IN THE MATTER OF	*	BEFORE THE
CARROLL ISLAND ASSOCIATES, LP – LEGAL OWNER HOBBIE GUYZ, LLC T/A MIDDLE RIVER	*	BOARD OF APPEALS
HOBBIES – LESSEE PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING FOR THE	*	OF
Property located at 164 Carroll Island Road  15 <sup>th</sup> Election District; 6 <sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District	*	BALTIMORE COUNTY
13 Election District, o Councilmante District	*	CASE NO. 14-274-SPH

## ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This case comes to the Board on appeal from the Opinion and Order issued by the Administrative Law Judge dated August 18, 2014 wherein the requested Petition for Special Hearing pursuant to Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR), to approve temporary outdoor model car racing, on specific dates, in the shopping center parking lot, as an accessory use to a hobby shop was granted with conditions.

On September 15, 2014, J. Carroll Holzer, Esquire filed a Notice of Appeal on behalf of Kevin Arnold, Appellant/Protestant. The Petitioners were represented by Louis E. Grenzer, Jr., Esquire at the hearing before the Administrative Law Judge.

A hearing was scheduled to be held before this Board on Wednesday, January 7, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. and a Notice of Assignment was issued on October 9, 2014. On November 24, 2014, Mr. Holzer, requested a postponement of the January 7, 2015 hearing date as he was previously scheduled to be in Oral Argument at the Court of Special Appeals. Mr. Holzer's request for postponement was granted and a Notice of Postponement and Reassignment was issued rescheduling the hearing in this matter for Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

On January 27, 2015, Louis E. Grenzer, Jr., Esquire filed a Notice of Withdrawal of Appearance. Consent to the Notice of Withdrawal was signed by Gordon Ross, Member of Hobbie

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Guyz, LLC t/a Middle River Hobbies/ Carroll Island Associates, LP ("Hobbie Guyz").

On February 4, 2015, representatives of Hobbie Guyz, appeared at a hearing before the Board without an attorney. After much discussion, all parties and the Board agreed to postpone this matter to allow Hobbie Guyz, LLC t/a Middle River Hobbies to retain new counsel. A subsequent hearing was scheduled for Tuesday, April 21, 2015 at 10:00 a.m., for which a Notice of Postponement and Reassignment was issued on February 6, 2015.

On April 21, 2015, the Board convened at 10:10 a.m. for the rescheduled hearing. J. Carroll Holzer, Esquire, and the Appellant/Protestant, Kevin Arnold, appeared before the Board; however, no representative from Hobbie Guyz was present and no one from Hobbie Guyz called to notify the Board that its representative would be delayed. In open hearing and on the record, attorney for the Appellant/Protestant moved for dismissal because representatives from Hobbie Guyz failed to appear. Upon consideration of the prior postponements and representatives of Hobbie Guyz's failure to appear at the hearing and its failure to notify the Board that its representatives would be late, the Appellant/Protestant's Motion to Dismiss the Petition for Special Hearing was granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED this 30 day of 4 day of 4 day of 4 day of 5 day of 4 day of 5 day of 5 day of 5 day of 6 day of 7 day of 8 day of 6 day of 7 day of 8 day of 6 day of

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Any petition for judicial review from this decision must be made in accordance with Rule 7-201 through Rule 7-210 of the *Maryland Rules*.

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April 30, 2015

Mr. Gordon Ross, Member Hobbie Guyz, LLC t/a Middle River Hobbies - Lessee 164 E. Carroll Island Road Middle River, Maryland 21220

J. Carroll Holzer, Esquire 508 Fairmount Avenue Towson, Maryland 21286

RE:

*In the Matter of: Carroll Island Associates, LP – Legal Owner* 

Hobbie Guyz, LLC t/a Middle River Hobbies – Lessee

Case No: 14-274-SPH

Dear Mr. Ross and Mr. Holzer:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Order of Dismissal issued this date by the Board of Appeals of Baltimore County in the above subject matter.

Any petition for judicial review from this decision must be made in accordance with Rule 7-201 through Rule 7-210 of the Maryland Rules, WITH A PHOTOCOPY PROVIDED TO THIS OFFICE CONCURRENT WITH FILING IN CIRCUIT COURT. Please note that all Petitions for Judicial Review filed from this decision should be noted under the same civil action number. If no such petition is filed within 30 days from the date of the enclosed Order, the subject file will be closed.

Very truly yours,

Krysundra "Sunny" Cannington

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**Administrator** 

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See Attached Distribution List

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