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KITTITAS COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

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ZONING VARIANCE APPLICATION

Relief from a provisions of Title 17 when, because of unusual circumstances, following such provision would cause undue hardship (See KCC 17.84)

Please type or print clearly in ink. Attach additional sheets as necessary. Pursuant to KCC 15A.03.040, a complete application is determined within 28 days of receipt of the application submittal packet and fee. The following items must be attached to the application packet.

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

- Site plan of the property with all proposed: buildings; points of access, roads, and parking areas; septic tank and drainfield and replacement area; areas to be cut and/or filled; and, natural features such as contours, streams, gullies, cliffs, etc.
- □ Project Narrative responding to Questions 9 and 10 on the following pages.

APPLICATION FEES:

\$1,800.00 Kittitas County Community Development Services (KCCDS)

\$235.00 Kittitas County Environmental Health

\$50.00 Kittitas County Department of Public Works

\$65.00 Kittitas County Fire Marshal

\$2,150.00 Total fees due for this application (One check made payable to KCCDS)

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Application Received By (CDS Staff Signature):

DATE: S125 | RECEIPT # 31185 |

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GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION

| 1. | Name, mailing address and day phone of land owner(s) of record: Landowner(s) signature(s) required on application form. | | | | |
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| | Name: | Agron Mostofi | | | |
| | Mailing Address: | 7110 Cascade Ave SE | | | |
| | City/State/ZIP: | Snoqualmie, WA 98065 | | | |
| | Day Time Phone: | (360) 990 -8378 | | | |
| | Email Address: | aaron. mostofi@ microsoft.com | | | |
| 2. | Name, mailing address and day phone of authorized agent, if different from landowner of record: If an authorized agent is indicated, then the authorized agent is signature is required for application submittal. | | | | |
| | Agent Name: | | | | |
| | Mailing Address: | | | | |
| | City/State/ZIP: | | | | |
| | Day Time Phone: | | | | |
| | Email Address: | | | | |
| 3. | Name, mailing address an If different than land owne | nd day phone of other contact person or or authorized agent. | | | |
| | Name: | | | | |
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| | Email Address: | | | | |
| 4. | Street address of propert | y: | | | |
| | Address: | Kachess Dann Road | | | |
| | City/State/ZIP: | Egston, WA 98925 | | | |
| 5. | Legal description of prop | erty (attach additional sheets as necessary): tion 27, Township 21 N, Pange 13 E, Kittitas County, WA | | | |
| 6. | Tax parcel number: | | | | |
| 7. | Property size: | 90.57 (acres) | | | |
| 8. | Land Use Information: | | | | |
| | Zoning: Designated | hand | | | |
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PROJECT NARRATIVE

(INCLUDE RESPONSES AS AN ATTACHMENT TO THIS APPLICATION)

- 9. Narrative project description (include as attachment): Please include at minimum the following information in your description: describe project size, location, and the provision of zoning code for which this variance is requested and the way in which you wish to vary from the code.
- 10. A variance may be granted only when the following criteria are met (see KCC 17.84.10). Please describe in detail how each criteria is met for this particular request:
 - A. Unusual circumstances or conditions applying to the property and/or the intended use that do not apply generally to other property in the same vicinity or district, such as topography.
 - B. Such variance is necessary for the preservation and enjoyment of a substantial property right of the applicant possessed by the owners of other properties in the same vicinity.
 - C. That authorization of such variance will not be materially detrimental to the public welfare or injurious to property in the vicinity.
 - D. That the granting of such variance will not adversely affect the realization of the comprehensive development pattern.

AUTHORIZATION

11. Application is hereby made for permit(s) to authorize the activities described herein. I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in this application, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief such information is true, complete, and accurate. I further certify that I possess the authority to undertake the proposed activities. I hereby grant to the agencies to which this application is made, the right to enter the above-described location to inspect the proposed and or completed work.

All correspondence and notices will be transmitted to the Land Owner of Record and copies sent to the authorized agent or contact person, as applicable.

| Signature of Authorized Agent: (REQUIRED if indicated on application) | Date: | |
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| X | | |
| Signature of Land Owner of Record (Required for application submittal): | Date: | |
| x /A | 8/15/2016 | |

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5. Full legal description: Lot C or that certain lot line adjustment survey recorded June 15, 2016, in book 40 of surveys, pages 100 through 102, under auditor's file No 201606150034, Records of Kittitas County, State of Washington; Being a portion of Section 27, Township 21 North, Range 13 East, W.M., Kittitas Country, State of Washington.

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- 9. The project involves building a cabin (roughly 3,000 sq. ft. and 4 bedrooms) with an attached garage (4 cars) and a detached workshop (800 sq. ft.). They will be serviced by a proposed well, propane tank, and proposed septic system. The request for variance involves the 100' setback. The request is to reduce those for this project as follows:
 - 50' from the northwest border (border with "Lot A")
 - 50' from the southeast border (border with "Lot C")
 - 10' from the southwest border (border with the small strip of the State's land surrounding Lake Kachess)
- 10. This request for a variance meets the criteria set forth by KCC 17.84.10 as follows:
 - A. The majority of the 90.57 acres lies to the East of Kachess Dam Road and is not available for development at this time due to a Landowner Option Plan ("LOP") filed by the previous owner with the State of Washington. The shape of the buildable portion of the property (the portion west of the road) that meets the 100' setback from the property border (as visible in the Site Plan and specifically the section denoted by the brown-colored dotted line) and 100' back from the stream that lies to the north is extremely small and effectively unbuildable. Furthermore, it lies on a steeper portion of the land and close to the road. Furthermore, it lies in the shadow of tall trees whose base are higher than the structure (i.e. up the steep hill) such that they would need to be all cut/removed (which would be bad for the hill upon which the road sits) or pose an exceptionally serious risk to any structure (more so than normal tall trees because of the momentum that would be gained by falling more than 90 degrees before striking any structure). Furthermore, with required setbacks for well and septic, there would be no possible way to develop the land for such use. Even if such setbacks and conditions were not present, the land is very steeply sloped at that portion.
 - B. The general purpose and use for such land in the vicinity is as private, part-time use cabins "in the woods". Cutting all the trees between any structure and the cabin would drastically reduce the privacy of such a cabin and harm the natural beauty of the area as seen from Kachess Dam Road. Clearing and constructing into the hill so close to the road may cause considerable physical risk and aesthetic damage to Kachess Dam Road and the existing driveway.
 - C. The minimum impact to all three neighboring properties would be to develop in the already-cleared section of the land previously forested by the previous owner (and current owner of Lots A and B to the northwest and southeast, respectively). In fact, building anywhere else (on the west side of Kachess Dam Road) would be considerably more injurious to the other properties as it would require reducing their privacy as currently aided by the untouched trees between the cleared section and the road. Lot A also has an easement to use the existing driveway and any other location would likely impede the use of that driveway to service Lot A.
 - D. The granting of this variance will not adversely affect the realization of the comprehensive development pattern as it is as far as possible from each of the other two buildable lots (Lots A and C) and Kachess Dam Road and only close to the small forested strip of land owned by the State around the Lake which is unlikely to be intended for any other use besides forest.

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DAVID B. MATTHEWS

DEPUTY AUDITOR

DAVID B. MATTHEWS, PLS NO. 36804

AUDITOR

RECORDING NO. VOL./PAGE KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON LOT LINE ADJUSTMENT A PORTION OF BOUNDARY LINE SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 21 NORTH, RANGE 13 EAST, W.M. **ADJUSTMENT** SCALE: I INCH = 300 FT mm KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON 150 0 NO. PORTION OF: SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 21 NORTH, RANGE 13 EAST, W.M. 2018 T21N R13F T21N R13E FOUND 2" IRON PIPE WITH 3" BRASS CAP WITNESS CORNER TO T21N R13E S22 522 FOUND 2" IRON PIPE FOUND 2° IRON PIPE WITH 3° BRASS CAP S22 S23 WITH 3" BRASS CAP (8/24/07) 527 1970 S27 S26 (8/22/07) LIC. 1039 1970 \S27 1970 1039° (9/6/07) (.) C 2665.01' (R1) N89'35'49"E 1077.61' (R1) N89'36'23"W 85 32' 22 7 23 N89"35"59"E 1078.22' (M) N89'38'38"W 2665.39' (M) 27 LINE BEARING LENGTH 1094.54 1228.44 1436.95 69.00 (PARCEL 1)
LOT 1
KITTITAS CO. BLA-07-151
REC. NO. 200803190067 L12 N590336°E 19.89°
L13 N34716'36°E 06.00°
L14 N75734'08°E 47.99°
L15 N25735'08°E 47.99°
L16 N6404'42°E 47.16°
L17 N2072'04°E 72.98°
L18 N4309'55°E 59.28°
L19 N792'05'W 173.34°
L20 N607152'E 13.37°
L21 N3572'06°E 101.92°
L22 N50715346°E 101.92°
L23 N5372'06°E 101.92°
L24 N5572'44°E 101.92° (RBL) LOT A 41.25 ACRES L29 128 FIELD LOCATED
CENTERLINE
OF CREEK (R.B.L.) 122 22 125 GOV. 100' WDF L23 N33'20'08'E 101.92'
L24 N58'23'44'E 116.37'
L25 N68'44'59'E 42.73'
L26 N43'09'53'E 58 49'
L27 N56'35'17'E 161.14'
L28 N75'18'32'E 90.71'
L29 N87'53'03'W 189.14' L19 33 GOVERNMENT MEANDER LINE 18 5 SEE DETAIL (PARCEL 3) ON SHEET 2 MERIDIAN (PARCEL 3) LOT 5 KITTITAS CO. BLA-07-151 REC. NO. 200803190067 LEGEND PER RECORD OF SURVEY FILED UNDER BOOK B OF SURVEYS. PAGE 32 UNDER KITTITAS COUNTY AUDITOR'S NUMBER 450311 N14'46'12"W FOUND SECTION CORNER NB9"51"42"W 1247.38' (RBL) BASIS OF BEARINGS N67'00'00"E FOUND QUARTER CORNER (PARCEL 2) LOT 2 KITTITAS CO. BLA-07-151 REC. NO. 200803190067 NOO'35'37"W BETWEEN FOUND MONUMENTS AT THE SOUTHEAST AND NORTHEAST SECTION CORNERS FOR SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 21 NORTH, RANGE 13 EAST, W.M. N64'09'33"W (RBL) 14 (M) MEASURED DIMENSION LOT C REFERENCE RECORDED N64'09'33"W (R1) SURVEY, BOOK B, PG, 32 90.57 ACRES NOTES (R.B.L.) REMSED BOUNDARY LINE 10 0 FOUND IRON PIPE 1. INSTRUMENTATION FOR THIS SURVEY WAS A 5 SECOND THEODOLITE AND AN ELECTRONIC DISTANCE MEASURING UNIT, PROCEDURES USED IN THIS SURVEY WERE FIELD TRAVERSE, MEETING OR EXCEEDING STANDARDS SET BY WAG 332–130–090. 1639. GOV. REBAR & CAP, CEI #28101 SET 0 LOT 2 N28"28'30"W REBAR & CAP. CEI #28101 TO BE SET 2. THE INFORMATION DEPICTED ON THIS MAP REPRESENTS THE RESULTS OF A SURVEY MADE IN AUGUST, 2007, AND SHOWS THE GENERAL CONDITION EXISTING AT 300.10 N89"51"42"W 1256.18 1348.49 3. NEW LOT CORNERS TO BE SET. CRAVEL ROAD N33'41'28"W LOT B 352.98 44.55 ACRES ORIGINAL LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS TZIN RIJE FOUND 2° IRON PIPE WITH 3" BRASS CAP 66' WDE ROAD 527 526 5343.33 (10/17/07) PARCEL 1 (PARCEL NUMBER 306835) 41.25 ACRES EASEMENT LOT 1, KITTITAS COUNTY BOUNDARY LINE ADJUSTMENT NO. BLA-07-151, RECORDED IN BOOK 34, PAGES 235 THROUGH 237 UNDER RECORDING NUMBER 200803190067 IN KITTITAS COUNTY, MASHINGTON. N33'51'28"W 446.96 N89"51"42"W PARCEL 2 (PARCEL NUMBER 146835) 44.55 ACRES LOT 2, KITTITAS COUNTY BOUNDARY LINE ADJUSTMENT NO. BLA-07-151, RECORDED IN BOOK 34, PAGES 235 THROUGH 237 UNDER RECORDING NUMBER 200803190067 IN LAKE (NOT A PART) 300 KACHESS KITTITAS COUNTY, WASHINGTON. GOV. LOT 3 N37'05'30"W N89'51'42'W 626.29 LOT 3 PARCEL 3 (PARCEL NUMBER 951720) 90.57 ACRES 53.42 ACRES LOT 5, KITITAS COUNTY BOUNDARY LINE ADJUSTMENT NO. BLA-07-151, RECORDED IN BOOK 34, PAGES 235 THROUGH 237 UNDER RECORDING NUMBER 200803190067 IN KITITAS COUNTY, MASHINGTON. BOUNDARY LINE ADJUSTMENT RECORDER'S CERTIFICATE LAND SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE THIS MAP CORRECTLY REPRESENTS A SURVEY MADE BY ME FOR CONCEPT ENGINEERING. INC. OR UNDER MY DIRECTION IN CONFORMANCE OF THE SURVEY RECORDING ACT AT THE REQUEST OF BRIAN MURPHY BRIAN MURPHY FILED FOR RECORD THIS ____ DAY OF ____ 455 Rainier Boulevard North Issaquah, Washington 98027 (425) 392–8055 FAX (425) 392–0108 ___ AT THE REQUEST OF: AT ____M IN BOOK _ AT PAGE _ 20__ JOB NO. DATE DWN. BY

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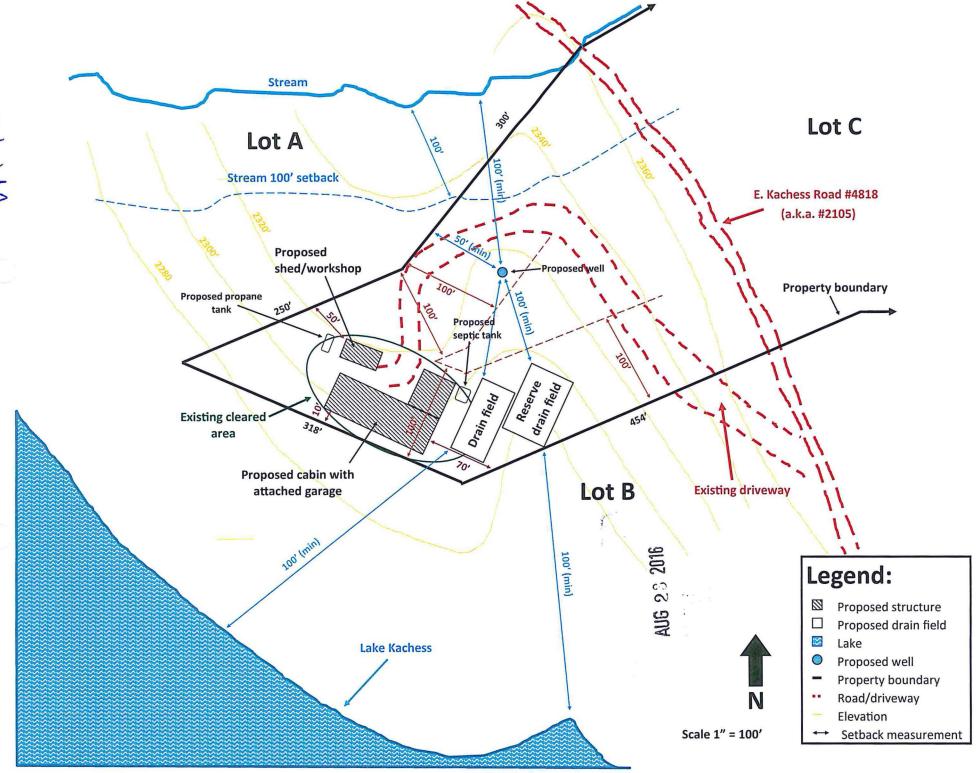
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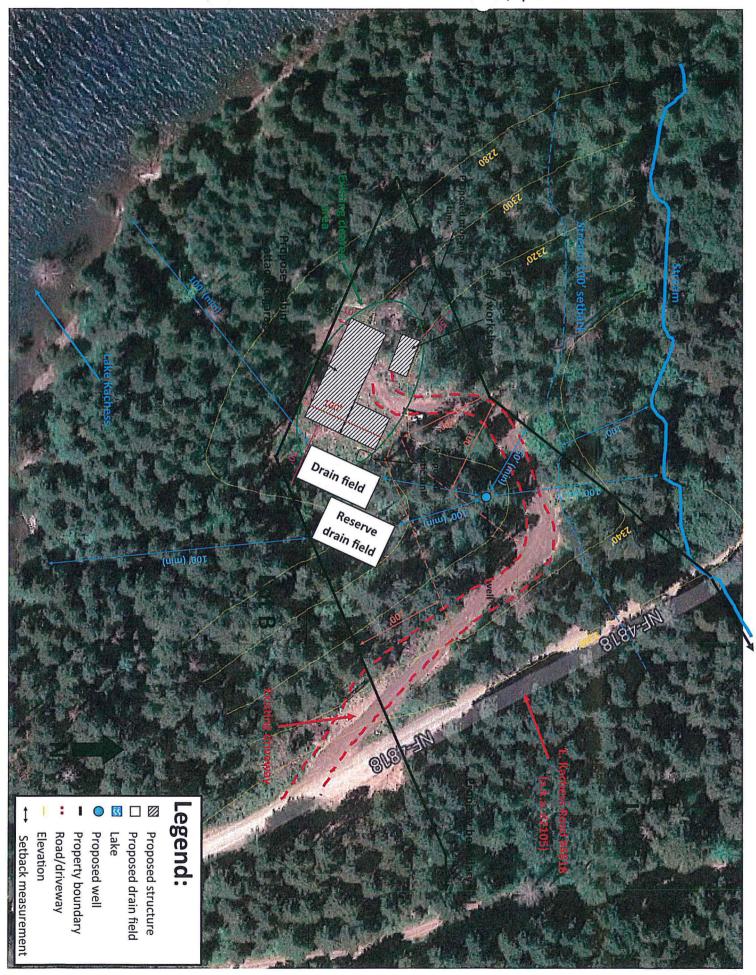
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| VA-16-00001 | ADMINISTRATIVE VARIANCE | 1,800.00 |
| VA-16-00001 | ADMIN VARIANCE FM FEE | 65.00 |
| VA-16-00001 | PUBLIC WORKS ADMIN VARIANCE | 50.00 |
| VA-16-00001 | EH LAND USE VARIANCE REVIEW | 235.00 |
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