

INTRODUCED: January 13, 2020

AN ORDINANCE No. 2020-021

To authorize the special use of the property known as 4647 Arrowhead Road for the purpose of a wildlife rehabilitation facility accessory to a single-family detached dwelling, upon certain terms and conditions.

Patron – Mayor Stoney (By Request)

Approved as to form and legality
by the City Attorney

PUBLIC HEARING: FEB 10 2020 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, the owner of the property known as 4647 Arrowhead Road, which is situated in a R-2 Single-Family Residential District, desires to use such property for the purpose of a wildlife rehabilitation facility accessory to a single-family detached dwelling, which use, among other things, is not currently allowed by section 30-404.2 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 17.11 of the Charter of the City of Richmond (2019), as amended, it has been made to appear that, if granted subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this ordinance, the special use granted by this ordinance will not be detrimental to the safety, health, morals and general welfare of the community involved, will not tend to create

AYES: 9 NOES: 0 ABSTAIN: _____

ADOPTED: FEB 10 2020 REJECTED: _____ STRICKEN: _____

congestion in streets, roads, alleys and other public ways and places in the area involved, will not create hazards from fire, panic or other dangers, will not tend to overcrowding of land and cause an undue concentration of population, will not adversely affect or interfere with public or private schools, parks, playgrounds, water supplies, sewage disposal, transportation or other public requirements, conveniences and improvements, and will not interfere with adequate light and air; and

WHEREAS, (i) the City Planning Commission has conducted a public hearing to investigate the circumstances and conditions upon which the Council is empowered to authorize such use, (ii) the City Planning Commission has reported to the Council the results of such public hearing and investigation and its recommendations with respect thereto, and (iii) the Council has conducted a public hearing on this ordinance at which the person in interest and all other persons have had an opportunity to be heard;

NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. **Finding.** Pursuant to section 30-1050.1 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, the Council hereby finds that the special use set forth in and subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance will not (i) be detrimental to the safety, health, morals and general welfare of the community involved, (ii) tend to create congestion in streets, roads, alleys and other public ways and places in the area involved, (iii) create hazards from fire, panic or other dangers, (iv) tend to overcrowding of land and cause an undue concentration of population, (v) adversely affect or interfere with public or private schools, parks, playgrounds, water supplies, sewage disposal, transportation or other public requirements, conveniences and improvements, or (vi) interfere with adequate light and air.

§ 2. **Grant of Special Use Permit.**

(a) Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this ordinance, the property known as 4647 Arrowhead Road and identified as Tax Parcel No. C002-0044/024 in the 2020 records of the City Assessor, being more particularly shown on a plat entitled “Plat Showing the Physical Improvements to Oxford on the James Lot 4, 4647 Arrowhead Road, Wayne R. Albrecht & Barbara G. Slatcher, 4th District, City of Richmond,” prepared by C.E. Duncan & Associates, Inc., and dated February 27, 2015, a copy of which is attached to and made a part of this ordinance, hereinafter referred to as “the Property,” is hereby permitted to be used for the purpose of a wildlife rehabilitation facility accessory to a single-family detached dwelling, hereinafter referred to as “the Special Use,” substantially as shown on the plat referenced above and on the plans entitled “4647 Arrowhouse Building Plan, Building Sketch,” and “8 X 16 Aviary Sideview,” both prepared by an unknown preparer, and undated, hereinafter referred to as “the Plans,” copies of which are attached to and made a part of this ordinance.

(b) The adoption of this ordinance shall constitute the issuance of a special use permit for the Property. The special use permit shall inure to the benefit of the owner or owners of the fee simple title to the Property as of the date on which this ordinance is adopted and their successors in fee simple title, all of which are hereinafter referred to as “the Owner.” The conditions contained in this ordinance shall be binding on the Owner.

§ 3. **Special Terms and Conditions.** This special use permit is conditioned on the following special terms and conditions:

(a) The Special Use of the Property shall be as a wildlife rehabilitation facility accessory to a single-family detached dwelling, substantially as shown on the Plans.

(b) The Special Use shall be regulated by the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries and shall only be operated by a person or persons licensed by such agency as Wildlife Rehabilitators. No rehabilitation for wild animals not designated on such Wildlife Rehabilitator's license shall occur on the Property.

(c) All building materials and elevations shall be substantially as shown on the Plans.

§ 4. **Supplemental Terms and Conditions.** This special use permit is conditioned on the following supplemental terms and conditions:

(a) All required final grading and drainage plans, together with all easements made necessary by such plans, must be approved by the Director of Public Utilities prior to the issuance of the building permit.

(b) Storm or surface water shall not be allowed to accumulate on the land. The Owner, at its sole cost and expense, shall provide and maintain at all times adequate facilities for the drainage of storm or surface water from the Property so as not to adversely affect or damage any other property or public streets and the use thereof.

(c) Facilities for the collection of refuse shall be provided in accordance with the requirements of the Director of Public Works. Such facilities shall be located or screened so as not to be visible from adjacent properties and public streets.

(d) Any encroachments existing, proposed on the Plans or contemplated in the future shall require separate authorization and shall be subject to the applicable provisions of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, and all future amendments to such laws.

(e) In all other respects, the use of the Property shall be in accordance with the applicable underlying zoning regulations.

§ 5. **General Terms and Conditions.** This special use permit is conditioned on the following general terms and conditions:

(a) No permit implementing this special use permit shall be approved until satisfactory evidence has been presented to the Zoning Administrator that any delinquent real estate taxes applicable to the Property have been paid.

(b) The Owner shall be bound by, shall observe and shall comply with all other laws, ordinances, rules and regulations applicable to the Property, except as otherwise expressly provided in this ordinance.

(c) Words and phrases used in this ordinance shall be interpreted to have the meanings ascribed to them by section 30-1220 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, unless the context clearly indicates that a different meaning is intended.

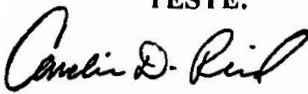
(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, this special use permit is being approved due, in part, to the mitigating effects of each and every condition attached hereto; consequently, if any portion of this ordinance is determined to be invalid for any reason by a final, non-appealable order of any Virginia or federal court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall cause the entire ordinance to be void and of no further effect from the effective date of such order.

(e) The privileges granted by this ordinance may be revoked pursuant to the provisions of sections 30-1050.7 through 30-1050.11 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, and all future amendments to such laws. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this ordinance shall constitute a violation of section 30-1080 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2015), as amended, and all future amendments to such law, or any other applicable laws or regulations.

(f) When the privileges granted by this ordinance terminate and the special use permit granted hereby becomes null and void, whether as a result of the Owner relinquishing this special use permit in a writing addressed to the Director of Planning and Development Review or otherwise, use of the Property shall be governed thereafter by the zoning regulations prescribed for the district in which the Property is then situated.

§ 6. **Implementation.** The Zoning Administrator is authorized to issue a certificate of zoning compliance for the Special Use subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this ordinance. An application for the certificate of zoning compliance shall be made within 730 calendar days following the date on which this ordinance becomes effective. If the application for the certificate of zoning compliance is not made with the time period stated in the previous sentence, this ordinance and the special use permit granted hereby shall terminate and become null and void.

§ 7. **Effective Date.** This ordinance shall be in force and effect upon adoption.

A TRUE COPY:
TESTE:

City Clerk

City of Richmond

900 East Broad Street
2nd Floor of City Hall
Richmond, VA 23219
www.richmondgov.com

Item Request

File Number: PRE.2019.567

O & R REQUEST

RECEIVED

4-9508
DEC 17 2019

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Office of the
Chief Administrative Officer

O & R Request

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY

DATE: December 11, 2019

EDITION: 1

TO: The Honorable Members of City Council

THROUGH: The Honorable Levar M. Stoney, Mayor (Patron: Mayor, by Request)
(This in no way reflects a recommendation on behalf of the Mayor.)

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THROUGH: Lenora G. Reid, Acting Chief Administrative Officer

THROUGH: Sharon L. Ebert, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer for Economic Development and Planning

FROM: Mark A. Olinger, Director, Department of Planning and Development Review

RE: To authorize the special use of the property known as 4647 Arrowhead Road for the purpose of a wildlife rehabilitation facility accessory to a single-family dwelling, upon certain terms and conditions.

ORD. OR RES. No. _____

PURPOSE: To authorize the special use of the property known as 4647 Arrowhead Road for the purpose of a wildlife rehabilitation facility within a single-family dwelling, upon certain terms and conditions.

REASON: The property is located in the R-2 Single-Family Residential District. In this district, the keeping or raising of domestic animals for noncommercial purposes is a permitted accessory use. However, a wildlife rehabilitation facility is not a permitted accessory use. A special use permit is therefore required.

RECOMMENDATION: In accordance with the requirements of the City Charter and the Zoning Ordinance, the City Planning Commission will review this request and make a recommendation to City Council. This item will be scheduled for consideration by the Commission at its February 3, 2020, meeting.

BACKGROUND: The subject property consists of approximately 1 acre of land containing a 3,200 SF single-family dwelling. It is located in the Stratford Hills Neighborhood within the City's Huguenot Planning District, on Arrowhead Lane, near its intersection with Oxford Parkway.

The proposed special use will consist of rehabilitation rooms attached to the rear of the dwelling and an aviary in the back yard. The nearest rear yard neighboring dwelling is located approximately 456 feet to the south. The next door neighboring dwelling is located approximately 173 to the east. The adjacent property to the west is vacant and the property line is approximately 120 feet away from the location of the proposed special use.

The City of Richmond's Master Plan designates the subject property for Single-Family (Low Density) uses. Primary use is single-family detached dwellings at densities up to seven units per acre. Includes residential support uses such as schools, places of worship, neighborhood parks and recreation facilities, and limited public and semi-public uses.

All properties surrounding the subject property are located within the same R-2 Single-Family Residential zoning district. The properties in the vicinity of the subject property all contain single-family dwellings.

FISCAL IMPACT / COST: The Department of Planning and Development Review does not anticipate any impact to the City's budget for this or future fiscal years.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS: Staff time for processing the request; preparation of draft ordinance; and publishing, mailing and posting of public notices.

BUDGET AMENDMENT NECESSARY: No.

REVENUE TO CITY: \$300 application fee

DESIRED EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon Adoption

REQUESTED INTRODUCTION DATE: January 13, 2020

CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING DATE: February 10, 2020

REQUESTED AGENDA: Consent

RECOMMENDED COUNCIL COMMITTEE: None

CONSIDERATION BY OTHER GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES: City Planning Commission
February 3, 2020

AFFECTED AGENCIES: Office of Chief Administration Officer
Law Department (for review of draft ordinance)

RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING ORD. OR RES.: None

REQUIRED CHANGES TO WORK PROGRAM(S): None

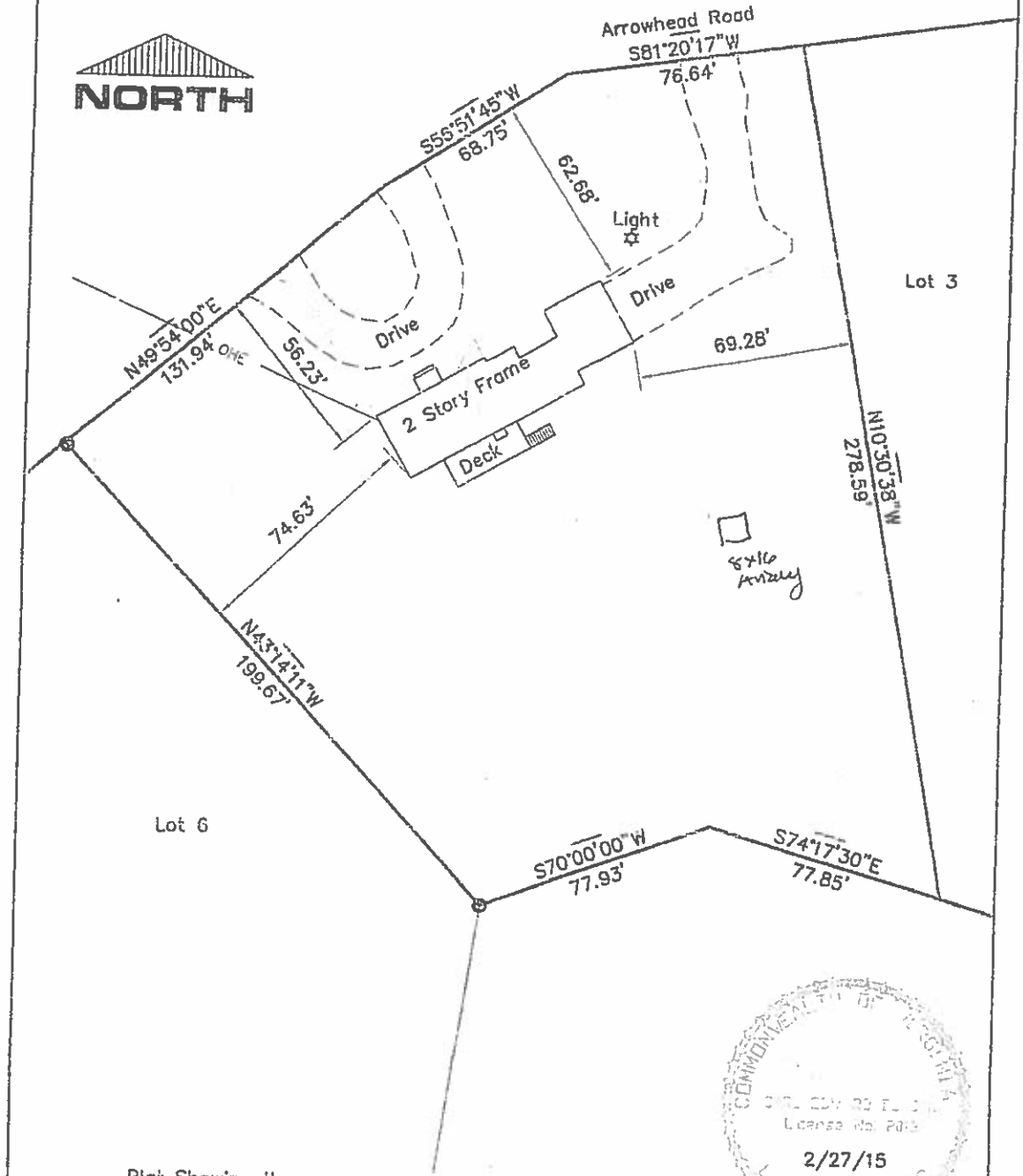
ATTACHMENTS: Draft Ordinance, Application Form, Applicant's Report, State Wildlife Permit, USFWS Annual Report, Plans, Survey, Map

STAFF: David Watson, Senior Planner, Land Use Administration, 804-646-1036

4647 knowhead Land Survey

I hereby certify that an accurate survey of the property was made on February 26, 2015 and that any encroachments are noted hereon. This survey was made without benefit of a title report and there may be encumbrances present that are not shown.

Carl E. Duncan, P.E., L.S.



Plat Showing the
Physical Improvements to
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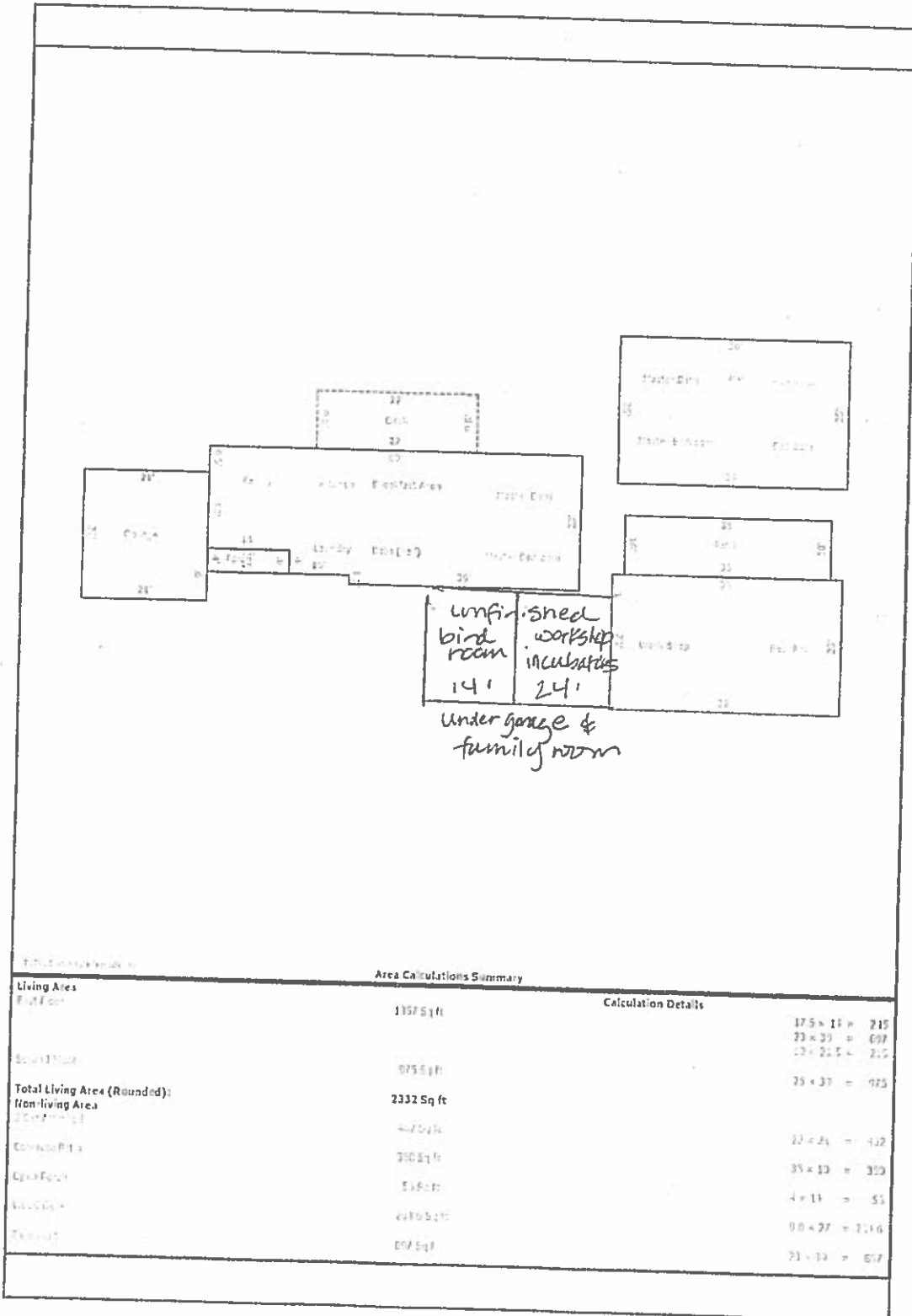
C. E. Duncan & Associates, Inc.
2808 Rocky Oak Road
POWhatan, VIRGINIA 23139
(804) 598-8240 Fax (804) 598-9240
DATE: 2/27/15 SCALE: 1"=40'
DRAWN BY: CED Job No.: 15-0125

4647 Arrowhead Building Plan

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Building Sketch

Owner:	Wayne Albrecht & Barbara Satcher		
Property Address:	4647 Arrowhead Rd		
City:	Richmond	County:	City of Richmond
State:	VA	Zip Code:	23235
Client:	Urban Leading Solutions Appraisals		



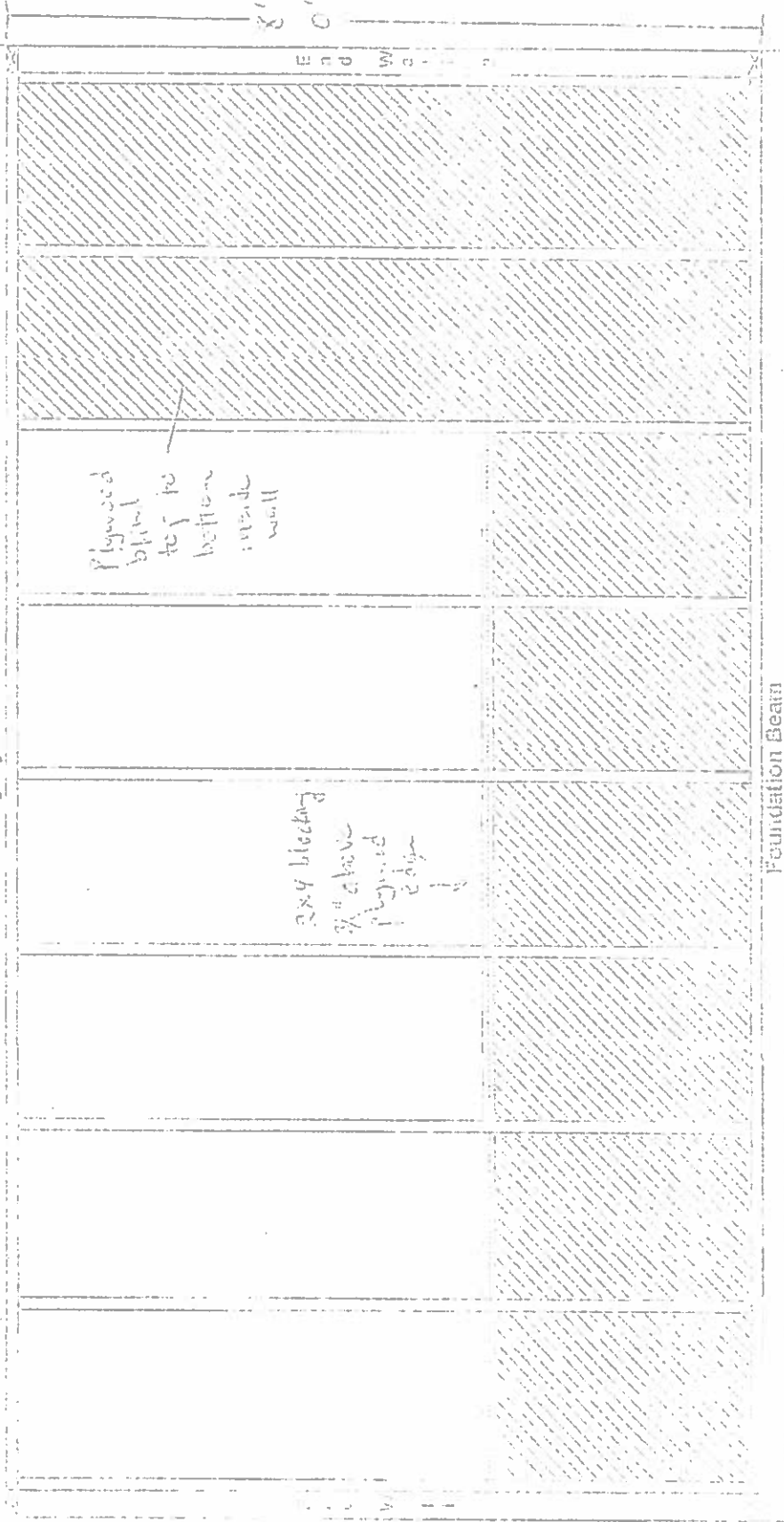
Area Calculations Summary		Calculation Details
Living Area		
First Floor	1357 Sq ft	17.5 x 14 = 245 23 x 23 = 529 12 x 21.5 = 258
Second Floor	975 Sq ft	25 x 37 = 925
Total Living Area (Rounded):	2332 Sq ft	
Non-Living Area		
Deck/Patio	447 Sq ft	22 x 21 = 462
Concrete Pkgs	390 Sq ft	35 x 10 = 350
Open Porch	546 Sq ft	4 x 14 = 56
Staircase	430 Sq ft	9.8 x 27 = 264.6
Garage	697 Sq ft	23 x 30 = 690

8 X 16 Aviary Side View

curved perforating wire blocking
→ (S.L.P.)

Side Wall 1

Ceiling Edge Joint



fiberglass window screen inside; 1/2" galvanized hardware cloth outside

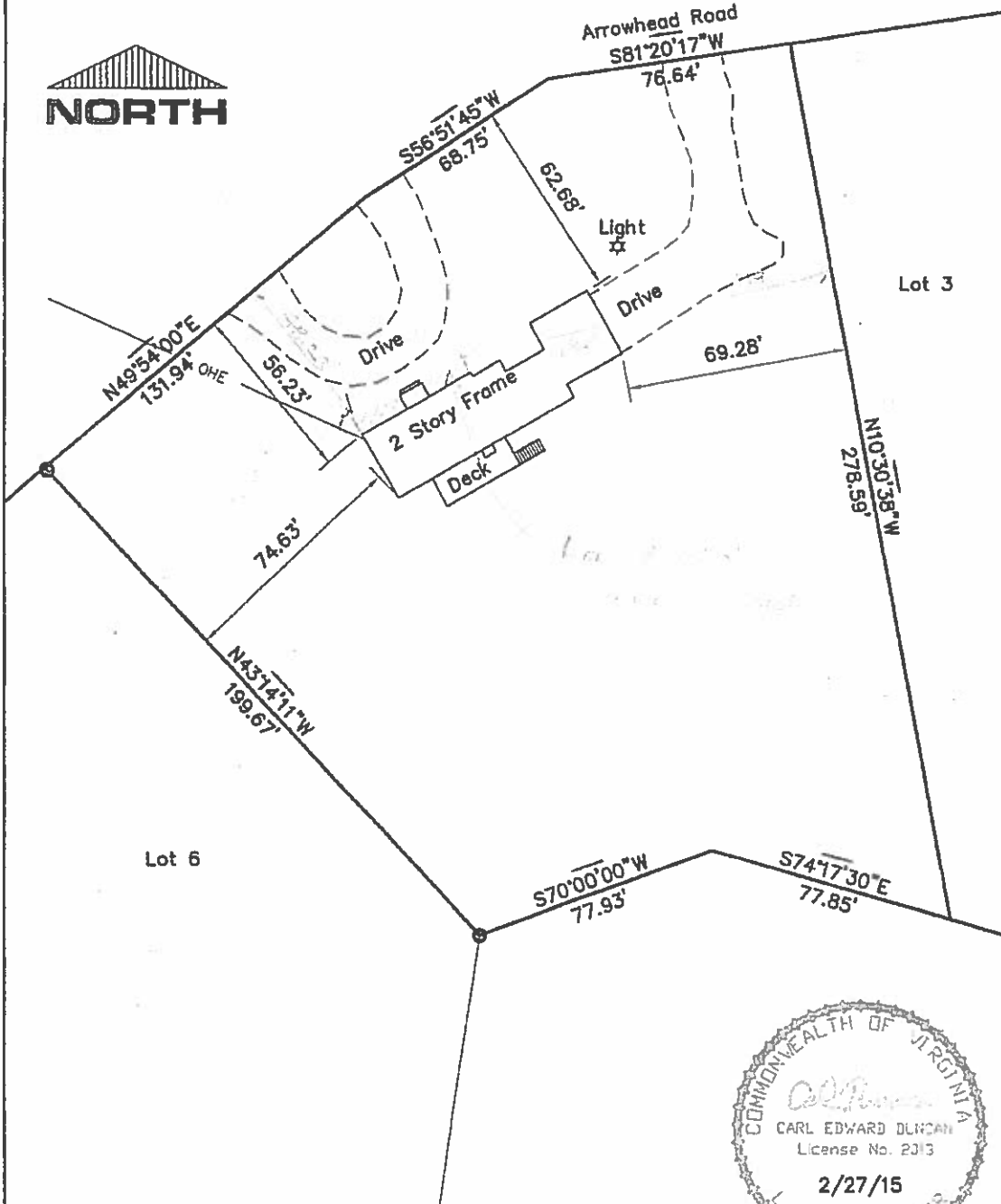
perforated lumber
curved perforating wire

15' 5"

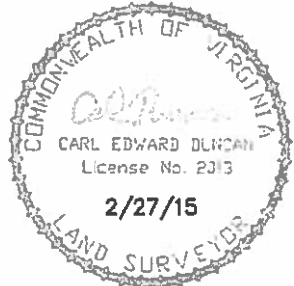
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Application for **SPECIAL USE PERMIT**

Department of Planning and Development Review
Land Use Administration Division
900 E. Broad Street, Room 511
Richmond, Virginia 23219
(804) 646-6304

<http://www.richmondva.gov/>

Application is hereby submitted for: (check one)

- special use permit, new**
- special use permit, plan amendment**
- special use permit, text only amendment**

Project Name/Location

Property Address: 4647 Arrowhead Road Date: 8/23/19
 Tax Map #: C0020044024 Fee: \$300
 Total area of affected site in acres basement room and 8'x16' outdoor aviary

(See **page 6** for fee schedule, please make check payable to the "City of Richmond")

Zoning

Current Zoning: residential

Existing Use: residential

Proposed Use

(Please include a detailed description of the proposed use in the required applicant's report)

Wildlife Rehabilitation - see attachment

Existing Use: _____

Is this property subject to any previous land use cases?

Yes No if Yes, please list the Ordinance Number: _____

Applicant/Contact Person: Barbara Slatcher

Company: _____
 Mailing Address: 4647 Arrowhead Rd
 City: Richmond, VA State: VA Zip Code: 23235
 Telephone: (804) 677-6676 Fax: ()
 Email: bgsletcher@gmail.com

Property Owner: Barbara Slatcher and Wayne Albrecht

If Business Entity, name and title of authorized signee: *[Signature]*

(The person or persons executing or attesting the execution of this Application on behalf of the Company certifies that he or she has or have been duly authorized and empowered to so execute or attest.)

Mailing Address: 4647 Arrowhead Rd
 City: Richmond State: VA Zip Code: 23235
 Telephone: (804) 677-6676 Fax: ()
 Email: bgsletcher@gmail.com

Property Owner Signature: *[Signature]*

The names, addresses, telephone numbers and signatures of all owners of the property are required. Please attach additional sheets as needed. If a legal representative signs for a property owner, please attach an executed power of attorney. **Faxed or photocopied signatures will not be accepted.**

NOTE: Please attach the required plans, checklists and a check for the application fee (see Filing Procedures for special use permits)

Richmond City Special Use Permit for Wildlife Rehabilitation

There are anywhere between 200-300 permitted wildlife rehabilitators in Virginia. We have to apply for an annual permit through the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries. Initial requirements to become a licensed wildlife rehabilitator are several hundred hours of actual training and course training (8 hrs/year), as well as a sponsor that will write a letter of recommendation, and a vet who will write a letter of recommendation and agree to help with diagnosis and treatment for injured animals. Our facilities (usually homes) are inspected by DGIF biologists. A bird rehabber also requires federal permitting. Wildlife rehabbers are listed on the DGIF website and sometimes have group affiliations and their own website or Facebook page. They can't charge for services, but can accept donations. The groups are non-profit affiliations to allow tax deductions for donations. Rehabbers generally have to do fund raising events or pay for supplies themselves. Everyone is a volunteer except at a couple of large facilities in Roanoke, Waynesboro and Blue Ridge. Rehabbers are assisted by animal control officers, police and vets with transporting injured animals, the general population usually transports orphans. Rehabbers work at least 12 hours a day to care and feed orphans, older animals are held, fed and treated for injuries or illness, usually for months. Wildlife Rehabilitation has 2 national organizations that provide best in class training, books, and requirements for care and housing (cage size, food nutrition) first aid and medical treatment are overseen by vets. The point of rehabilitation is to heal and raise animals in a way in which they can be released into their natural environments.

I have been a state permitted wildlife rehabilitator since 2011. In 2008 I started volunteering to help rehabbers with cage cleanup and intake, and started a non-profit, Phoenix: A Wildlife Alliance, to help the folks I was working with attract donations. I was a career marketer at the time. I stopped working in corporate marketing and started focusing on work in conservation and Boards. I got my wildlife permit to fill a huge need. Many more people are leaving wildlife rehab than coming in. It is getting more difficult and expensive. I was in Hanover County until four years ago, when I moved to Richmond City.

I am one of only a handful of licensed bird rehabilitators in the area and handle the majority of calls (about 20/day in the summer, 1 or 2 the rest of the year). I

take in birds from across the region, from Williamsburg to Fredericksburg and south to Dinwiddie. The maximum I can handle in a year is 180, which is really too many, many people I have to turn down. I have special cages and incubators in a couple of dedicated unfinished rooms in my basement. I have an 8'x16' aviary in the middle of my wooded back yard to prepare the birds for release. Baby birds can take anywhere from 6 weeks to 3 months to raise and release. Our house is 3200 sf plus the unfinished room, that has a door to the back yard. We have 1.2 acres that backs up to the James River Park, which is perfect habitat for the birds I release.

Home rehabilitators are primarily how wildlife is rehabilitated because wild animals don't do well in large facilities and each species requires specialized care and housing. This is especially true with birds. There are at least 300 different species of birds that live or fly through Virginia. Birds require more training to handle and very few people are willing to do it. In the baby season, hatchlings need to be fed every 20 minutes for 12 hours a day. I don't use volunteers because it is really easy to kill a baby bird or do harm. I spend about \$4,000 of my own money and take in donations to fund it. I do not keep animals longer than 3 months.

I was the only wild bird rehabilitator in the City of Richmond, although there are a few mammal rehabbers. This year DGIF told me I needed to get a Special Use Permit before I could get my wildlife rehab permit from them. After discussing with my City Council Representative, Kristin Larson, it was determined that there was only zoning for domestic animals in the City of Richmond so I would have to file for a Special Use Permit. I have not been able to rehab this summer, which left nobody in Richmond to take in wild birds. In addition to the general population, I have relationships with many of the local vets and animal controls who were left with no options this year.



REHABILITATION - ANNUAL REPORT
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Division of Migratory Bird Management



Return to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)

[Click here for Return Addresses](#)

[Click here to Apply Online](#)

Report Year: 2018

Report Due: 1/31/19

PERMITTEE: Barbara Slatcher PERMIT NUMBER: MB97855A
 ADDRESS: 4617 Arrowhead Rd PHONE NUMBER: 804-447-1198
Richmond VA 23235 E-MAIL: bgslatcher@gmail.com
 City State Zip Code
 Check here if reporting a change of name, address, or contact information

INSTRUCTIONS: Please type or print the information requested below for all migratory birds held under your permit during the report year, and return the completed report to the above address by **January 31** of the following year. Use of this form is not mandatory, but the same information must be submitted, including the signed certification statement. A supplemental sheet is available if needed. Do not include species other than migratory birds in your report. Filing an annual report is a condition of your permit. Failure to file a timely report could result in suspension of your permit. You must submit a report even if you had no activity during the year. Make sure you sign the certification at the end of the form. (Ref. 50 CFR parts 13 & 21)

DISPOSITION CODES: R=Released; T=Transferred; P=Pending; E=Euthanized; D=Died; DoA=Dead on Arrival.

A. BIRDS HELD OVER. Please list each individual bird that was held over from any previous report year for continued care, and provide the following information. For DISPOSITION, check appropriate column. Also complete section E for all Transfers.

Common Name (Enter eagles first)	Date Acquired	Nature of Injury	Disposition (check one)				Date of Disposition
			R	T	E	D	

B. NEW ACQUISITIONS. Please provide a summary of all birds acquired during the report year, categorized and subtotaled by species. The quantity in the Received column should equal the sum of the quantities in the Disposition column. Also complete sections D and E for Pending and Transferred birds, respectively. All birds, including birds reported in C, D, E, and F must be reported here.

Common Name (Enter eagles first)	Total Number Received	Disposition (enter quantity)					DoA
		Released	Transferred	Pending	Euthanized	Died	
Mourning Dove	3	1			1	1	
Wood Duck	1					1	
American Robin	36	16	3		1	16	
Barred Owl	2		2				
Carolina Wren	4	2				2	
Northern Mockingbird	5	2				3	
Common Grackle	16	6				10	
Tufted Titmouse	1					1	
American Kestrel	2		2				
Brown Thrasher	3	2				2	
Chipping Sparrow	1					1	
GRAND TOTAL OF EACH COLUMN (including for all supplemental sheets)	142	41	42	 	2	57	

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statement herein may subject me to the criminal penalties of 18 U.S.C. 1001.

Signature of permittee/Principal Officer. (No stamped signatures/Electronic signatures accepted)

Date of signature (mm/dd/yyyy)

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET - REHABILITATION ANNUAL REPORT - Year 2018 PERMIT NO. MB97855A Page

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Common Name (Enter eagles first)	Total Number Received	Disposition (enter quantity)					
		Released	Transferred	Pending	Euthanized	Died	DQA
White breasted nuthatch	1					1	
Blue Jay	6	4				2	
Eastern Bluebird	7	4	2			2	
Black capped chickadee	3					3	
Chimney Swift	22		17			5	
American Crow	2	1				1	
House wren	2					2	
Red bellied woodpecker	1					1	
Mallard duck	12		12				
Downy Woodpecker	3	3					
Canada Goose	1		1				
Scarlet Tanager	1	1					
Red Shouldered Hawk	1		1				
Gray Catbird	2		1			1	
Pine Warbler	1					1	
Brown Headed Cowbird	1					1	
Barn Swallow	1		1				
SUBTOTAL OF EACH COLUMN (Enter Grand Total on page 1)	67	12	35			20	



Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries

7870 Villa Park Drive, P.O. Box 90778, Henrico, VA 23228-0778

(804) 367-1000 (V/TDD)

Under Authority of § 29.1-412 & § 29.1-417 of the Code of Virginia



Wildlife Rehabilitator Permit

Permit Type: **Renewal**

Fee Paid: **\$10.00**

VADGIF Permit No. **061910**

Permittee: Ms. Barbara Slatcher Address: 4647 Arrowhead Road Richmond, VA 23235 Email: bgslatcher@comcast.net
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Home: (804) 447-1198
Office:
City/County: **Richmond City**

Business: **Phoenix: A Wildlife Alliance, Inc.**

City/County: **Richmond City**

Category for which Applicant is Authorized:

Category IIA

Other Permits Held

USFWS - Special Purpose Reha MB97855A-0

Animals Permittee is Prepared to Rehabilitate (at time of issuance):

<u>Description</u>	<u>ID Number</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>
Birds		
Raptors		

Permit Information:

If Category I, Name of Sponsor, if Category II, Name of Category I Permittees Under Your Supervision:

- This permit does not absolve the permittee of any responsibilities or conditions of any other federal, state, or local laws and regulations, including those that apply to threatened/endangered species.
- All wildlife possessed under the authority of this permit shall remain the property of the State of Virginia and under the primary jurisdiction of this Agency.
- The primary goal of the permittee is to return injured or orphaned native animals to their natural habitat, as quickly as possible, providing them with a reasonable chance to function and behave normally within its population and ecosystem.
- Wildlife undergoing rehabilitation shall not be displayed or exhibited.
- Only pre-immunized handlers will be permitted to handle high risk rabies animals (raccoons, skunks, foxes, bats, woodchucks).
- Applicants are responsible for reviewing, understanding, and complying with all wildlife rehabilitation permit conditions that were distributed to them and that may be listed on this permit. If an applicant has not received a copy of the comprehensive permit conditions, they must contact the Permitting Section at (804)367-9588. Failure to comply with permit conditions may constitute an offense and may also result in permit revocation.

Approved by:

Applicants may appeal permit decisions within 60 days of issuance. The appeal must be in writing to the Director Department of Game and Inland Fisheries

Title: **James E. Husband - Permits Manager**

Date: **2/13/2018**

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Permit Effective **2/1/2018** through **1/31/2019**

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