MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 27, 2019

TO: Montgomery County Planning Board

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SUBJECT: Informational Maps and Summary of Record Plats for the Planning Board Agenda for October 10, 2019

The following record plats are recommended for APPROVAL, subject to the appropriate conditions of approval of the preliminary plan and site plan, if applicable, and conditioned on conformance with all requirements of Chapter 50 of the Montgomery County Code. Attached are specific recommendations and copies of plan drawings for the record plat. The following plats are included:

220190720  Kensington Park
Plat Name: Kensington Park
Plat #: 220190720

Location: Located on the east side of Detrick Avenue, 300 feet north of Baltimore Street.
Master Plan Kensington Sector Plan
Plat Details: R-60 zone; 2 lots
Owner: Detrick Avenue, LLC

Staff recommends approval of this minor subdivision plat pursuant to Sections 50.7.1.C.1. and 50.7.1.A of the Subdivision Regulations, which respectively state:

C. *Consolidation.* Adjoining properties in the Rural Residential or Residential Detached zones, not developed under cluster provisions, may be combined in the following ways:

1. by consolidating 2 or more lots into a single lot, consolidating lots and an outlot into a single lot, or consolidating a lot and an abandoned road right-of-way, if:
   a. any conditions applicable to the original subdivision remain in effect;
   b. the number of trips generated on the new lot do not exceed those permitted for the original lots; and
   c. all required right-of-way dedication is provided.

2. by consolidating an existing platted lot or part of a lot that contains a legally constructed detached house, with a piece of land created as a result of a deed, if:
   a. the portion of land created by deed cannot itself be platted under the area and dimensional standards of the zone;
   b. any conditions applicable to the existing lot remain in effect on the new lot;
   c. any required road dedication is provided; and
   d. the existing platted lot was not identified as an outlot on a plat.

A. *Minor lot line adjustment.* The sale or exchange of part of a lot between owners of adjoining lots for the purpose of small adjustments in boundaries, if:

1. the total area of the adjustment is 5 percent or less of the combined area of the lots affected by the adjustment;

2. additional lots are not created;

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3. the adjusted lot line is approximately parallel with the original lot line or, if it is proposed to intersect with the original line, it does not significantly change the shape of the lots involved;

4. the owner submits a scaled drawing for review and approval by the Director. The drawing may be a copy of the existing record plat and must contain the following information:
   a. proposed lot line adjustment as a dashed line;
   b. any buildings, driveways, or other improvements located within 15 feet of the proposed adjusted lot line;
   c. any minimum building setback that would be altered by the minor lot line adjustment; and
   d. the amount of lot area affected by the minor lot line adjustment;

5. The drawing is approved, revised, or denied by the Director in writing within 10 days after the drawing is submitted or it is deemed approved.

Staff applied the above-noted criteria for the property included in this application and concludes that the proposed subdivision complies with the requirements of Sections 50.7.1.C.1 and 50.7.1.A. of the Subdivision Regulations and supports this minor subdivision record plat.