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Peter L. Beilenson, M.D., M.P.H., Health Officer

June 30, 2008

Doug MacMaster  
6708 Old National Pike  
Boonsboro, MD 21713


RE: **Variance Approval**  
4240 Linthicum Road

Dear Mr. MacMaster,

The Department of Health has received your variance request dated June 17, 2008 for the above referenced property. This Health Department grants **approval** of the variance on the basis that the propane tank is down gradient from the well and located on the opposite side of the home. Approval of a building permit has been granted by this Department provided that the site plan submitted with the building permit application is consistent with the site plan approved under this variance request. Any deviations from the site plan submitted with the request will be subject to further review by this Department.

Any questions regarding this decision may be directed to the Well and Septic Program of the Howard County Health Department.

Respectfully,

  
Michael J. Davis, R.S.  
Assistant Director  
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cc: Steven Preller  
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June 17, 2008

Mike Davis  
Howard County Health Department  
7178 Columbia Gateway Dr.  
Columbia, MD 21046

Dear Mike –

As per our conversation earlier today, I am applying for a waiver for the buried propane tank location at 4240 Linthicum Rd., Dayton. The tank location is 85' from the nearest well, as shown on the attached drawing. In actuality, if the tank is placed beyond the 100' restriction line, it will then be in a low lying area. As a matter of fact, that location would make it much more susceptible to water flow issues, as opposed to the location marked on the drawing.

Please grant a waiver for this tank location.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DM", is written above the typed name.

Doug MacMaster  
Director of Sales & Business Development

