLICATON (Section 1606.C. Special Use Permits)

- 1. The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and recommended; This location will not endanger the public health or safety in its proposed locatin.
- 2. The use meets all required conditions and specifications; I believe this is a yes. Not 100% sure on what this is asking.
- 3. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; The use is for Public Safety communications
- 4. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan. This is in harmony with the current use of the land. This will actually allow the natural growth to come back in the majority of the lot since there will be no guy wire paths to maintain.

ATTACHMENT: NOTIFICATION LIST & PUBLIC HEARING LEGAL NOTICE

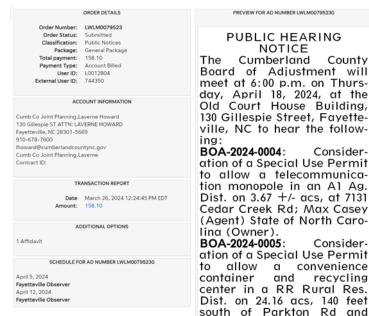
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Cumberland County Board of Adjustment will meet at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 18, 2024, at the Old Court House Building, 130 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, NC to hear the following:

BOA-2024-0004: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a telecommunication monopole in an A1 Ag. Dist. on 3.67 +/- acs, at 7131 Cedar Creek Rd; Max Casey (Agent) State of North Carolina (Owner).

BOA-2024-0005: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a convenience and recycling container center in a RR Rural Res. Dist. on 24.16 acs, 140 feet south of Parkton Rd and Brisson Rd; Smith Gardner, Inc. (Agent) NC Department of Transportation (Owner). **Publication Dates** L00000000

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ATTACHMENT: APPLICATION



County of Cumberland BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

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APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL USE PERMIT

The Cumberland County Board of Adjustment meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month in the Historic Courthouse, 130 Gillespie Street - Hearing Room 3. The Planning and Inspections Department will advertise the public hearing and a notice will be mailed or delivered to surrounding residents or property owners that may be affected by the proposed Special Use Permit request.

The Board of Adjustment is a quasi-judicial review board and all persons wishing to appear before this Board should be prepared to give sworn testimony on relevant facts. Applicants for Special Use Permits are encouraged to read Section 1606 "Special Use Permits" of the Zoning Ordinance to ensure the technical requirements of the Ordinance are met before submission to the Board of Adjustment (see next page).

The following items are to be submitted with the complete application:

- 1. A copy of the recorded deed and/or plat,
- If a portion of an existing tract, an accurate written legal description of only the area to be considered:
- 3. A copy of a detailed site plan drawn to engineering scale, showing the location of all buildings, yard dimensions, driveways, fencing, lighting parking areas, landscaping, and all other pertinent data to the case; and
- 4. Cash or check payable to "Cumberland County" in the amount of \$ (see attached Fee Schedule)

NOTE: Any revisions, inaccuracies or errors to the application or site plan may cause the case to be delayed and will be scheduled for the next available Board of Adjustment meeting according to the board's meeting schedule. Also, the application fee is nonrefundable.

The Planning and Inspections Staff is available for advice on completing this application; however, they are not available for completion of the application or preparation of the site plan.

Cumberland County BOA Special Use Permit Revised: 01-18-2013

EXCERPT FROM THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE

Section 1606 SPECIAL USE PERMIT (portion of)

B. Procedure. Special Use Permit shall be granted by the Board of Adjustment as permitted for only those uses enumerated in Section 403, Use Matrix, as Special Uses. Uses specified as a Special Use in Section 403 shall be permitted only upon the issuance of a Special Use Permit by the Board of Adjustment.

The owner or owners of all property included in the petition for a Special Use Permit shall submit a complete application and three copies of a site plan (drawn in accordance with the specifications listed in Section 1402) to the Planning and Inspections Staff. The Staff will schedule the application to be heard by the Board of Adjustment in accordance with the adopted time schedule. The Planning and Inspections Staff shall also notify the Commanders of Fort Bragg, and Pope U.S. Army Field of any application affecting the use of property located within a five miles or less of the perimeter boundary of said bases in accordance with the N.C. Gen. Stat §153A-323.

Developers are encouraged to discuss their Special use plans with the Planning and Inspections Staff before submission. The Staff shall assist the developer upon request by reviewing Special use plans to insure that the technical requirements of this Ordinance are met before submission to the Board of Adjustment.

All applications and site plans shall provide information indicating compliance with the development standards for individual uses as listed in Article IX of this Ordinance, as applicable, and the height and area regulations for the zoning district in which they are located, unless the provisions for the Special Use provide to the contrary.

- C. Consideration of Application. The Board of Adjustment shall consider the application, site plan and any other evidence presented in accordance with this Article and may grant or deny the Special Use Permit requested. On granting a Special Use Permit, the Board shall find that:
 - The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and recommended;
 - The use meets all required conditions and specifications;
 - 3. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; and
 - 4. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Any special use permit granted becomes null and void if not exercised within the time specified in such approvals, or if no date is specified within one calendar year from the date of such approval.

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BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

LOCA	TION OF PROPERTY: 7131 Cedar Creek Road 3.67 ACS JESSUP LD
OWNE	R: State of North Carolina
ADDR	ESS: 116 W Jones Street, Raleigh, NC ZIP CODE: 27603
TELEP	PHONE: HOME WORK
AGEN'	T: Max Casey
ADDR	ESS: 3318 Garner Road, Raleigh, NC 27610
TELEP	PHONE: HOME WORK (984) 349-6912
E-MAI	L: max.casey@ncshp.gov
	APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL USE PERMIT As required by the Zoning Ordinance
	Parcel Identification Number (PIN #) of subject property: <u>0482-01-4995</u> (also known as Tax ID Number or Property Tax ID)
B.	Acreage: 3.67 Frontage: 400 Depth: 400
C.	Water Provider: N/A
D.	Septage Provider: N/A
	Deed Book 2618, Page(s) 809-811, Cumberland County Registry. (Attach copy of deed of subject property as it appears in Registry).
F.	Existing use of property: EXEMPTION DESC GX-GOV/STAT/LOCAL-EX
	Existing telecommunications facility
	It is proposed that the property will be put to the following use: (Describe proposed use/activity in detail including hours of operation, number of employees, signage, parking, landscaping, etc.) No change to existing usage. Scope is to replace
	existing telecommunications infrastructure (compound, tower, shelter, generator
	and propane tanks) with new telecommunications infrastructure (compound,
	tower, shelter, generator and propane tank) to preserve the existing coverage
	objectives for the telecommunications facility and provide long term solution
	to improve upon coverage objectives in Cumberland County

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petitioner or assigns, and the application as submitted is accurate and correct. State of North Carolina NAME OF OWNER(S) (PRINT OR TYPE) 116 W Jones Street, Raleigh, NC, 27603 ADDRESS OF OWNER(S) E-MAIL HOME TELEPHONE # WORK TELEPHONE # Max Casey NAME OF AGENT, ATTORNEY, APPLICANT (PRINT OR TYPE) 3318 Garner Road, Raleigh, NC 27610 ADDRESS OF AGENT, ATTORNEY, APPLICANT max.casey@ncshp.gov E-MAIL (984) 349-6912 HOME TELEPHONE # WORK TELEPHONE # SIGNATURE OF AGENT, ATTORNEY SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S) SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S)

The undersigned hereby acknowledge that the County Planning Staff has conferred with the

The contents of this application, upon submission, become "public record."

STATEMENT OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Regarding appearance before the Board of Adjustment, the undersigned owner(s), agents, or their assigns, by virtue of their signature(s) to this application, hereby acknowledge the following:

- That although appearance before the board is not required, it is strongly encouraged;
- The board will hear any and all argument for and against this matter before them and such relevant facts will be given under sworn testimony;
- At the public hearing the board has the authority to approve, deny, or defer the request for additional information to be provided;
- If the petitioner or their representative for this application does not appear personally before the board, whether there is opposition or not, the board has full authority to consider the case.
- If the board's decision is to deny the matter before them, the aggrieved party shall file a "Notice to Intent to Appeal" with the Planning & Inspections Staff on the next business day following the meeting in which the board's decision was made final, or the next business day following receipt of the written copy thereof.
- Any petition for review by Superior Court shall be file with the Clerk of Superior Court within 30 days after the decision of the board is made final.

Signed acknowledgment that the Planning and Inspections Staff has explained the application process and procedures regarding this request and the public hearing procedure stated above.

SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S)

PRINTED NAME OF OWNER(S) MAX L. A ASEY

DATE 14 Mar 2024

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PLANNING STAFF REPORT

SPECIAL USE CASE # BOA-2024-0005 Board of Adjustment Meeting: April 18, 2024

Jurisdiction: County-Unincorporated

REQUEST

Special Use – Convenience Container and Recycling Facility in an RR District

Applicant requests the BOA grant a Special Use Permit for constructing a Convenience Center and Recycling Facility at a location illustrated on Exhibit "A". The proposed project, called the "Parkton Solid Waste Convenience Center and Recycling Facility" would be located on approximately 24.16 +/- acre size parcel owned by the North Carolina Department of Transportation being leased to Cumberland County Solid Waste Management. This property is located near the intersection of Brisson Rd and Parkton Rd.

A Convenience Container and Recycling Facility within an RR residential zoning district must obtain a Special Use approval

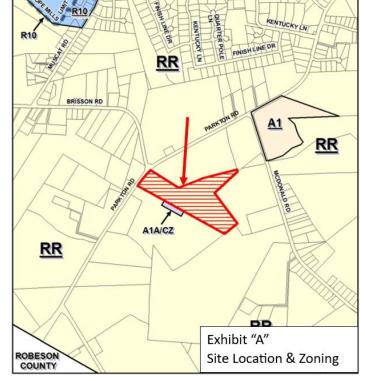
from the Board of Adjustment, per Section 403, County Zoning Code, as shown in Exhibit "B" (attached). A Convenience Container and Recycling Facility in an RR zoning district must comply with the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 901 and 905.1 of the Zoning Code, including submittal of a site plan. Refer to Exhibit "C" and "D" (attached) for the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 901 and 905.1. The applicant's proposed special use site plan appears in Exhibit "E" (attached).

A Convenience Container and Recycling Facility within an RR residential zoning district must obtain a Special Use approval from the Board of Adjustment, per Section 403, County Zoning Code, as shown in Exhibit "B" (attached). The proposal falls under the Use Matrix category of "Convenience Container and Recycling Facility". The use must comply with the development standards and requirements set forth in Section 905.1 of the Zoning Code, including submittal of a site plan.

Exhibits

- A. Site Location/Zoning
- B. Use Matrix, Sec. 403, Zoning Code
- C. Section 901, Individual Uses
- D. Section 927 Towers
- E. Special Use Site Plan
- F. Existing and Adjacent Uses
- G. Soil and Utilities
- H. Southwest Cumberland Land Use Plan
- I. Special Use Permit Conditions
- J. Sec. 1606 Applicant Response

Attachment: mailing list.



The applicant's proposed special use site plan appears in Exhibit "E" (attached).

PROJECT INFORMATION

Proposed use of the 24.16 +/- site is for a convenience container and recycling facility that will be operated by the Cumberland County Solid Waste Department. The container and recycling facility will occupy approximately 5.6 +/- acres along Parkton Road while the remainder of the developable acres outsider of wetlands will be used for storage areas associated with the Solid Waste Department operations. Layout of the container and recycling facility is illustrated in the Special Use Site Plan appearing in Exhibit "E".

PROPERTY INFORMATION

OWNER/APPLICANT: North Carolina Department of Transportation, Current Owner; Stacey Smith and Amanda Bader, Agent; Cumberland County Solid Waste Management, Applicant.

ADDRESS/LOCATION: Located south of the intersection of Brisson Rd and Parkton Rd.

REID: 0402999824000

SIZE: 24.16 +/- acres.

ROAD FRONTAGE: The subject property road frontage along Park Road is 400 +/- linear feet.

EXISTING LAND USE: The property is currently vacant as shown in Exhibit "F" (existing use and surrounding uses.)

SURROUNDING LAND USE: Uses in the surrounding area and adjacent properties are comprised predominantly of wooded lands and farmland. Some single-family residences are found along Parkton Road. Surrounding uses are shown on Exhibit "F".

OTHER SITE CHARACTERISTICS: The property is not located within a 100-Year Flood Zone nor situated within a watershed. There are hydric soils on the property, as shown on Exhibit "G".

MINIMUM YARD SETBACKS:

The Convenience Container and Recycling

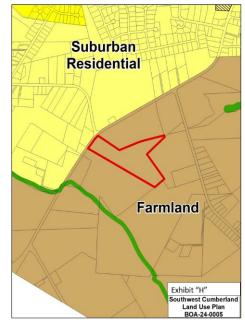
Facility would meet the required setbacks for the RR zoning district.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

This property is located in the Southwest Cumberland Land Use Plan 2013, as shown in Exhibit "H". The future land use classification of the property is Farmland. Associated Zoning districts for this classification is A1, A1A, R40, R40A.

OVERLAY DISTRICTS: None





IMPACTS ON LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE

TRAFFIC: The subject property sits at the intersection of Parkton Road and Brisson Road.

Parkton Road is identified as a minor arterial in the Metropolitan Transportation Plan. There are no roadway construction improvement projects planned and the subject property will have no significant impact on the Transportation Improvement Program. In addition, Parkton Road has a 2021 AADT of 1,200 and a road capacity of 14,200. Due to lack of data and the small scale, the new zoning request does not demand a trip generation. The new development should not generate enough traffic to significantly impact Parkton Road. Let me know if you have any questions.

Brisson Road is identified as a local road in the Metropolitan Transportation Plan. There are no roadway construction improvement projects planned and the subject property will have no significant impact on the Transportation Improvement Program. In addition, Brisson Road has a 2021 AADT of 3,000 and no road capacity data available. Due to lack of data and the small scale, the new zoning request does not demand a trip generation. The new development should not generate enough traffic to significantly impact Brisson Road.

UTILITIES: Public water and sewer services are not available. Exhibit "G" provides information on utilities available to the subject property and demonstrates that water and sewer lines are not near the site.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: The staff from the Fayetteville Economic Development Commission has reviewed the request and has no issue with the proposal.

EMERGENCY SERVICES: Cumberland County Fire Marshal's office has reviewed the request and has no comments at this time.

SPECIAL DISTRICTS: The subject property is not located within five miles of Fort Liberty Military base and is not located within or near the Fayetteville Regional Airport Overlay District.

APPLICABLE CODES

Use and development of the subject site must occur consistent with Section 905.1 of the Zoning Code, Case No. BOA-2024-0005 Site Plan (Exhibit "E"), and Special Use Conditions (Exhibit "I").

FINDINGS OF FACT

The proposed Special Use Permit is provided in Exhibit "E".

Pursuant to Section 1606.C. Special Use Permits, Consideration of Application, the Board of Adjustment must establish a finding of fact for the following criteria to approve the special use:

- 1. The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and recommended.
- 2. The use meets all required conditions and specifications.
- 3. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; and
- 4. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Applicant's response to each of these criteria are provided within Exhibit "J".

Staff finds the Special Use Site Plan to be consistent with the County Zoning Code.

MOTION

The BOA is requested to take action/motion based on the findings of fact, as supported by the Special Use Site Plan (Exhibit "E") and Special Use Conditions (Exhibit "I"). Any motion to approve the special use includes approval of the Special Use Permit conditions and the Special Use Site Plan.

Attachments: Notification Mailing List; Special Use Application

EXHIBIT "B" USE MATRIX

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EXHIBIT "C" SECTION 901, INDIVIDUAL USES

SECTION 901. DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS FOR INDIVIDUAL USES.

The development standards of this article are additional to other requirements in this ordinance. If there is a conflict with another section of this ordinance or any other Federal, State or local regulation, the most restrictive requirement shall apply. These development standards are use-specific and apply as minimum development standards for the use regardless of the type of approval or permit otherwise required by this ordinance. All non-residential uses listed within this article require site plan review and approval in accordance with Article XIV unless this article specifically requires approval of a Special Use Permit or Conditional Zoning District. Those uses requiring approval as a Special Use Permit (Section 1606) or a Conditional Zoning District (Article V) shall also be subject to these standards and any additional standards or conditions required by the approval.

(Amd. 11-20-06; 04-18-11)

In addition to the specific criteria listed for each use, the following are to be considered as minimum criteria for every non-residential use:

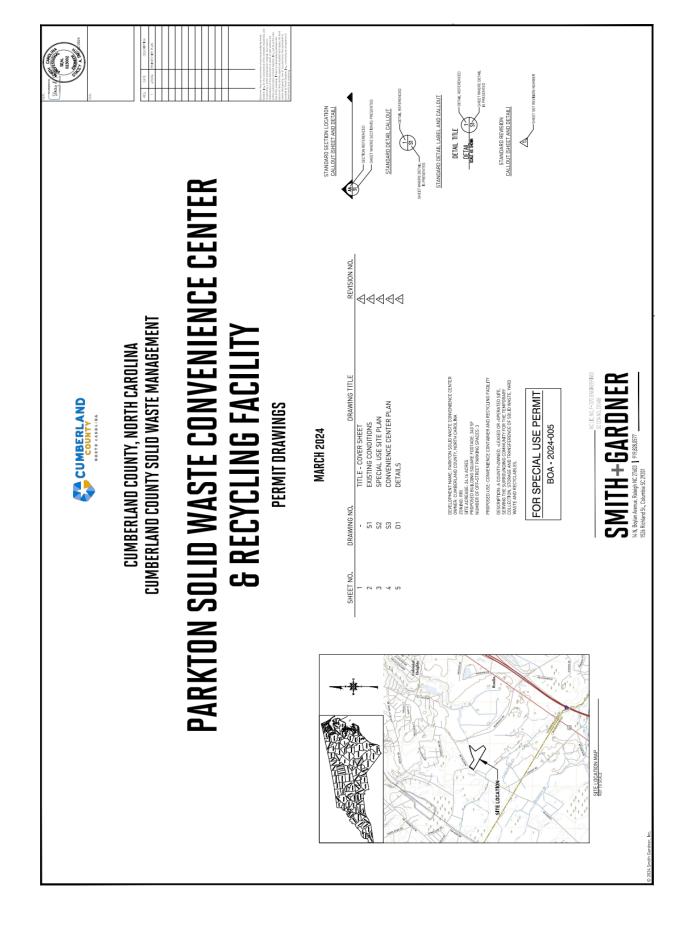
- A. All parking and loading areas shall comply with the minimum provisions established in Article XII, Off-Street Parking and Loading;
 - B. All lighting shall be directed internally and shall comply with Section 1102.M;
- C. Noise generated by any use shall not substantially or detrimentally affect the ability of surrounding property owners to reasonably enjoy the use of their properties and shall not contradict those standards of Chapter 9.5, Cumberland County Code, Article II, entitled: "Noise" (Noise Ordinance);
- D. When any non-residential use is adjacent to residentially zoned properties, a screening buffer shall be provided in accordance with Section 1102.G of this ordinance; (Amd. 01-19-10; Amd. 06-18-12)
- E. Unless otherwise specified within these individual sections, all signage shall be in compliance with Article XIII, Sign Regulations, for the specific district in which the subject property is located;
- F. All new non-residential development shall comply with the landscaping provisions of Section 1102.N; and
- G. Compliance with all Federal, State, and local regulations, including the County Subdivision Ordinance, is mandatory.

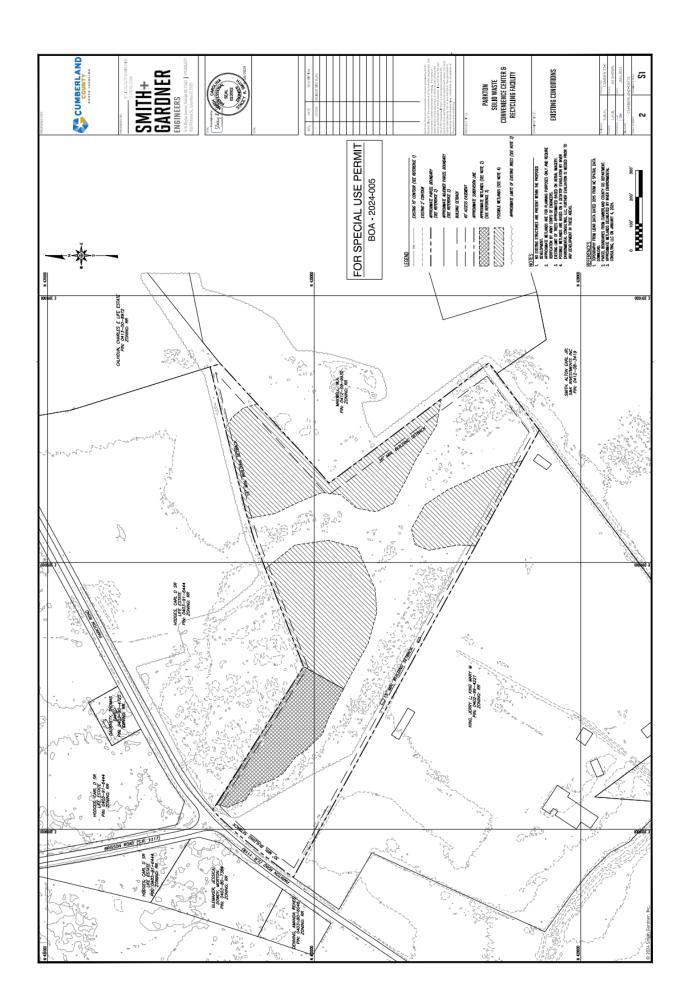
EXHIBIT "D" SECTION 905.1, ZONING CODE

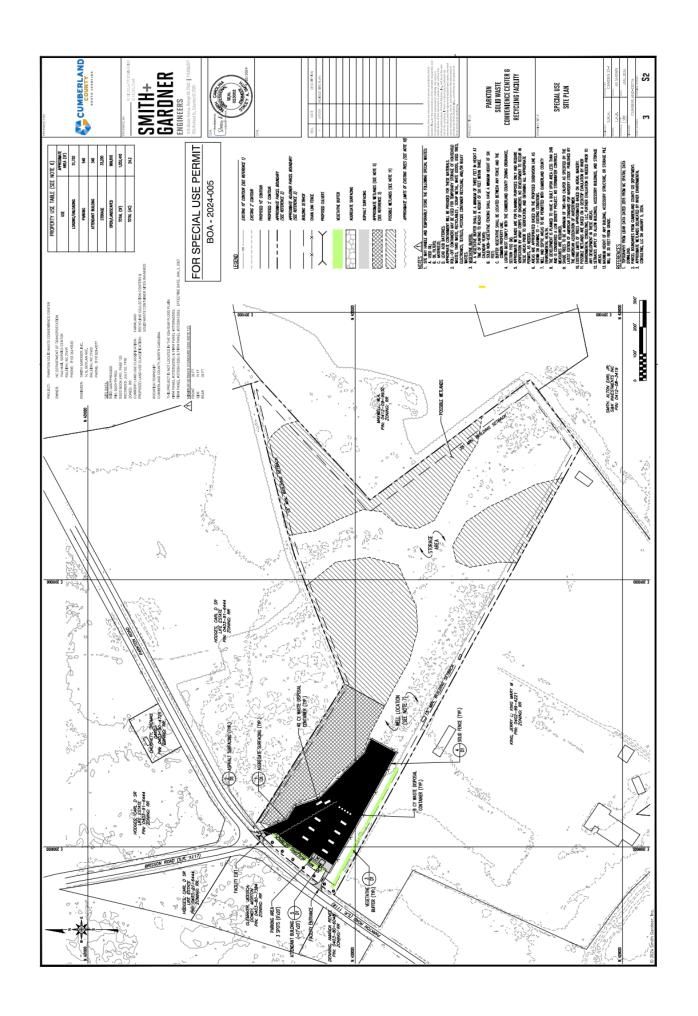
SECTION 905.1 CONVENIENCE CONTAINER AND RECYCLING FACILITY

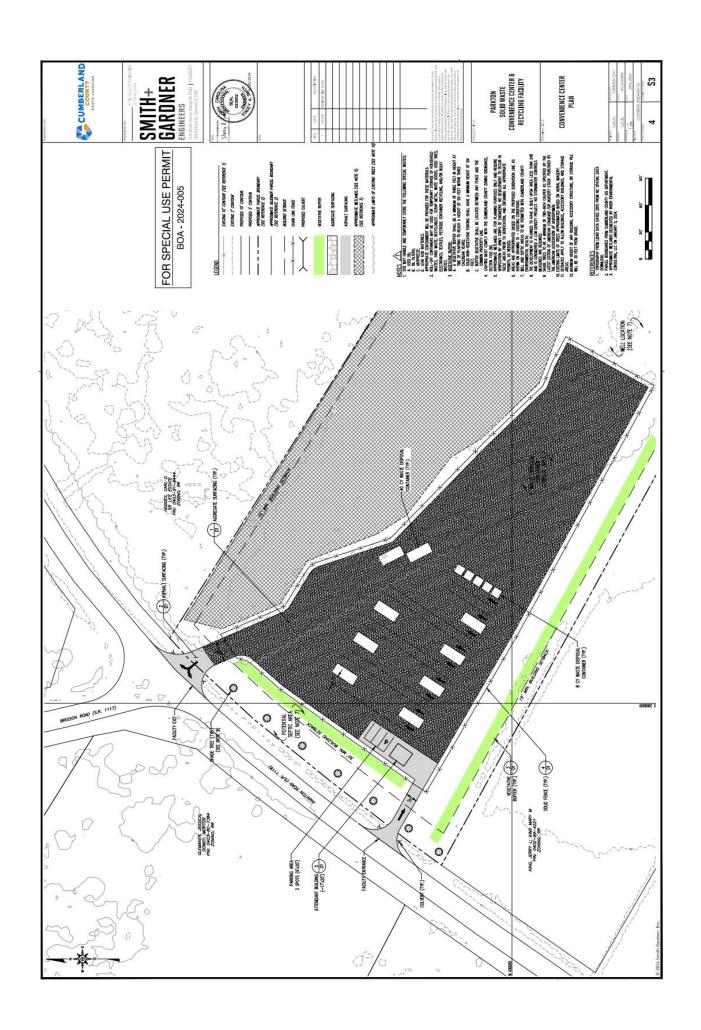
- A. Material shall not be stored outside of appropriate waste containers, and all such containers shall be located on a solid impervious surface such as concrete pads.
- B. All structures on the site shall comply with the dimensional requirements for the zoning district in which the facility is to be located.
 - C. The site shall be maintained to prevent odors, rodents and any other nuisances.
 - D. The site shall have direct access to a paved public street.
- E. Access roads leading to any part of the operation shall be constructed in such a manner as to not impede traffic on any public or private street and shall be paved or constructed with gravel or crushed stone surface and maintained in a dust-free manner.
- F. All environmental health rules and regulations, including Federal and State laws, shall be complied with.
- G. Site obscuring buffers shall be provided in accordance with the provisions of Section 1102.G and are not included in the exemptions under Section 1102.G.2 (Amd. 03-17-09)

EXHIBIT "E" SPECIAL USE SITE PLAN









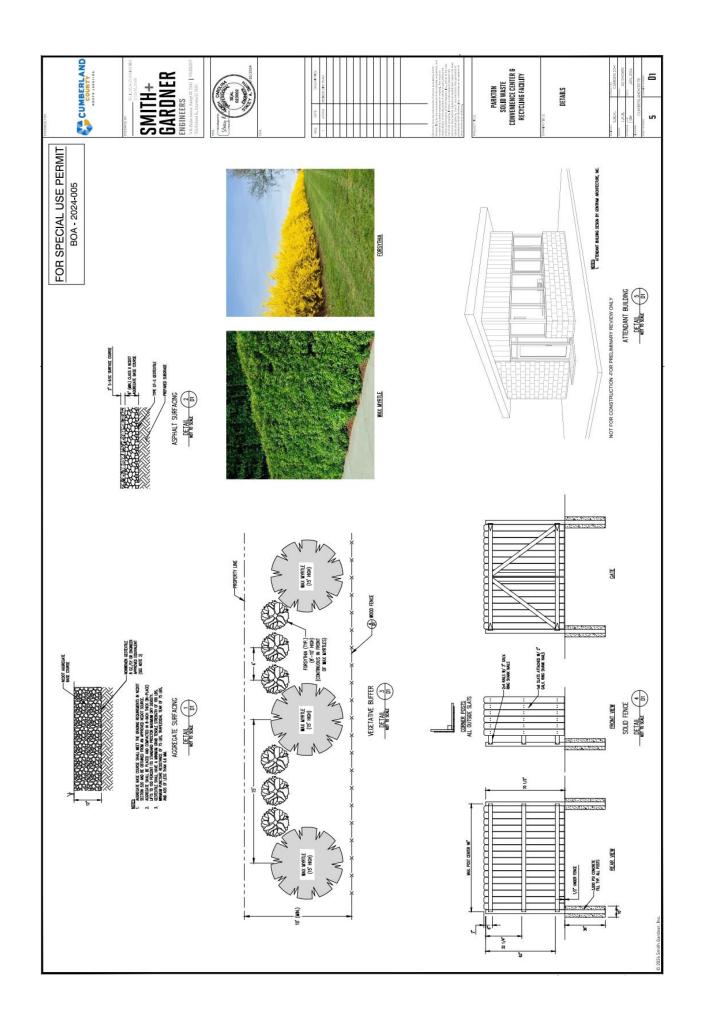


EXHIBIT "I" SPECIAL USE PERMIT BOA-2024-0005

Special Use Permit Conditions

Special Use Permit-Board of Adjustment

(Convenience Container and Recycling Facility Special Use Permit and Site Plan)
Ordinance Related Conditions

BOA-2024-0005: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to construct a Convenience Container and Recycling Facility in an RR Residential District on a 24.16 +/- acre parcel owned by the North Carolina Department of Transportation, located near the intersection of Brisson Rd and Parkton Rd with REID#: 0402999824000. Submitted by Stacey Smith(agent) on behalf of the Cumberland County Solid Waste Management Department (applicant).

The Special Use Permit requested is approved subject to the contents of the application, site plan appearing in Exhibit "A" and the following conditions:

Applicability: This Special Use Permit shall only apply to a 24.16 +/- acre parcel at REID#: 0402999824000 (as shown in the record of the Cumberland County Register of Deeds as of April 2, 2024) on which the North Carolina Department of Transportation owns as shown on the of the attached Special Use Site Plan (Exhibit "A"). Allowed uses for the site shall be those described within the Special Use Site Plan (Sheet No. 3) for both regular operations of the County Solid Waste disposal program and times of emergencies declared by the Board of County Commissioners or the State of North Carolina. Other allowed uses include temporary storage of construction materials, dead trees and vegetation and related debris, storm debris,

Pre-Permit:

Applicant shall submit a site plan and landscape plan to the Current Planning Section prior to any construction activity, including clearing and grading, demonstrating compliance with the requirements and information required herein in this. No activity on the site shall occur until a final site plan has been approved by the Current Planning Section.

Permit-Related:

- The owner/developer(s) of these lots must obtain detailed instruction on provisions of the County Zoning Code and permits required to place any structure within this development from the County Code Enforcement Section, at the Historic Courthouse at 130 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, N.C. For additional information, the developer should contact the Code Enforcement Section. (Chpt. 4, County Code & Sec. 107, County Zoning Ord.)
- 2. The developer must provide a site-specific address and tax parcel number at the time of building/zoning permit application. [Sec. 4-8(b)(2), County Code].
- 3. The building final inspection cannot be accomplished until a Code Enforcement Officer inspects the site and certifies that the site is developed in accordance with the approved plans. (Sec. 107.B, County Zoning Ord.; & Secs. 2005 & 2007 County Subdivision Ord.)

Site-Related:

1. Use and development of the site shall occur consistent with the Special Use Permit and the Special Use Site Plan provided in Exhibit "A" and shall be in conformance with the zoning and subdivision ordinances adopted by Cumberland County. If any inconsistency or conflict occurs between this

Special Use Permit and County Zoning or Subdivision Ordinances, the Special Use Permit shall supersede.

2. Buildings, accessory buildings, containers, storage materials, and debris shall comply with the following minimum setback standards:

Front (along Parkton Rd.) -- 30 feet Side yard -- 15 feet Rear yard -- 35 feet

- 3. Maximum height of any building, accessory building, storage containers, or storage debris piles shall be thirty (30') feet as measured from grade.
- 4. Location of the convenience container center and recycling facility shall be limited to the area generally highlighted in black on Sheet No. 3 of the Special Use Site Plan and limited to no more than 5.6 acres. Material within this area shall not be stored outside of appropriate waste containers, and all such containers shall be located on a solid impervious surface such as concrete pads. All areas shown on the Special Use Site Plan as "temporary storage" (i.e., outside the convenience container center) shall only be used for the temporary outdoor storage of vegetative and tree debris as well as temporary outdoor storage of debris created from declared emergencies.
- 5. Erosion and sediment controls shall be installed as required by the regulations of the State of North Carolina and/or the County (Cumberland), as are from time to time amended. In compliance with or addition to any state or local law requirements, each owner shall be required to provide adequate drainage facilities, including on-site controls which shall be at least sufficient to accommodate the estimated change in rate of stormwater runoff for the ten-year storm resulting from the placement of buildings and parking areas, and shall be discharged in a manner consistent with commonly accepted engineering practices.
- 6. Plans and specifications for the installation, and alteration, and illumination of all outdoor signs shall be consistent with the County Zoning Ordinance and sign permits must be obtained from the County Department of Planning & Inspections.
- 7. Any connections of drains and sewers to public sewers shall be made in accordance with local and state regulations.
- 8. All secondary telephone and electrical service lines shall be underground between the primary lines and structures or buildings erected on any site developed within the Center.
- 9. The 5.6+/- acre area of the site that occupies the convenience container and recycling facility is subject to the requirements of section 905.1 of the County Zoning Ordinance, Convenience Container and Recycling Facility.
- 10. Within the 5.6 +/- acre convenience container and recycling facility area, debris shall not be stored outside of appropriate waste containers, and all such containers shall be located on a solid impervious surface such as concrete pads.
- 11. All structures on the site shall comply with the dimensional requirements for the zoning district in which the facility is to be located as demonstrated on the site plan.
- 12. The site shall be maintained to prevent odors, rodents, and any other nuisances.
- 13. The site shall have direct access to a paved public street as demonstrated on the special use site plan.

- 14. Access roads leading to any part of the operation shall be constructed in such a manner as to not impede traffic on any public or private street and shall be paved or constructed with gravel or crushed stone surface and maintained in a dust-free manner and meets State Fire Code requirements.
- 15. All environmental health rules and regulations, including Federal and State laws, shall be complied with.
- 16. Site obscuring buffers shall be provided and maintained in accordance with the provisions of Section 1102.G and are not included in the exemptions under Section 1102.G.2. All perimeter vegetative buffers, landscaping, and screen fencing shall be installed and all plantings in place prior to operation of the Convenience Container and Recycling Center.
- 17. All lighting installed shall comply with all provisions of Section 1102.M., of the County Zoning Ordinance.
- 18. Prior to permit application, the developer must provide to the Code Enforcement Section documentation of NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) approval of the Sedimentation and Erosion control plan for this project. NCDEQ requires a Sedimentation and Erosion control plan be submitted and approved 30 days prior to land disturbing activities if said land disturbing activity will exceed one acre.
 - If a plan is not required, per 15ANCAC 04B.0105 "Person conducting land disturbing activity shall take all reasonable measures to protect public and private property from damage cause by such activities." Sedimentation and erosion control measures will need to be installed to protect adjacent properties. [Sec. 4-8(b)(6), County Code; originally under County jurisdiction relinquished to NCDEQ around 2000]
- 19. For any new development, an adequate drainage system must be installed by the developer in accordance with the NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) Manual on Best Management Practices and all drainage ways must be kept clean and free of debris. (Section 2307.A, County Subdivision Ord.)
- 20. In the event a stormwater utility structure is required by the NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ), the owner/developer must secure the structure with a four-foot-high fence with a lockable gate and is required to maintain the detention/retention basin, keeping it clear of debris and taking measures for the prevention of insect and rodent infestation. (Sec. 1102.O, County Zoning Ord.)
- 21. New development where the developer will disturb or intends to disturb more than one acre of land is subject to the Post-Construction Stormwater Management Permitting Program (Phase II Stormwater Management Requirements) administered by the Department of Energy, Minerals and Land Resources, NC Department of Environmental Quality (DEMLR NCDEQ). If one acre or more of land is to be disturbed, a copy of the State's Post-Construction Permit must be provided to County Code Enforcement prior to the issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy.
- 22. Wetlands shall be protected pursuant to NC Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) standards, and no wetlands shall be encroached or filled unless otherwise authorized by the NCDEQ.

23. Driveway Permit required.

Site plan should depict the proposed geometrics for the proposed ingress and egress driveways.

Change of use of subject properties and/or construction of any new connection or alteration of any existing connection shall require an approved Driveway Permit.

Failure to secure required permits prior to construction or change in property usage may result in the removal of the driveway or street connections at the property owner's/developer's expense.

In the event that a structure (house) is built by a contractor for commercial gain and/or if property changes ownership from existing owner to builder, an approved Driveway Permit must be secured.

For additional information contact the Division 6 / District 2 office.

- 24. If any right-of-way dedication is required by NCDOT, a recorded plat referenced above shall identify any such right-of-way dedication and sight distance easements. (Sec. 2402, County Subdivision Ord.)
- 25. NC Department of Environmental Health applications for permits for septic and well shall be obtained.
- 26. That site and soil evaluations be conducted on the property by the County Environmental Health Department. Note: All Health Department requirements shall be met prior to issuance of final permits. Environmental Health septic permit shall be written before the lots can be approved to support residences/buildings. Note-application for permit does not ensure that a permit can be written.
- 27. The County Health Department must approve water plans if not connected to central water system. Property not served by public water system is required to be large enough and of such physical character to comply with the Health Department's minimum standards. A copy of the Health Department approval must be provided to Code Enforcement. (Note: All Health Department requirements must be met prior to issuance of final permits.) (Sec. 2306A, County Subdivision Ord. & Sec. 1101.E, County Zoning Ord.)
 - Authorization for wastewater system construction required before other permits to be issued. The County Health Department must approve sewer plans. Lots not served by public sewer systems are required to be large enough and of such physical character to comply with the Health Department's minimum standards. Site and soil evaluations must be conducted on the property by the County Environmental Health Department. A copy of the Health Department approval must be provided to Code Enforcement. (Note: All Health Department requirements must be met prior to issuance of final permits.) (NCGS § 130A-338 &Sec. 2306 A, County Subdivision Ord. & Sec. 1101.E, County Zoning Ord.)
- 28. Ensure all applicable fire department access requirements are met in accordance with Section 503 of the 2018 NC Fire Code. Submit building plans to scale for any new construction and/or building renovation.

Expiration Date.

This special use expires two years from the date the County Board of Adjustment approves the Special Permit No. BOA-2024-0005 if no activity proceeds in good faith to commence the special use. The Board of Adjustment may approve an extension of this special use permit for up to two years if a written request for an extension is submitted at least thirty days prior to the expiration date.

Advisories:

29. Any revision or addition to this plan necessitates re-submission for review and approval. Depending on the substantiality, such requested revisions or additions may require either Board of Adjustment approval or the Planning & Inspections Department administrative approval prior to the commencement of the change.

- 30. The owner/developer is responsible for ensuring easements which may exist on the subject property are accounted for, not encumbered and that no part of this development is violating the rights of the easement holder.
- 31. The developer's subsequent application for permits upon receipt of these conditions of approval constitutes the developer's understanding and acceptance of the conditions of approval for this development.
- 32. This conditional approval is not to be construed as all-encompassing of the applicable rules, regulations, etc. which must be complied with for any development. Other regulations, such as building, environmental, health and so forth, may govern the specific development. The developer is the responsible party to ensure full compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local regulations.

Other Relevant Conditions:

33. This conditional approval is not to be construed as all-encompassing of the applicable rules, regulations etc., which must be complied with for any development. Other regulations, such as building, environmental, health, and so forth, may govern specific development. The developer is the responsible party to ensure full compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local regulations.

Issued by:	
David B. Moon, AICP, CZO	 Date
Deputy Director, Dept. of Planning and Inspections	

The above Special Use Conditions are accepted by the Cumberland County Solid Waste Management, at the April 18, 2024 BOA hearing, as documented by the official hearing minutes for that date.

EXHIBIT "A" OF SPECIAL USE PERMIT BOA-2024-0005 SPECIAL USE SITE PLAN

(Same as Exhibit "E" of the Staff Report)

"EXHIBIT J"

APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO SPECIAL USE CRITERIA AND APPLICATION

(Section 1606.C. Special Use Permits)

Special Use Findings

We offer findings of the information presented herein demonstrate:

A. The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted;

The Facility is designed and will be operated to not materially endanger the public health or safety. Fencing will be used to prevent unauthorized site access outside of operating hours. During operating hours, a site attendant is present to assist customers in proper disposal of waste items. Waste will be removed from the Facility and disposed of at a permitted disposal location once containers are filled to minimize the potential of disease or environmental impacts.

B. The use meets all required conditions and specifications;

A Site Plan by Smith Gardner Inc. has been prepared to demonstrate compliance with buffers, setbacks, and other restrictions as required.

C. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity;

A value appraisal has been prepared by Kirkland Land Appraisers (Kirkland) that evaluated the proposed land use and potential impacts to surrounding properties. Kirkland reviewed several existing convenience centers, and any impacts to land values of adjoining property. It was determined the proposed use is in harmony with the surrounding area and will not have a negative impact on the adjoining property values, see Exhibit 5. Additionally, the proposed facility provides a needed service to Cumberland County residents in the surrounding area by providing them proper disposal options.

D. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

The facility will:

- operate Monday through Saturday with varying hours ranging from between 7 am to 6 pm:
- be screened from view through existing/proposed vegetation and fencing, as required, and will not become a visual eyesore;
- experience minimal noise due to facility size and should be generally consistent with surrounding farm operations;
- comply with the Cumberland County development ordinances and will be protective
 of health and the environment.

ATTACHMENT: NOTIFICATION LIST & PUBLIC HEARING LEGAL NOTICE

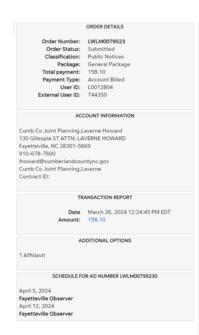
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PREVIEW FOR AD NUMBER LWLM00795230

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Cumberland County Board of Adjustment will meet at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 18, 2024, at the Old Court House Building, 130 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, NC to hear the following:

BOA-2024-0004: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a telecommunication monopole in an A1 Ag. Dist. on 3.67 +/- acs, at 7131 Cedar Creek Rd; Max Casey (Agent) State of North Carolina (Owner).

BOA-2024-0005: Consideration of a Special Use Permit to allow a convenience container and recycling center in a RR Rural Res. Dist. on 24.16 acs, 140 feet south of Parkton Rd and Brisson Rd; Smith Gardner, Inc. (Agent) NC Department of Transportation (Owner). Publication Dates L00000000

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ATTACHMENT: APPLICATION



County of Cumberland BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

CASE #:
CUMBERLAND COUNTY BOA MEETING DATE:
DATE APPLICATION SUBMITTED:
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RECEIVED BY:

APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL USE PERMIT

The Cumberland County Board of Adjustment meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month in the Historic Courthouse, 130 Gillespie Street - Hearing Room 3. The Planning and Inspections Department will advertise the public hearing and a notice will be mailed or delivered to surrounding residents or property owners that may be affected by the proposed Special Use Permit request.

The Board of Adjustment is a quasi-judicial review board and all persons wishing to appear before this Board should be prepared to give sworn testimony on relevant facts. Applicants for Special Use Permits are encouraged to read Section 1606 "Special Use Permits" of the Zoning Ordinance to ensure the technical requirements of the Ordinance are met before submission to the Board of Adjustment (see next page).

The following items are to be submitted with the complete application:

- 1. A copy of the recorded deed and/or plat,
- If a portion of an existing tract, an accurate written legal description of only the area to be considered:
- 3. A copy of a detailed site plan drawn to engineering scale, showing the location of all buildings, yard dimensions, driveways, fencing, lighting parking areas, landscaping, and all other pertinent data to the case; and
- 4. Cash or check payable to "Cumberland County" in the amount of \$ (see attached Fee Schedule)

NOTE: Any revisions, inaccuracies or errors to the application or site plan may cause the case to be delayed and will be scheduled for the next available Board of Adjustment meeting according to the board's meeting schedule. Also, the application fee is nonrefundable.

The Planning and Inspections Staff is available for advice on completing this application; however, they are not available for completion of the application or preparation of the site plan.

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EXCERPT FROM THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE

Section 1606 SPECIAL USE PERMIT (portion of)

B. Procedure. Special Use Permit shall be granted by the Board of Adjustment as permitted for only those uses enumerated in Section 403, Use Matrix, as Special Uses. Uses specified as a Special Use in Section 403 shall be permitted only upon the issuance of a Special Use Permit by the Board of Adjustment.

The owner or owners of all property included in the petition for a Special Use Permit shall submit a complete application and three copies of a site plan (drawn in accordance with the specifications listed in Section 1402) to the Planning and Inspections Staff. The Staff will schedule the application to be heard by the Board of Adjustment in accordance with the adopted time schedule. The Planning and Inspections Staff shall also notify the Commanders of Fort Bragg, and Pope U.S. Army Field of any application affecting the use of property located within a five miles or less of the perimeter boundary of said bases in accordance with the N.C. Gen. Stat §153A-323.

Developers are encouraged to discuss their Special use plans with the Planning and Inspections Staff before submission. The Staff shall assist the developer upon request by reviewing Special use plans to insure that the technical requirements of this Ordinance are met before submission to the Board of Adjustment.

All applications and site plans shall provide information indicating compliance with the development standards for individual uses as listed in Article IX of this Ordinance, as applicable, and the height and area regulations for the zoning district in which they are located, unless the provisions for the Special Use provide to the contrary.

- C. Consideration of Application. The Board of Adjustment shall consider the application, site plan and any other evidence presented in accordance with this Article and may grant or deny the Special Use Permit requested. On granting a Special Use Permit, the Board shall find that:
 - The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety if located according to the plan submitted and recommended;
 - The use meets all required conditions and specifications;
 - 3. The use will maintain or enhance the value of adjoining or abutting properties, or that the use is a public necessity; and
 - 4. The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and recommended, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and is in general conformity with the Cumberland County's most recent Comprehensive Land Use Plan.

Any special use permit granted becomes null and void if not exercised within the time specified in such approvals, or if no date is specified within one calendar year from the date of such approval.

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BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

LOCA	TION OF PROPERTY:	Intersection of Parkton Ro	ad and Brisson Road
OWNE	ER: North Carolina De	partment of Transportation	
ADDR	RESS: 1546 Mail Service	e Center, Raleigh, NC	ZIP CODE: 27699
	PHONE: HOME N/A		(910) 364-0605
AGEN	T: Stacey A Smith, P.	E .	
ADDR	RESS: 14 N. Boylan Av	ve, Raleigh, NC 27603	
		WORK	(919) 828-0577
	IL: Stacey@smithgar		
	As	ATION FOR A SPECIAL Urequired by the Zoning Ord	linance
A.	Parcel Identification Nu (also known as Tax ID)	mber (PIN #) of subject prope Number or Property Tax ID)	rty: 0402999824
B.	Acreage: 24.16	Frontage: 400	Depth: 1,910
C.	Water Provider: Well		
D.	Septage Provider: Sep	tic	
E.	Deed Book 4901 Registry. (Attach copy of	, Page(s) 125 of deed of subject property as i	, Cumberland County t appears in Registry).
F.	Existing use of property	: Vacant	
G.		ncluding hours of operation	following use: (Describe proposed , number of employees, signage,
	Cumberland County S	Solid Waste Department int	ends to construct a convenience
	container and recyclin	ng facility, further discussion	is provided in the attached
	statement of intent.		

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The undersigned hereby acknowledge that the County Planning Staff has conferred with the petitioner or assigns, and the application as submitted is accurate and correct. North Carolina Department of Transporation NAME OF OWNER(S) (PRINT OR TYPE) 558 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, NC 28301 ADDRESS OF OWNER(S) wljernigan@ncdot.gov E-MAIL 910-364-0600 HOME TELEPHONE # WORK TELEPHONE # Amanda L. Bader Cumberland County Solid Waste NAME OF AGENT, ATTORNEY, APPLICANT (PRINT OR TYPE) General Manager of Natural Resources ADDRESS OF AGENT, ATTORNEY, APPLICANT abader@cumberlandcountync.gov E-MAIL 910-438-4041 HOME TELEPHONE # WORK TELEPHONE # DocuSigned by: SIGNATURE OF AGENT, ATTORNEY SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S) OR APPLICANT

The contents of this application, upon submission, become "public record."

SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S)

STATEMENT OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Regarding appearance before the Board of Adjustment, the undersigned owner(s), agents, or their assigns, by virtue of their signature(s) to this application, hereby acknowledge the following:

- > That although appearance before the board is not required, it is strongly encouraged;
- The board will hear any and all argument for and against this matter before them and such relevant facts will be given under sworn testimony;
- At the public hearing the board has the authority to approve, deny, or defer the request for additional information to be provided;
- If the petitioner or their representative for this application does not appear personally before the board, whether there is opposition or not, the board has full authority to consider the case.
- > If the board's decision is to deny the matter before them, the aggrieved party shall file a "Notice to Intent to Appeal" with the Planning & Inspections Staff on the next business day following the meeting in which the board's decision was made final, or the next business day following receipt of the written copy thereof.
- Any petition for review by Superior Court shall be file with the Clerk of Superior Court within 30 days after the decision of the board is made final.

Signed acknowledgment that the Planning and Inspections Staff has explained the application process and procedures regarding this request and the public hearing procedure stated above.

SIGNATURE OF C	OWNER(S)	a RAHN J	FOR 1	VM	Jary	
PRINTED NAME (OF OWNER(S)	Lee P. Hime	s,Jr.	FOR	W. LEE	Ferniyan
DATE 03.15.	2024					

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