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TO: The Coastal Resources Commission

FROM: Christine A. Goebel, DEQ Assistant General Counsel

DATE: November 4, 2024 (for the November 13-14, 2024 CRC Meeting)

RE: Variance Request by Harriston & Amanda Eggleston (CRC-VR-24-08)

Petitioners Harrison & Amanda Eggleston own property at 106 Salisbury Street fronting the deadend corner of a man-made canal in Holden Beach, Brunswick County. They propose to develop the Site with a one-slip pier. On July 17, 2024, DCM denied Petitioners CAMA Major Permit application as the proposed design did not meet the 15' riparian setback rule at 7H.0208(b)(6)(I) and neither of their adjacent riparian owners waived part or all of their respective 15' riparian setbacks. Petitioners now seek a variance to waive the 15' riparian setback rule in order to develop their proposed pier shown in their application.

The following additional information is attached to this memorandum:

Attachment A: Relevant Rules
Attachment B: Stipulated Facts

Attachment C: Petitioner's Positions and Staff's Responses to Variance Criteria

Attachment D: Petitioner's Variance Request Materials
Attachment E: Stipulated Exhibits including powerpoint

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Mary Lucasse, Special Deputy AG and CRC Counsel, electronically Tim Evans, Holden Beach P&I Director and LPO, electronically

### ATTACHMENT A

### RELEVANT RULES

### 15A NCAC 07H .0208 USE STANDARDS

- (a) General Use Standards
- (1) Uses that are not water dependent shall not be permitted in coastal wetlands, estuarine waters, and public trust areas. Restaurants, residences, apartments, motels, hotels, trailer parks, private roads, factories, and parking lots are examples of uses that are not water dependent. Uses that are water dependent include: utility crossings, wind energy facilities, docks, wharves, boat ramps, dredging, bridges and bridge approaches, revetments, bulkheads, culverts, groins, navigational aids, mooring pilings, navigational channels, access channels and drainage ditches;
- (2) Before being granted a permit, the CRC or local permitting authority shall find that the applicant has complied with the following standards:
- (A) The location, design, and need for development, as well as the construction activities involved shall be consistent with the management objective of the Estuarine and Ocean System AEC in Rule .0203 of this Section and shall be sited and designed to avoid significant adverse impacts upon the productivity and biologic integrity of coastal wetlands, shellfish beds, submerged aquatic vegetation as defined by the Marine Fisheries Commission in 15A NCAC 03I .0101(4)(i), and spawning and nursery areas;
- (B) Development shall comply with State and federal water and air quality rules, statutes, and regulations;
- (C) Development shall not cause irreversible damage to documented archaeological or historic resources as identified by the N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources;
- (D) Development shall not increase siltation;
- (E) Development shall not create stagnant water bodies;
- (F) Development shall be timed to avoid significant adverse impacts on life cycles of estuarine and ocean resources; and
- (G) Development shall not jeopardize the use of the waters for navigation or for other public trust rights in public trust areas including estuarine waters.
- (3) When the proposed development is in conflict with the general or specific use standards set forth in this Rule, the CRC may approve the development if the applicant can demonstrate that the activity associated with the proposed project will have public benefits consistent with the findings and goals of the Coastal Area Management Act identified in G.S. 113A-102, that the public benefits outweigh the adverse effects of the project, that there is no alternate site available for the project, and that all means and measures to mitigate adverse impacts of the project have been incorporated into the project design and shall be implemented at the applicant's expense. Measures taken to mitigate or minimize adverse impacts shall include actions that:

- (A) minimize or avoid adverse impacts by limiting the magnitude or degree of the action;
- (B) restore the affected environment; or
- (C) compensate for the adverse impacts by replacing or providing substitute resources.
- (4) "Primary nursery areas" are defined as those areas in the estuarine and ocean system where initial post larval development of finfish and crustaceans takes place and populations are uniformly in their early juvenile stages. Primary nursery areas are designated and described by the N.C. Marine Fisheries Commission (MFC) at 15A NCAC 03R .0103 and by the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission (WRC) at 15A NCAC 10C .0502;
- (5) "Outstanding Resource Waters" (ORW) are defined as those estuarine waters and public trust areas classified by the N.C. Environmental Management Commission (EMC) as defined in 15A NCAC 02B .0225; and
- (6) Beds of "submerged aquatic vegetation" are defined as those habitats in public trust and estuarine waters, that occur in both subtidal and intertidal zones and may occur in isolated patches or cover extensive areas, vegetated with one or more species of submergent vegetation as listed in 15A NCAC 03I .0101(4)(i). Any rules relating to beds of submerged aquatic vegetation shall not apply to non-development control activities authorized by the Aquatic Weed Control Act of 1991 (G.S. 113A-220 et seq.).
- (7) "Adverse impact", "adverse impacts", "adverse effects", or similar formulations, are defined as an effect or impact that is opposed to the goals of the Coastal Area Management Act as found in G.S. 113A-102(b) and with the provisions of G.S. 113-229(e).
- (8) "Significant" as used in this Section includes consideration of both context and intensity. Context means that the impact or effect shall be analyzed from several perspectives that include society as a whole (human, national), the affected subregion of the North Carolina coast, the local area and all directly and indirectly affected parties. Both short- and long-term effects are relevant. Intensity refers to the severity of impact or effect. The following shall be considered in evaluating intensity:
- (A) both adverse impacts as defined in Subparagraph (a)(7) of this Rule and impacts that promote or enhance the goals of the Coastal Area Management Act set out at G.S. 113A-102(b);
- (B) the degree to which the proposed action affects public health or safety;
- (C) unique characteristics of the geographic area;
- (D) the degree to which the possible effects on the environment are uncertain or involve unique or unknown risks;
- (E) the degree to which the CRC's permit decisions may establish a precedent for future CRC permit decisions;

- (F) the degree to which the CRC's permit decisions are related to other CRC permit decisions with individually insignificant but cumulatively significant impacts. Significance cannot be avoided by terming an action temporary or by breaking it down into smaller component parts; and
- (G) the degree to which the CRC's permit decision may cause the loss or destruction of scientific, cultural, historical, and environmental resources as those terms are commonly defined and understood.

### (b) Specific Use Standards

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### (6) Piers and Docking Facilities.

- (A) Piers shall not exceed six feet in width. Piers greater than six feet in width shall be permitted only if the greater width is necessary for safe use, to improve public access or to support a water dependent use that cannot otherwise occur;
- (B) The total square footage of docks, platforms, and mooring facilities (excluding the pier) allowed shall be eight square feet per linear foot of shoreline with a maximum of 2,000 square feet to limit shading impacts to the substrate. In calculating the total square footage, uncovered open water slips shall not be counted in the total. Projects requiring dimensions greater than those stated in this Rule shall be permitted only if the greater dimensions are necessary for safe use, to improve public access, or to support a water dependent use that cannot otherwise occur. Size restrictions shall not apply to marinas;
- (C) Piers and docking facilities over coastal wetlands shall be no wider than six feet and shall be elevated at least three feet above any coastal wetland substrate as measured from the bottom of the decking;
- (D) A boathouse shall not exceed 400 square feet except to accommodate a documented need, provided to the Division of Coastal Management by the applicant for a larger boathouse and shall have sides extending no farther than one-half the height of the walls as measured from the Normal Water Level or Normal High Water to the bottom edge of the roofline, and covering only the top half of the walls. Measurements of square footage shall be taken of the greatest exterior dimensions. Boathouses shall not be allowed on lots with less than 75 linear feet of shoreline, except that structural boat covers utilizing a frame-supported fabric covering may be permitted on properties with less than 75 linear feet of shoreline when using screened fabric for side walls. Size restrictions do not apply to marinas;
- (E) The total area enclosed by an individual boat lift shall not exceed 400 square feet except to accommodate a documented need for a larger boat lift;
- (F) Piers and docking facilities shall be single story. They may be roofed but shall not be designed to allow second story use;
- (G) Pier and docking facility length shall be limited by:
- (i) not extending into the channel portion of the water body; and

- (ii) not extending more than one-fourth the width of a natural water body, or human-made canal or basin. Measurements to determine widths of the water body, canals, or basins shall be made from the waterward edge of any coastal wetland vegetation that borders the water body. The one-fourth length limitation does not apply in areas where the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, or a local government in consultation with the Corps of Engineers, has established an official pier head line. The one-fourth length limitation shall not apply when the proposed pier is located between longer piers or docking facilities within 200 feet of the applicant's property.
- (iii) Notwithstanding Subparts (i) and (ii) of this Part, the proposed pier or docking facility shall not be longer than the pier head line established by the piers or docking facilities along the same contiguous shoreline having the same land use, nor longer than one-third the width of the water body. This restriction does not apply to piers 100 feet or less in length unless necessary to avoid unreasonable interference with navigation or other uses of the waters by the public.
- (H) Piers or docking facilities longer than 400 feet shall be permitted only if the proposed length gives access to deeper water at a rate of at least 1 foot for each 100 foot increment of length longer than 400 feet, or, if the additional length is necessary to span some obstruction to navigation. Measurements to determine lengths shall be made from the waterward edge of any coastal wetland vegetation that borders the water body;
- Piers and docking facilities shall not interfere with the access to any riparian property and shall have a minimum setback of 15 feet between any part of the pier or docking facility and the adjacent property owner's areas of riparian access. The line of division of areas of riparian access shall be established by drawing a line along the channel or deep water in front of the properties, then drawing a line perpendicular to the line of the channel so that it intersects with the shore at the point the upland property line meets the water's edge. The minimum setback provided in the rule may be waived by the written agreement of the adjacent riparian owner(s) or when two adjoining riparian owners are co applicants. If the adjacent property is sold before construction of the pier or docking facility commences, the applicant shall obtain a written agreement with the new owner waiving the minimum setback and submit it to the permitting agency prior to initiating any development of the pier. Application of this Rule may be aided by reference to the approved diagram in 15A NCAC 07H .1205(t) illustrating the rule as applied to various shoreline configurations. When shoreline configuration is such that a perpendicular alignment cannot be achieved, the pier shall be aligned to meet the intent of this Rule to the maximum extent practicable as determined by the Director of the Division of Coastal Management; and
- (J) Applicants for authorization to construct a pier or docking facility shall provide notice of the permit application to the owner of any part of a shellfish franchise or lease over which the proposed dock or pier would extend. The applicant shall allow the lease holder the opportunity to mark a navigation route from the pier to the edge of the lease.

ATTACHMENT B STIPULATED FACTS

1. Petitioners are Amanda and Harrison Eggleston. They own property at 106 Salisbury Street in Holden Beach, Brunswick County (the "Site").

- 2. Petitioners purchased the Site through a deed recorded on May 20, 2019 and recorded at Book 4192, Page 1310 of the Brunswick County Registry. A copy of the deed is attached as a stipulated exhibit. The property is also known as Lot 109 of the Canal Layout of Holden Beach East, as shown on a 1962 plat recorded in Map Book 6, Page 132 of the Brunswick County Registry, a copy of which is attached as a stipulated exhibit.
- 3. The Site is adjacent to the dead-end corner of man-made Canal E. The Property can be seen on the attached powerpoint presentation of photographs of the Property and surrounding area.
- 4. The Site is bordered by Canal E on the east, to 108 Salisbury Street to the north (owned by The Blacks), and Salisbury Street to the west. To the south the Site is adjacent to three lots, including 422 Ocean Boulevard East (owned by The Terrys), 420 Ocean Boulevard East (owned by The Gardners) and 418 Ocean Boulevard East (a riparian lot owned by Ms. Williamson). The Blacks and Ms. Williamson are the two adjacent riparian owners.
- 5. The Site has approximately 46' of shoreline along the canal. The Site measures approximately 0.12 Acres in area.
- 6. The Site is currently a vacant lot, developed only with a bulkhead.
- 7. The waters of the man-made canal are classified as SA waters and are closed to the harvest of shellfish. The proposed pier would be located within the Public Trust Area and Estuarine Waters Areas of Environmental Concern (AECs). Any "development" within those AECs would require authorization through a CAMA permit per G.S. 113A-118. While there is some Coastal Wetlands AEC along the bulkhead, the proposed docking facility would be elevated over the vegetation.
- 8. Both adjacent riparian owners have developed existing private piers in the canal, which based on Google Earth historic aerial photography, were both built sometime before 1993.
- 9. In August of 2023, Petitioner, through their authorized agent Ben Brink of Coastal Permit Guy, LLC sought a CAMA General Permit for a proposed docking facility. DCM Staff explained that as the 15' riparian setbacks were not met (and setbacks were not being waived by the neighbors) and a denial would be required, it should be processed through a CAMA Major Permit Application.
- 10. On December 7, 2023, Petitioners, through their authorized agent Ben Brink of Coastal Permit Guy, LLC, applied for a CAMA major permit to construct a one-slip docking facility. The application was deemed complete on April 29, 2024. A copy of the CAMA major permit application report is attached.

11. Petitioners proposed to develop a one-slip docking facility comprised of a 9' x 6' fixed platform at the existing bulkhead, a 16' x 3' gangway, and a 7' x 12' floating dock secured to two pilings. A cross section and top view drawing are attached as part of the permit application. The water depth at the floating dock is approximately -1.5' NLW.

- 12. Based on the site plans, he proposed docking facility would encroach 1.5' into the northern (The Blacks) 15' riparian setback and 15' into Ms. Williamson's 15' riparian setback. Ms. Williamson's dock does not appear to meet a 15' riparian setback from both Petitioners' common riparian line or with her other neighbor's riparian line, but it is unknown whether setback waivers were obtained at the time her pier was permitted.
- 13. As part of the CAMA major permit review process, DCM Field Representative Patrick Amico wrote a Field Investigation Report dated April 30, 2024, a copy of which is attached.
- 14. During the major permit review process, no state or federal agencies objected to the proposed project. DWR authorized the proposed project through General Certification #4497. The US Army Corps of Engineers authorized the proposed project through Regional General Permti 56 on June 13, 2024.
- 15. As part of the CAMA major permit review process, notice was given to the public through on-site posting and notice in the local Wilmington Star News newspaper on May 7, 2024. No comments from the public were received in connection with the permit application.
- 16. Notice was also sent to the adjacent riparian property owners, The Blacks and Ms. Williamson, through certified mail on January 26, 2024, and again to the Blacks at a corrected on February 1, 2024. The Blacks signed the notice form on February 1, 2024 indicating that he did have objections to the proposed project and that they did not wish to waive the 15' riparian setback. Ms. Williamson signed the notice form on January 31, 2024 indicating that she too had objections to the proposed project, and she did not wish to waive the 15' riparian setback. Copies of the completed notice forms and delivery information are attached. Also attached are the notice forms completed by the Blacks and Ms. Williamson in August of 2023 when Petitioners initially sought to have the project approved through a CAMA General Permit.
- 17. On February 13, 2024, Mr. Amico emailed the Blacks and Ms. Williamson asking if they wished to provide any further comment on the proposed pier. Neither the Blacks nor Ms. Williamson responded.

18. On July 17, 2024, DCM denied Petitioners' CAMA Major Permit application as the proposed pier, gangway and floating dock were inconsistent with the Commission's rule at 15A NCAC 7H .0208(b)(6)(I) which states in pertinent part:

Piers and docking facilities shall not interfere with the access to any riparian property and shall have a minimum setback of 15 feet between any part of the pier or docking facility and the adjacent property owner's areas of riparian access...The minimum setback provided in the rule may be waived by the written agreement of the adjacent riparian owner(s) or when two adjoining riparian owners are co-applicants. If the adjacent property is sold before construction of the pier or docking facility commences, the applicant shall obtain a written agreement with the new owner waiving the minimum setback and submit it to the permitting agency prior to initiating any development of the pier.

A copy of the denial letter is attached.

- 19. Petitioners did not appeal their permit denial by bringing a contested case petition in the Office of Administrative Hearings.
- 20. The Coastal Area Management Act ("CAMA") provides that "[a]ny person may petition the Commission for a variance granting permission to use the person's land in a manner otherwise prohibited by rules or standards prescribed by the Commission, or orders issued by the Commission, pursuant to this Article." N.C. Gen Stat. § 120.1(a). Petitioners stipulate that their proposed docking facility does not conform with 7H.0208(b)(6)(I) where neither 15' riparian setback is met as described in the denial letter.
- 21. The Petitioners ask the Commission to vary it's rule at 7H.0208(b)(6)(I) providing 15' riparian setbacks to the adjacent riparian owners (unless the adjacent owners elect to waive some/all of those setbacks) so that they do not need the setback waivers from The Blacks and Ms. Williamson so that they can develop their pier as proposed in their application.
- 22. Without a variance, and without either adjacent riparian owners' waiver of the setback, Petitioners could develop a small pier within the triangular area shown on drawings falling outside of the 15' riparian setbacks, which would have to be elevated over the existing coastal wetlands vegetation per 7H.0208(b)(6)(C) and most of that triangular area contains coastal wetlands as shown in site photos.
- 23. Notice of Petitioners' variance request was sent to both The Blacks and Ms. Williamson. The Blacks received delivery of a letter on August 18, 2024, then refused a fed ex delivery on August 20, 2024 as shown on the attached Fed Ex documentation. Petitioners' counsel sent another delivery on August 29, 2024 a copy of which is attached, and USPS tracking shows it was delivered on September 1, 2024. Ms. Williamson signed for a fed ex on August 17, 2024 and received a letter on August 24, 2024. DCM has not received any comments from either The Blacks or Ms. Williamson.

### STIPULATED EXHIBITS

- 1. Petitioners' deed 4192/1310
- 2. Plat Map 2/132
- 3. Map of ownership
- 4. CAMA Major Permit Materials
- 5. DCM Field Investigation Report, April 30, 2024
- 6. Notice to The Blacks and Ms. Williamson
- 7. July 14, 2024 CAMA Major Permit Denial Letter
- 8. Notice of Variance request to The Blacks and Ms. Williamson
- 9. Powerpoint with ground and aerial photographs of the Site and surrounding area

### **Petitioner and Staff Positions**

I. Will strict application of the applicable development rules, standards, or orders issued by the Commission cause the petitioner unnecessary hardships? If so, the petitioner must identify the hardships.

### **Petitioner's Position**: Yes.

The Petitioners seek relief from application of the CRC rule that requires that the proposed docking facility be set back 15' from the adjacent riparian lines on each side of their lot without a signed waiver. The petitioners' property is a corner lot along a manmade canal. Consequently the rule requires that the docking facility be set back 15' from the riparian line without a signed waiver which in this case is approximately the extended joint property line for the lot to the north of the subject lot (the "Black Lot"), and because the other adjacent lot (the "Williams Lot") is around the corner at the end of the canal, the riparian line is drawn in consultation with DCM staff at an angle, as shown on the development plan attached at Attachment E. The result for the Petitioners is that the two 15' setback lines converge to leave only the small triangle consisting of mainly marsh grasses adjacent to the shore for a docking facility as shown on Attachment E, which would not reach deep enough water for access by small shallow draft boats such as kayaks and jet skis, or even reach the water at all much of the time and would be entirely useless for reasonable water access. Consequently, the strict application of the rule deprives the Petitioners of their riparian property right to reasonable access to deep water, which constitutes an unnecessary hardship.

### **Staff's Position:** Yes.

Riparian property ownership by law is subject to "reasonable regulation." In North Carolina, the Commission has the authority to regulate the development of docks and piers for riparian access through rulemaking. The Commission's rule which Petitioners seek a variance from is the 15' riparian setback, which requires docks and piers to be setback that distance on each side of a shared riparian line in order to set a minimum standard for navigation by the riparian owners and by the public around docks and piers in these public trust waters. Under the Commission's rules, the Commission saw fit to allow adjacent owners the agency to choose to (entirely or partially) waive the setback if they wish.

The location of the Petitioner's lot at the dead-end corner of a canal results in a small, pie-shaped riparian area that narrows as it extends from the shoreline combined with the Commission's minimum 15' riparian setbacks cause Petitioner a hardship. Although Petitioner has reasonable use of the property through the construction of a home, Petitioner does not have the ability to construct a pier absent setback waivers from one or both adjacent owners. DCM agrees that Petitioner has an unnecessary hardship in this case for the aforementioned reasons.

II. Do such hardships result from conditions peculiar to the petitioner's property, such as location, size, or topography of the property? Explain.

### Petitioner's Position: Yes.

The hardship to the Petitioners is due to the property's location at the corner of a manmade finger canal which, though not unique, is unusual and is not a location to which the rule in question is designed to apply. Although the riparian line rule and setback works well for most lots on the coast, in this particular location for the reasons stated above, it obviously does not allow the lot in question riparian access for water dependent structures like floating docks that allow safe water access.

### **Staff's Position: Yes.**

Petitioner purchased a lot at the dead-end corner of a manmade finger canal. The hardship of not being able to construct a pier on this lot (other than within the triangle area outside the waivers) without waivers of the 15' riparian setback from one or both adjacent owners is caused in part by the triangle shape of the riparian corridor for a lot in such a location. At dead ends, as in coves and embayments, a radial method may be used which results in triangle-shaped riparian corridors which narrow like pie slices in the deep water. While this riparian area shape is common in dead end corner lots on finger canals in Holden Beach and elsewhere, Staff agrees that in part, any alleged hardship results from certain conditions peculiar to the property such as the location at the dead-end corner of a canal.

### III. Do the hardships result from the actions taken by the Petitioner? Explain.

### Petitioner's Position: No.

The hardships in question result entirely from the location and dimensions of the lot which have not been changed by the Petitioners since they purchased it.

### **Staff's Position: No.**

While Staff believes that due diligence steps by Petitioners could have revealed the limited riparian area and regulatory limitations associated with this lot, Staff agrees that the hardships result largely from the dead-end man-made canal corner lot location of the Site and the unwillingness of both adjacent riparian owners to waive some/all of their 15' riparian setbacks.

IV. Will the variance requested by the petitioner (1) be consistent with the spirit, purpose, and intent of the rules, standards or orders issued by the Commission; (2) secure the public safety and welfare; and (3) preserve substantial justice? Explain.

### **Petitioner's Position: Yes.**

- 1) The purpose of the riparian line rule is expressly to ensure that a development does "not interfere with the access to any riparian property". It should be emphasized that this purpose includes ensuring that the Petitioners' property as well as the adjacent properties has reasonable access to the water. It is the purpose of a variance to allow a just and fair relaxation of the strict application of a rule in circumstances such as these where the rule simply does not apply fairly and where the variance will not create a public safety or wetlands threat and produces a just result. In this case the Petitioners have carefully limited the proposed docking facility to a location and dimensions that allow them minimal access to the water while minimizing any interference to the corner neighbor's and allowing them safe access. As shown on Attachment E, the proposed docking facility will be approximately 36.5' from the Black's dock, so it has no effect on their water access, and it is 13' from the Williams' docket and aligned so that it does not interfere with their docking a boat at the waterward side of the existing floating dock, thus leaving them adequate access to the water.
- 2) The proposed alignment creates no safety or welfare threat
- 3) The proposed alignment preserves substantial justice by allowing the Petitioners their right to minimal riparian access by a docking facility that will accommodate very small boats and which does not interfere with the adjacent property owners' riparian rights. In fact, denying a variance in these circumstances would be contrary to the purpose of the rule in that it would deny Petitioners the access that the rule intends to protect and would be a substantially unjust outcome.

### Staff's Position: No.

The Commission's rules at 7H.0208(a)(2)(G) states that "Development shall not jeopardize the use of the waters for navigation or for other public trust rights in public trust areas including estuarine waters." In order to protect both the rights to navigation by the public and the right to use one's riparian property by pier-ing out to "deep" water, the Commission has adopted reasonable regulations through its pier rules. One of the limitations is the 15' setback requirement to keep navigable space between adjacent piers for use by the public and by the adjacent neighbors. At a dead-end canal, that separation between piers could also be used to turn around at the deadend. While the Commission generally requires 30' of separation, it allows adjacent riparian owners to waive some or all of this setback if they chose, presumably if they believe a smaller setback would be able to preserve their navigation. In this case, both adjacent riparian owners have declined to do so.

In this case, the location at the dead-end corner of this canal and the resulting pie-shaped riparian corridor causes the limitation on how Petitioners can utilize their riparian corridor when combined with neighbors unwilling to waive their 15' riparian setback. While it may be frustrating that neither adjacent riparian neighbor will waive the setback, that is a privilege and a determination given to them by the Commission about whether a smaller setback would still allow navigation.

The variance may not secure public safety and welfare due to the potential navigation issues discussed above. The public has the right to navigate among and between these piers just as the adjacent owners do, and the proximity between the existing structures and the proposed structure appear to be insufficient for navigation. Also, substantial justice may be implicated if the Commission now varies its own rule giving the privilege to waive the 15' setback to the adjacent riparian owners and waives the setback on its own.

### ATTACHMENT D

Petitioner's Petition Materials
(without initial proposed facts or duplicative exhibits)

### CAMA VARIANCE REQUEST FORM

<b>DCM</b>	FORM 11	
DCM	FILE No.:	

PETITIONER'S NAME HARRISON F

HARRISON F. & AMANDA B. EGGLESTON

COUNTY WHERE THE DEVELOPMENT IS PROPOSED BRUNSWICK

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 113A-120.1 and 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0700 *et seq.*, the above named Petitioner hereby applies to the Coastal Resources Commission (CRC) for a variance.

### VARIANCE HEARING PROCEDURES

A variance petition will be considered by the CRC at a regularly scheduled meeting, heard in chronological order based upon the date of receipt of a complete petition. 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(e). A complete variance petition, as described below, must be *received* by the Division of Coastal Management (DCM) a minimum of six (6) weeks in advance of the first day of a regularly scheduled CRC meeting to be eligible for consideration by the CRC at that meeting. 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(e). The final set of stipulated facts must be agreed to at least four (4) weeks prior to the first day of a regularly scheduled meeting. 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(e). The dates of CRC meetings can be found at DCM's website: www.nccoastalmanagement.net

If there are controverted facts that are significant in determining the propriety of a variance, or if the Commission determines that more facts are necessary, the facts will be determined in an administrative hearing. 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(b).

### VARIANCE CRITERIA

The petitioner has the burden of convincing the CRC that it meets the following criteria:

- (a) Will strict application of the applicable development rules, standards, or orders issued by the Commission cause the petitioner unnecessary hardships? Explain the hardships.
- (b) Do such hardships result from conditions peculiar to the petitioner's property such as the location, size, or topography of the property? Explain.
- (c) Do the hardships result from actions taken by the petitioner? Explain.
- (d) Will the variance requested by the petitioner (1) be consistent with the spirit, purpose, and intent of the rules, standards or orders issued by the Commission; (2) secure the public safety and welfare; and (3) preserve substantial justice? Explain.

Please make your written arguments that Petitioner meets these criteria on a separate piece of paper. The Commission notes that there are some opinions of the State Bar which indicate that non-attorneys may not represent others at quasi-judicial proceedings such as a variance hearing before the

Due to the above information and pursuant to statute, the undersigned hereby requests a variance.

Signature of Petitioner or Attorney

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### **DELIVERY OF THIS HEARING REQUEST**

This variance petition must be received by the Division of Coastal Management at least six (6) weeks before the first day of the regularly scheduled Commission meeting at which it is heard. A copy of this request must also be sent to the Attorney General's Office, Environmental Division. 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(e).

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### VARIANCE CRITERIA

For this variance request to be complete, the petitioner must provide the information listed below. The undersigned petitioner verifies that this variance request is complete and includes:

1. The name and location of the development as identified on the permit application;

Eggleston Private Docking Facility 106 Salisbury Street Holden Beach, Brunswick County, NC

2. A copy of the permit decision for the development in question;

See Attachment A.

3. A copy of the deed to the property on which the proposed development would be located;

See Attachment B.

4. A complete description of the proposed development including a site plan;

See Attachment C.

5. A stipulation that the proposed development is inconsistent with the rule at issue;

The applicant hereby stipulates that the development as proposed in the application is inconsistent with the rule at issue, 15A N.C.A.C. 07H .0208(b)(6)(I).

6. Proof that notice was sent to adjacent owners and objectors\*, as required by 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(c)(7);

See Attachment D.

7. Proof that a variance was sought from the local government per 15A N.C.A.C. 07J .0701(a), if applicable;

The Town of Holden Beach's zoning requirements do not apply to docking facilities so the subject docking facility does not require a variance from the Town.

- 8. Petitioner's written reasons and arguments about why the Petitioner meets the four variance criteria, listed above;
  - (a) Will strict application of the applicable development rules, standards, or orders issued by the Commission cause the petitioner unnecessary hardships? Explain the hardships.

**RESPONSE**: Yes. Strict application of the CRC's development standards would result in unnecessary hardship.

- 1) The Petitioners seek relief from application of the CRC rule that requires that the proposed docking facility be set back 15' from the adjacent riparian lines on each side of their lot without a signed waiver. The petitioners' property is a corner lot along a manmade canal. Consequently the rule requires that the docking facility be set back 15' from the riparian line without a signed waiver which in this case is approximately the extended joint property line for the lot to the north of the subject lot (the "Black Lot"), and because the other adjacent lot (the "Williams Lot") is around the corner at the end of the canal, the riparian line is drawn in consultation with DCM staff at an angle, as shown on the development plan attached at Attachment E. The result for the Petitioners is that the two 15' setback lines converge to leave only the small triangle consisting of mainly marsh grasses adjacent to the shore for a docking facility as shown on Attachment E, which would not reach deep enough water for access by small shallow draft boats such as kayaks and jet skis, or even reach the water at all much of the time and would be entirely useless for reasonable water access. Consequently, the strict application of the rule deprives the Petitioners of their riparian property right to reasonable access to deep water, which constitutes an unnecessary hardship.
- (b) Do such hardships result from conditions peculiar to the petitioner's property such as the location, size, or topography of the property? Explain.

**RESPONSE**: Yes. These hardships result from conditions peculiar to the property, such as location, size or topography.

- 1) The hardship to the Petitioners is due to the property's location at the corner of a manmade finger canal which, though not unique, is unusual and is not a location to which the rule in question is designed to apply. Although the riparian line rule and setback works well for most lots on the coast, in this particular location for the reasons stated above, it obviously does not allow the lot in question riparian access for water dependent structures like floating docks that allow safe water access.
- (c) Do the hardships result from actions taken by the petitioner? Explain.

**RESPONSE**: No. The hardships do not result from actions taken by the Petitioners.

- 1) The hardships in question result entirely from the location and dimensions of the lot which have not been changed by the Petitioners since they purchased it.
- (d) Will the variance requested by the petitioner

- (1) be consistent with the spirit, purpose, and intent of the rules, standards or orders issued by the Commission;
- (2) secure the public safety and welfare; and
- (3) preserve substantial justice? Explain.

**RESPONSE**: Yes. The requested variance is consistent with the spirit, purpose and intent of the CRC's development standards; will secure public safety and welfare; and will preserve substantial justice.

- 1) The purpose of the riparian line rule is expressly to ensure that a development does "not interfere with the access to any riparian property". It should be emphasized that this purpose includes ensuring that the Petitioners' property as well as the adjacent properties has reasonable access to the water. It is the purpose of a variance to allow a just and fair relaxation of the strict application of a rule in circumstances such as these where the rule simply does not apply fairly and where the variance will not create a public safety or wetlands threat and produces a just result. In this case the Petitioners have carefully limited the proposed docking facility to a location and dimensions that allow them minimal access to the water while minimizing any interference to the corner neighbor's and allowing them safe access. As shown on Attachment E, the proposed docking facility will be approximately 36.5' from the Black's dock, so it has no effect on their water access, and it is 13' from the Williams' docket and aligned so that it does not interfere with their docking a boat at the waterward side of the existing floating dock, thus leaving them adequate access to the water.
- 2) The proposed alignment creates no safety or welfare threat
- 3) The proposed alignment preserves substantial justice by allowing the Petitioners their right to minimal riparian access by a docking facility that will accommodate very small boats and which does not interfere with the adjacent property owners' riparian rights. In fact, denying a variance in these circumstances would be contrary to the purpose of the rule in that it would deny Petitioners the access that the rule intends to protect and would be a substantially unjust outcome.



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### (PREPARED WITHOUT OPINION ON TITLE)

THIS DEED made this

day of May, 2019 by and between

### **GRANTOR**

Renewals, a NC General Partnership P.O. Box 157 Pinehurst, NC 28370

### **GRANTEE**

Harrison F. Eggleston and wife, Amanda B. Eggleston 175 River Ridge Road Eden, NC 27288

The designation Grantor and Grantee as used herein shall include said parties, their heirs, successors, and assigns, and shall include singular, plural, masculine, feminine or neuter as required by context.

WITNESSETH, that the Grantor, for a valuable consideration paid by the Grantee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, has and by these presents does grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the Grantee in fee simple, all that certain lot or parcel of land and more particularly described as follows:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

All or a portion of the property herein above described was acquired by Grantor by instrument recorded in Book 2359, Page 1237, Brunswick County Registry.

A map showing the above described property is recorded in Plat Book 6, Page 132 and referenced within this instrument.

The above described property does not include the primary residence of the Grantor.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the aforesaid lot or parcel of land and all privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging to the Grantee in fee simple.

And the Grantor covenants with the Grantee, that Grantor is seized of the premises in fee simple, has the right to convey the same in fee simple, that title is marketable and free and clear of all encumbrances, and that Grantor will warrant and defend the title against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever except for the exceptions hereinafter stated.

Title to the property hereinabove described is subject to the following exceptions:

1) applicable utility easements and rights of way of record, 2) all applicable governmental, zoning, and land use restrictions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has hereunto set his hand and seal, or if corporate, has caused this instrument to be signed in its corporate name by its duly authorized officer(s), the day and year first above written.

Renewals, a NC General Partnership	
By: Jala William McVay, General Partner	(SEAL)
	(SEAL)
STATE OF North Carolina country of	Bruswick
I certify that the following person(s) personally appeared before r signed the foregoing document: Robert William McVay, General my hand and official stamp or seal, this the 4th day of May, 20	Partner of Renewals, a NC General Partnership. Witness
My Commission Expires: 7/14/3037	Notary Public Of Howers
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SEA NOTARY RANGE	



Print Notary Name:

Renewals, a NC General Partnership

Ryan Johanson, General Partner

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the following person(s) personally appeared before me this day, each acknowledging to me that he or she signed the foregoing document: Ryan Johanson, General Partner of Renewals, a NC General Partnership. Witness my hand and official stamp or seal, this the \_\_\_\_\_day of May, 2019.

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public

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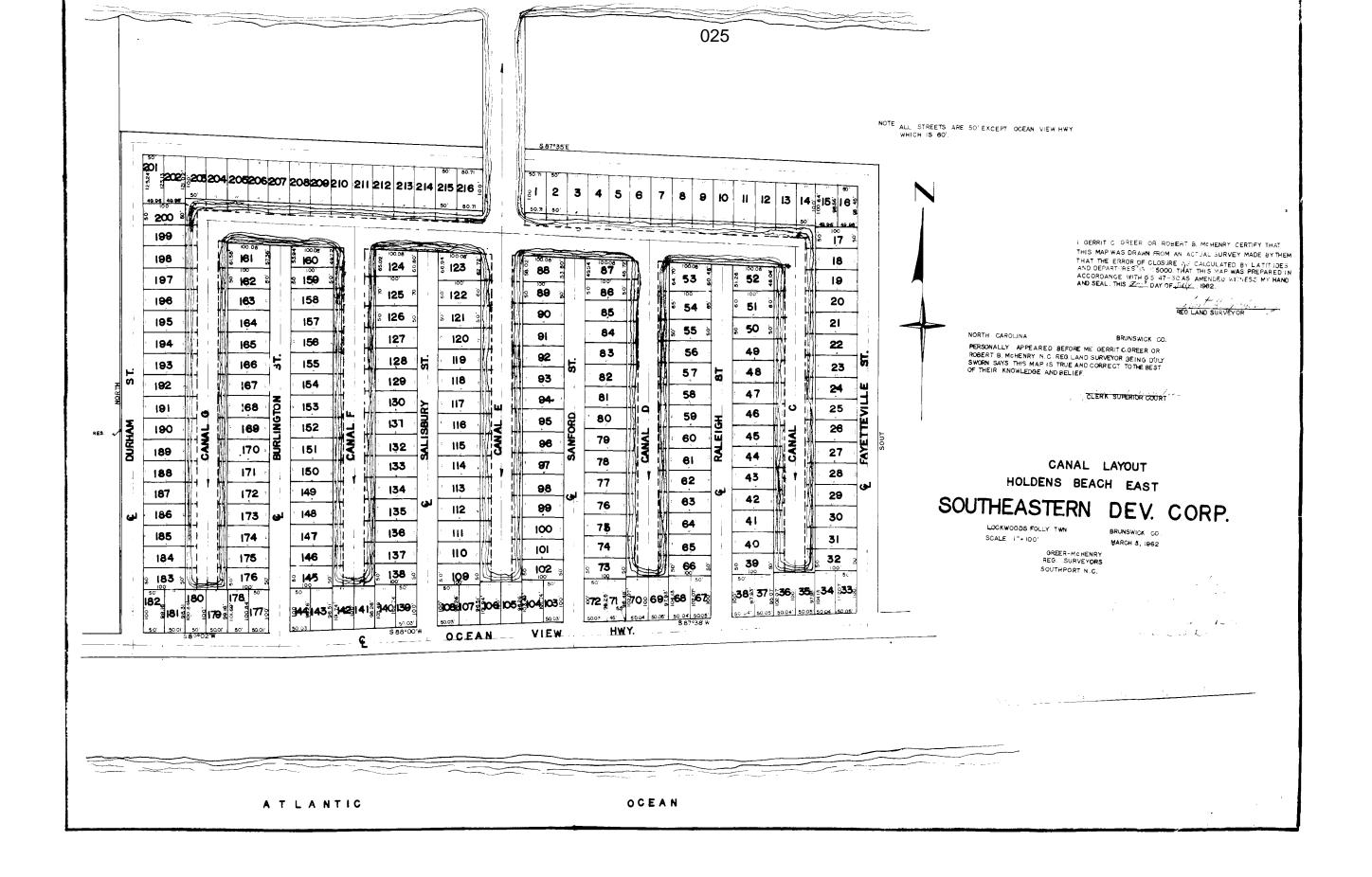
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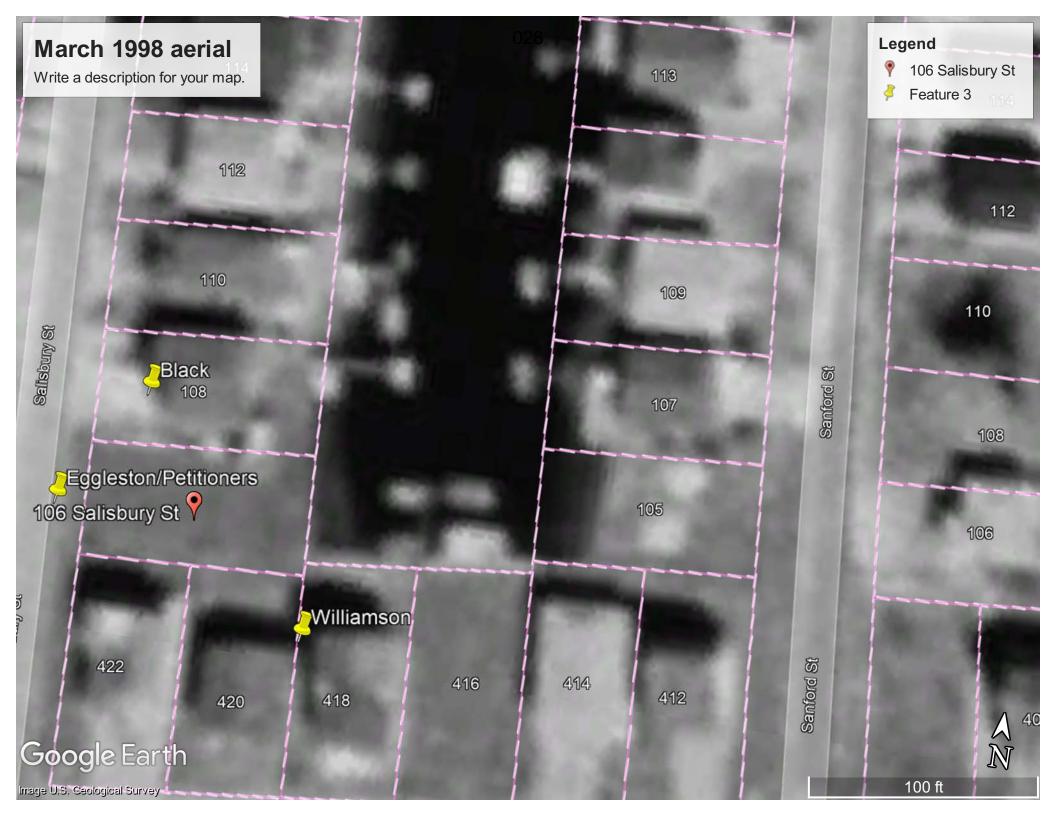


BEING all of Lot 109 of the Canal Layout of Holden Beach East, according to a plat thereof by Greer McHenry, R.L.S., dated 3 March, 1962, and recorded in Map Book 6 at Page 132, Brunswick County, North Carolina Registry, to which plat reference is hereby made for greater certainty of description.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED that this Deed is made SUBJECT to the reservations and restrictions as set out in full in the deed recorded in Book 224 at Page 335, Brunswick County Registry.



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Map Book 6 Page 132
106 Salisbury (Brunswick)
Applicant: Harrison Eggleston
Project: Eggleston Private Docking Facility
Scale: (NTS)







## Permit Appleation Report

Application ID	Application Type	Submitted	App Complete	Deadline	Decision	Expiration
PA-1263	DCM Major Permit	04-29-2024	04-29-2024	07-14-2024		

<b>Primary Appli</b>	Primary Applicant Information													
Applicant Type	Title	Busine	ess Name	Name		Email		Business F	Phone	Mobile Phone				
Individual	Mr.			Harrison Egglestor	1	egglestonhomes1@yahoo.com		336-613-7	982	336-613- 7982				
<b>Physical Addre</b>	ss				Mailing	Address								
Street 1	City	,	State	Zip	Street	1	City		State	Zip				
106 Salisbury S	t. Hol Bea	den ch	NC	28462	175 Riv	er Ridge Rd.	Eden		NC	27288	}			

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Applicant Type	Tit	le	Busin	ess Name	Name		Email		Business		Mobile		
											Phone		
Individual	Mr	s.			Amanda		egglestonhomes1@yah	noo.com	336-613-	7982	336-613-		
					Egglesto	n					7982		
Physical Address						Mailin	g Address						
Street 1		City		State	Zip	Street	1	City		State	Zip		
106 Salisbury St.		Holde	n	NC	28462	175 Ri	ver Ridge Rd.	ge Rd. Eden		Eden		nc	27288
		Beach											
<b>Additional Applic</b>	ant	Inform	ation										
Applicant Type	Tit	le	Busin	ess Name	Name	Name Email Busi		I Busines			Mobile		
									Phone		Phone		
Business/Company			CPG, I	LC.	CPG, LLC ben@coastalpermitguy.com 910-302-5		5725						
Physical Address						Mailin	g Address						
Street 1		City		State	Zip	Street	t 1 City			State	Zip		
PO Box 1661		Caroli	na	NC	28428	PO Bo	x 1661	Carolin	a Beach	NC	28428		
		Beach											

Registered Agent Information											
Agent Type	Title	Busine	ess Name	Name		Email		Business	Phone	Mobile	
										Phone	
Business/Company		CPG, L	LC	CPG, LLC		ben@coastalpermitg	uy.com	910-302-5	5725		
Physical Address					Mailin	g Address					
Street 1	City		State	Zip	Street	1	City		State	Zip	
PO Box 1661	Caroli	na	NC	28428	PO Box	< 1661	Carolin	a Beach	NC	28428	
	Beach										

			Project In	formation						
Project Name	Project Type			Disturbed Land Area (Sq Ft/Acres)						
Eggleston Private Dockir	ng Facility		Private/0	Community	0 Sq. Ft. / 0 Acres					
Is proposed project located in national registered historic district or national register listed/eligible: False										
List of previous state or fede	List of previous state or federal permits for work on project tract: N/A									
Project Location Information										
Address	Coun	ty	River Basin	Subdivision	County	Parcel ID	Latitude	Longitude		
106 Salisbury St Supply, NC 28462	Brunsv	vick	Lumber		231	MH015	33.91197	-78.29506		
		Pro	oject Discharge	s to State Waters						
Discharge Type		Surface Runoff	Sanitary Wastewater	Industry/Commercia Effluent		essel h Down	Residential	Other		
Wastewater/Stormwater Discharged Into Wetland?						n Proposed				
False False False										

### **Existing Man-Made Features:**

Bulkhead

### **Existing Land Uses:**

Vacant Lot with an existing bulkhead

### **Existing Wastewater Treatment/Disposal:**

Town of Holden Beach

### Solid Waste/Fish Offal/Trash Disposal:

Town of Holden Beach

### **Use and Daily Operations of the Project When Complete**

### **Proposed Development Purpose:**

The proposed docking facility would be used for recreational purposes including fishing, kayaking, and boating.

### **Buildings/Facilities/Units/Structures:**

9' x 6' Fixed Platform, Gangway, and 7' x 12' Floating Dock

### **Use & Daily Operations:**

Fishing, kayaking, boating, etc. (recreational use)

### **Construction Methodology & Equipment:**

Standard marine construction techniques for piling installation. Light foot traffic in the marsh and work from barge for water dependent structures.

### **Development Activities Narrative Specifics:**

The lot has an existing bulkhead and the proposed docking facility would include a fixed platform (9'x6') and a gangway leading to a floating dock (7'x12').

### **Application Narrative:**

The applicant is proposing a docking facility at 106 Salisbury in Holden Beach (Brunswick). There is an existing bulkhead on site and the proposed docking facility would include a fixed platform (9'x6') and a gangway leading to a floating dock (7'x12').

Boat Ramp Development Activity Included: False

Shoreline Stabilization Development Activity Included: False

Living Shoreline Development Activity Included: False

### Piers & Docking Facilities Development Activity Included: True

Docking Facilities Details									
Facility Use # of Tie Pilings Existing Slips New Slips									
Private/Community	0	0	1						

Piers & Docking Facility Structures									
Structure Type Length Width Quantity									
Fixed Platforms	9	6	1						
Floating docks	12	7	1						

Freestanding Moorings & Buoys Associated With This Docking Facility								
Structures Consistent With Water Use Plan								
False 0 0								
Buov Details: N/Δ								

Moorings & Buoys Details										
Mooring or Buoy										

Mooring or Buoy	Distance From Shoreline	Arc of Swing	Water Depth
Excavation Development	Activity Included: False		
Bridges & Culverts Deve	lopment Activity Include	d: False	
Oceanfront Erosion Cont	rol Development Activity	Included: False	
Temporary Structures De	velopment Activity Inclu	ded: False	
Utility Crossings Develor	oment Activity Included:	False	
Freestanding Moorings,	Buoys & Bird Nesting Pol	es Development Activity l	Included: False
Log Removal/Marine Del	oris Development Activit	y Included: Yes/No	
Navigational Aids Develo	opment Activity Included	: False	
Other Fill Below Water L	evel Development Activi	ty Included: False	

Stormwater Structures Development Activity Included: False

"Upland	Develo	pment"	Develo	pment A	ctivity	Included: False
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Energy Facilities Development Activity Included: False

Aquaculture Development Activity Included: False

Submerged Lands Mining Development Activity Included: False

### General Development Activity Details Required

General Development Activity Questions								
These questions are applicable if 1 of the following development activities are included in the project								
(Boat Ramps, Freestanding Moorings, Buoys & Bird Nesting Poles, Piers & Docking Facilities, Temporary Structures, Living Shorelines,								
	Shoreline Stabilization Submerged Lands Mining)							
Boat Type(s)			Typical Boat Length Other		Other Bo	er Boat Type (Describe)		
Open runabout; Non-motorized			17					
Adj Riparian Property Line #1 (Proximity of A		Adj Riparian Property Line #2 (Proximity of		Adj Riparian Property Line #3 (Proximity of				
Structure Nearest to Property Line)			Structure Nearest to Property Line) S		Str	Structure Nearest to Property Line)		
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Width of Water Body Water Depth @ Water Structure (NLW)		terward End of Water Depth @ Most Land		dward	Water Depth @ Most Waterward			
		W or NWL)	or NWL) Boat Slip (NLW or NW		/L)	Boat Slip (NLW or NWL)		
105		-1.5		-1.5		-1.5		
Navigational	Nu	mber of Number of Day I		Min Dista	Min Distance of Each Aid Placed		Max Distance of Each Aid Placed	
Aids Required	E	Buoys Markers		В	Beyond Shoreline		Beyond Shoreline	
False		·	·	·				

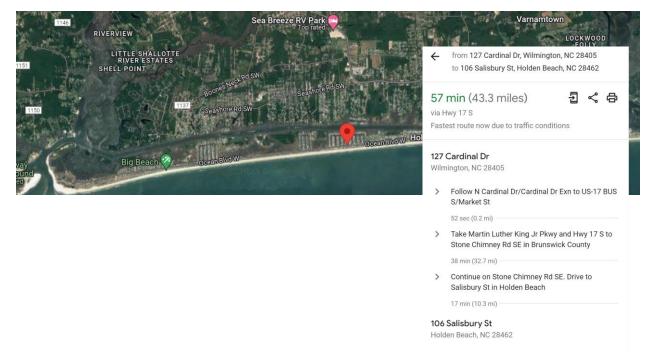
Marina Development Activity Details Required

### AGENT AUTHORIZATION FOR CAMA PERMIT APPLICATION

Name of Property Owner Req	uesting Permit: <u>H</u>	arrison and Amanda Eggleston				
Mailing Address:	175 River Ridge Rd.					
	Eden, NC 27288					
Phone Number:	336-613-7982					
Email Address:	egglestonhomes1@yahoo.com					
certify that I have authorized CPG, LLC & Glenn T. Dunn  Agent / Contractor						
to act on my behalf, for the pu	rpose of applying for	or and obtaining all CAMA permits				
necessary for the following pro	posed developme	nt: CAMA Major Permit				
at my property located at 106	Salisbury St. Parcel	231MH015				
in Brunswick County						
Division of Coastal Manageme	ent staff, the Local	ant, and do in fact grant permission to Permit Officer and their agents to enter n evaluating information related to this				
Property Owner Information:						
Harrison Eggleston (Dec 7, 2023 17:55 EST)						
Signature						
Harrison Eggleston						
Print or Type Name						
Property Owner						
Title						
12 / 7 / 2023 Date						
This certification is valid through	gh <u>12 /</u> 7 /	2024				

# 106 Salisbury St. (Brunswick) Eggleston Private Docking Facility Location Map

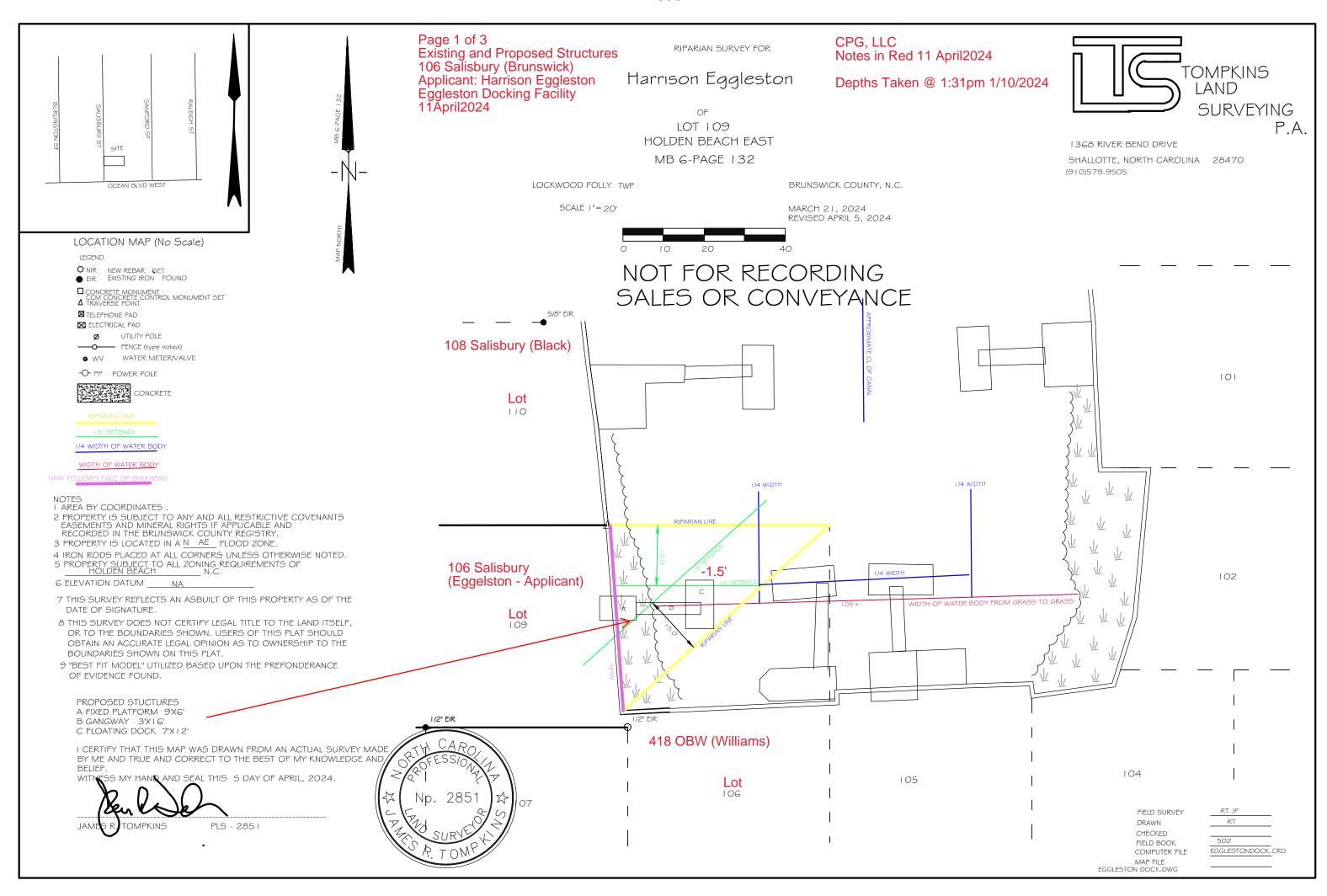




# \*Not a Survey CANAL E PNA: No Proposed 9' x 6' Fixed Platform Gangway Proposed 7' x 12' Floating Dock NLW CW CW CW CW -1.5' @ NLW

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Cross Sectional Proposed Structures
106 Salisbury (Brunswick)
Applicant: Harrison Eggleston
Project: Eggleston Private Docking Facility

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## DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT FIELD INVESTIGATION REPORT

- 1. **APPLICANT'S NAME**: Harrison Eggleston
- 2. **LOCATION OF PROJECT SITE**: 106 Salisbury Street, in a canal adjacent to the AIWW, in Holden Beach, Brunswick County.

**Lat:** 33.91221°N **Long:** -78.29475°W

- 3. **INVESTIGATION TYPE**: CAMA
- 4. **INVESTIGATIVE PROCEDURE**: Dates of Site Visit 1/31/24 Was Applicant Present No
- 5. **PROCESSING PROCEDURE: Application Received** 3/21/24 **401 Prefile Date** 12/7/23 **Complete** 4/29/24 **Office** Wilmington
- 6. **SITE DESCRIPTION**:
  - (A) Local Land Use Plan Brunswick County Land Classification from LUP –Residential
  - **(B) AEC(s) Involved**: PTA, EW, CW
  - (C) Water Dependent: Yes
  - (**D**) **Intended Use**: Private
  - (E) Wastewater Treatment: Existing -N/A Planned -N/A
  - (F) Type of Structures: Existing vacant lot with existing bulkhead Planned –construct private docking facility, with a total of 1 slip
  - (G) Estimated Annual Rate of Erosion: N/A

Source - N/A

7. HABITAT DESCRIPTION: [AREA]

	<u>DREDGED</u>	<u>FILLED</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
(A) Vegetated Wetlands (Coastal Wetlands)			30 SF shaded
(B) Non-Vegetated Wetlands (Open water)			84 SF incorporated
(C) Other (High ground)			24 SF incorporated

(**D**) **Total Area Disturbed**: 138 SF (.003 acres)

**(E)** Primary Nursery Area: No

**(F) Water Classification**: SA **Open**: No

**8. PROJECT SUMMARY**: The applicant proposes to construct a new docking facility with the construction of an access pier, gangway and floating dock for a total of one (1) formalized boat slip.

### 9. PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The project site is located at 106 Salisbury Street, on a canal adjacent to the AIWW, in Holden Beach, Brunswick County. The site is approximately 0.12 acres, and is vegetated primarily with ornamental grass. The lot is vacant, with no upland development currently on the parcel. The property has approximately 46ft. of shoreline along the eastern side, which is currently stabilized with an existing bulkhead. No permit history has been located for the existing bulkhead. Landward of the existing bulkhead, there is a strip of Coastal Wetlands, primarily Smooth Cordgrass (*Spartina Alterniflora*) that extends 10-15' to the east in a waterward direction.

Currently, the site does not have a docking facility, and a review of aerial photography does not indicate that a docking facility has been located on this property in the past. Prior to this CAMA Major Permit application, the applicant had previously submitted a similar CAMA General Permit application for a docking facility, which is included in the application materials. DCM staff were unable to issue a general permit for the development as the applicant had not obtained the necessary waivers to encroach into the 15' adjacent riparian corridor setbacks.

The Brunswick County Land Use Plan classifies the adjacent waters as Conservation. The waters of the AIWW are classified **SA** by the Division of Water Resources. This area **IS NOT** designated as a **Primary Nursery Area** (**PNA**) by the N.C. Division of Marine Fisheries and it is **CLOSED** to the harvest of shellfish.

## PROPOSED PROJECT:

9. The applicant proposes to construct a new docking facility with the construction of an access pier, gangway and floating dock for a total of one (1) formalized boat slip. According to the application materials, the applicant is proposing to construct a new fixed access pier (9'x6'), extending to the east in a waterward direction, from the center of the property. At the terminus of the proposed fixed pier, the applicant is proposing construct a gangway (16'x 3') which would extend in the same direction as the pier and provide access to a proposed floating dock (12' x 7') which would be oriented in a north/south direction, parallel to the shoreline, serving as slip #1 (See Page 1 of 3). According to the agent, the proposed floating dock would be located in water depths of -1.5' @ NLW within the canal.

According to the work plan drawings, the applicant's proposal is located within their riparian corridor, and landward of the ¼ of the width of the waterbody, which measures approximately 105' across. The proposed floating dock would encroach into **BOTH** adjacent riparian corridor setbacks, and the setback waiver **HAS NOT** been obtained from either adjacent riparian property owner (both neighbors have formally objected and refused to waive the 15' adjacent riparian corridor setback). According to the applicant, the proposed docking facility would encroach approximately 1.5' into the northern adjacent riparian corridor setback and approximately 15' into the southern adjacent riparian corridor setback.

## 10. <u>ANTICIPATED IMPACTS</u>

The proposed docking facility would incorporate 84 SF of Estuarine Waters and Public Trust Area. The proposed fixed access pier would disturb approximately 24 SF of High Ground within the Estuarine Shoreline AEC and shade approximately 30 SF of Coastal Wetlands. The proposed docking facility would be consistent with the pierhead line and landward of the ¼ width, but waivers **have not** been obtained for the proposed encroachment into both 15 ft. adjacent riparian corridor setbacks. This area is not designated as Primary Nursery Area, and the proposed floating dock would be located in water depths of -1.5' at NLW according to the applicant.

**Submitted by:** Patrick Amico **Date:** 4/30/24 **Office:** Wilmingto

Certified Mail Sent associated with 106 Salisbury Eggleston Docking Facility CAMA Major Application

2024







Objections from Adjacent Riparian
Property Owners associated with 106 Salisbury
Eggleston Docking Facility
CAMA Major Application

## 042 \*UPDATED REQUEST 30Jan2024

## N.C. DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT ADJACENT RIPARIAN PROPERTY OWNER NOTIFICATION/WAIVER FORM CERTIFIED MAIL : RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED or HAND DELIVERY

(Top portion to be completed by owner or their agent)

Name of Property Owner: Harrison and Amanda Eggleston
Address of Property: 106 Salisbury St. Holden Beach, NC 28462
Mailing Address of Owner: 175 River Ridge Rd. Eden, NC 27288
egglestonhomes1@yahoo.com Owner's email:Owner's Phone#: 336-613-7982
Agent's Name: CPG, LLC & Glenn T. Dunn Agent Phone#: 910-302-5725
Agent's Email: ben@coastalpermitguy.com
ADJACENT RIPARIAN PROPERTY OWNER'S CERTIFICATION (Bottom portion to be completed by the Adjacent Property Owner)
I hereby certify that I own property adjacent to the above referenced property. The individual applying for this permit has described to me, as shown on the attached drawing, the development they are proposing. A description or drawing, with dimensions, must be provided with this letter.
I DO NOT have objections to this proposalI DO have objections to this proposal.
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-OR-
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Signature of Adjacent Riparian Property Owner:
Typed/Printed name of ARPO: Julius Black
Mailing Address of ARPO: 2639 Torcross Dr. Fayetteville, NC 28304
ARPO's email: buddy@ceofayetteville.com ARPO's Phone#: 910-237-2345
Date: 2-1-2024 *waiver is valid for up to one year from ARPO's Signature*



Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>

## 106 Salisbury Neighbor Notification 30 Jan 2024

**Buddy Black** <buddy@cedfayetteville.com>
To: Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>
Cc: "Amico, Patrick J" <Patrick.Amico@deq.nc.gov>

Thu, Feb 1, 2024 at 2:54 PM

To all

From: Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>
Sent: Thursday, February 1, 2024 1:13 PM
To: Buddy Black <buddy@cedfayetteville.com>
Cc: Amico, Patrick J <Patrick.Amico@deq.nc.gov>

Subject: Fwd: 106 Salisbury Neighbor Notification 30 Jan 2024

EXTERNAL EMAIL

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## \*UPDATED REQUEST 30Jan2024

## N.C. DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT ADJACENT RIPARIAN PROPERTY OWNER NOTIFICATION/WAIVER FORM CERTIFIED MAIL · RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED or HAND DELIVERY

(Top portion to be completed by owner or their agent)

Name of Property Owner: Harrison and Amanda Eggleston					
Address of Property: 106 Salisbury St. Holden Beach, NC 28462					
Mailing Address of Owner: 175 River Ridge Rd. Eden, NC 27288					
egglestonhomes1@yahoo.com Owner's email:Owner's Phone#: 336-613-7982					
Agent's Name: CPG, LLC & Glenn T. Dunn Agent Phone#: 910-302-5725					
Agent's Email: ben@coastalpermitguy.com					
ADJACENT RIPARIAN PROPERTY OWNER'S CERTIFICATION (Bottom portion to be completed by the Adjacent Property Owner)					
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Signature of Adjacent Riparian Property Owner: <u>Flingsbeth Muse Williamson</u>					
Typed/Printed name of ARPO: Elizabeth Crace villiamson					
Mailing Address of ARPO: 466 Laurel Ridge Dr. Waynesville, NC 28786					
egracewilliamson@gmaii.com ARPO's email:ARPO's Phone#; 828-734-6958					
Date: 1/3   1/2024 *waiver is valid for up to one year from ARPO's Signature*					



Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>

## 106 Salisbury Neighbor Notification 30 Jan 2024

3 messages

Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>

Tue, Jan 30, 2024 at 12:18 PM

To: "egracewilliamson@gmail.com" <egracewilliamson@gmail.com> Cc: "Amico, Patrick J" <Patrick.Amico@deq.nc.gov>

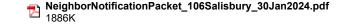
Hi Ms. Williamson,

Harrison Eggleston of 106 Salisbury in Holden Beach is applying for a docking facility (drawings attached). Would you please complete the neighbor form (Last Page) and return to myself and Patrick Amico of NCDEQ--DCM (also on this email). Thanks ma'am!

Ben

Coastal Permit Guy, LLC (910) 302-5725 Helping you get your work done!





Grace Williamson <egracewilliamson@gmail.com> To: Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com>

Cc: "Amico, Patrick J" <Patrick.Amico@deq.nc.gov>

Wed, Jan 31, 2024 at 12:45 PM

Hello Ben,

Please see the attached. I have objections to the proposal.

Thank you. Elizabeth Grace Williamson [Quoted text hidden]

#### **Grace Williamson**

Marketing Communications Consultant (828) 734-6958



Ben Brink <ben@coastalpermitguy.com> To: Grace Williamson <egracewilliamson@gmail.com> Cc: "Amico, Patrick J" <Patrick.Amico@deq.nc.gov>

Wed, Jan 31, 2024 at 1:08 PM

Thank you for your response Ms. Williamson.

Ben

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Objections from Adjacent Riparian Property Owners associated with Original CAMA General Permit Application 106 Salisbury Eggleston Docking Facility

## N.C. DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT ADJACENT RIPARIAN PROPERTY OWNER NOTIFICATION/WAIVER FORM CERTIFIED MAIL · RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED or HAND DELIVERY

(Top portion to be completed by owner or their agent)

Name of Property Owner: Harrison Eggleston
Address of Property: 106 Salisbury
Mailing Address of Owner: 175 River Ridge Road Eden, NC 27288
Owner's email: egglestonhomes1@yahoo.com Owner's Phone#: 336-613-7982
Agent's Name: Chambers Engineering, PA  Agent Phone#: 704-984-6427
Agent's Email: heather@ce-pa.com
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July 17, 2024

## CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

**DEN24-02** 

Electronic Delivery to: egglestonhomes 1@yahoo.com

Amanda and Harrison Eggleston 175 River Ridge Rd. Eden, NC 27288

RE:

DENIAL OF CAMA MAJOR DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

DEN24-02

106 Salisbury St.

Holden Beach, NC 28462

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston

This letter is in response to your application for a Major Permit under the Coastal Area Management Act (CAMA), in which authorization was requested to construct a new docking facility with the proposed installation of a 9' x 6' access pier, 16' x 3' gangway, and a 12' x 7' floating dock with (1) formalized boat slip. The subject property is located adjacent to Canal E off of the AIWW, at 106 Salisbury St. in Holden Beach, Brunswick County. Processing of the electronic application (PA-1263), which was received by the Division of Coastal Management's Wilmington Office on April 29, 2024, is now complete. Based on the state's review, the Division of Coastal Management has made the following findings:

- 1) The proposed project would involve development within the Coastal Wetlands, Estuarine Waters and Public Trust Areas of Environmental Concern as designated by the N.C. Coastal Resources Commission.
- 2) The project site is located on a corner lot along a manmade canal system adjacent to the AIWW.
- 3) Private, residential docking facilities currently exist at both riparian properties adjacent to the project site.
- 4) The proposed docking facility would encroach approximately 1.5' into the northern adjacent riparian corridor setback and approximately 15' into the southern adjacent riparian corridor setback. Setback waivers were not granted by either of the adjacent riparian property owners.



- 5) The N.C. Division of Water Resources issued a General Certification #4497 for the proposed work on May 23, 2024.
- 6) The U.S Army Corps of Engineers has authorized the proposed work by way of Regional General Permit 56 on June 13, 2024.
- 7) Based upon the above referenced findings, the Division has determined that the proposed project is inconsistent with the following rules of the N.C. Coastal Resources Commission, in accordance with the N.C. Coastal Area Management Act:
  - a) 15A NCAC 07H.0208(b)(6)(I), which states, "Piers and docking facilities shall not interfere with the access to any riparian property and shall have a minimum setback of 15 feet between any part of the pier or docking facility and the adjacent property owner's areas of riparian access. The line of division of areas of riparian access shall be established by drawing a line along the channel or deep water in front of the properties, then drawing a line perpendicular to the line of the channel so that it intersects with the shore at the point the upland property line meets the water's edge. The minimum setback provided in the rule may be waived by the written agreement of the adjacent riparian owner(s) or when two adjoining riparian owners are co-applicants. If the adjacent property is sold before construction of the pier or docking facility commences, the applicant shall obtain a written agreement with the new owner waiving the minimum setback and submit it to the permitting agency prior to initiating any development of the pier. Application of this Rule may be aided by reference to the approved diagram in 15A NCAC 07H .1205(t) illustrating the rule as applied to various shoreline configurations. When shoreline configuration is such that a perpendicular alignment cannot be achieved, the pier shall be aligned to meet the intent of this Rule to the maximum extent practicable as determined by the Director of the Division of Coastal Management"

Given the preceding findings, it is necessary that your request for issuance of a CAMA Major Permit under the Coastal Area Management Act be denied. This denial is made pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 113A-120(a)(8) which requires denial for projects inconsistent with the state guidelines for Areas of Environmental Concern or a local land use plan, specifically 15A NCAC 07H .0208(b)(6)(1).

If you wish to appeal this denial, you are entitled to a contested case hearing. The hearing will involve appearing before an Administrative Law Judge who listens to the evidence and arguments of both parties before making a final decision on the appeal. Your request for a hearing must be in the form of a written petition, complying with the requirements of §150B of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and must be filed with the Office of Administrative Hearings, 6714 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-6714, within twenty (20) days from the date of this denial letter. The requirements for filing a contested case can be found at http://www.oah.state.nc.us/hearings. Although OAH cannot give legal advice, any questions regarding this process should be directed to OAH at 6714 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-6714 or via telephone at 919-431-3000, including questions regarding the filing fee (if a filing fee is required) and/or the details of the filing process.



A copy of your petition filed at OAH must be served on DEQ's agent for service of process at the following address:

William F. Lane, General Counsel Dept. of Environmental Quality 1601 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1601

Please also send a copy of the petition to the attention of Tancred Miller, Director, N.C. Division of Coastal Management, 400 Commerce Avenue, Morehead City, NC 28557, so that your petition may be forwarded to the attorney who will be representing the Respondent in the contested case proceeding.

In the alternative, you may petition the N.C. Coastal Resources Commission for a variance to undertake development that is prohibited by the Commission's rules (Note- a Commission variance cannot be granted if your project was denied due to an inconsistency with a CAMA Land Use Plan or other statutory provisions of the CAMA or NC D&F Law). Applying for a variance requires that you first stipulate that the Division of Coastal Management applied the Rules properly in issuing this denial. Applying for a variance means that you agree that the legal restrictions are valid but request an exception to the restrictions because of hardships resulting from unusual conditions of the property. In seeking a variance, you are requesting that the Commission vary the rules at issue, and you must state how you believe your request meets the four criteria found at N.C.G.S. § I13A-120.1. To apply for a variance, you must file a petition for a variance with the Director of the Division of Coastal Management and the State Attorney General's Office on a standard form, which must be accompanied by additional information on the nature of the project and the reasons for requesting a variance. The variance request may be filed at any time but must be filed a minimum of six weeks before a scheduled Commission meeting to be eligible to be heard at that meeting.

You may either appeal the permit decision or seek a variance. These are two separate paths and cannot be pursued simultaneously. If the appeal of the permit decision is denied, you may still seek a variance. However, you may not first seek a variance and if that is denied attempt to challenge the decision to deny the permit. Information about both a permit appeal in the Office of Administrative Hearings and the Variance process may be obtained at https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/coastal-management/coastal-management-permits/variances-appeals.

Members of my staff are available should you desire assistance in the future. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Mr. Cameron Luck at (252) 515-5419 or Cameron.Luck@deq.nc.gov.

Sincerely,

Tancred Miller MM

Director, NC Division of Coastal Management



Ce: Greg Currey, Project Manager, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Wilmington, NC
 Christy Goebel, Asst. General Counsel, NC DEQ
 Michael Meilinger, 401 & Buffer Permitting Branch, NC Division of Water Resources,
 Wilmington, NC



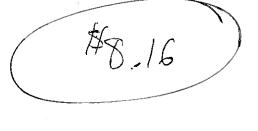
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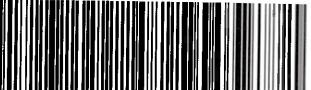


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August 29, 2024

H. Glenn Dunn Of Counsel D: 919.783.2842 F: 919.783.1075 GDunn@poynerspruill.com

VIA USPS

Julius and Phyllis Black 2639 Torcross Drive Fayetteville, NC 28304

RE: Notification of Eggleston Variance Petition

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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Black:

As attorney for Harrison and Amanda Eggleston, I am notifying you that the Egglestons have filed with the Division of Coastal Management a petition for a variance for a proposed dock at their property at 106 Salisbury (Lot 109), Holden Beach, Brunswick County, North Carolina.

Sincerely,

Glenn Dunn

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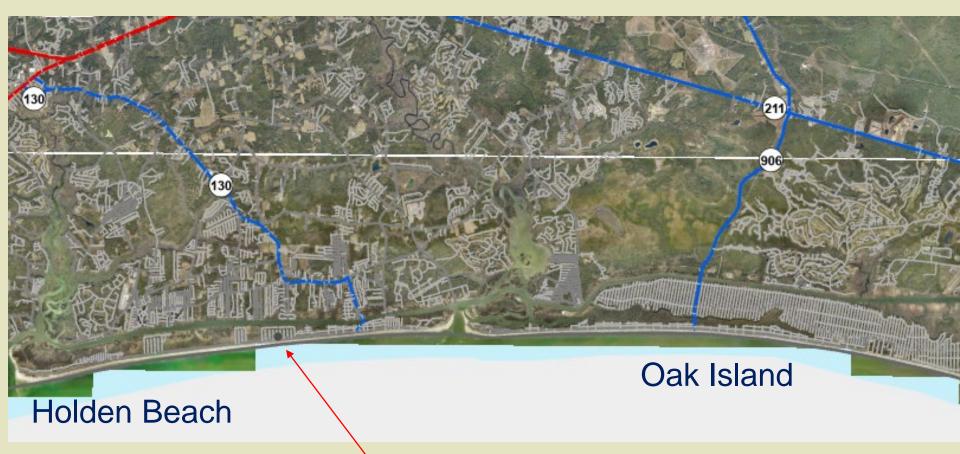
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**FAQs** 

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Holden Beach, Docking Facility





## **Project Site**

Image Source: Brunswick County Geographic Information Systems Image

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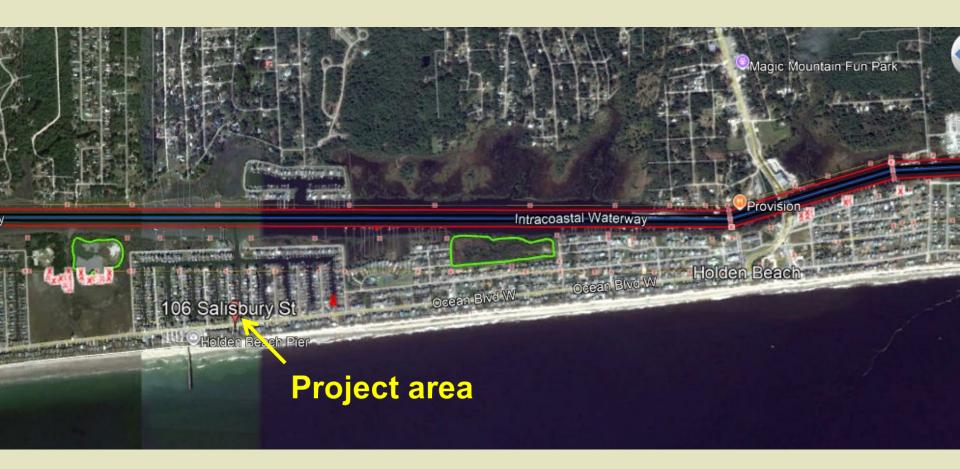


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## **Project Area**



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## **Project Site**



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## **Project Site Imagery**



Image taken from Salisbury Street, looking East Across 106 Lot Source: DCM Staff 9/25/24



## **Project Site Imagery**



Image taken from 106 Salisbury Street, looking East (Waterward) toward project area Source: DCM Staff 9/25/24



## **Additional Project Site Imagery**



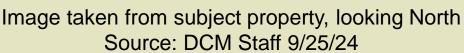
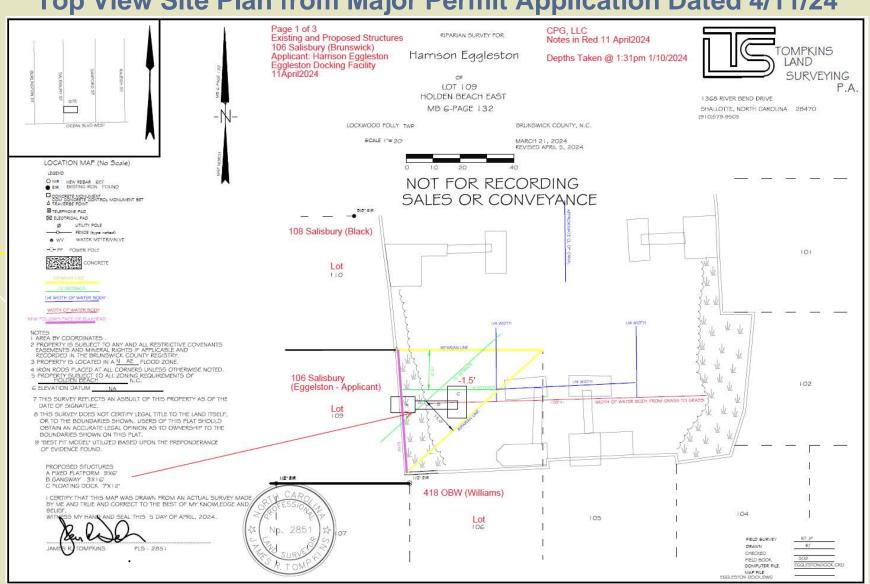




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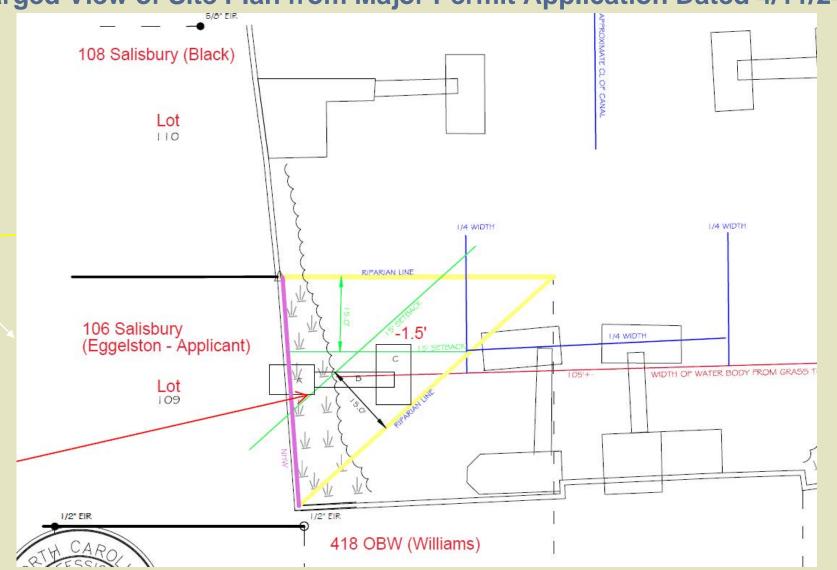


## **Top View Site Plan from Major Permit Application Dated 4/11/24**

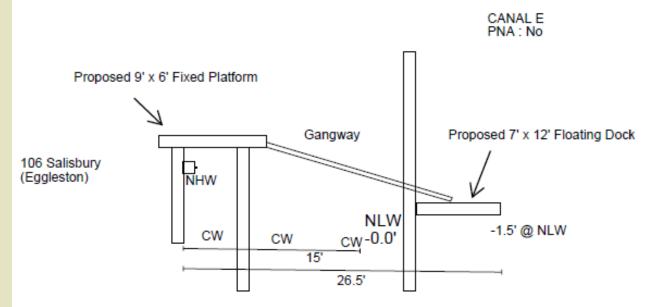




**Enlarged View of Site Plan from Major Permit Application Dated 4/11/24** 



# Cross Section Drawing from Major Permit Application dated 4/11/24



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Cross Sectional Proposed Structures
106 Salisbury (Brunswick)
Applicant: Harrison Eggleston
Project: Eggleston Private Docking Facility

## VARIANCE CRITERIA G.S. 113A-120.1

- (a) Any person may petition the Commission for a variance granting permission to use the person's land in a matter otherwise prohibited by rules or standards prescribed by the Commission, or orders issued by the Commission, pursuant to this Article. To qualify for a variance, the petitioner must show all of the following:
- (1) Unnecessary hardships would result from strict application of the development rules, standards, or orders.
- (2) The hardships result from conditions that are peculiar to the property, such as the location, size, or topography.
- (3) The hardships did not result from actions taken by the petitioner.
- (4) The requested variance is consistent with the spirit, purpose and intent of the rules, standards or orders; will secure public safety and welfare; and will preserve substantial justice.
- (b) The Commission may impose reasonable and appropriate conditions and safeguards upon any variance it grants.