

Planning & Zoning Community Development Conservation Commission

**Historic District Commission** 

## PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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## NOTICE OF DECISION

December 9, 2010

Mary T. Fowler Revocable Trust 996 Salmon Falls Road Rochester, NH 03868

RE: 2-lot subdivision

Dear applicant:

This is to inform you that the Rochester Planning Board at its December 6, 2010 meeting **APPROVED** your application referenced above. Case # 241-10-A-10

"Applicant", herein, refers to the property owner, business owner, individual(s), or organization submitting this application and to his/her/its agents, successors, and assigns.			
Precedent Conditions [Office use only.	Date certified:	ROD received?	1

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

Please note\* If all of the precedent conditions are not met within 6 calendar months to the day of the board's approval - by June 6, 2011 - the board's approval will be considered to have lapsed and resubmission of the application will be required. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant (or his/her agent) to ensure that these conditions are met by this deadline. We urge the applicant to carefully track his/her progress in meeting the individual conditions. See RSA 674:39 on vesting.

- 1) The plan drawings are to be modified as follows:
  - a) label the wetland buffer on the new lot.
  - b) show the driveway for the new lot coming off the existing easement immediately adjacent to the new lot
- 2) Add the following notes (or equivalent) to the plan drawings:

- a) "The proposed street address for lot 241-10-1 is 1090 Salmon Falls Road."
- b) "All utilities must be underground, including utilities extended onto the site from existing poles near the site. However, if the only pole nearby is across the street, one additional pole may be placed on/near the property to allow for overhead extension of wires across the street. All utilities extending from any such new pole must be underground. The applicant may work with the City staff as appropriate to address this requirement."
- c) "There is a 50 foot buffer requirement from wetlands under the City of Rochester Zoning Ordinance as shown on this plan. There may be no encroachment within these buffers except as permitted under the ordinance." This notation (or a reference to this notation) must be placed prominently on each affected lot.
- d) "The applicant shall obtain a Stormwater Management permit from the Public Works Department (unless determined to be unnecessary by the City Engineer) and follow the requirements of City Ordinance Chapter 50. The permittee shall prepare a written plan for managing stormwater that enters the construction
  - site. The permittee shall follow Best Management Practices to prevent erosion in areas where the soil has been disturbed."
- e) "The City of Rochester Subdivision Regulations requires the permanent designation of open space. The lots being subdivided from the parent parcel now shall be considered as part of any future calculation of open space requirements at such time that the parent parcel is further subdivided.
- f) "An orange construction fence must be placed alongside the wetland buffer prior to the start of construction on the new lot (this is not required if the required silt fence is orange)."
- g) "Three buffer markers must be installed along the outer edge of the wetland buffer on the new lot one each at the rear corners of the buildable area (on the left side of the power easement) and one in the middle. The markers must be installed at the time that the orange construction fence, above, is removed. The markers must be in place in order for the certificate of occupancy for that lot to be issued."
- h) "Each proposed driveway shall be placed in a location that will provide the required stopping sight distance for the posted speed limit as stipulated by the Department of Public Works."
- 3)# Set boundary markers (actually physically set in place in the field) and note on plans ("marker set" or equivalent)
- The subject property or a portion of it is presently in Current Use. The applicant must provide to the City of Rochester Assessing Department a revised current use map and/or any other items needed to assure that the requirements of RSA 79-A and the New Hampshire Department of Revenue's Administrative Rules are satisfied. We encourage you to contact the Assessing Department at 332-5109 as soon as possible to discuss with them the financial ramifications of converting current use land. It will facilitate the process for you if you contact the department well in advance of commencing the project.

- 5) All required state and federal permits including State approval of the subdivision must be obtained with copies of permits or confirmation of approvals delivered to the Planning Department.
- (a) Two sets of mylars (or one mylar and one acetate/washout; one recording mylar will be recorded at the registry and one full set will be retained by the Planning Department) plus (b) five sets of large blue-line or black-line plus (c) one set of 11"x17" final approved plans must be on file with the City. Each individual sheet in every set of drawings must be stamped and signed by the land surveyor, engineer, or architect responsible for the plans. (The applicant need only submit additional blue-line/black-line sets of drawings or individual sheets, as needed, to make five complete sets consult the Planning Department.) At the discretion of the Planning Department minor changes to drawings (as required in precedent condition, above) may be marked by hand. Note. If there are significant changes to be made to the plans, as specified above, one full size paper check print must be sent to the Planning Department for review prior to producing these final drawings. (The primary set of plans was last received November 30, 2010.)

## **General and Subsequent Conditions**

All of the conditions below are attached to this approval.

- 1)# The plat (mylar) and this notice of decision (per RSA 676:3 III) must be recorded at the Strafford County Registry of Deeds within two (2) calendar months to the date the plat is certified (e.g. if certified September 9<sup>th</sup> it must be recorded by November 9<sup>th</sup>). See RSA 478:1-a regarding plat requirements. **Failure to comply with this requirement herein shall render the subdivision null and void.**
- 2) The project must be executed exactly as specified in the approved application package unless modifications are approved by the City.
- All of the documentation submitted in the application package by the applicant and any requirements imposed by other agencies are part of this approval unless otherwise updated, revised, clarified in some manner, or superseded in full or in part. In the case of conflicting information between documents, the most recent documentation and this notice herein shall generally be determining.
- 4) It is the responsibility of the applicant to obtain all other local, state, and federal permits, licenses, and approvals which may be required as part of this project. Contact the City of Rochester Code Enforcement Department at 332-3508 regarding building permits.

(Note: in both sections above, the numbered condition marked with a # and all conditions below the # are standard conditions on all or most applications of this type).

I wish you the best of luck with your project. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Michael Behrendt Chief of Planning

cc: Norway Plains Associates

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