

Meeting Notice

TO: Board Members

FROM: Karl Gustafson Jr.

DATE: August 11th, 2025

RE: Planning Board Meeting

The regular meeting of the Montgomery County Planning Board is scheduled for <u>Monday, August 11th, 2025 at 5:30 p.m.</u> at the Montgomery County Business Development Center, 113 Park Drive, Fultonville, NY.

Please call Karl at (518) 853-8334 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. if you have any questions.

cc: The Recorder

Montgomery Co. Legislature

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MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 11, 2025

5:30 PM – Montgomery County Business Development Center

I.	Pledge	of All	legiance

- II. Role Call
- III. Adoption of Agenda
- IV. Approval of previous meeting minutes
- V. Public comments on agenda items (3 minute limit per person)
- VI. City of Amsterdam Site Plan Review
- VII. Town of Mohawk Area Variance
- VIII. Town of Mohawk- Area Variance
- IX. Any other business

Montgomery County Planning Board Meeting Minutes June 9th, 2025 ag held in MCRDC 113 Park Drive Fultonyi

(meeting held in MCBDC, 113 Park Drive, Fultonville)

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mark Hoffman, Chairman
Peter Lyden, Member
Angela Frederick, Member
Irene Collins, Member
David Wiener, Vice Chairman
Frank Szykowski, Member
Frank Maphia, Member
Betty Sanders, Alternate
Wayne DeMallie, Alternate

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Alex Kuttesch, Senior Planner Karl Gustafson Jr., Grant Assistant Andrew Santillo, Staff Assistant

ABSENT:

Erin Covey, Member

OTHERS PRESENT:

Grant Eggleston- Code Enforcement, City of Amsterdam Henry Araujo- Town of Mohawk Zoning Board

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mark Hoffman at 6:31 p.m.

II. Roll Call

The roll call of board members was done by Chairman Hoffman.

III. Adoption of the Agenda

Irene Collins made a motion to adopt the agenda, Angela Frederick seconded. All members present were in favor.

IV. Approval of Previous Meeting's Minutes

Frank Szykowski made a motion to accept previous meeting minutes, Peter Lyden seconded the motion. The previous minutes were approved.

V. Public Comment

No public comment.

VI. City of Amsterdam- Site Plan Review

Alex Kuttesch explained that this referral is a site plan review from the City of Amsterdam. The project is located on 2 separate parcels, on East Main Street. The project is a community center, with basketball courts. The building is roughly 10,000 square feet. The second parcel is behind the project for parking lot to service this facility. Grant Eggleston explained that the community center is not allowable in a commercial corridor zone, so they will need a special use permit and site plan review for the project.

Angela Frederick made a motion to approve the referral, seconded by Peter Lyden. Irene Collins abstained. All were in favor.

The referral was approved.

VII. Town of Mohawk- Area Variance

Alex Kuttesch explained that this is an area variance from the Town of Mohawk. The property is located on Route 30a. The owner is starting a used car business out of their residence. The applicant is requesting a variance for the allotted size required for a used car dealership. The allowed building size for a used car dealership is 30,000sf, the applicant has a 17,000sf building. Henry Aaujo explained that there will be only one car located on premises at tall times. Henry also stated that there will be no car carriers dropping cars off at the house, the cars must be driven to the house and driven from the house.

David Wiener made a motion to approve, Seconded by Irene. Mark Hoffman abstained. All were in favor.

The referral was approved.

VIII. Town of Canajoharie- Special use Permit

Alex Kuttesch explained that the Town of Canajoharie is looking to relocate their town hall to 209 Erie Boulevard in the Village of Canajoharie. The building is currently an insurance building. The Town needed a special use permit to allow a municipal building in the current zone. The current building is located on Mitchell Street and is not handicapped accessible, the building is old and dilapidated, so these are the reasons why the Town of Canajoharie is looking to move.

Angela Frederick made a motion to approve the referral, seconded by Frank Szykowski. Peter Lyden abstained. All were in favor.

The referral was approved.

IX. Other Business

Frank Maphia brought up to the board about moving meetings from Monday nights. The board members were not in favor of that, but they were in favor of moving the meetings time up from 6:30 to 5:30.

Frank Szykowski made a motion to approve moving the meeting time to 5:30, seconded by Irene Collins. All were in favor.

The meeting time was moved.

X. Adjournment

David Wiener made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 p.m., seconded by Betty Sanders. All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Karl Gustafson Jr.

Economic Development Grant Assistant

REFERRAL FORM

MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

Referral Number_

assigned by the MCPB upon acceptance of referral for review

This Referral must be received SEVEN CALENDAR DAYS prior to the MCPB meeting date in order for it to be placed on the agenda.

TO:		unicipal Board:
	, and the second	eferring Officer:ail original resolution to:
	Phone: 518-853-8334	an original resolution to
	Fax: 518-853-8336	
1.	1. Applicant: 2. Site Address:	
3.	3. Tax Map Number(s):	4. Acres:
5.	5. Is the site currently serviced by public water? Yes	No
6.	6. On-site waste water treatment is currently provided by: Pu	blic Sewer or Septic System
7.	7. Current Zoning: 8. Current Lan	nd Use:
9.	9. Project Description:	
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10.	10. MCPB Jurisdiction:	
	☐ Text Adoption or Amendment ☐ Site is located within 5	500' of:
	a municipal boundary.	(Specify by Name)
	Check a State or County thruway/highway/roadway	
	All an existing or proposed State or County park/recreation area	
	Apply an existing of proposed County-owned stream of dramage cha	
	a State or County-owned parcel on which a public building or	
	a farm operation within an Agricultural District (Incl. Ag data	
11.	11. PUBLIC HEARING: Date: Time:	Location:
	Referred Action(s) If referring multiple, related actions, please identify the referring m	unicipal board if different from above.
12.	12. Text Adoption or Amendment Re	ferring Board:
	Comprehensive Plan Local Law Zoning Ordinance	Other
13.	13. Zone Change Re	ferring Board:
Prop	Proposed Zone District:	Number of Acres:
Purp	Purpose of the Zone Change:	_
14.	14. Site Plan Project Site Review Re	ferring Board:
Prop	Proposed Improvements:	
Prop	Proposed Use:	
Wil	Will the proposed project require a variance?	No Type: Area Use
	Specify:	
Is a	Is a State of County DOT work permit needed? If Yes: State	te or County No
	Specify:	

15. Special Permit	Referring Board:
Section of local zoning code that requires a special permit fo	r this use:
Will the proposed project require a variance?	s
16. Variance	Referring Board:
☐ Area ☐ Use	
Section(s) of local zoning code to which the variance is being	g sought:
Describe how the proposed project varies from the above coo	de section:
SEQR De	etermination
Action: Finding	g:
☐ Type I	☐ Positive Declaration – Draft EIS
Check Type II	 Conditional Negative Declaration
One Unlisted Action	☐ Negative Declaration
☐ Exempt	☐ No Finding (Type II Only)
SEQR determination made by (Lead Agency):	Date:
REQUIRED	MATERIAL
Send 13 copies of a "Full Statement of the Proposed Action	on" which includes:
All materials required by and submitted to the referring body	as an application
• If submitting site plans, please submit only 1 large se	et of plans, and 12 11x17 packets.
 All material may be submitted digitally as well at 	

This side to be completed by Montgomery County Planning.

REFERRAL FORM MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

TO:		
Montgomer		on Please be advised that the viewed the proposal stated on the opposite side of this ving recommendation.
	Approves	
	Approves (with Modification)	
	Disapproves:	
	No significant County-wide o	r inter-community input
	Not subject to Planning Board	review
	Took no action	
	<u>-</u>	v requires that within thirty days after final action by the on shall be filed with the County Planning Board.
Date		Kenneth F. Rose, Director Montgomery County Dept. of Economic Development and Planning



CITY OF AMSTERDAM PLANNING COMMISSION

AMSTERDAM CITY HALL 61 CHURCH STREET AMSTERDAM, NEW YORK 12010 PHONE (518)841-4319 FAX (518)841-4310

Office Use Only:

Application #25-20 P

Date Received 7-8-25

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PLANNING COMMISSION APPLICATION All fields must be printed clearly or timed

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MSITE PLAN REVIEW □SF	PECIAL USE PERMIT	□SUBDIVISION	N OF LAND	KETCH PLAN	CONFERENCE
PROJECT NAME: Roll	· O PANTRU	CORPORAT	FION		
TROJECT NAME	a mining		7074		
PROJECT ADDRESS: Number	7 Market	Street	S/B/L:	55-35	-1-13
Which Zoning District is the project	et located within?				
☐Low Density Neighbor	rhood	sity Neighborhood	☐Medical Residential	Neighborhood	25057777055
Downtown Core	□Employment	District	☐Commercial Corrido	r Defin	adustrial District
Is the property located within the F	orm-Based Code overlay zone	?	¥es □No	п	IL 0 8 2025
Is the property located within the C	reenway Corridor Overlay zon	ne?	DYes □No	30	VE 0 0 7073
Is the property located within the C	łateway Overlay zone?		□Yes ZNo	OITM	
Is the property located within 500 f	eet of the Montgomery County	y referral buffer zone?	□ Yes □No	CITY OF	AMSTERDAM
Is the property located within 500 f	eet of a State of County highw	ay?		CITY CL	ERK'S OFFICE
APPLICANT NAME*: Roy	al PANTRY	Corporatio	n AS Ten	raset	
*Applicant must be either the owner of he	property to be developed or used, or be	e a party with a purchase agr	eement for the property. A copy	of the purchase agree	ment must be attached.
Address: 47	Market S.	+ XI	nsteedam	NY	120/0
Phone No. 929 513	7568 Fax	Email P	sualpontryc	DRACTOR	a mail con
OWNER NAME: 47-49		Cand Trust	1-9	100	
Address: 734 F	ranklin Avenue	Saite 232	Garden City	MY	11530
Phone No. 917 4	02 0425 Street	Email	City City	weil cer	Zip
ATTORNEY/ AGENT: SA/V	Atros Fealow	20	LIN FORd brozen	jR	
Address: 20 Cox	mante Woods	B110	AZBANII	N	12211
Number	Street	9100	City	State	Zip
Phone No. 518.228 If there are additional applicants/owner.		Email	We Con STITUTE	x mare	com
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Who will be the PRIMARY conta	act person? Applicant	Owner BAgent			
PROVIDE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION	ON OF THE PROJECT:				
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see attached					

All items on the list must be included with the Site Plan Applicat	tion
Photographs of the property	
Aerial view of the property (Google Earth or similar) with	ith the project location indicated
Environmental assessment form. An application for s	site plan review and approval shall also be accompanied by a short of full EAP as
required by SEQRA, Article 8 of the Environmental Cons	servation Law and Title 6 Part 617 NYCRR.
A CERTIFIED DRAWING INCLUDING THE FOLLOWIN	
	of applicant and person(s) responsible for preparation of such drawing.
North arrow, scale and date.	Transfer to proportion of such drawing.
Accurate boundaries of the property plotted to	scale, showing location & names of adjacent streets, access to adjacent streets, existing
buildings and other improvements (identify use of e	each building), and site coverage statistics
Preliminary drawings showing location, propos	sed use and height of all huildings including:
General floor plans	and me.g.a. of an oundings, memoring.
Exterior elevations	
Overall dimensions	
Design and exterior materials	
Existing/proposed pedestrian & bicyclist accom	nodations
Location of outdoor storage for equipment and i	rnartials if any
Existing/proposed parking & circulation, includ	ling
	including accessible spaces, as required by Chapter 250, Section 39
Bicycle parking	thorndaming accessione spaces, as required by Chapter 250, Section 39
Location of off-street loading	
Fencing and/or screening	
Landscaping	
Outdoor lighting	
Signage, showing the following:	
Placement on the building	
Size	
Colors	
Material	
Illumination	
cknowledgement. The undersigned acknowledges that he or saiver request with a narrative justification for each item not su	she has provided all information and materials required herein or provided a written
pplicant Signature:	Date 7/8/2025
D '11' 10' ' 00' '	End
Building/Zoning official receiving application:	Cgelstan Date 7-8-25



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AMSTERDAM CITY HALL 61 CHURCH STREET AMSTERDAM, NEW YORK 12010 PHONE (518)841-4319 FAX (518)841-4310

Application :	#	

SITE PLAN APPLICATION

A "Planning Commission Application" as	t FLAN AFI		st be submitted with this	form.
ADDRESS OF SITE: 47 Market		Bull Ponty	Connunt	tion
P O And Number A Street	1 0	Name of Business/I	nant	м/С
APPLICANT'S NAME*	U By COL	enett Flink		Date
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE*				
*Applicant must be either the owner of the property to be developed or	r used, or be a party with a p	1 A		agreement must be attached.
Address: Number Street	rogelion	see belo	W State	Zip
Phone No. Fax	1	Email	State	Zup
ONTACT PERSON: EVERETH Flint				
Address: 47 Market		Amsterdam	M	12010
Number CC3 2C/3 Street		City	1 te	Zip
Phone No. 727 NO 1560 Fax	A 1.	Email Reyou par	They corped	grand, com
AME OF PRESENT PROPERTY OWNER: 47-74	Market.	the land	laust	<u> </u>
Address: 734 Trankin Ax	2 Suite 2	32 Gardon (ity NY	11530
Number Street		City	Sta	Zip
ROPOSED USE: (Check where applicable and provide	gross floor area for ea	ich use – including basen	nent areas)	
Use Gross Flo		se	Gross Floor	Area
Medical Office	sq. ft	Wholesale Business		sq. ft.
General Office	sq. ft	Warehouse/ Distributi	on	sq. ft.
Retail Sales	sq. ft	Manufacturer		sq. ft.
Convenience Store	sq. ft	Fast Food		sq. ft.
Apartments units	sq. ft	Restaurant, Barroom		sq. ft.
Motel, Hotel rooms	sq. ft.	If restaurant or ba	A []	
Storage	sq. ft.	Other (specify) wa	PANTAY	sq. ft.
rea of Parcel 165% Acres Sq. 1	Ft.			
Disposition of Parcel (in square feet)	Existing	Net Increase or	Total Proposed	Total
Building Area	3999 57	Decrease		(As % of site)
Paved Area (incl. walks, gravel, etc.)	768151	7		
Green Area	4916 51	2	-	
Number of Parking Spaces			-	
	availat	ling public in	front of space of	med Douglas Lot
change in tenant: Name of previous tenant/business:		, (0'	
Specific activities of previous use:	15.5			
resent (if any) number of employees at maximum shift:	/O Present (f any) number of shifts:	<u>/ </u>	
oposed number of employees at maximum shift:	Proposed	number of shifts:		
roposed Days & Hours of operation:	attend .			

Office	Use Only:
Application	#

	Fee Schedule	
Site Plan Review:	Residential:	
	Up to \$50,000	□\$50
	between \$50,000 - \$100,000	□ \$100
	between \$100,000 - \$150,000	□ \$150
	For every \$50,000 above \$150,000	□ \$50
	Commercial:	
	Up to \$50,000	\$75
	between \$50,000 - \$100,000	□ \$150
	between \$100,000 - \$150,000	□ \$225
	For every \$50,000 above \$150,000	□ \$75
Special Use Permit:	Residential	□\$50
	Commercial	□\$75
All Subdivisions	Total: \$ 75.25	□\$50 2
A check payable	to the City of Amsterdam must accompany this applicat	ion.

Submission Deadline

The Planning Commission meets the fourth Wednesday of each month. Dates may vary due to holidays. Complete applications must be received 15 days prior to the next scheduled meeting to be included on the agenda.

We must receive the original, completed application packet + 7 copies.

Does any City officer, employee or family member thereof have a financial interest (as defined by General Municipal Law Section 809) in this application? \Box Yes \Box No

If Yes, a statement disclosing the name, residence, nature and extent of this interest must be filed with this application.

Certification, Permission, and Authorization: As the owner, leasee, or purchaser under contract for the pr I hereby certify that the above information is correct and that I have submitted herewith all documentation reany documentation not submitted. I hereby authorize members of the Planning Commission and design property associated with this application for purposes of conducting any necessary site inspections relating there are no outstanding code violations on any owned properties within the City of Amsterdam for the applies different from the applicant. I hereby authorize the person or entity listed herein as the Agent to represent	equired or requested a waiver in writing for ated City of Amsterdam staff to enter the g to this application. I hereby certify that cant and property owner, if property owner
with this application.	Date 7/8/25
Owner Signature:	Date
Building/Zoning official receiving application:	

SIGN LED WILL BE ARRX D X D FT MOUNTED FLUSH ABOVE STOREFRONT WINDOW





BACK AREA





FRONTAREA





47-49 MARKET STREET LAND TRUST 734 Franklin Avenue, Suite 232 Garden City, NY 11530

phone: 917 402-0425 fax: 516 5685246 e-mail: info@powerholdingsandmanagement.com

July 08, 2025

Attention: City Of Amsterdam

RE: Site Plan for Royal Pantry Corporation

As Trustee for the owner of the property known as 47-49 Market Street, Specifically 47 Market street, Amsterdam, New York 12010, we herby consent to the planning commission and site plan applications submitted by Royal Pantry Corporation. Royal Pantry's application is for Mr. Everette Flint to operate as a food pantry as identified in the application submitted on July 08. 2025

Feel free to contact me with any questions you might have in regards to our participation in this transaction.

Sincerely,

Linford Brown

Trustee

47- 49 Market Street Land Trust/ Property Owner

Email: linfordbrownjr@gmail.com

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: ROYAL FOOD PANTRY

Facility Interior – Usage & Layout

Storefront Area (Front Room):

- Dimensions: 25 ft. (L) × 18 ft. (W) = 450 sq. ft.
- Ceiling Height: 13 feet
- Finish: White-painted walls, gray flooring
- Usage:
 - o Public-facing intake/check-in area
 - o Indoor distribution setup (tables/shelves during poor weather)
- Access to Pantry Area: Two double doors and one single door in back wall
- Bathroom: One indoor bathroom in the back corner, 5 ft. × 7 ft is available. During
 peak hours a porta john will be made available in the area near the tent.
- See attached photos of the current front room.

Back Pantry Storage Area:

- Dimensions: 36 ft. (L) × 18 ft. (W) = 648 sq. ft.
- Ceiling Height: 13 feet
- Finish: White-painted walls, gray flooring
- Usage:
 - o Dry and canned goods storage
 - o Walk-in cooler/freezer combo in back right corner
 - o Volunteer staging area and operational storage
- Facilities: A porta potty will also be available on-site for additional restroom access
- See attached photos of the back storage area.

Parking & Access Summary

On-Site Parking (Behind Building):

5 designated parking spaces

Public Parking - Kirk Douglas Park Lot (Across Guy Park Extension):

- 44 total spaces
 - o 11 spaces on each long side
 - o 22 in two middle rows (11 per row)

On-Street Parking (Market Street):

• 14 total parallel spots (7 on each side of one-way street)

Parking & Safety Management:

- 5 parking volunteers will:
 - o Direct patrons to Kirk Douglas Park and rear on-site lot
 - Monitor flow and ensure safe pedestrian crossing of Guy Park Extension
 - o Maintain line organization and safety throughout service hours

Operating Hours

Midweek Operations (By Appointment):

- Wednesdays & Thursdays: 11:00 AM 3:00 PM
 - Helps reduce congestion on main pantry day
 - o Managed by pantry staff and volunteers

Main Pantry Day:

- Fridays: Begins at 3:00 PM
 - o Avoids conflict with Amsterdam City Court hours
 - o Ensures Kirk Douglas parking lot is fully available for patrons

Friday Setup:

- 10 plastic tables set up under a canopy tent along the building's side
- Patron line directed to form behind the building near the tent, away from sidewalks and businesses. Vehicular pickups will park in the pubic lot or in the spots behind the building as shown in the site plan.

Seasonal & Weather Considerations

- During winter months or inclement weather, distribution moves indoors
 - Patrons will select food from tables and shelf displays set up in the front room

Signage

Signage will be to show that the pantry is open.

 The permanent Royal Pantry sign shall be made of metal, or other durable material such as plastic (will not be a banner material).

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 1 - Project Information

Instructions for Completing

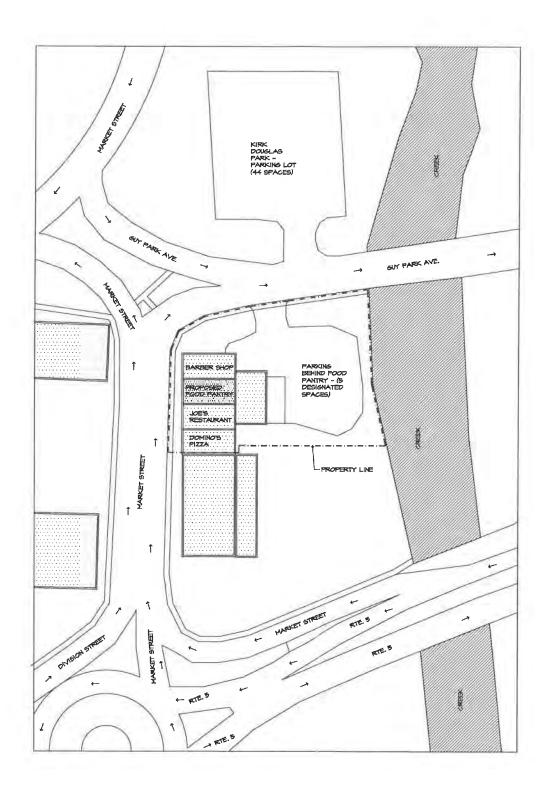
Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Information					
Royal Patrty Corporation					
Name of Action or Project:					
Food Pantry 47 Market Street					
Project Location (describe, and attach a location	map):				
47 Market Street Amsterdam NY					
Brief Description of Proposed Action:					
The Royal Pantry Corporation seeks to establish a food safety. It is a not for profit that believes downtown Amste	pantry to help the community erdam has a critical need to ad	obtain consistent fresh and adequa dress food insecurity and humger.	ate food for the	eir hea	Ith and
Name of Applicant or Sponsor:		Telephone: 929-513-756	0		
Royal Pantry Corportaion		E-Mail: royalpantrycorp@	@gmail.com	nail.com	
Address:					
47 Market Street					
City/PO: Amsterdam		State:	Zip Code:		
Does the proposed action only involve the le	oislative adoption of a plan			_ 1	
administrative rule, or regulation?	gislative adoption of a plan	i, iocai iaw, ordinance,	N	0	YES
If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent may be affected in the municipality and proceed			hat		
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, a	pproval or funding from an	y other government Agency?	N	o	YES
If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approva	al: Amsterdam Panning Comm	ssion Site Plan approval			V
a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed at b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous or controlled by the applicant or project.)	ous properties) owned	16596 sq ft acres 0 acres 16596 sq ft acres			
4. Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining	ng or near the proposed acti	on:			
✓ Urban	☐ Industrial ☑ Com	mercial 🗹 Residential (subu	ırban)		
Forest Agriculture	Aquatic Other	(Specify):			
Parkland	hand Arrive hand States	X X - 1779/7			

5. Is the proposed action,	NO	YES	N/A
a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations?	П	V	П
b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?		V	一
		NO	YES
6. Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?	,		115
7. Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area?		NO	YES
If Yes, identify:			
		~	
8. a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels?		NO	YES
		4	
b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action?			V
c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?			V
9. Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements?		NO	YES
If the proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies:			
			V
10. Will the proposed action connect to an existing public/private water supply?	_	NO	YES
If No, describe method for providing potable water:	_		V
	_		
11. Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities?		NO	YES
If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment:			
			V
12. a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or distriving which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the	ct	NO	YES
Commissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the	е	~	
State Register of Historic Places?			
b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for		V	
archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?			
13. a. Does any portion of the site of the proposed action, or lands adjoining the proposed action, contain		NO	YES
wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency?		V	
b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody?		V	
If Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres:			

14. Identify the typical habitat types that occur on, or are likely to be found on the project site. Check all that apply:			
Shoreline Forest Agricultural/grasslands Early mid-successional			
☐ Wetland ☑ Urban ☐ Suburban			
15. Does the site of the proposed action contain any species of animal, or associated habitats, listed by the State or	NO	YES	
Federal government as threatened or endangered?	V		
16. Is the project site located in the 100-year flood plan?	NO	YES	
	~		
17. Will the proposed action create storm water discharge, either from point or non-point sources?	NO	YES	
If Yes,	~		
a. Will storm water discharges flow to adjacent properties?	V		
b. Will storm water discharges be directed to established conveyance systems (runoff and storm drains)? If Yes, briefly describe:	V		
if ites, biterry describe.			
18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that would result in the impoundment of water	NO	YES	
or other liquids (e.g., retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)? If Yes, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment:			
If res, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment.	V		
19. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility?	NO	YES	
If Yes, describe:	V		
20.Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or	NO	YES	
completed) for hazardous waste? If Yes, describe:			
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE B	EST OF	?	
MY KNOWLEDGE			
Applicant/sponsor/name: Koyal Pantry Correction Date: 7/8/2	028		
Signature: Laboral D kelous Title: Attokney			
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James Jordan Associates
Architects
Ren Street
Post Office Box 11
Renfield Springs, New York 13439-0111
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S15 868-8000 Royal Pantry Corporation Site Plan Application A Sheet Name Site Plan -Proposed Food Pantry Sheet Number L-1

As Noted July 7, 2025 KMR

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SITE PLAN - 47 MARKET STREET SCALE: 1/32" = 1' - 0"



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TO:	Montgomery County Planning Board, Old County Courthouse,	FROM: Municipal Board: Town of Mohawk Zoning Board Referring Officer: Chairman Henry Araujo
	PO Box 1500, Fonda, New York 12068	Mail original resolution to: Town of Mohawk
	Phone: 518-853-8334	Atten: Town Clerk - Kim Sullivan
	Fax: 518-853-8336	PO Box 415, Fonda, NY 12068
1.	Applicant: Ron Rera	2. Site Address: 2382 NYS Rt 30A, Johnstown, NY 12095
3.	Tax Map Number(s):201-3.3	4. Acres: 8.3 Acres
5.	Is the site currently serviced by public water	r? Yes No
		provided by: Public Sewer or Septic System (To be Constructed)
		8. Current Land Use: Vacant Land/Hay Field
the p	property is located in. He wants	sed use is allowed in the B-2 Retail business zone to construct a Agricultural Sales Office Building
		lay and sell Carports, Farm Implements, mowers,
10.	tractors, sub-compact tractors MCPB Jurisdiction:	and other related items.
	Text Adoption or Amendment X Signature	te is located within 500' of:
	a municipal boundary.	
	▼ a State or County thruway/highway/roa	dway
	an existing or proposed State or County	
	an existing or proposed County-owned	-
		ch a public building or institution is situated District (Incl. Ag data Statement) (does not apply to area variances)
11.	PUBLIC HEARING: Date: July 24, 2025	2-4 Park St. Fonda. NY
		Referred Action(s) se identify the referring municipal board if different from above.
12.	☐ Text Adoption or ☐ Amendm	ent Referring Board:
	Comprehensive Plan	Zoning Ordinance Other
13.	☐ Zone Change	Referring Board:
Proj	posed Zone District:	Number of Acres:
Purj	pose of the Zone Change:	
14.	☐ Site Plan ☐ Project Site Review	Referring Board:
Proj	posed Improvements:	
Proj	posed Use:	
Wil	I the proposed project require a variance?	☐ Yes ☐ No Type: ☐ Area ☐ Use
	Specify:	
	State of County DOT work permit needed?	If Yes : State or County No
	Specify	

15. Special Permit	Referring Board:		
Section of local zoning code that requires a sp	pecial permit for this use:		
Will the proposed project require a variance?	☐ Yes ☐ No Type: ☐ Area ☐ Use		
16. Variance	Referring Board: TOM Zoning Board of Appeals		
X Area Use TOM Zoning I	aw 2022; Schedule A; B-2 Business Retail; Automobile, boat, farm implement, mobile		
	variance is being sought: home or trailer sales and repair and auto body repair shop		
Frontage for Retail Sales and Farm	Implement Sales, and applicant has 262.59 ft of Road		
Frontage			
	SEQR Determination		
Action:	Finding:		
☐ Type I	☐ Positive Declaration – Draft EIS		
☐ Type II	 Conditional Negative Declaration 		
X Unlisted Action	X Negative Declaration		
Exempt	☐ No Finding (Type II Only)		
SEQR determination made by (Lead Agen	cy): TOM Planning Board Date: July 15, 2025		
	REQUIRED MATERIAL		
Send 3 copies of a "Full Statement of the P	roposed Action" which includes:		
All materials required by and submitted to the	referring body as an application		
• If submitting site plans, please submi	t only 1 large set of plans, and 12 11x17 packets.		
 All material may be submitted digital <u>planning-board-referrals/</u> 	ly as well at http://www.mcbdc.org/planning-services/montgomery-county-		
_ ·	and m, includes complete information, and supporting materials to assist the solution. Recommendations by MCPB shall be made to the Referring Statement.		
Stanley F. Waddle; Zoning Code	Official Town of Mohawk 8/4/2025		
Name, Title & Phone Number of Person Completi Cell: (518)-774-0420 Email: zoni	ng this Form Transmittal Date		

This side to be completed by Montgomery County Planning.

REFERRAL FORM MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

TO:		
Montgomer		ed on Please be advised that the reviewed the proposal stated on the opposite side of this wing recommendation.
	Approves	
	Approves (with Modification	
	Disapproves:	
	No significant County-wide	or inter-community input
	Not subject to Planning Board	l review
	Took no action	
		w requires that within thirty days after final action by the ion shall be filed with the County Planning Board.
Date		Kenneth F. Rose, Director Montgomery County Dept. of Economic Development and Planning

Received Date: 1225 By: TOWN OF MOHAWK NEW YORK	Application #: 2025-7-15 #3 Date: 7/24/2025 Project Name: MOHAWK
APPLICATION TO THE ZONING BOARD	OF APPEALS
APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE TO THE ZONING BOARD	OF APPEALS FOR:
(CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX)	
* () SPECIAL PERMIT; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-1, B-2, F AND) G)
() USE VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B, F AND G)	
X() AREA VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-2, C, F AND C	6)
() REVIEW OF A DECISION OF THE ZONING/ADMINISTRATIVE	OFFICIAL;
(COMPLETE BLOCKS A, D, F AND G)	
() INTERPRETATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE; (COMPLE	TE BLOCKS E AND G)
*AS ACCEPTED IN THE ZONING ORDINANCE; REV. SEPTEMBE	ER 24 [™] , 1998
XA.1. DESCRIPTION, LOCATION AND ZONING DISTRICT OF TH INVOLVED: 8.3 acres with small barn and shed, local Johnstown, < 1/2 mile north of Old Trail Road on NYS property in B-2 Retail Business and Approx 1/3 in A-A	ted at 2382 NYS Rt 30A, Rt 30A. Approx 2/3
Z. THE APPLICANT HAS OWNED OR WILL OWN THE SUBJECT January 2025 (DATE) Contract was signed 11/18/2024	PROPERTY AS OF
X 3. THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES OWNERSHIP OF ANY OF THE F PROPERTY: None	OLLOWING ADJOINING

B.1. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO USE THE PREMISES FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES: (GIVE DETAILS)

My proposed use is allowed in the B-2 Retail business zone my property is located in. I wish to construct a Agricultural Sales Office Building and Parking Area with areas to display and sell Carports, Farm Implements, mowers, lawn tractors, sub-compact tractors and other related items.

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The proposed use will not be injurious to the character of the neighborhoo	d
as the area is a B-2 Retail Business zone; there is a commercial storage	
business; 30A Self Storage that is located next door, there is a commercial	ıl
Porta-Potty Rental company adjoining my property, along with a retail	
business, Fell off the Truck Deals.; north of that is an Insurance Agency;	
Countryside Agency. Across the street and south is a shed business;	
WoodStuff. Further south is a Truck Repair garage; New Limit Motorsports	3
with numerous vehicles. 3. THE APPLICANT CONTENDS THAT NO PERMISSIBLE USE OF HIS PROPERTY WILL	
PERMIT A REASONABLE RETURN FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:	
X C . 1. THE APPLICANT REQUEST RELIEF FROM THE ZONING ORDINANCE PROPERTY	
RESTRICTIONS AS EXPLAINED BELOW: TOM Zoning Law 2022 Schoolule A specifies that for the proposed	
TOM Zoning Law 2022 Schedule A specifies that for the proposed	
business, 300 feet of Road Frontage is required, have 262.59, a	
difference of 37.41 feet. I am requesting an area variance for the	
relief of the 37.41 feet.	
Y 2.THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES THAT THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES	
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X F.1. SUBMIT A MAP SHOWING: PROPERTY LINES; EXISTING AND PROPOSED STRUCTURES, WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE LINES; ALL WITH PROPER DIMENSIONS.

(LIST AND IDENTIFY ACCURATELY)

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SURVEY WITH NOTATIONS OF DRIVEWAY, OFFICE BUILDING AND EXISTING STRUCTURES

MONTGOMERY COUNTY REAL PROPERTY MAP

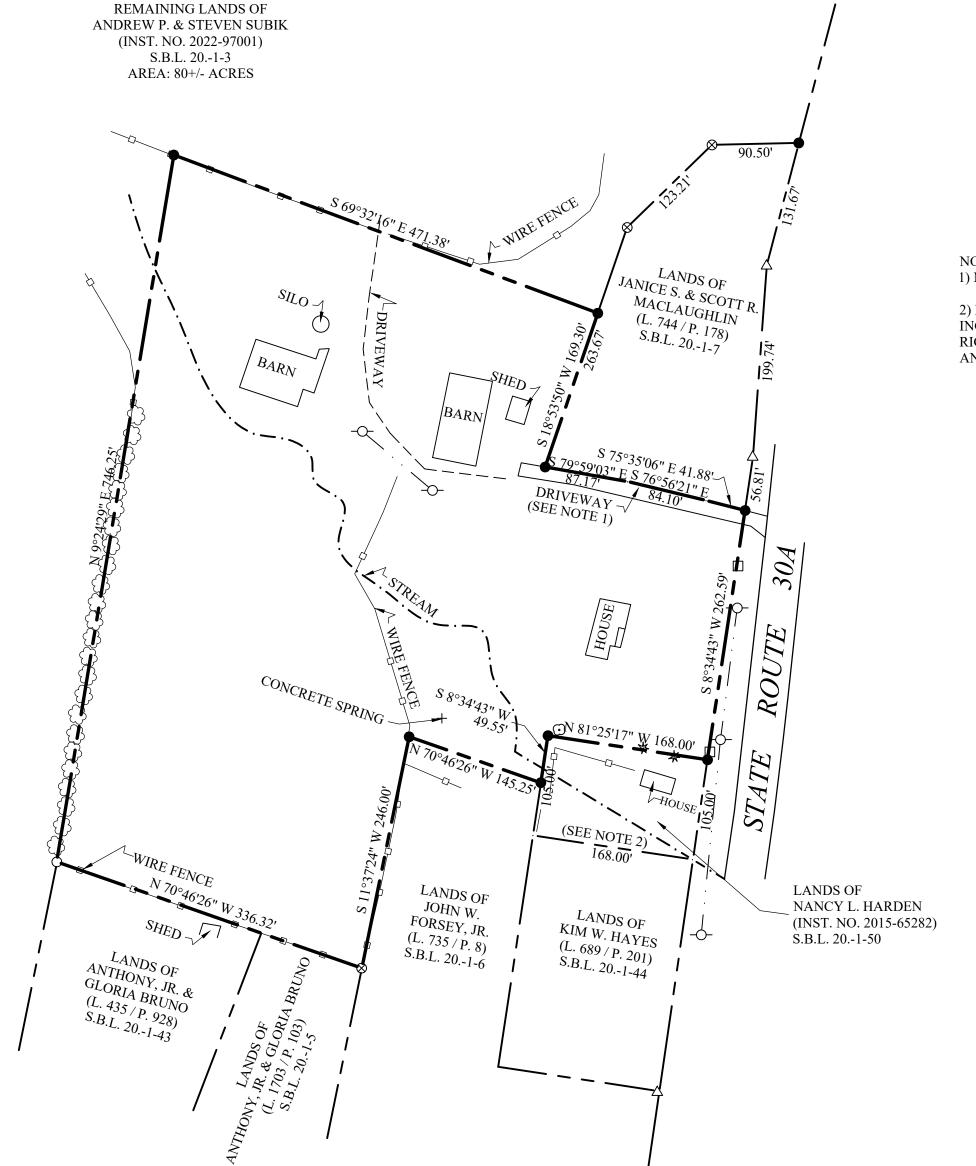
CURRENTLY THE PRIOR EXISTING SEPTIC SYSTEM AND WATER SUPPLY ARE BEING EVALUATED AS TO THEIR ABILITY TO BE USED.

X2. ESTIMATED COST OF PROJECT:	
X3. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMMENCEMENT:	
X 4. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMPLETION:	

Application #: 2025-7-15 #3 XG. PRINT APPLICANT INFORMATION OWNER INFORMATION (IF OTHER THAN APPLICANT) 3. NAME: Phone #: 4. ADDRESS: I HEREBY CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL AND STATE STATUTES HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH. I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING APPLICATION AND THE CONTENTS THEREOF ARE TRUE TO MY OWN KNOWLEDGE. XAPPLICANT SIGNATURE: X DATE: 7-12 OWNER SIGNATURE: (ONLY IF NOT SAME AS APPLICANT) DATE:____ * NOTE - THE APPLICANT SHALL NOTIFY BY CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUIRED (RETURNED TO TOM CODE OFFICE) - ALL LANDOWNERS WITHIN 500 FEET OF THE APPLICANTS PARCEL

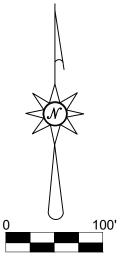
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FEE PAID:



LEGEND

- CONCRETE MONUMENT
- IRON PIPE FOUND
- WOOD FENCE POST
- IRON ROD SET
- UTILITY RISER
- CONIFER TREE
- **DECIDUOUS TREE**
- OVERHEAD UTILITY LINE



AREA: 8.282 ACRES

NOTES:

1) MACLAUGHLIN DEED INCLUDES THE RIGHT TO USE DRIVEWAY.

2) HARDEN DEED CALLS FOR SOUTH LINE TO BE STREAM BUT ALSO LANDS OF INGERSOLL (NOW HAYES). HAYES DEED STARTS AT STREAM AND RUNS AT RIGHT ANGLES TO THE ROAD. LINES AS SHOWN WERE PLACED AT RIGHT ANGLES TO THE ROAD.

MAP REFERENCE:

"SURVEY MAP OF LANDS OF JANICE S. & SCOTT R. MACLAUGHIN"

DATED: OCTOBER 23, 2019

BY: FERGUSON & FOSS PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS

SURVEY MAP OF LANDS OF

ANDREW P. & STEVEN SUBIK

(INST. NO. 2022-97001) S.B.L. 20.-1-3

TO BE CONVEYED TO

COURTNEY FORSEY

TOWN OF MOHAWK COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY STATE OF NEW YORK

SCALE: 1'' = 100'

MAY 15, 2023

FERGUSON & FOSS

PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS, PC P.O. BOX 356~JOHNSTOWN, NY 12095 518~762~9997 EMAIL: chris@fergusonandfoss.com

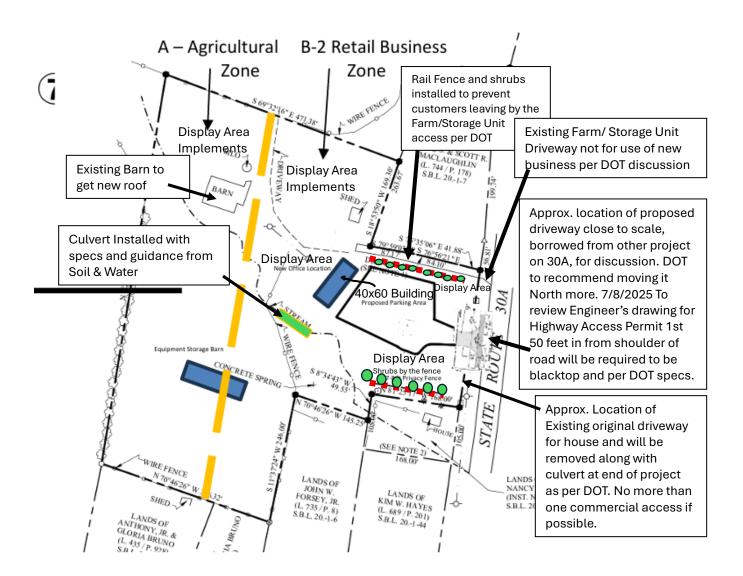
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S.B.L. REFERS TO SECTION-BLOCK-LOT NUMBER AS FOUND IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY REAL PROPERTY TAX SERVICE



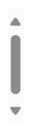
Note: Display Areas to have sod removed and not removed from site, fabric laid down and gravel/millings placed down to have carports, tractors and various other equipment to sit on for display.

Structure

Building 1	
Building Style	08 - Old style
Number of Stories	2.0
Exterior Wall Material	01 - Wood
Actual Year Built	1780
Eff. Year Built	1950
Year Remodeled	
Number of Kitchens	1
Number of Full Baths	1
Number of Half Baths	
Number of Bedrooms	4
Number of Fireplaces	
Heat Type	2 - Hot air
Fuel Type	4 - Oil
Central Air	No
Basement Type	4 - Full
Total Sq Ft	3256
1st Story Sq Ft	1734
2nd Story Sq Ft	832
1/2 Story Sq Ft	
3/4 Story Sq Ft	690
Additional Story Sq Ft	
Finished Attic Sq Ft	
Finished Basement Sq Ft	
Finished Rec Room Sq Ft	
Finished Over Garage Sq Ft	
Condition	2 - Fair

No image found for this Parcel.

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2025 Final Assessment Information

Land Assessed Value	\$34,600
Total Assessed Value	\$96,600
Equalization Rate	61.00%
Full Market Value	\$158,361
Partial Construction	No
County Taxable	\$96,600
Municipal Taxable	\$96,600
School Taxable	\$96,600
Village Taxable	\$0
Agricultural District?	False

Property Description

Property Type	210 - 1 Family Res
Neighborhood Code	27010 rural
SWIS	273289
Water Supply	2 - Private
Utilities	3 - Electric
Sewer Type	2 - Private
Zoning	CONF Conforming
School	Fonda-Fultonville
Grid East	521045
Grid North	1510028
Roll Section	1
Acres	8.30
Front	262.60
Depth	0.00

Last Property Sale

No Sales Data Found

			Owne	r Information)			
Owner Name	Address 1	Address 2	PO Box	City	State	Zip	Unit Name	Unit Number
Andrew Subik	12 Edick Rd			Johnstown	NY	12095		

					Sales				
Deed Date	Deed Book	Deed Page	Contract Date	Sale Date	Last Physical Inspection Date	Sale Price	Net Sale Price	Usable for Valuation	Arms Length Prior Owner

No data available in table

No Exemption Data Found

			Land				
Site #	Land Type	Acres	Front	Depth	Sq Ft	Soil Rating	
1	01 - Primary	2.00					
1	04 - Residual	6.30					

				Improve	ements		
Site #	Structure Code	SqFt	Dimensions	Quantity	Overall Condition	Actual Year Built	Effective Year Built
1	CP6 - Canpy-w/slab		6.00 x 20.00	0.00	3 - Normal	1780	
1	CP5 - Canpy-roof		6.00 x 24.00	0.00	3 - Normal	1780	
1	FC1 - Shed-machine		20.00 x 24.00	0.00	2 - Fair	1890	
1	FB6 - Barn-2.0 gen		45.00 x 90.00	0.00	2 - Fair	1890	
1	FB5 - Barn-1.5 gen		29.00 x 74.00	0.00	2 - Fair	1940	
1	FC1 - Shed-machine		12.00 x 15.00	0.00	2 - Fair	1950	
1	FB4 - Barn-1.0 gen		24.00 x 62.00	0.00	2 - Fair	1960	
1	FS3 - Silo-wd stav		40.00 x 12.00	0.00	1 - Poor	1960	
1	FS1 - Silo-con stv		40.00 x 16.00	0.00	1 - Poor	1960	

Special Districts					
Code Description	Туре	Primary Units	Secondary Units	Amount	
FD002 - Mohawk fire	А	0.00	0.00	\$96,600.00	
MCAD2 - Montg co agri dist 2	S	0.00	0.00	\$96,600.00	

AGRICULTURAL DATA STATEMENT

1.	Na	Name and address of applicant:							
		Ron Rera							
		2480 NYS Hwy 30A							
	Vizi.	Fonda, NY							
2.	Loc	cation of the proposed action:							
238	32	State Highway 30A,Fonda, NY 12068 Town of Mohawk							
 4. 	[Ple	scription of the proposed action to include: (1) Size of parcel or acreage to acquired and tax map identification number of tax parcel(s) involved; (2) The type of action proposed (e.g., single-family dwelling or subdivision, multifamily development, apartment complex, commercial or industrial facility, school, community or public service facility, airport, etc.) and (3) project density. Take a provide this information on the reverse side of this application and attach itional description as necessary.]							
4.	agri proj	ne, address, telephone number and type of farm of owner(s) of land within the cultural district which land contains farm operation(s) and upon which the ect is proposed or which is located within 500 feet of the boundary of the perty upon which the project is proposed: see attached							
	A.	Name: Andrew Subik Address & Telephone #: 112 Edick Road, Fonda, NY 12068 Type of farm: Crop							
	В.	Name: Milltowne Plaza, Inc Address & Telephone #: P.O. Box 1829, Naples Fl. 34106 Type of farm: Crop							
	C.	Name: John Belfance Address & Telephone #: P.O. Box 1147 Fonda, NY 12068 Type of farm: Crop							
	D.	Name:Address & Telephone #:							

Tax map or other map showing the site of the proposed project relative to the location of farm operations identified in the ADS.

5.

Ref.Line #	S.B.L.Tax ID	Owner/s of Record & Mailing Address/es	Property Street #	Property Street Name
1	201-3.1	Andrew P Subik & Steven Subik	Froperty Street #	NYS Hwy 30A
	201-3.1	112 Edick Rd		1475 HWy SOA
		Johnstown NY 12095		
		Johnstown Wi 12055		
2	201-7	Janice S & Scott R. MacLauchlin	2372	NYS Hwy 30A
		3 Canal St		
		Fort Plain NY 13339		
3	201-3.2	Danny Varin	2348	NYS Hwy 30A
		128 Knowlton Rd		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
4	201-3.3	Ron Rera	2382	NYS Hwy 30A
		2480 NYS 30A		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
5	201-5	Anthony Bruno, Jr & Gloria Bruno	1228	Old Trail Rd
		1238 Old Trail Rd		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
6	201-43	Anthony Bruno, Jr & Gloria Bruno	1238	Old Trail Rd
		1238 Old Trail Rd		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
7	201-52	Sammons Cemetery	Cemetery	Old Trail Rd
		Fonda NY 12068		
8	201-50	Nancy L Harden	2388	NYS Hwy 30A
		P.O. Box 159		
		Fonda NY 12068		
9	201-44	Kim W Hayes	2394	NYS Hwy 30A
		2394 Sthwy 30A		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
10	201-6	John W Forsey, Jr.	2400	NYS Hwy 30A
		2400 St Hwy 30A		1
		Johnstown NY 12095		
11	207-1	John & Tina Belfance	Vac Land	NYS Hwy 30A
		PO Box 1147		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
12	207-2	James W Hayes, Sr	2399	NYS Hwy 30A
	· -	164 Marys Ln		,
		Fultonville NY 12072		

13	202-8.1	Joseph B McRedmond	1253	Old Trail Rd
		1253 Old Trail Rd		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
14	202-9	Gary Edward & Bette J Vincent	1241	Old Trail Rd
		1241 Old Trail Rd		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
15	202-10	William L & Karen S Pickard	1237	Old Trail Rd
		1237 Old Trail Rd		
		Johnstown NY 12095		
16	202-11	Daniel Rickard	Vac Land	NYS Hwy 30A
		2425 StHwy 30A		
		Fonda NY 12068		

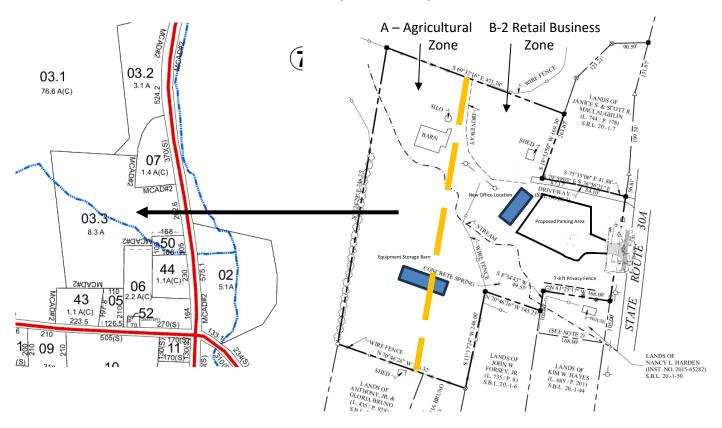
To:	Name: Date:
	Address:
	Address:
the ow	the most up to date information from the Montgomery County, New York Tax Parcel web site; you are listed as year of S.B.L.#(s):
	as per the Town of Mohawk Zoning Laws because your property is located within 500 feet of the following ty action, you are being notified by First Class Mail <u>and</u> Certified Mail, Return card to Town of Mohawk Codes that:
S.B.L. (s) <u>201-3.3</u> Located at: <u>2382 NYS Hwy 30A, Johnstown, NY 12095</u> Zoned as: <u>B-2 Retail Business</u>
Proper	ty Owned by: <u>Ron Rera</u>
Applica	ate and/or Assisting Owner: Ron Rera
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Planning Board for: Major Subdivision
	☐ Minor Subdivision ☐ Major Site Plan ☐ Major Solar Site Plan ☐ Minor Site Plan
	☐ Special Permit ☐ Lot Line Adjustment
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals for:
	☐ Use Variance ☐ Area Variance ☐ Review of Decision of the Zoning/Administrative Official
	☐ Interpretation of the Zoning Ordinance ☐ Special Permit
	n for Application, the Project Description and attached Map showing the Project(s) Location: n additional sheets if needed)
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Meetir	ng Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location:Town of Mohawk Town Hall
Zoning	Board Meeting:
Meetir	ng Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall

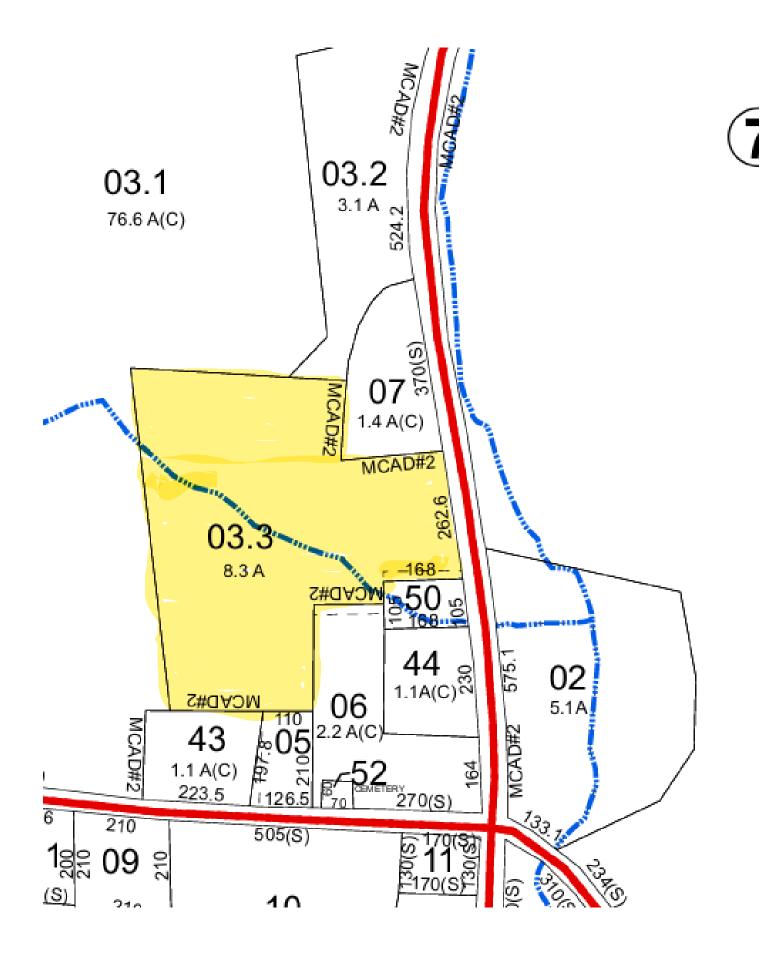
You can contact: Ron Rera regarding their application at: (518)-860-0699 with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email to: ron@mohawkvalleysheds.com

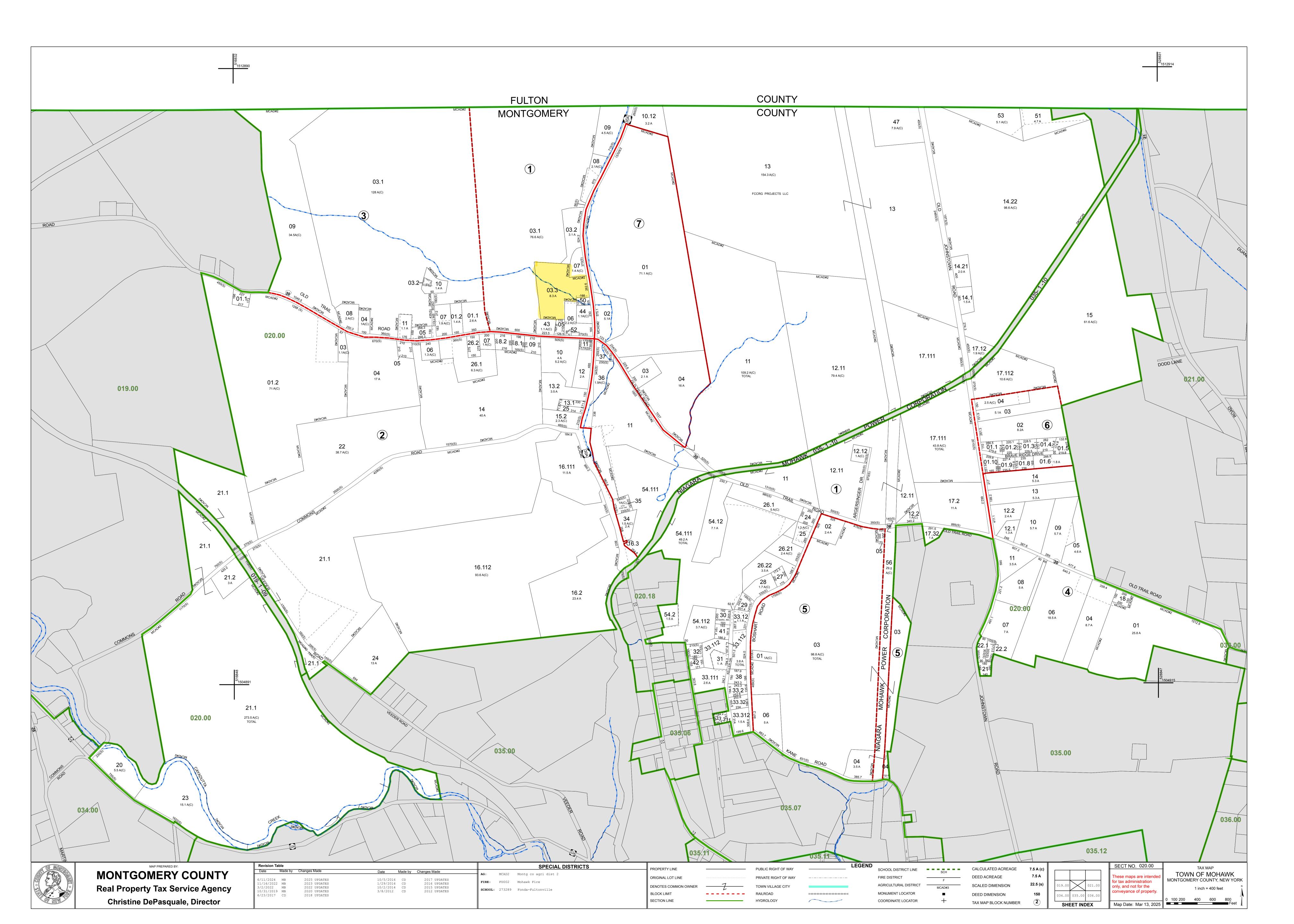
You can contact Janet De Palma, the Town of Mohawk Town Supervisor at (518)-853-3031, option 5, with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email Janet De Palma at: supervisor@townofmohawk.net

You can contact Stan Waddle, the Town of Mohawk Building & Zoning Code Official at (518)-571-9882 or (518)-774-0420 with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may email Stan Waddle at: zoning@townofmohawk.net

Those interested are welcome to attend the above designated meeting(s) at the date(s) and time(s) listed.







RON RERA EQUIPMENT SALES

- (B) Uses Permitted as a special exception by the Board of Appeals:
 - 1. Golf course or country club
 - 2. Public utility station structure

SECTION 10 - B-1 Business District

In the B-l Business District, no building or premises shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered except for one or more of the following uses:

- (A) Uses Permitted:
 - 1. Municipal, county, state or federal offices
 - 2. Professional or business offices
 - 3. Educational, religious or philanthropic institutions
 - 4. Existing dwellings
- (B) Uses Permitted as a special exception by the Board of Appeals
 - 1. Day care

SECTION 11 - B-2 Retail Business District

In the B-2 Retail Business District, no building or premises shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered except for one or more of the following uses:

(A) Uses Permitted:

- 1. Existing dwellings
- 2. Retail store and shop
- 3. Personal service shop
- 4. Launderette
- 5. Bank, office, studio
- 6. Museum
- 7. Restaurant, cafe
- 8. Motel, Hotel

- 9. Bowling Alley
- 10. Undertaking establishment
- 11. Utility Substation
- 12. Printing plant
- 13. Storehouse or warehouse
- 14. Laundry or dry cleaning plant
- 15. Automobile, boat, farm implement, mobile home or trailer sales and repair and auto body repair shop
- 16. Public garage with outdoor storage restricted
- 17. Fuel, feed, lumber, seed, fertilizer, building materials, sales and storage
- 18. Cabinet, electrical, heating, plumbing, or air conditioning shop
- (B) Uses Permitted as a special exception by the Board of Appeals:
 - 1. Storage of hazardous materials
 - 2. Storage of liquid or gaseous fertilizer
 - 3. Gas station
 - 4. Day care
 - 5. Storage Facility
 - 6. Microbrewery, winery, distillery, cidery, and meadery
 - 7. Water bottling

SECTION 12 - B-3 Neighborhood Business District

The Neighborhood Business district (B-3) is primarily for the accommodation of neighborhood businesses and related structure uses. No building or premises shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered except for one or more of the following uses:

(A) Uses Permitted

- 1. Existing dwellings
- 2. Beauty salon
- 3. Church or other place of worship
- 4. Emergency services center (firehouse or ambulance facilities)
- 5. Financial services (insurance, accountant etc.)
- 6. Municipal building (town, county, state or federal)
- 7. Decorator or interior design shop
- 8. Fraternal Organization
- 9. Laundromat
- 10. Medical services (including supplies)

MINIMUM LOT

SIZE

BLDG. HEIGHT (MAX) YARD DIMENSIONS

			SIZE				BLDG. HEI	GHT (MAX)	YARD DIM	IENSIONS			
		Uses Permitted Upon		Road	Max % of	Min.				Mid of			
D: (4)		Issuance of a Special		Frontage	Lot to be	Living				Road			
District (1)	Permitted Principal Uses (see Article V - Use Regulations for Complete List)(2)	Permit by the Board of	Area in Feet or				In Stories			Center	Side One		
		Appeals (3)	Acres (4)	Feet (5)	(6)	Ft. (7)	(8)	In Feet (9)	Front (10)	State	(11)	Total (12)	Rear (13)
		Farm, nursery, truck,	1	T,	T	1	T	1	T,		Ì	T ,	
		garden, private											
		greenhouse, customary											
		agricultural operation											
		Sawmill					1						+
		Home occupation											
R-2	One-Family dwelling	nome occupation	85,000	250	20	700	2 1/2	35	60	75	20	50	50
Residence	Low-Impact Recreation Area		83,000	230	20	700	2 1/2	33	- 00	/3	20	30	30
Residence	Public building or public school		5 acres				-						\vdash
	Tourist Home		Jacres				1						
													
	Farm, nursery, truck, garden, private greenhouse, customary agricultural operation												
	Home occupation	C If				-							-
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		club	1.				2 1/2	35	130	145	50	100	100
		Public utility station or str	ucture		1	1	ļ	1	-				
B-1	Municipal, county, state or federal offices				<u> </u>								ļ
Business	Professional or business offices												ļ
	Educational, religious or philanthropic institutions												
	Existing dwellings												
		Daycare	130,000 sf	300	25		2 1/2	35	70	85	20	50	50
B-2	Existing dwellings												
Retail Business	Retail stores and shops				30		2	35			10		
	Personal service shops								40		10		
	Laundrette								40		10		
	Bank, office, studio								40		10	25	
	Museum								40	55	10	25	30
	Restaurant, café								40	55	10	25	30
	Motel, hotel								40	55	10	25	30
	Undertaking establishment								40	55	10	25	30
	Utility substation												
	Bowling alley								40	55	10	25	30
	Printing plant								40	55	10	25	30
	Store house or warehouse								40	55	10	25	30
	Laundry or dry cleaning plant								55	70	20	50	
	Automobile, boat, farm implement, mobile home or trailer sales and repair and auto body re	pair shop							55	70	20	50	
	Public garage with outdoor storage restricted								55	70	20	50	30
	Fuel, feed, lumber, seed, fertilizer, building materials, sales and storage								55				
	Cabinet, electrical, heating, plumbing, or air conditioning shop		İ						55				
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Neighborhood	Beauty Salon		1	-	 	-		-	-				
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Business	Church, parish house, convent		1		-	-		 	-				
	Emergency services center (firehouse or ambulance)		1		L							l	

Agency Use Only [If applicable]

Project:	Ron Rera Mohawk Equipment Sales
Date:	7/15/2025

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 2 - Impact Assessment

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

		No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur	
1.	Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	X		
2.	Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	X	图/2	1151
3.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	\boxtimes		
4.	Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	凶		
5.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	\boxtimes		
6.	Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	X		
7.	Will the proposed action impact existing: a. public / private water supplies?	\boxtimes		
	b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?			
8.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?			
9.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	\boxtimes		
10.	Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?			
11.	Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	X		1

Agency	Use	Only	[If	app	licable	e
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Project: Mohawk Equip Sales

Date: 7/15/2025

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 3 Determination of Significance

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an				
environmental impact statement is required.				
Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.				
TOWN OF MOHAWK PLANNING BOARD	7/15/25			
Name of Lead Agency	Date			
PATRICK CLEAR	PLANNING BOARD CHAIRMAN			
Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Title of Responsible Officer			
Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)			

CONDITIONS FOR CONSIDERING GRANTING AN AREA VARIANCE

BY THE TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING BOARD

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, FONDA, NEW YORK

Purpose for Meeting	g: RON REF	RA AREA VARI	ANCE ROAD F	RONTAGE Da	ate:	
THE FIVE FACTORS F	OR CONSIDER	ATION:				
1. Will the proportion or create a detrimen			an undesirable	e change in the char	racter of the neighborho	od
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Bob Francisco						
Stan Mitchell						
Scott Parslow						
Julie Weil		$\overline{\mathcal{L}}$				
Henry Araujo						
2. Can the bend pursue, other than a	= -		e achieved by	some method, feasi	ible for the applicant to	
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Bob Francisco						
Stan Mitchell						
Scott Parslow						
Julie Weil						
Henry Araujo						
3. Is the reques	ted area varia	nce is substant	ial?			
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Bob Francisco						
Stan Mitchell						
Scott Parslow						
Julie Weil			-			
Henry Araujo						

 Will the propose the neighborhood or display 		e have an adver	se effect or impa	act on the physical or environmental conditions in
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell		$\overline{}$		
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil				
Henry Araujo				
5. Is the alleged of but shall not necessaril	ifficulty self-crea y preclude the g	ated? This consi ranting of the v	deration shall be ariance.	relevant to the decision of the board of appeals
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell				·
Scott Parslow	<i>x</i>			
Julie Weil		$\overline{}$		
Henry Araujo				
SEQRA: Negati	ve: X Po	ositive:	Determined b	TOM PLANNING BOARD Date: 7/15/2025
and adequate and at th welfare of the commur	e same time pre ity. ning board decid	eserve and prote	ect the character	minimum variance that it shall deem necessary of the neighborhood and the health, safety, and may impose reasonable conditions to mitigate
Motion to Grant / De	ny the request	ed Variance m	ade by: Weil	Seconded by: S.P
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell	$\overline{}$			
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil		7 <u></u>		
Henry Araujo	V			
Motion Carried:	Approved		Denied	
Accepted By: Print Name:	denry	(trans	9	Date: July 24, 2025
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RESOLUTION GRANTING AREA VARIANCE FOR Mohawk Valley Carports, Pole Barns and Equipment Sales 2382 NYS Rt 30A, Johnstown (Ronald Rera)

WHEREAS, an application for an area variance has been filed with the Secretary of Zoning Board of Appeals by the owner of the property located at 2382 NYS Rt 30A, Johnstown (tax map no. 20.-1-3.3), owned by Ronald Rera, for an area variance from the minimum lot frontage, *and*

WHEREAS, the action is considered an unlisted action pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the Planning Board is the lead agency for this coordinated review and the Planning Board issued a negative declaration on July 15, 2025; and

WHEREAS, after due Notice a Public Hearing was held by the Zoning Board of Appeals on July 24, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at the Town Offices at the intersection of Park Street and Broadway in the Village of Fonda, New York and at which time the Zoning Board of Appeals heard comments from no members of the public regarding the request for the area variance, *and*

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals considered the application at its meeting on July 24, 2025; *and*

WHEREAS, all testimony and evidence has been carefully considered by the Board and the following pertinent facts and considerations noted:

- 1. The action involves the use of the property for sales of carports, farm implements, mowers, lawn tractors, sub-compact tractors and other agricultural equipment. The site is located in the B-2 Retail Business zoning district.
- 2. The approximately 8.3-acre property with 262.59 feet of road frontage does not meet the minimum lot frontage (300 feet) required by the zoning code for the intended use in the B-2 Retail Business zoning district. Accordingly, the applicant has requested an area variance from this requirement.
- 3. The requested variance for the property will *NOT* produce an undesirable change in the character of the neighborhood, or a detriment to nearby property owners.
- 4. There are *NO* other feasible alternatives for the applicant to achieve the proposed use of the site without the requested variance.
- 5. The requested area variance *IS NOT* substantial in this instance.

- 6. The requested variances will *NOT* have an adverse effect or impact on physical or environmental conditions of the area.
- 7. The Board determined that the difficulty was *NOT* self-created.

THEREFORE, after due deliberation, and weighing the five factors for determining an area variance, it is hereby RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals *grants* the requested area variance by <u>unanimous approval</u>; and the Zoning Board of Appeals imposed no conditions on the approval.

Dated:	
	Henry Araujo
	Zoning Board Chairman

Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals Thursday July 24, 2025

Present: Zoning Board Chairman Henry Araujo, Board Members: Stan Mitchell, Robert Francisco, Julie Weil, Scott Parslow, Code Enforcer Stan Waddle and Atty. Claudia Braymer

Public Present: Gary E. Vincent, Amanda Carroll, Ron Rera, Frank Borst, Gloria Bruno and Janet DePalma

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Araujo at 6:31 pm.

Chairman Araujo introduced the Board, Recording Secretary, Code Officer and TOM Attorney to the applicants. He asked those present to silence their phone ringers and to step out in the corridor if they wish to have a discussion with another individual.

Scott Parslow made a motion to accept the minutes from the May 22, 2025 ZBA Meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Henry Araujo asked for a moment of silence for Tony Bruno. Chairman Araujo stated that "Tony was a very devoted member of the Town and served the town and community with great enthusiasm, devotion and fairness. His time given to the Town was unequal and unsurpassed. Tony will be sorely missed. "

Julie Weil made a motion to open the Public Hearing and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

1st item of business- Amanda Carroll presented the proposed Mohawk Equipment and Repair LLC, business her and her husband would like to open. Mrs. Carroll reported that small equipment repair would be done at their home and big repairs would be done at the farm where the equipment is located. She noted that her husband has years of experience. Mrs. Carroll stated that this would be a part-time business since she and her husband have full-time jobs. The Carroll's are requesting an area variance for Lot Size since the TOM requirement is 3 acres and they have just under an acre. Mrs. Carroll reported that they have tried to expand their property, but aren't able to purchase property surrounding them. It was noted that the TOM Planning Board requested a map of equipment storage and wash station. A detailed plan is now noted in the application. Discussion took place on where equipment would be stored when it's not being worked on, scrap equipment be stored and the amount of equipment that can be stored outside. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. The Carroll's are also requesting a variance for Road Frontage. They have 201 feet, but the TOM requires 300 feet. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider these variances. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded

the motion. All in favor. None opposed. There was no further discussion or questions on the two variances. The Conditions for Considering Granting an Area Variance were reviewed. Stan Mitchell made a motion to grant the variances and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider the Special Permit for Agriculture. Scott Parslow made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. Julie Weil made a motion to grant the Special Permit and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

2nd item of business-Ron Rera stated that he is asking for an Area Variance for Road Frontage for a proposed business (Mohawk Valley Carport and Equipment Sales). He is short 37.41 in accordance with the TOM conditions. Mr. Rera noted that he is unable to obtain anymore road frontage. Chairman Araujo asked if there were any comments from the public. There were none. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to review The Conditions for Granting an Area Variance for Road Frontage. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. It was noted that a Negative Declaration was given by the TOM Planning Board. Julie Weil made a motion to grant an Area Variance for Road Frontage and Scott Parslow seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Mr. Rera also is asking for a Special Permit for Agricultural Equipment to be placed in the AG zone of his property. Mr. Rera discussed the red pen markings that were made on the Site Plan Map at the July Planning Board Meeting. Stan Mitchell made a motion to open Public Comment and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. Janet DePalma asked if anything permanent could not be put on the property so it could be farmed again in the future since it's in an Agricultural District. Atty. Braymer noted that Mr. Rera is not asking to add anything additional other than the barn that is currently there. No new structures can be added unless he comes before the Planning Board. Chairman Araujo asked if he would be removing top soil. Mr. Rera stated he is not removing any soil in the Special Permit area. Gloria Bruno stated that her husband wanted to keep all agricultural agricultural. She felt the Town would be setting a precedence if changes were made. Chairman Araujo stated that the ZBA is not changing the zoning and the Board can set conditions on the Special Permit. Code Enforcer Stan Waddle reported that he wrote the Bruno's responding to questions they had concerning this.

Julie Weil made a motion to close the Public Hearing and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Letters from the Brunos and letter to them from Code Enforcer Waddle were given to the ZBA for review. Hours of operation, lighting and noise were discussed. Atty. Braymer requested that Mr. Rera produces a new Site Plan Map with the changes made in red pen being made officially/electronically. Chairman Arauajo noted that since seasons change so could the creek change. The changes that were made in red pen were made to have the line between the Agricultural Zone and B-2 zones follow the creek. Atty. Braymer noted that a comment to the

Planning Board be made for them to request a new Site Plan Map. Mr. Rera was asked to take measurements and put a permanent marker in place stating where the dividing line would be and bring a new map to next month's meeting. Code Enforcer Waddle will assist in this. The granting of a Special Permit was tabled until next month's ZBA meeting that will be held on August 21, 2025 at 6:30 pm. Mr. Rera was informed that he could operate in B-2, but not the Agricultural District. The granting of the Area Variance will be forwarded to the TOM Planning Board and if approved by them it will be forwarded to the County Planning Board. Stan Mitchell made a motion to table the Special Permit until August's meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Chairman Araujo reported that Scott Parslow will be leaving the ZBA and moving to the Planning Board. Supervisor Janet DePalma stated that this will happen next month. That will leave a vacancy on the ZBA which needs to be filled.

Stan Mitchell made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Building and Zoning Code Official's Response to Cara Bruno Letter to Zoning Board Regarding Ron Rera Site Plan Application 7-15-2025

Cara: Patrick sorry this is lengthy - also sorry it's so late

Cara: As we all know, the Town of Mohawk has been fighting the development of this land for years and it seems like such a slippery slope to start switching the zoning now.

Especially with the location being right on the edge of Fulton county and this is an active, healthy field that has been farmed up until it was recently purchased. Mr. Rera knew when he purchased the property how much was agricultural and how much was commercial.

Code Response:

There is no change to the current Zoning Districts. A Special permit is being requested to allow the business to operate in the Agricultural zone part of the property, as permitted by the Zoning Law of 2022. A Special Permit is different than a Use Variance.

Cara: Digging has already started in the center of the field so it is clear the intentions of Mr. Rera are not to be running a farm.

Code Response:

Ron Rera had a permit to place a 30x100 barn at that location for his own use, separate of the proposed site plan applications. The setbacks from the adjoining property lines were greater than the required setbacks.

Cara: My main questions for the board in regards to this proposal IF this does take place (which we do not support) are as follows

Cara: If the agricultural lot is being changed to business and he puts a "storage barn" in the middle will the adjustments being made be permanent to a point where the farm land will not be farmable?

Code Response:

The Agricultural zoned area is not being changed, Ron Rera has requested a Special Permit that would allow him the sell agricultural equipment. It is an allowed use with the Special Permit from the Zoning Board as per Town Law 2022.

Cara: For example with the barn have a cement slab. Will there be electric and plumbing run to it?

Code Response: There were not plans to have a concrete slab, it was to be gravel.

Code Response: There were no plans to run electric to the building. There may be solar security lights

around the building.

Code Response: There were no plans to run any water supply to the building.

Cara: How tall & wide will the barn be and will the farmland be completely lost if this goes through.

Code Response: The size of the building is to be 30x100ft. Single story 14 ft high.

Code Response: The only area where the building is placed would not be able to be farmed. Doesn't

prevent the area around it from being farmed if desired. The area within the Agricultural Zone does not change, the Special permit will allow the use of the land for agricultural equipment sales as well as other uses allowed in the agricultural

zone.

Cara: I am under the impression that a farm needs 8 acres to qualify as a farm. If this agricultural 8 acre plot now becomes less than 8 acres is it no longer a farm and that would then, eventually change the zoning for the rest of the land?

Code Response:

The 7-8 acres required for a Farm is if someone wanted to get the Farm exemption. When the land was subdivided, when it was going to be purchased by another individual, their plans were to restore the house and barns and have a small farm, the main reason for the 8 acres. It had nothing to do what the land is zoned as, you could claim a farm exemption if you qualify, even if in a residential zone if you have enough acreage and meet the necessary requirements.

Cara: Also, if it is considered a special permit and is then re-sold, I'm told it goes back to agricultural but will the damage be permanent to the land and no longer be a healthy field and no longer be agricultural?

Code Response:

If a Special Permit is granted by the Zoning Board, it doesn't necessarily expire if the land or business is sold, it is subject to the conditions the Zoning Board may have set for the particular application.

Cara: Naturally we are concerned about the noise pollution from tractors and trucks loading products in the back yard (back up beeping) and noise pollution from the road with all the trees taken down. Now we have a clear site of 30a.

Will trees be planted to replace the many trees that have been taken down?

Code Response:

There are no plans to have anything up in the area of your back yard. Noise from tractors and trucks are common noises in agricultural areas and farmland, as well as NYS Rt 30A.

The trees that were taken down, while they may have blocked your view for that particular area of NYS Rt 30A, they were not healthy trees. There is no plans to replace those trees. The landscaping plan is still being developed. There is one particular tree that was saved.

Cara: Will the lot have lights? Will there be light pollution?

Code Response:

Due to the proposed hours, there are not any plans for parking lot lights, the only lights that are proposed are for security around the buildings and if theft becomes an issue, lights for the security of the grounds. The owner will have to comply with New York State's outside lighting regulations that limits the amount of lumens reaching a property line. The Town does have a light ordinance if there were an issue.

Cara: I'm also slightly concerned with the term "related items" and wonder what that entails, the size and height of the items he will be selling and the quantity of items that will be back there. If the field will be a display lot will that mean people will be walking around and shopping in the backyard of the houses on old trail road? This poses a security issue. Will there be some sort of decorative privacy fencing put up to prevent complete strangers walking around to our property?

Code Response: The related items would need to fit in the allowed uses. The applicant has been

asked to show where his displays will be. There were no plans to have display items

set up behind the houses on Old Trail Road, per the applications. The display areas are designated to be north of the seasonal stream in the Agricultural zone as well as in the B-2 Retail Business zone.

Cara: What are the hours of operation going to be for this new proposed business?

Code Response: The Hours were to be 8am -6pm

Cara: My parents and our neighbors have purchased their homes, raised families and chosen this area because of the beautiful farm land that surrounds it. Montgomery County is so rich with farm land and it is our job as community members to protect that. If we compromise for this field, what's to say others won't do the same. Where's the line?

Cara: My family and our immediate neighbors are all very against this rezoning of farm land in the town, everywhere, not just here. As a family of dairy farmers it's important to note, this is nothing personal about the business and nothing against Mr. Rera. We want farm land to stay farm land and we are worried about the ecological and personal impact this will have on our area.

Code Response: There is no re-zoning of the agricultural zone the field is in. The use being requested

is an allowed use in the B-2 and Agricultural Zone (with Special Permit) the property

is located.

Sincerely,

Cara Bruno

Daughter of land owners Anthony and Gloria Bruno.

Cara and family.

If you have any questions and/or need additional information, please let me know.

Kind regards,

Stan

Stanley F. Waddle Town of mohawk Building and Zoning Code Enforcement (518)-774-0420 zoning@townofmohawk.net Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec

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Zoning Code Response to Tony Bruno Letter to the Planning Board:

DEAR T.O.M. PLANNING BOARD,

A FEW MONTHS AGO I, TONY BRUNO, APPROACHED THIS PLANNING BOARD TO MAKENG SOME CHANGES TO THE B2 ZONING DISTRICT THE RD FROM A ONE OF THESE WAS TO DECREASE THE OFFSET A OF THE BACKUME SOOL OFFSET THE BACKUME SOOL TO MATCH. THE B3 ZONE BACKUME. THIS CONSIDERATION WAS NOT

Code Response: The proposed changes received are being considered with the review and possible update to the Comprehensive Plan

I HOPE IT WILL BE CONSIDERED WITH THIS APPLICATION. I BELIEVE MAKING THE REQUESTED CHANGE WILL LEAD TO FURTHER ISSUES IN THE FUTURE FOR THIS TOWN.

FOR EXAMPLE: IF THIS PROPERTY IS ZONED FROM AGRICULTURE
TO BUSINESS, IT POTENTIALLY OPENS THE DOOR FOR THE SURROUNDING FARMLAND TO BE PURCHASED AND CHANCED. IT CREATES A
SUPPERY SLOPE MOVING FORWARD.

Code Response: The property in the Agricultural zone is not being re-zoned.

" FURTHERMORE, THE BOARD SHOULD BE LEERY OF MR. RERA'S "OTHER RELATED ITEMS." PHRASE APPLICATION AND THE USE OF THE TIME MR. RERA HAS THE FIRST PURCHASED PROPERTY THE TOWN AND REQUESTED A ZONE CHANGE. FIRST TIME LED TO THE CREATION OF ZONE B3, BUT

THE FIRST TIME LED TO THE CREATION OF ZONE BS, BUT

MR. RERA ALSO TOLD ED BISHOP, THEN TOWN SUPERVISOR, HE

WAS ONLY GOING TO BE SELLING 6 SHEDS ON THE PROPERTY.

IF YOU DRIVE BY THERE NOW, THERE ARE MORE THAN 6 SHEDS

AND NOT JUST SHEDS.

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THIS ALSO LEADS TO THE INCREASE OF NOISE AND LICHT POLLUTION FOR RESIDENTS IN THE SURROUNDING AREA.

Code Response: The TOM Planning Board made a Negative Declaration for the SEQR determination.

Light and noise guidelines can be addressed by the Boards and Code Department; Note: it is next to a number of farms, in a commercial area and next to a busy highway already.

REFERRAL FORM

MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

Referral Number_

assigned by the MCPB upon acceptance of referral for review

This Referral must be received SEVEN CALENDAR DAYS prior to the MCPB meeting date in order for it to be placed on the agenda.

TO: Montgomery County Planning Board, Old County Courthouse, PO Box 1500, Fonda, New York 12068	FROM: Municipal Board: Town of Mohawk Zoning Bo Referring Officer: Chairman Henry Araujo Mail original resolution to: Town of Mohawk
Phone: 518-853-8334 Fax: 518-853-8336	Atten: Town Clerk - Kim Sullivan PO Box 415, Fonda, NY 12068
	Site Address: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY 12068
3. Tax Map Number(s): 331-18	4. Acres: Approx. 1 Acre
5. Is the site currently serviced by public water?	Yes No
6. On-site waste water treatment is currently provi	ided by: Public Sewer or Septic System
7. Current Zoning: A - Agriculture	8. Current Land Use: Residential
repair and maintenance business on their	Carroll wish to operate a small-scale agricultural property. They would service equipment
in the future sell chainsaws and related ed 10. MCPB Jurisdiction:	rties and service will be by appointment only. And quipment.
	located within 500' of:
a State or County thruway/highway/roadway an existing or proposed State or County parl an existing or proposed County-owned strea a State or County-owned parcel on which a a farm operation within an Agricultural Dist	k/recreation area am or drainage channel
	rred Action(s) 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
	entify the referring municipal board if different from above.
12.	Referring Board:
<u> </u>	ing Ordinance Other
13. Zone Change	Referring Board:
Proposed Zone District:	Number of Acres:
Purpose of the Zone Change:	
14. Site Plan Project Site Review	Referring Board:
Proposed Improvements:	
Proposed Use:	
Will the proposed project require a variance?	Yes No Type: Area Use
Specify:	
Is a State of County DOT work permit needed? If	Yes: State or County No
Name of the same	

15. X Special Permit	Referring Board: TOM Zoning Board of Appeals
Section of local zoning code that requires a specia	TOM Zoning Law 2022; Article V; Section 7; A-Agricultural District
Will the proposed project require a variance?	Yes No Type: X Area Use
16. Variance	Referring Board: TOM Zoning Board of Appeals
	v 2022; Schedule A; Agricultural District; Agricultural machinery repa
	nce is being sought: shop and agricultural machinery sales store
Describe how the proposed project varies from the	above code section: Schedule A requires Lot size to be
	660 sq ft and Schedule A requires 300 ft of Road
Frontage and applicant has 201 ft of	Road Frontage
	SEQR Determination
Action:	Finding:
☐ Type I	☐ Positive Declaration – Draft EIS
☐ Type II	 Conditional Negative Declaration
▼ Unlisted Action	X Negative Declaration
☐ Exempt	☐ No Finding (Type II Only)
SEQR determination made by (Lead Agency):	TOM Planning Board Date: July 15, 2024
RE	QUIRED MATERIAL
Send 3 copies of a "Full Statement of the Propo	sed Action" which includes:
All materials required by and submitted to the refe	rring body as an application
• If submitting site plans, please submit onl	1 large set of plans, and 12 11x17 packets.
 All material may be submitted digitally as planning-board-referrals/ 	well at http://www.mcbdc.org/planning-services/montgomery-county-
	n, includes complete information, and supporting materials to assist its review. Recommendations by MCPB shall be made to the Referrment.
Stanley F. Waddle; Zoning Code C	fficial Town of Mohawk 8/4/2025
Name, Title & Phone Number of Person Completing th Cell: (518)-774-0420 Email: zoning	

This side to be completed by Montgomery County Planning.

REFERRAL FORM MONTGOMERY COUNTY PLANNING BOARD

TO:		
Montgomer		ed on Please be advised that the reviewed the proposal stated on the opposite side of this wing recommendation.
	Approves	
	Approves (with Modification	
	Disapproves:	
	No significant County-wide	or inter-community input
	Not subject to Planning Board review	
	Took no action	
		w requires that within thirty days after final action by the ion shall be filed with the County Planning Board.
Date		Kenneth F. Rose, Director Montgomery County Dept. of Economic Development and Planning

Town of Mohawk Building and Zoning Code Enforcement Office PO Box 415 2-4 Park Street Fonda, New York 12068

Phone: 518-853-3031



Circulation to Involved Agencies

July 3, 2025

RE: Mohawk Equipment & Repair Amanda and James Carroll 146 Barker Rd., Fonda, NY

Parcel: SBL- 33.-1-18

1. Public Hearing Tuesday, July 15, 2025, at 6pm

Town of Mohawk Planning Board

Proposed Site Plan Application for an Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store.

- Public Hearing Tuesday, July 24, 2025, at 6:30 pm Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals
 - 2 Applications:
 - (1) Special Permit to operate an Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store in an A- Agricultural Zone.
 - (2) Area Variances; 1) Lot size, 2) Road frontage

Dear Involved Agency:

The following Public Hearings will be held:

1. The Town of Mohawk Planning Board will be holding a Public Hearing regarding the above Site Plan application on Tuesday, July 15, at 6 pm at the Town of Mohawk Town Hall at 2-4 Park Street, Fonda, NY. The review of the application will follow the Public Hearing.

The reason for the application is that the owners Amanda and James Carroll want to operate an agricultural equipment service repair business with a possible chainsaw sales shop in the future in the A-Agricultural Zone they reside in. The owners will require a Special Permit (the business is an allowed use with the receipt of the Special Permit) and two Area Variances from the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals prior to the Planning Board's final decision (tentatively set for August 19, 2025).

2. The Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals will be holding a Public Hearing for the review of two applications; regarding the need for the owners; Amanda and James Carroll, to receive a Special Permit from the Zoning Board in order to operate a Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store in an A- Agricultural Zone and Area Variances for relief of the minimum Lot size and Road Frontage requirements from Town of Mohawk Zoning Law of 2022 Schedule A, on Thursday, July 24, at 6:30 pm at the Town Hall at 2-4 Park Street, Fonda, NY. The review of the applications will follow the Public Hearing. If the Zoning Board approves the applications, the decision will be forwarded to the Montgomery County Planning Board for review at their Monday, August 11, 2025 meeting.

Your agency has been identified as a potentially involved and/or interested agency.

The Town of Mohawk Planning Board made the motion to serve as Lead Agency for this project at the June 17, 2025, Planning Board meeting after the initial Site Plan Sketch Presentation, and all board members voted in favor of being the Lead Agency.

Please let us know if you have any objections to the Town of Mohawk

Planning Board acting in the capacity of Lead Agency.

We welcome any comments you may have regarding the proposed action and would request that you inform us of any permits or other authorization that may be required by your agency.

We will advise you of the TOM Planning Board's decision and send it to your agency after the August 19, 2025, Planning Board meeting.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely, Stanley F. Waddle

Stanley F. Waddle Town of Mohawk Building and Zoning Code Enforcement (518)-774-0420 zoning@townofmohawk.net Attachments: Letter to Agencies
Notice of Public Hearings; Planning Board, Zoning Board
Notice of Public Hearings from Newspaper
Planning Board Site Plan Application with description
Part 1 Short Environmental Assessment Form.
Agricultural Data Statement

Montgomery County Tax Parcel description and map showing property location

Copy of Letter sent to surrounding property owners
Zoning Board Applications

TOM Zoning Law 2022 Excerpts for A- Agricultural Zone and Schedule A Minutes from June 17, 2025, Planning Board Meeting



PLANNING AND ZONING BOARD PLEASE SEE PAGE 2 AND 3 FOR MINUTES REGARDING CARROLL MOHAWK EQUIPMENT REPAIR

Town of Mohawk Planning Board Meeting June 17, 2025

Member Attendance:

Planning Board Chair: Patrick Clear

Planning Board Members: Mark Hoffman, David Dumar, Paul Dettenrieder, Jessica Cyr

Code Enforcer: Stan Waddle

TOM Attorney: Claudia Braymer (via Zoom)

Public Attendance: Reason for Attendance

Amanda Carroll
Kayla Hinkle
Sketch Presentation
Ron Rera
Sketch Presentation
Sketch Presentation
Sketch Presentation
Sketch Presentation

Samantha Morey

Carol Harper Site Plan Approval

Debbie Parslow Town Board

The Planning Board was called to order at 6:30 pm. Paul Dettenrieder made a motion to accept the minutes of the May 20, 2025, Planning Board Meeting and David Dumar seconded the motion. All were in favor

Public Comment:

None

Old Business:

Carol Harper - small auto sales business at 2567 NYS 30A, Fonda

Variances were approved by the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA and Montgomery County Planning Board. Chairman Clear noted that the ZBA placed 8 conditions before approving the variances. The Planning Board placed an added condition that the vehicles for sale must be no closer than 50 ft from the center of the road as per DOT's comment so not to be in their Right-A-Way. Mark Hoffman made a motion to accept the Site Plan Application with the additional conditions and Jessica Cyr seconded the motion. All were in favor. The Certificate of Occupancy will be given to Ms. Harper once Atty. Braymer completes the resolution. This will allow Ms. Harper to transfer her business to its new address which is required by the State.

Comprehensive Plan

Mark Hoffman reported that there were no updates at this time.

CS Energy/Mn8 Grissom Solar Project

DEC still has not approved the work to be done.

Catalyze Solar Project: Boshart/Kane Road

Safety information was received. Site visit is scheduled for this week. The Fire Department received training.

NexAmp Solar Project: NYS Rt. 67

Awaiting a response to schedule a site visit.

Cipriani Albany Bush and Stoner Trail Project

Now that it is the growing season, the 43-acre conservation easement area on parcel 22.-1-4.1 at the corner of Stoner Trail and Albany Bush Road that will be used to satisfy mitigation requirements for both projects and will be evaluated by the DEC in collaboration with the Colliers. In the meantime, the application for the Incidental Take Permit required for mitigation approval is being prepared. There are a series of surveys involved in years 1-3 as well as years 17 and 18 to ensure that the habitat is being properly conserved. Code Enforcer Waddle is in communication with the Colliers and the DEC as the applications are being prepared. Although there will be one application for the singular mitigation areas, the DEC is requesting that an application for each project is submitted. They will be identical. If the DEC is able to maintain its timeline, we are looking to receive the Incidental Take Permit in November. Code Enforcer Waddle stated that he is working as closely with the DEC as possible so that we can streamline the process and help the DEC expedite the process.

Air B&B Short Term Rentals

In process.

New Business:

Sketch Presentation for proposed farm equipment repair business

Amanda Carroll stated that her husband has been in the business for many years. He would like to work with farmers in rural areas and at a lower cost. By appointment only and not after 6 pm. She and her husband will still have full-time jobs and would like to do small repairs at their home. Bigger repairs would be done right at the farms. Possible expansion years down the road. Their property is in an Agricultural District and is an allowed use with a special permit. The Carroll's will need to go before the Town of Mohawk ZBA and request two area variances. Three acres are required, and they have one acre. They have 201 feet road frontage, and 300 feet is required. Jessica Cyr made a motion that the Planning Board be Lead Agency and Mark Hoffman seconded the motion. All were in favor. The SEQR will be completed by the Planning

Board at their meeting July 15, 2025. Public Hearings for this proposed business will be held on July 15, 2025, at 6:00 at the Planning Board Meeting and July 24, 2025 at 6:30 pm at the Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting.

Varin Event Center Permit Application

The Varin Center is seeking a permit to hold a Native American Pow Wow Festival. There will be approximately 500 people attending and 20 vendors. This will be a two-day event. The DOH didn't see any issues for permits since it's outside. It will be open to the public. The music will be from 12 to 4 pm. No plans to move the event inside if it rains. Code Enforcer Waddle reported that they are working on a sprinkler system and are speaking to engineers. David Dumar made a motion to approve the Permit Application and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Sketch Presentation for Massage and Nail Salon

Kayla Hinkle, L.B. Beauty, would like to relocate her business from Northville to this area. It is an allowed us in B2 - retail business/ personal service shop. Code Enforcer Waddle recommended a Public Hearing take place since it's a new business. The business would be located next to where the Jumbo Lot was at 3555 on Route 5. Ms. Hinkle reported that she will be installing a 3 pt. Ventilation System if approved and have a licensed HVAC Technician install it, Connecting to the building's current ventilation duct system.

Code Enforcer Waddle stated that DOT will need to be informed for review. Mark Hoffman made a motion that the Planning Board be Lead Agency and Jessica Cyr seconded the motion. All were in favor. A Public Hearing will be held at the July 15, 2025, Planning Board Meeting at 6:00 pm and the Zoning Board of Appeals on July 24, 2025, at 6:30 pm.

Sketch Presentation for proposed equipment sales on NYS Rt. 30A

Mr. Rera stated that he would like to move his car port business here and sell implements, small residential mowers and tractors. Code Enforcer Waddle noted that he will need to get a variance for road frontage. They need 300 feet and only have 262 feet. They have the acreage and it's an allowed use. Mr. Rera stated that the display area indicated on the map may need to stay as a field. It's currently mowed for hay. His plan is to just use the lower portion. Atty. Braymer suggested that he take this off the map and submit a new map. Mr. Rera noted that he wouldn't want to take it off the map in case he would like to use it as storage since the house and other buildings are gone. Code Enforcer Waddle reported that he spoke to DOT today and a driveway access permit application will need to be submitted. A Public Hearing will be held at the next Planning Board Meeting on July 15, 2025 at 6:00 pm and Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting on July 24, 2025, at 6:30 pm. Mark Hoffman made a motion that the Planning Board be Lead Agency and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor. Code Enforcer Waddle will refer this proposed business to the Zoning Board of Appeals for approval of variances.

Any Further Business from Members:

Chairman Clear reported that the Town of Mohawk is 1 month into the six months solar moratorium. At the July meeting any updates on Solar Law will be discussed.

Fulton County was interested in annexing several parcels of land located off of NYS Rt 30A, east and across from the Industrial Park and along the Old Johnstown Rd. for a Chip Fab Plant. The Town of Mohawk Town Board turned it down. They felt it would be a major traffic concern.

The Site Plan Submission Requirement Checklist was distributed for review. There were no questions at this time.

Mark Hoffman made a motion to adjourn the meeting, and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm.



Town of Mohawk Planning Board Meeting July 15, 2025

Member Attendance:

Planning Board Chair: Patrick Clear

Planning Board Members: Mark Hoffman, David Dumar, Paul Dettenrieder, Jessica Cyr

Code Enforcer: Stan Waddle

TOM Attorney: Claudia Braymer (via Zoom)

Public Attendance: Reason for Attendance

Ron Rera Public Hearing
Amanda Carroll Public Hearing

Abdul Rashid Amiri Sketch Presentation

Jake Gordon Sketch Presentation

Barb Smith

Matthew Bruno

Gloria Bruno

Nicole Tommell Sketch Presentation

Public Hearing was called to order at 6:01 pm.

Mohawk Equipment and Repair

No questions from the public.

Mohawk Equipment Sales

Chairman Patrick Clear submitted two letters from community members that aren't in favor of this business. Matt Bruno stated that receiving special permits for businesses is "a slippery slope down the road" and he's concerned how Fulton County has annexed in the past.

The Public Hearings portion of the meeting was closed.

The Planning Board was called to order at 6:04 pm. Mark Hoffman made a motion to accept the minutes of the June 17, 2025 Planning Board Meeting and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Public Comment:

None

Old Business:

Review of Site Plan for Mohawk Equipment and Repair - Barker Road

Amanda Carroll noted they will be keeping the business small and by appointment only. Her husband will be fixing small tractors and equipment at their home and bigger tractors and equipment he would go to the farm. Down the road they may possibly sell small equipment. Discussion took place on potential contamination or run off going into the reservoir. Chairman Patrick Clear stated that a retention area will need to be planned for and the Planning Board will need to review and approve it. Code Enforcer Waddle asked they have this for the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) Meeting.. Storage of equipment and hours the business will be running were discussed. Atty. Braymer asked that the map show where equipment will be stored when it's not being worked on. SEQR Part 2 - Short Environmental Assessment Form - Impact Statement was completed. Mark Hoffman made a motion of Negative Declaration and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor. This Site Plan Application will be forwarded to the ZBA on July 24,2025 at 6:30 pm for approval of variances and special permit.

Review of Site Plan Application for Mohawk Equipment Sales - NYS Rt. 30A Ron Rera reported that he is seeking approval of Special Use Permit and Area Variance for Road Frontage. Code Enforcer Waddle noted that this type of business is an allowed use in an Agricultural District. - B2 Retail Business Use and the Special Permit is not for rezoning. Atty. Braymer stated that the ZBA will need to determine what areas can be used on the property for this business. Concerns in regard to adversely impacting neighboring properties (i.e. well water) was discussed. Mr. Rera stated that he has no intention of doing anything on the top of the hill other than keeping it maintained. David Dumar asked how many carports would be located on the property. Mr. Rera reported that he plans to have 10 - 12 small carports. Hours of operation would be 9 to 5 and 5 to 5 ½ days per week. A 30x100 one story barn is being built on the property (7 ½ feet tall with the peaks being 14 feet). Mr. Rera stated that the barn was planned so it wouldn't obstruct neighboring properties' views. It was asked if fencing was being put up to keep costumers off neighboring properties. Mr. Rera noted that privacy fencing will be put up and shrubs in front of the fencing. This is indicated on the map with red squares. Possible concerns of a group of trees that were cut down were discussed. DOT asked to have the driveway moved a little further North away from the curve. Mr. Rera's engineer will need to provide DOT with a map indicating where the driveway will be moved. Mr. Rera is responsible to put in the driveway according to DOT specifications. Atty. Braymer asked that an updated map be made. Mr. Rera stated "that the barn area is the most important part and the hill is a moot point for him." Jessica Cyr asked since the SEQR is being done on both parcels how can we

be sure that the business stays small five years down the line. The Planning Board could place a condition on the Site Plan Application limiting the size. Mr. Rera made an indication on the map showing what land he will be using in the Agricultural District and signed and dated it allowing the Planning Board Members to change Item #2 on the Short Environmental Assessment Form - Part 2 Impact Assessment to No, or small impact may occur. Paul Dettenrieder made a motion of Negative Declaration and Mark Hoffman seconded the motion. All were in favor. The Site Plan Application will be forwarded to the ZBA on July 24, 2025 at 6:30 pm and then to the County Planning Board if approved. The two letters discussing concerns regarding this business were added to the minutes.

Comprehensive Plan

Chairman Clear reported that the Town Board passed a resolution approving the county to apply for a grant on the town's behalf.

Solar Law Moratorium

Chairman Clear stated that we acknowledge State Guidelines in our Solar Law, but would like to put more restrictions when placed in a non allowed district. Discussion took place on whether the land is being leased or purchased. Chairman Clear asked that the members come up with a list of restrictions (community friendly) for next month's meeting. Webinars that are being held were discussed.

Updates

CS Energy/Mn8 Grissom Solar Project

Nothing has changed. DEC has not released them as of yet.

Catalyze Solar Project: Boshart/Kane Road

Code Enforcer Waddle is reviewing the documents that have been submitted. They were able to correct one corner.

NexAmp Solar Project: NYS Rt. 67

Code Enforcer Waddle is reviewing the documents they have submitted.

Cipriani Albany Bush and Stoner Trail Solar Project

Status is the same. Start in November at this time.

Airbnb Short Term Rental

In process. Code Enforcer Waddle plans to have the guidelines for the Town Board to review at their August meeting.

Massage and Nail Salon

Withdrew their application.

New Business:

Sketch Presentation proposed Krown Auto Dealership and Repair at 3555 NYS Rt. 5
Abdul Amiri reported that Krown Auto Dealership currently has a location in
Scotia-Glenville they would like to move here. Small dealership with 25 to 30 cars.
They depend mostly on their service department. Mr. Amiri stated it will make it easier for customers to come here instead of Schenectady. The dealership would be going where the Jumbo Lot was. Concerns of being part of a flood zone and storage of fluids was discussed. Mark Hoffman made a motion to waive the Agricultural Statement and Paul Dettenrieder seconded the motion. All were in favor. Site Plan Submission Requirement Checklist was reviewed.

Sketch Presentation proposed Herkimer Diamond Spring Water - Bulk Water Withdrawal

Jake Gordon from CT Male gave the presentation. He noted that Diamond Springs is in Phase 2 of Process (harvesting and selling spring water). Bringing the water to a lower level of the property and being taken off property for bottling. Preliminary plans were presented to the members. Concerns regarding the house below the site were discussed. PUD Regulations will be reviewed.

Sketch Presentation for proposed subdivision of several Jones properties to be purchased by Tommell.

Nicole Tommell gave a presentation on the proposed subdivisions. Ms. Tommell indicated what lands would be retained by the Jones'. A new survey map was done with no problems concerning road frontage. The Tommell's are requesting boundary changes with new SBL #'s. Chairman Clear reported that a Public Hearing will need to be held. Atty. Braymer noted that new deeds will need to be filed after subdivisions are completed. There were no questions or concerns from the Planning Board Members.

Any Further Business from Members:

Chairman Clear reminded the Planning Board Members of the webinars that are being held concerning Solar Law. Members were asked to let Code Enforcer Waddle or himself know if they need the link for the training sessions.

Code Enforcer Waddle reported that Chris Howland may be coming before the Planning Board for approval to display sheds in the fenced area by where the Jumbo Lot was. Also, Rolanda Stipe (Bulk Food Store) would like to add in the deli. Mrs Stipe contacted Code Enforcer Waddle to see what she needed to do.

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JANET DE PALMA Supervisor

KIMBERLY M. SULLIVAN Town Clerk

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TOWN OF MOHAWK

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TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING BOARD

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON JULY 24, 2025, AT 6:30 PM

NOTICE IS HEARBY GIVEN, that the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on Thursday, July 24, 2025, at 6:30 pm at the Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park Street, Fonda, NY.

It is to review two Zoning Board Applications from Amanda and James Carroll to operate an agricultural equipment service repair business with a possible chainsaw sales shop in the future in the A-Agricultural Zone they reside in. The property is located at 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY. Parcel SBL: 33.-1-18.

The review of the applications will follow the Public Hearing.

The owners will require a Special Permit (the business is an allowed use with the receipt of the Special Permit) and two Area Variances (Lot Size and Road Frontage) from the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals prior to the Town of Mohawk Planning Board's final decision on their Site Plan application to operate an agricultural equipment service repair and sales business. (Planning Board meeting tentatively set for August 19, 2025).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE,

Members of the public should take note that: (i) extraordinary circumstances may necessitate the use of videoconferencing for this meeting, (ii) the public can view and/or participate in such meeting remotely by contacting the Town Supervisor at Supervisor@townofmohawk.net, (iii) documents and records will be posted online or available by contacting Town Hall, and (iv) the physical location for the meeting where the public can attend in person is Town Hall, 2-4 Park Street, Fonda, New York.

Any Questions, Comments, and/or Concerns, you may contact Stan Waddle.

Dated: July 3, 2025

Stanley F. Waddle

Town of Mohawk
Building and Zoning Code Enforcement Official
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AT RICHARD A.PAPA OFFICE BLDG 2-4 PARK ST, FONDA, NY 12068 TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING BD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEAR-ING ON THURSDAY, JULY 24, 2025 AT 6:30PM TO REVIEW FOUR APPLI-**CATIONS. 2 APPLICATIONS FOR** 146 BARKER RD SBL: 33.-1-18 (1) FOR SPECIAL PERMIT TO **OPERATE A AGRICULTURAL REPAIR** AND SALES SHOP (2) AREA VARI-ANCE OF REQUIRED ROAD FRONT-AGE. 2 APPLICATIONS FOR 2382 NYS HWY 30A (3) AREA VARIANCE OF REQUIRED ROAD FRONTAGE TO OPERATE A FARM IMPLEMENT AND RETAIL STORE SALES BUSI-NESS (4) FOR SPECIAL PERMIT TO OPERATE AN AGRICULTURAL **MACHINERY SALES STORE** APPLICATIONS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE TOWN OFFICE THOSE INTERESTED ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. Kimberly M. Sullivan Town of Mohawk Town Clerk P.O. Box 415 Fonda, NY 12068 518-853-3031

Amanda and James Carroll Proposed Action:

Consists of 1 Acre

SBL: 33.-1-18

Type of Action(s):

New Business to be located at 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, New York

Have submitted the following:

- Site Plan Application to TOM Planning Board for new Business; Mohawk Equipment & Repair.
- 2. Special Permit Application to TOM Zoning Board of Appeals to allow Agricultural Repair and Sales business to operate in A-Agricultural Zone.
- 3. Area Variance Applications for Lot size and Road Frontage to TOM Zoning Board of Appeals to allow Agricultural Repair and Sales business to operate in A-Agricultural Zone.

Type of Business:

1. We wish to operate a small-scale agricultural repair and maintenance business on our property. We will service equipment commonly used on farms and rural properties and service will be by appointment only. Because our business will be the repair and servicing of farm equipment, our surrounding area is rural farmland and farm equipment is normally seen on properties in our area. Most servicing will be at the equipment farm's location, but if brought to our business location, it won't be out of place. Our property is smaller in lot size than most of the properties adjoining ours and we are not able to purchase more land and that is the reason we need to ask for the area variances for the lot size and road frontage. We plan to operate by appointment only and not have a storefront or walk-in business and maintain a low traffic, no retail environment. Our planned use is an allowable use in the Agricultural zone we live in with the issuance of a Special Permit by the Zoning Board.

Mohawk Equipment & Repair

Owned by: Amanda and James Carroll Location: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY

Business Name: Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Zoning District: Agricultural SBL- Parcel ID 33.-1-18

Business Overview

Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, family-run repair service based at our home on Barker Road. We specialize in servicing and repairing small engines and equipment commonly used on rural properties—including riding mowers, push mowers, rototillers, chainsaws, and similar tools.

While we are just getting started, our business is geared toward supporting local farmers and rural landowners, with fair, accessible pricing and services tailored to the needs of this community.

Business Operations

- Appointment Only: No walk-in traffic. Customers must schedule drop-offs or pickups.
- No Commercial Signage: None at this time; any future signage will go through the proper process.
- Low Volume: We typically have 2-4 pieces of equipment on-site at any one time.
- Limited Hours: James currently works a full-time job, so repair work is limited to a few hours in the afternoons after 2:30 PM on weekdays (typically until 6 PM), and intermittently on weekends between 8 AM and 6 PM.
- Quiet & Respectful: All work is done during normal daytime hours with care to minimize noise and disruption.
- Flexible Pickup/Drop-off Options: We offer trailer transport for those who cannot bring their equipment directly.
- Family Operated: The business is operated solely by Amanda and James Carroll.

Zoning Relevance / Agricultural Intent

While we have not yet serviced equipment directly from active farms, our service is built to meet that need.

James has over a decade of hands-on experience working with agricultural and logging equipment through companies such as Hudson River Tractor, Emrick Sales & Service, and Ground Equipment Inc.

Our goal is to become a reliable local option for farm equipment repair, bridging a service gap for area farmers and rural residents.

Long-Term Vision

As we grow, we may apply for:

- Modest signage for visibility
- Light outdoor storage (e.g., scrap equipment area)
- Official dealership or supplier connections (e.g., Rotary Corp or Stihl)

Any changes will follow appropriate zoning and planning procedures.

Closing Statement

We appreciate the opportunity to explain our plans. Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, community-focused business that aims to support the rural and agricultural character of our area. We are committed to growing responsibly and respectfully, with services designed to benefit the local community.

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TOWN OF MOHAWK NEW YORK Project Name: Mohawk Equipment

Application #

APPLICATION TO THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE TO THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOR:

(CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX)

- *() SPECIAL PERMIT; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-1, B-2, F AND G) () USE VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B, F AND G) ☼ AREA VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-2, C, F AND G) () REVIEW OF A DECISION OF THE ZONING/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIAL; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, D, F AND G) () INTERPRETATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS E AND G) *AS ACCEPTED IN THE ZONING ORDINANCE; REV. SEPTEMBER 24TH, 1998 X A.1. DESCRIPTION, LOCATION AND ZONING DISTRICT OF THE PREMISES INVOLVED: 1 Acre lot with 1008 sq ft. 3 Bedroom Residence with detached 24x24 garage with 10x24 shed addition with separate driveway off Barker Rd. At 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY, Zoned as A-Agricultural χ 2. THE APPLICANT HAS OWNED OR WILL OWN THE SUBJECT PROPERTY AS OF 5/25/2016_ (DATE) X 3. THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES OWNERSHIP OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ADJOINING PROPERTY: None
 - B.1. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO USE THE PREMISES FOR THE FOLLOWING **PURPOSES: (GIVE DETAILS)**

X 2. THE APPLICANT CONTENDS THAT THE PROPOSED USE WILL NOT BE INJURIOUS TO THE CHARACTER OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

Because our business will be the repair and servicing of farm equipment, our surrounding area is rural farmland and farm equipment is normally seen on properties in our area. Most servicing will be at the equipment farm's location, but if brought to our business location, it won't be out of place.

3. THE APPLICANT CONTENDS THAT NO PERMISSIBLE USE OF HIS PROPERTY WILL PERMIT A REASONABLE RETURN FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

- X C.1. THE APPLICANT REQUEST RELIEF FROM THE ZONING ORDINANCE PROPERTY RESTRICTIONS AS EXPLAINED BELOW: The TOM Zoning Law of 2022; Schedule A; states that for an Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store, Lot size required is 130,000 sq ft and 300 ft of Road Frontage; we have 42,560 sq ft and 201 ft of Road Frontage. We do not need the listed required Lot size or road frontage as we are a small operation and plan to stay that way.
- APPLY TO THIS PROPERTY BUT DO NOT APPLY GENERALLY TO LAND OR BUIDINGS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD: Our property is smaller in lot size than most of the properties adjoining ours and we are not able to purchase more land and that is the reason we need to ask for the area variances for the lot size and road frontage. We plan to operate by appointment only and not have a storefront or walk-in business and maintain a low traffic, no retail environment. Our planned use is an allowable use in the Agricultural zone we live in with the issuance of a Special Permit by the Zoning Board

X 3. THE APPLICANT	CERTIFIES THAT THE REI	LIEF REQUESTED IS THE MINIMUM
VARIANCE WHICH V	VILL ENABLE REASONAE	BLE USE OF THIS PROPERTY FOR THE
FOLLOWING REASO	งพร: Lot size require	ed is 130,000 sq ft and 300 ft of
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We are asking fo	r the relief of the 8	7,440 sq ft difference for the Lot
size and relief of	99 ft difference of	the Road Frontage. By allowing
he two area vari	ances we can utiliz	ze our property for our needs to
operate our prop	osed Mohawk Equ	ipment & Repair business to
support local farr D. 1. THE APPLICA	ns, landowners and request relief from	d forestry operations. OM THE ACTION OF THE
ZONING/ADMINISTE	RATIVE OFFICIAL WITH RE	SPECT TO THE FOLLOWING
SECTION/SECTIONS	S OF THE ZONING ORDINA	ANCE:
2. THE APPLICANT	REQUESTS A REVERSAL	OF THE ZONING/ADMINISTRATIVE
OFFICIAL DECISION	REGARDING DOCUMEN	T NUMBER:
(ATTACH	A COPY OF DENIED BUIL	DING PERMIT IF APPLICABLE)
-		E THE ZONING ORDINACE REPTAINING
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TO:		
(COMP	LETE EACH ITEM THAT M	AY APPLY)
ARTICLE:	SECTION:	PARAGRAPH NO:
PAGE NO:	TABLE NO:	MAP NO:
COMMENTS:		

X F.1. SUBMIT A MAP SHOWING: PROPERTY LINES; EXISTING AND PROPOSED STRUCTURES, WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE LINES; ALL WITH PROPER DIMENSIONS.

(LIST AND IDENTIFY ACCURATELY)

See Attached Information
Real Property Tax Map
Overhead View Map
List of Property Owners with-in
500 ft of our property.

2. ESTIMATED COST OF PROJECT:	
3. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMMENCEMENT:	
4. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMPLETION:	

		Application #:
X	G. PRINT APPLICANT INFORMATION	Date: 7/24/2025 Project Name Mohawk Equipmen Repair
^		rrollamanda25@gmail.com
	1. NAME: Amanda and James Carroll Email: ca 2. ADDRESS 46 Barker Rd., Fonda, NY 12068	
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		ICANT)
	OWNER INFORMATION (IF OTHER THAN APPL Email:	ICANT)
	3. NAME:	Phone #:
	4. ADDRESS:	
	************************	***
	I HEREBY CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT ALL	
	AND STATE STATUTES HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH. I HAVE R APPLICATION AND THE CONTENTS THEREOF ARE TRUE TO M	
	APPLICANT SIGNATURE: Omarile Carrie	
	DATE: 6/20/25	
	OWNER SIGNATURE:	
	DATE: (ONLY IF NOT SAME AS APPLICANT)	
	* NOTE - THE APPLICANT SHALL NO	TIFY BY
	CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT	REQUIRED
	(RETURNED TO TOM CODE OFFICE) - ALL
	LANDOWNERS WITHIN 500 FEET OF	
	APPLICANTS PARCEL	
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	BOARD OF APPEALS RECEIVED:	
	FEE PAID:	

TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING LAW 2022 AMANDA CARROLL - MOHAWK EQUIPMENT & REPAIR

ARTICLE V: USE REGULATIONS

SECTION 7- A-Agricultural District.

In the A-Agricultural District no building or premises shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered except for one or more of the following uses:

(A) Uses Permitted:

- 1. Farm, nursery, truck garden, greenhouse, customary agricultural operation.
- 2. One family dwelling
- 3. Two family dwelling
- 4. Low-Impact Recreation Area
- 5. Public building or public school
- 6. Church, parish house, convent
- 7. Customary accessory use or building
- 8. Mobile home as part of a farm operation

(B) Uses Permitted as a special exception by the Board of Appeals:

- 1. Picnic grove, fish or game club
- 2. Veterinary, animal hospital, kennel
- 3. Golf course or country club
- 4. Public utility station or structure
- 5. High-Impact Recreation Area
- 6. Mobile home court
- 7. Mobile home in court
- 8. Nursing, convalescent or home for aged
- 9. General aviation airport
- 10. Multiple dwelling
- 11. Private school
- 12. Tourist Home
- 13. Trailer Camp
- 14. Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store
- 15. Home occupation
- 16. Day care

MINIMUM LOT

SIZE

BLDG. HEIGHT (MAX) YARD DIMENSIONS
Mid of

			SIZE				BLDG. HE	GHT (MAX)	YARD DIM				
		Uses Permitted Upon		Road	Max % of					Mid of			
District (1)	Permitted Principal Uses (see Article V - Use Regulations for Complete List)(2)	Issuance of a Special		•	Lot to be	-				Road			
District (1)	remitted rimitpal oses (see Article v - ose Regulations for Complete List)(2)	Permit by the Board of	Area in Feet or		-		In Stories			Center	Side One		
		Appeals (3)	Acres (4)	Feet (5)	(6)	Ft. (7)	(8)	In Feet (9)	Front (10)	State	(11)	Total (12)	Rear (13)
Α	Farm, nursery, truck, garden, greenhouse, customary agricultural operation		5 acres										
Agriculture	One-Family dwelling		130,000 sf	300		600	2 1/2	35	60	75	20	50	50
	Two-Family dwelling		130,000 sf	300	20	1000	2 1/2	35	60	75	20	50	50
	Mobile home as part of a farm operation		40,000 sf	150	20	600	1	15	60	75	20	50	50
	Low-Impact Recreation Area												
	Public building or public school												
	Church, parish house, convent												
	Customary accessory use or building												
	, ,	Picnic grove, fish or game											
		club	10 acres	500					130	145	25	50	50
		Veterinary, animal											
		hospital, kennel	2 acres						130	145	50	100	50
		Golf course or country											
		club					2 1/2	35	130	145	50	100	100
		Public utility station or					/-						
		structure											
		High Impact Recreation											
		Area	25 acres	600	20	,	2 1/2	35	130	145	100	200	100
		Mobile home court	10 acres	600			1	15		145	50	100	50
		Mobile home in court	4,000/mh	50/mh	20		1	15		145	10	20	
		Nursing, convalenscent or	1,000,1111	30,			_	1	150	1.5			
		home for aged	50,000	250	25		2 1/2	35	70	85	20	50	50
		General aviation airport	100 acres	750			,-					- 50	- 50
		Multiple family dwelling	10 acres 4,000	:f/du									
		Daycare	130,000 sf	300	25		2 1/2	35	70	85	20	50	50
		Private school	200,000 5.	500			,-		 				- 50
		Home occupation											
		Tourist Home											
		Trailer Camp											
		Agricultural machinery				1							
		repair shop and											
		agricultural machinery											
		sales store											
		sales store											
R-1	One Family dwelling with public water 9 cover		22,500	150) 20	600	2 1/2	35	55	70	15	30	50
Residence	One-Family dwelling with public water & sewer Two-Family dwelling with public water & sewer		22,500							70		30	
Residence	One-Family dwelling with public water & sewer One-Family dwelling without public water & sewer		40,000			300	2 1/2	1 33	33	/0	13	30	30
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	Church, parish house, convent		50,000				1	15	130	145		50	
1	Low-Impact Recreation		30,000	250	/ 25	1	1		130	145	25	50	50
 	Public building or public school		5 acres	100	1	1	1	 	-		-		
	Customary accessory use or building		3 acres	100	' 			 					
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Structure

Building 1	
Building Style	01 - Ranch
Number of Stories	1.0
Exterior Wall Material	03 - Alum/vinyl
Actual Year Built	1978
Eff. Year Built	1980
Year Remodeled	
Number of Kitchens	1
Number of Full Baths	1
Number of Half Baths	
Number of Bedrooms	3
Number of Fireplaces	
Heat Type	4 - Electric
Fuel Type	3 - Electric
Central Air	No
Basement Type	4 - Full
Total Sq Ft	1008
1st Story Sq Ft	1008
2nd Story Sq Ft	
1/2 Story Sq Ft	
3/4 Story Sq Ft	
Additional Story Sq Ft	
Finished Attic Sq Ft	
Finished Basement Sq Ft	
Finished Rec Room Sq Ft	
Finished Over Garage Sq Ft	
Condition	3 - Normal

No image found for this Parcel.



2025 Tentative Assessment Information

Land Assessed Value	\$20,000
Total Assessed Value	\$99,300
Equalization Rate	61.00%
Full Market Value	\$162,787
Partial Construction	No
County Taxable	\$99,300
Municipal Taxable	\$99,300
School Taxable	\$99,300
Village Taxable	\$0
Agricultural District?	False

Property Description

Property Type	210 - 1 Family Res
Neighborhood Code	27010 rural
SWIS	273289
Water Supply	2 - Private
Utilities	3 - Electric
Sewer Type	2 - Private
Zoning	CONF Conforming
School	Fonda-Fultonville
Book	2016
Page	68385
Grid East	499712
Grid North	1503982
Roll Section	1
Acres	1.00
Front	201.00
Depth	0.00

Last Property Sale

Prior Owner	Amanda Carroll f/k/a Fisher
Arms Length	No
Usable For Valuation	No
Net Sale Price	\$1
Full Sale Price	\$1
Sale Date	05/25/2016
Contract Date	
Deed Page	68385
Deed Book	2016
Deed Date	07/13/2016

Owner Information									
Owner Name	Address 1	Address 2	PO Box	City	State	Zip	Unit Name	Unit Number	
James Carroll	146 Barker Rd			Fonda	NY	12068			
Amanda Carroll	146 Barker Rd			Fonda	NY	12068			

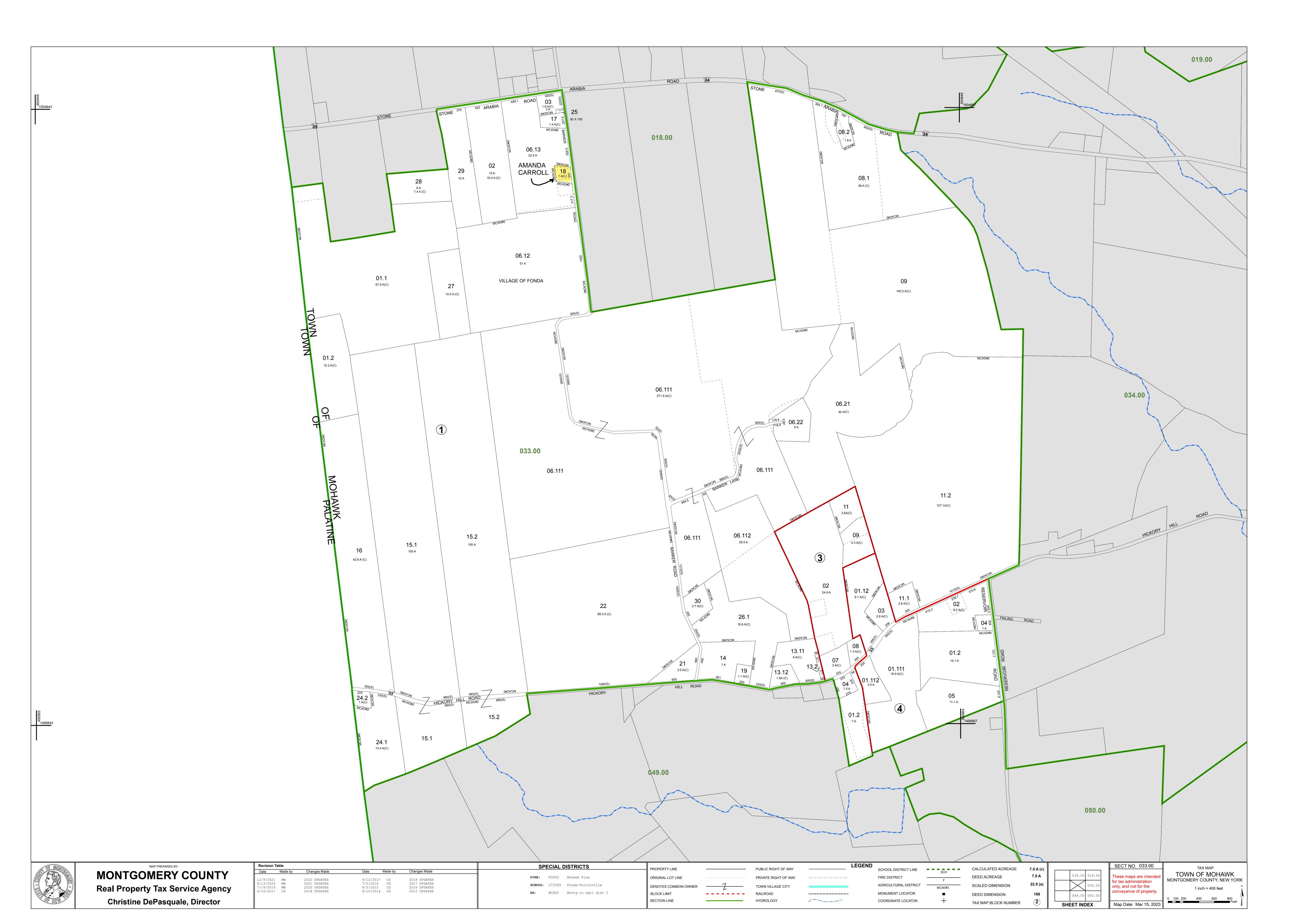
Sales											
Deed Date	Deed Book	Deed Page	Contract Date	Sale Date	Last Physical Inspection Date	Sale Price	Net Sale Price	Usable for Valuation	Arms Length	Prior Owner	
07/13/2016	2016	68385		05/25/2016		\$1	\$1	No	No	Amanda Carroll f/k/a Fisher	
03/16/2015	2015	61365		08/15/2014		\$1	\$1	No	No	Amanda Lynn Fisher	
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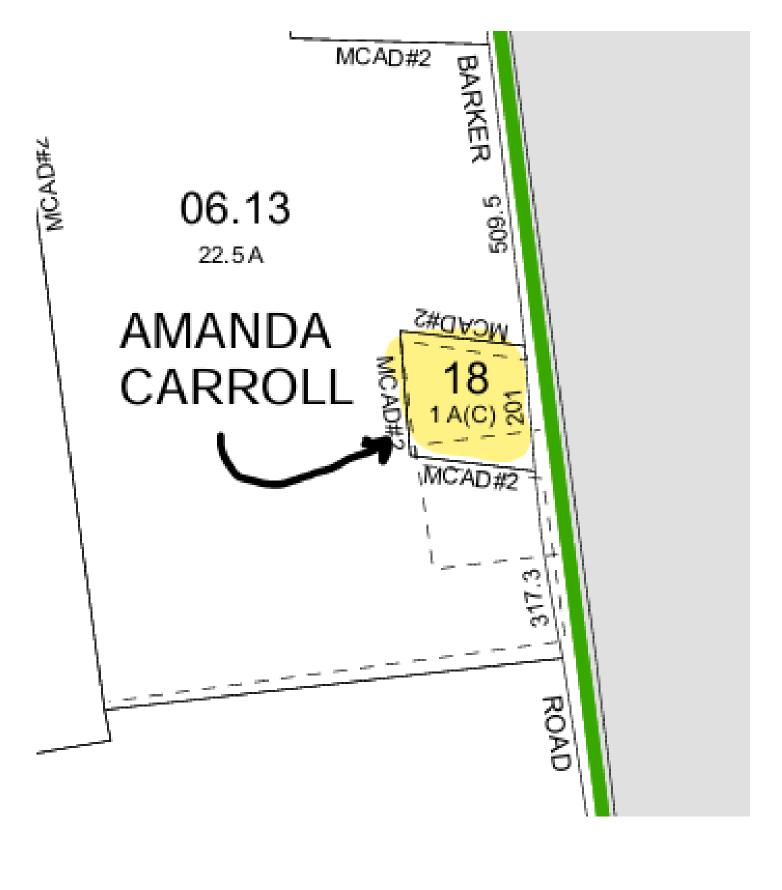
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Land							
	Site #	Land Type	Acres	Front	Depth	Sq Ft	Soil Rating
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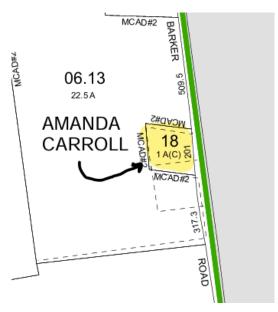
	Improvements							
Site #	Structure Code	SqFt	Dimensions	Quantity	Overall Condition	Actual Year Built	Effective Year Built	
1	RG4 - Gar-1.0 det		24.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000		
1	CP5 - Canpy-roof		10.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000		
1	CP5 - Canpy-roof		6.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000		
1	RP1 - Porch-open/deck		8.00 x 8.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000		

Special Districts					
Code Description	Туре	Primary Units	Secondary Units	Amount	
FD002 - Mohawk fire	Α	0.00	0.00	\$99,300.00	

















WASH STATION, FLAT SPOT BESIDE THE DRIVEWAY AND UNDER THE TREES





EQUIPMENT STORAGE AREA AWAITING REPAIR IN LEAN-TO

FLAT AREA FOR WASH-OFF/OUT



Amanda Carroll List of Properties within 500 feet

Ref.Line #	S.B.L.Tax ID	Owner/s of Record & Mailing Address/es	Property Street #	Property Street Name
1	185-6	Clifford Voght Jr	147	Barker Rd
	183-0	Cililora Vogiti Ji	147	Barker Ru
		147 Barker Rd		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
	22 4 40	Amenda and James County	146	Deales Dd
2	331-18	Amanda and James Carroll	146	Barker Rd
		146 Barker Rd		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
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3	331-6.13	Jeffrey and Cathy Weiss	322 Vac Land	Barker Rd
		236 Melo Park Rd		
		Niskayuna, NY 12309		
4	331-6.12	Village of Fonda	822 Water Supply	Barker Rd
		PO Box 447		
		Fonda, NY 12065		
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To:	Name: Date:
	Address:
	Address:
the ov notice prope	the most up to date information from the Montgomery County, New York Tax Parcel web site; you are listed as your of S.B.L.#(s):
Office	
S.B.L.	s) <u>331-18</u> Located at: <u>146 Barker Road, Fonda, New York</u> Zoned as: <u>A-Agricultural</u>
Prope	ty Owned by/ Applicant: <u>Amanda and James Carroll</u>
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Planning Board for: Major Subdivision
	☐ Minor Subdivision ☐ Major Site Plan ☐ Major Solar Site Plan ☐ Minor Site Plan
	☐ Special Permit ☐ Lot Line Adjustment
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals for:
	☐ Use Variance 2 - Area Variance(s)☐ Review of Decision of the Zoning/Administrative Officia
	☐ Interpretation of the Zoning Ordinance ■ Special Permit
(Attac Site Pl busine by app TOM Z Appea are loc	n for Application, the Project Description and attached Map showing the Project(s) Location: n additional sheets if needed) an application to the TOM Planning Board; We wish to operate a small-scale agricultural repair and maintenance ss on our property. We will service equipment commonly used on farms and rural properties and service will be cointment only. oning Board; What we propose is an allowed use with a Special Permit granted by the TOM Zoning Board of ls. Area Variances; our lot size and road frontage is less than what is asked for by the Zoning Law of 2022 but we oking to operate a smaller operation and do not require the additional lot size and road frontage. see back page for more information.
<u>Planni</u>	ng Board Meeting:
Meeti	ng Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall
Zoning	Board Meeting:
Meeti	ng Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall

You can contact: <u>Amanda Carroll</u> regarding their application at: <u>(518)-848-4474</u> with any questions; voice your support

and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email to: carrollamanda25@gmail.com

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You can contact Janet De Palma, the Town of Mohawk Town Supervisor at (518)-853-3031, option 5, with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email Janet De Palma at: supervisor@townofmohawk.net

You can contact Stan Waddle, the Town of Mohawk Building & Zoning Code Official at (518)-571-9882 or (518)-774-0420 with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may email Stan Waddle at: zoning@townofmohawk.net

Those interested are welcome to attend the above designated meeting(s) at the date(s) and time(s) listed.

Mohawk Equipment & Repair

Owned by: Amanda and James Carroll Location: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY

Business Name: Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Zoning District: Agricultural SBL- Parcel ID 33.-1-18

Business Overview

Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, family-run repair service based at our home on Barker Road. We specialize in servicing and repairing small engines and equipment commonly used on rural properties—including riding mowers, push mowers, rototillers, chainsaws, and similar tools.

While we are just getting started, our business is geared toward supporting local farmers and rural landowners, with fair, accessible pricing and services tailored to the needs of this community.

Business Operations

- Appointment Only: No walk-in traffic. Customers must schedule drop-offs or pickups.
- No Commercial Signage: None at this time; any future signage will go through the proper process.
- Low Volume: We typically have 2–4 pieces of equipment on-site at any one time.
- Limited Hours: James currently works a full-time job, so repair work is limited to a few hours in the afternoons after 2:30 PM on weekdays (typically until 6 PM), and intermittently on weekends between 8 AM and 6 PM.
- Quiet & Respectful: All work is done during normal daytime hours with care to minimize noise and disruption.
- Flexible Pickup/Drop-off Options: We offer trailer transport for those who cannot bring their equipment directly.
- Family Operated: The business is operated solely by Amanda and James Carroll.

Zoning Relevance / Agricultural Intent

While we have not yet serviced equipment directly from active farms, our service is built to meet that need.

James has over a decade of hands-on experience working with agricultural and logging equipment through companies such as Hudson River Tractor, Emrick Sales & Service, and Ground Equipment Inc.

Our goal is to become a reliable local option for farm equipment repair, bridging a service gap for area farmers and rural residents.

Long-Term Vision

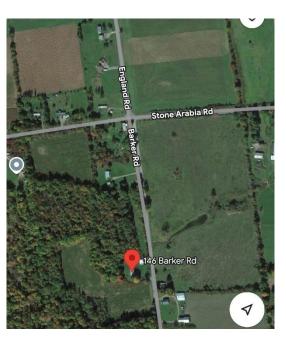
As we grow, we may apply for:

- Modest signage for visibility within the TOM Zoning Laws for Sign Regulations
- Light outdoor storage (e.g., scrap equipment area)
- Official dealership or supplier connections (e.g., Rotary Corp or Stihl)

Any changes will follow appropriate building permitting, zoning and planning procedures.

Closing Statement

We appreciate the opportunity to explain our plans. Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, community-focused business that aims to support the rural and agricultural character of our area. We are committed to growing responsibly and respectfully, with services designed to benefit the local community.



Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Equipment Washing & Spill Containment Plan

Location: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY 12068

Prepared by: Amanda & James Carroll

Proximity to Waterbody: Within 500 feet

1. Purpose

This plan outlines the procedures used at Mohawk Equipment & Repair to responsibly manage potential runoff and fluid spills while washing or servicing equipment near a waterbody.

2. Washing Area Design

- Surface: A level, compacted gravel pad will be used for all outdoor equipment washing.
- Drainage: The pad will be flat or slightly bowl-shaped to contain water and allow it to soak slowly into the gravel.
- Location: The pad is located at least 50 feet away from any slope, ditch, or waterbody to reduce the risk of runoff.

3. Wash Procedures

- Soap Use: No detergents will be used unless necessary. When needed, only biodegradable, phosphate-free soaps will be applied.
- Initial Cleaning: Equipment with visible oil, grease, or fuel leaks will be wiped clean with absorbent pads or rags before washing.
- Rinse Water: Wash water will remain onsite and be allowed to soak into the gravel pad. It will not enter storm drains, ditches, or waterways.
- Oil Control: Absorbent pads or materials will be used on the gravel if any fluids are expected. These will be disposed of properly.

4. Spill Prevention & Response

- Spill Kits: At least one spill response kit will be kept in the garage and one in any mobile service vehicle.
- Secondary Containment: Fluids such as oil and gas will be stored in labeled containers with spill trays or on oil-resistant shelves.
- Spill Response Steps:
 - 1. Stop the source.
 - 2. Contain the spill using absorbents or berms.
 - 3. Clean up and dispose of used materials properly.
 - 4. Report any spill over 5 gallons or that reaches soil or water to the NYS Spill Hotline: 1-800-457-7362.

5. Recordkeeping (Simple Logbook)

- A basic logbook (digital or paper) will be kept to record:
 - o Inspection of the gravel wash area and spill kits (monthly)
 - Any spill responses
 - Any fluid-related maintenance events
- Sample entry:

7/16/25 – Checked gravel pad, no runoff or pooling. Spill kit in garage still fully stocked.

6. Waste Disposal

- Used absorbents and rags will be sealed in bags and stored until disposal at a local HHW event.
- Oily wash water, if collected, will be stored in a sealed 5-gallon bucket labeled "Wash Water – Hazardous" and brought to the next Montgomery County Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Event.
- Residents can contact Montgomery County Solid Waste at (518) 853-8174 to confirm upcoming HHW drop-off dates (usually held annually in summer).

7. Annual Review

This plan will be reviewed annually each spring or as operations expand. Adjustments will be made to remain compliant with local and state environmental guidelines.

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Division of Environmental Permits, Region 4
1130 North Westcott Road, Schenectady, NY 12306-2014
P: (518) 357-2069 | F: (518) 357-2593
www.dec.ny.gov

July 16, 2025

Stanley F. Waddle Town of Mohawk Building and Zoning Code Enforcement P.O. Box 415 2-4 Park Street Fonda, NY 12068

Emailed to: <u>zoning@townofmohawk.net</u>

Re: Lead Agency Coordination Response Amanda and James Carroll Mohawk Equipment and Repair 146 Barker Road Town of Fonda, Montgomery County

Dear Stanley Waddle:

This letter responds to your correspondence received on July 7, 2025, regarding lead agency coordination for the project referenced herein, under Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review – SEQR) of the Environmental Conservation Law and 6 NYCRR Part 617. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the DEC) has the following interest in this project:

Name of Action: Mohawk Equipment and Repair

DEC Contact Person: Maranda Welch, Environmental Analyst I

SEQR Classification:

DEC Position: Based on the information provided:

Additional Information

Ground Disturbance

It does not appear that ground disturbance is currently proposed. Should this change, please reach out to the Division of Environmental Permits again as the site is within a Cultural Resource area and Agricultural District.



Please feel free to contact me by e-mail at maranda.welch@dec.ny.gov or by telephone at (518) 357-2446 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

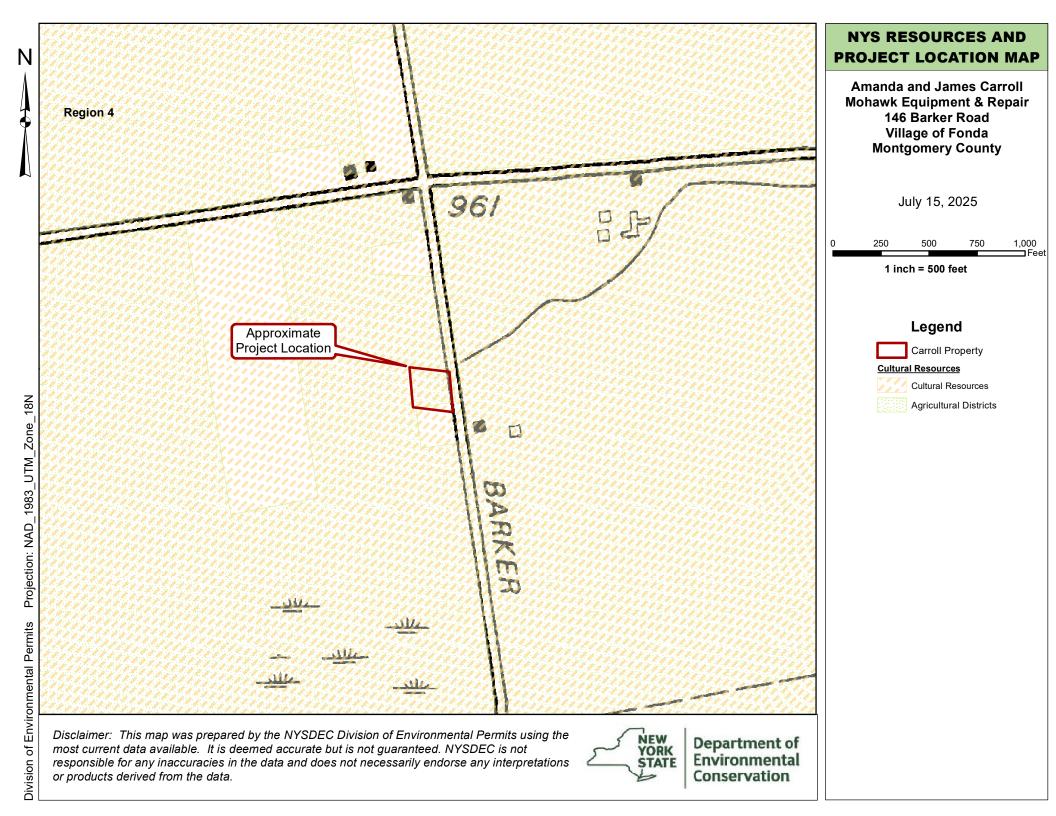
Maranda Welch

Environmental Analyst I

Maranda Welch

Encl.: Project Location & NYS Resources Map





Village of Fonda

8 E. Main Street, PO Box 447 Fonda, NY 12068

Telephone: +1 518.853.4335 Fax: +1 518.853.4555

Web: www.villageoffonda.ny.gov Email: villageclerk@villageoffonda.ny.gov



July 14, 2025

Town of Mohawk Planning Board 2-4 Park Street Fonda, NY 12068.

Re: Proposed Project at 146 Barker Road, Fonda, NY - Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Dear Members of the Town of Mohawk Planning Board,

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Fonda, we acknowledge receipt of the public notice regarding the proposed site plan and special permit application for Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC, located at 146 Barker Road.

At this time, the Village of Fonda offers no formal objection or position on the proposal. However, we respectfully emphasize that any activities associated with this project, including the disposal of waste or runoff, must not interfere with or impact the water source that feeds the Village of Fonda Reservoir. The integrity and safety of our municipal water supply are of critical importance to our residents and water users.

We trust that due diligence will be exercised by the Town of Mohawk and relevant regulatory agencies to ensure appropriate safeguards are in place.

Respectfully submitted,

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Bill Peeler

Mayor

bpeeler@villageoffonda.ny.gov

Agency Use Only [If applicable	Agency	Use	Only	[If	app	licab	le
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Project:	MOHAWK EQUIPMENT & REPAIR						
Date:	7/15/2025						

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 2 - Impact Assessment

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

		No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1.	Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	X	
2.	Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	X	
3.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	\boxtimes	
4.	Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	\boxtimes	
5.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	X	
6.	Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	X	
7.	Will the proposed action impact existing: a. public / private water supplies?	\boxtimes	
	b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	X	
8.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	\boxtimes	
9.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	\boxtimes	
10.	Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	\boxtimes	
11.	Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?		

Agen	cy Use Only [If applicable]
Project:	MOHAWK EQIP&REPAI
Date:	7/15/2025

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 3 Determination of Significance

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required.					
Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documen that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.					
TOWN OF MOHAWK PLANNING BOARD	7/15/25				
Name of Lead Agency	Date				
PATRICK CLEAR	PLANNING BOARD CHAIRMAN				
Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Title of Responsible Officer				
Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)				

CONDITIONS FOR CONSIDERING GRANTING AN AREA VARIANCE

BY THE TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING BOARD

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, FONDA, NEW YORK

Purpose for Meeting	:AMANDA CAF	RROLL AREA V	ARIANCE ROA	AD FRONTAGE Date: 7/24/2025
THE FIVE FACTORS F	OR CONSIDERA	ATION:		
1. Will the prop or create a detrimen			n undesirable	change in the character of the neighborhood
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell		<u></u>		
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil				
Henry Araujo				
2. Can the bene pursue, other than a		(5)(5)	e achieved by s	ome method, feasible for the applicant to
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell				
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil				
Henry Araujo				
3. Is the request	ted area variar	nce is substanti	al?	
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell				-
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil	<u></u>			
Henry Araujo				

the neighborhood or d		ice nave an adv	erse effect or im	pact on the physical or environmental conditions i
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco			7	
Stan Mitchell				
Scott Parslow				
Julie Weil				
Henry Araujo				
5. Is the alleged but shall not necessar				be relevant to the decision of the board of appeals
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco		\mathcal{L}		
Stan Mitchell		<u> </u>		1
Scott Parslow				1
Julie Weil				
Henry Araujo				
SEQRA: Negat	tive: _X	Positive:	Determined	TOM PLANNING BOARD Date: _7/15/2025 _ <
	he same time p			e minimum variance that it shall deem necessary er of the neighborhood and the health, safety, and
CONDITIONS: (If a zo anticipated impacts of		cides to grant ar	n area variance, i	it may impose reasonable conditions to mitigate
Motion to Grant / De	eny the reque	sted Variance	made by: \mathcal{S}_{L}	\mathcal{M} Seconded by: \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{F}
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused
Bob Francisco				
Stan Mitchell		:		
Scott Parslow		-		
Julie Weil	V			
Henry Araujo	V			
Motion Carried: <	Approved	۵	Denie	ed
Accepted By: Print Name:	tenry A	Transo	2	Date: July 24, 2025

RESOLUTION GRANTING AREA VARIANCES FOR Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC 146 Barker Road, Fonda (Amanda and James Carroll)

WHEREAS, an application for area variances has been filed with the Secretary of Zoning Board of Appeals by the owner of the property located at 146 Barker Road Fonda (tax map no. 33.-1-18), owned by Amanda and James Carroll, for area variances from the minimum lot size and from the minimum lot frontage, and

WHEREAS, the action is considered an unlisted action pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the Planning Board is the lead agency for this coordinated review and the Planning Board issued a negative declaration on July 15, 2025; and

WHEREAS, after due Notice a Public Hearing was held by the Zoning Board of Appeals on July 24, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at the Town Offices at the intersection of Park Street and Broadway in the Village of Fonda, New York and at which time the Zoning Board of Appeals heard comments from no members of the public regarding the requests for area variances, *and*

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals considered the application at its meeting on July 24, 2025; *and*

WHEREAS, all testimony and evidence has been carefully considered by the Board and the following pertinent facts and considerations noted:

- 1. The action involves the use of the property for agricultural small machine repair and sales. The site is located in the A-Agricultural zoning district.
- 2. The approximately 1-acre property with 201 feet of road frontage does not meet the minimum lot size (130,000 square feet) or the minimum lot frontage (300 feet) required by the zoning code for the intended use in the A-Agricultural zoning district. Accordingly, the applicant has requested area variances from these two requirements.
- 3. The requested variances for the property will *NOT* produce an undesirable change in the character of the neighborhood, or a detriment to nearby property owners.
- 4. There are *NO* other feasible alternatives for the applicant to achieve the proposed use of the site without the requested variances.
- 5. The requested area variances *ARE* substantial in this instance.

- 6. The requested variances will *NOT* have an adverse effect or impact on physical or environmental conditions of the area.
- 7. The Board determined that the difficulty was *NOT* self-created.

THEREFORE, after due deliberation, and weighing the five factors for determining area variances, it is hereby RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals *grants* the requested area variances by <u>unanimous approval</u>; and the Zoning Board of Appeals imposed no conditions on the approval.

Dated:	
	Henry Araujo
	Zoning Board Chairman

Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals Thursday July 24, 2025

Present: Zoning Board Chairman Henry Araujo, Board Members: Stan Mitchell, Robert Francisco, Julie Weil, Scott Parslow, Code Enforcer Stan Waddle and Atty. Claudia Braymer

Public Present: Gary E. Vincent, Amanda Carroll, Ron Rera, Frank Borst, Gloria Bruno and Janet DePalma

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Araujo at 6:31 pm.

Chairman Araujo introduced the Board, Recording Secretary, Code Officer and TOM Attorney to the applicants. He asked those present to silence their phone ringers and to step out in the corridor if they wish to have a discussion with another individual.

Scott Parslow made a motion to accept the minutes from the May 22, 2025 ZBA Meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Henry Araujo asked for a moment of silence for Tony Bruno. Chairman Araujo stated that "Tony was a very devoted member of the Town and served the town and community with great enthusiasm, devotion and fairness. His time given to the Town was unequal and unsurpassed. Tony will be sorely missed. "

Julie Weil made a motion to open the Public Hearing and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

1st item of business- Amanda Carroll presented the proposed Mohawk Equipment and Repair LLC, business her and her husband would like to open. Mrs. Carroll reported that small equipment repair would be done at their home and big repairs would be done at the farm where the equipment is located. She noted that her husband has years of experience. Mrs. Carroll stated that this would be a part-time business since she and her husband have full-time jobs. The Carroll's are requesting an area variance for Lot Size since the TOM requirement is 3 acres and they have just under an acre. Mrs. Carroll reported that they have tried to expand their property, but aren't able to purchase property surrounding them. It was noted that the TOM Planning Board requested a map of equipment storage and wash station. A detailed plan is now noted in the application. Discussion took place on where equipment would be stored when it's not being worked on, scrap equipment be stored and the amount of equipment that can be stored outside. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. The Carroll's are also requesting a variance for Road Frontage. They have 201 feet, but the TOM requires 300 feet. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider these variances. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded

the motion. All in favor. None opposed. There was no further discussion or questions on the two variances. The Conditions for Considering Granting an Area Variance were reviewed. Stan Mitchell made a motion to grant the variances and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider the Special Permit for Agriculture. Scott Parslow made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. Julie Weil made a motion to grant the Special Permit and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

2nd item of business-Ron Rera stated that he is asking for an Area Variance for Road Frontage for a proposed business (Mohawk Valley Carport and Equipment Sales). He is short 37.41 in accordance with the TOM conditions. Mr. Rera noted that he is unable to obtain anymore road frontage. Chairman Araujo asked if there were any comments from the public. There were none. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to review The Conditions for Granting an Area Variance for Road Frontage. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. It was noted that a Negative Declaration was given by the TOM Planning Board. Julie Weil made a motion to grant an Area Variance for Road Frontage and Scott Parslow seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Mr. Rera also is asking for a Special Permit for Agricultural Equipment to be placed in the AG zone of his property. Mr. Rera discussed the red pen markings that were made on the Site Plan Map at the July Planning Board Meeting. Stan Mitchell made a motion to open Public Comment and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. Janet DePalma asked if anything permanent could not be put on the property so it could be farmed again in the future since it's in an Agricultural District. Atty. Braymer noted that Mr. Rera is not asking to add anything additional other than the barn that is currently there. No new structures can be added unless he comes before the Planning Board. Chairman Araujo asked if he would be removing top soil. Mr. Rera stated he is not removing any soil in the Special Permit area. Gloria Bruno stated that her husband wanted to keep all agricultural agricultural. She felt the Town would be setting a precedence if changes were made. Chairman Araujo stated that the ZBA is not changing the zoning and the Board can set conditions on the Special Permit. Code Enforcer Stan Waddle reported that he wrote the Bruno's responding to questions they had concerning this.

Julie Weil made a motion to close the Public Hearing and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Letters from the Brunos and letter to them from Code Enforcer Waddle were given to the ZBA for review. Hours of operation, lighting and noise were discussed. Atty. Braymer requested that Mr. Rera produces a new Site Plan Map with the changes made in red pen being made officially/electronically. Chairman Arauajo noted that since seasons change so could the creek change. The changes that were made in red pen were made to have the line between the Agricultural Zone and B-2 zones follow the creek. Atty. Braymer noted that a comment to the

Planning Board be made for them to request a new Site Plan Map. Mr. Rera was asked to take measurements and put a permanent marker in place stating where the dividing line would be and bring a new map to next month's meeting. Code Enforcer Waddle will assist in this. The granting of a Special Permit was tabled until next month's ZBA meeting that will be held on August 21, 2025 at 6:30 pm. Mr. Rera was informed that he could operate in B-2, but not the Agricultural District. The granting of the Area Variance will be forwarded to the TOM Planning Board and if approved by them it will be forwarded to the County Planning Board. Stan Mitchell made a motion to table the Special Permit until August's meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Chairman Araujo reported that Scott Parslow will be leaving the ZBA and moving to the Planning Board. Supervisor Janet DePalma stated that this will happen next month. That will leave a vacancy on the ZBA which needs to be filled.

Stan Mitchell made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

APPLICATION TO THE ZONING BOARD OF	Repair
Received Date: 630/35 By: M Sullwa TOWN OF MOHAWK NEW YORK Projection	cation #: Date: 7/24/2025 ct Name:Mohawk Equipment
T = I	2025-7-24 #2

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE TO THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS FOR:

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	(CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX)
	* X SPECIAL PERMIT; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-1, B-2, F AND G)
	() USE VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B, F AND G)
	() AREA VARIANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS A, B-2, C, F AND G)
	() REVIEW OF A DECISION OF THE ZONING/ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIAL;
	(COMPLETE BLOCKS A, D, F AND G)
	() INTERPRETATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE; (COMPLETE BLOCKS E AND G)
	*AS ACCEPTED IN THE ZONING ORDINANCE; REV. SEPTEMBER 24 TH , 1998
X	A.1. DESCRIPTION, LOCATION AND ZONING DISTRICT OF THE PREMISES
	INVOLVED: 1 Acre lot with 1008 sq ft, 3 Bedroom Residence with
	etached 24x24 garage with 10x24 shed addition with separate driveway
0	ff Barker Rd. At 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY, Zoned as A-Agricultural
X	2. THE APPLICANT HAS OWNED OR WILL OWN THE SUBJECT PROPERTY AS OF
•	3. THE APPLICANT CERTIFIES OWNERSHIP OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ADJOINING

X PROPERTY: None

 χ B.1. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO USE THE PREMISES FOR THE FOLLOWING **PURPOSES: (GIVE DETAILS)** We wish to operate a small-scale agricultural repair and maintenance business on our property. We will service equipment commonly used on farms and rural properties and service will be by appointment only.

	APPLICANT CONTENDS THAT THE PROPOSED USE WILL NOT BE INJURIOU
	CHARACTER OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:
Becau	use our business will be the repair and servicing of
farm e	equipment, our surrounding area is rural farmland and
farm 6	equipment is normally seen on properties in our area.
Most:	servicing will be at the equipment farm's location, but i
broug	to our business location, it won't be out of place.
	APPLICANT CONTENDS THAT NO PERMISSIBLE USE OF HIS PROPERTY WIT A REASONABLE RETURN FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:
C. 1. TH	HE APPLICANT REQUEST RELIEF FROM THE ZONING ORDINANCE PROPER
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VARIANCE WHICH WILL ENABLE REASONABLE USE OF THIS PROPERTY FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:						
FULLUVING REAGONS.						
D.1. THE APPLICA	ANT REQUEST RELIEF FR	OM THE ACTION OF THE				
		ESPECT TO THE FOLLOWING				
	IS OF THE ZONING ORDIN					
2. THE APPLICANT	REQUESTS A REVERSAL	OF THE ZONING/ADMINISTRATIVE				
OFFICIAL DECISIO	N REGARDING DOCUMEN	IT NUMBER:				
(ATTAC	H A COPY OF DENIED BUI	LDING PERMIT IF APPLICABLE)				
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	PLETE EACH ITEM THAT N	MAY APPLY)				
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X F.1. SUBMIT A MAP SHOWING: PROPERTY LINES; EXISTING AND PROPOSED STRUCTURES, WATER SUPPLY AND SEWAGE LINES; ALL WITH PROPER DIMENSIONS.

(LIST AND IDENTIFY ACCURATELY)

See Attached Information
Real Property Tax Map
Overhead View Map
List of Property Owners with-in
500 ft of our property.

2. ESTIMATED COST OF PROJECT:	
3. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMMENCEMENT:	
4. ESTIMATED TIME OF COMPLETION:	200.0

2025-7-24 #2

		Application #: Date: 7/24/2025
(G.	PRINT APPLICANT INFORMATION	Project Name: Mohawk Equipment Repair
	Fmai	l:carrollamanda25@gmail.com
	Amanda and James Carroll	
2. ADDRES	ss_146 Barker Rd., Fonda, NY 12068	Phone #:(518)-848-4474
	***********	****
	OWNER INFORMATION (IF OTHER THAN	APPLICANT)
3 NAME.		l:
		Phone #:
4. ADDRES	SS:	
	CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT	
	E STATUTES HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH. I HA	
	TION AND THE CONTENTS THEREOF ARE TRUE	
	IT SIGNATURE: Monda Carone	_
DATE: 🗹	30/25	
OWNER SI	IGNATURE:	_
DATE:	(ONLY IF NOT SAME AS APPLICANT	·)
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TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING LAW 2022 AMANDA CARROLL - MOHAWK EQUIPMENT & REPAIR

ARTICLE V: USE REGULATIONS

SECTION 7- A-Agricultural District.

In the A-Agricultural District no building or premises shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered except for one or more of the following uses:

(A) Uses Permitted:

- 1. Farm, nursery, truck garden, greenhouse, customary agricultural operation.
- 2. One family dwelling
- 3. Two family dwelling
- 4. Low-Impact Recreation Area
- 5. Public building or public school
- 6. Church, parish house, convent
- 7. Customary accessory use or building
- 8. Mobile home as part of a farm operation

(B) Uses Permitted as a special exception by the Board of Appeals:

- 1. Picnic grove, fish or game club
- 2. Veterinary, animal hospital, kennel
- 3. Golf course or country club
- 4. Public utility station or structure
- 5. High-Impact Recreation Area
- 6. Mobile home court
- 7. Mobile home in court
- 8. Nursing, convalescent or home for aged
- 9. General aviation airport
- 10. Multiple dwelling
- 11. Private school
- 12. Tourist Home
- 13. Trailer Camp
- 14. Agricultural machinery repair shop and agricultural machinery sales store
- 15. Home occupation
- 16. Day care

MINIMUM LOT

SIZE

BLDG. HEIGHT (MAX) YARD DIMENSIONS

			SIZE				BLDG. HEI	GHT (MAX)	YARD DIM				
		Uses Permitted Upon		Road	Max % of	Min.				Mid of			
District (1)	Permitted Principal Uses (see Article V - Use Regulations for Complete List)(2)	Issuance of a Special		Frontage	Lot to be	Living				Road			
District (1)	remitted Filicipal Oses (see Article V - Ose Regulations for Complete List)(2)	Permit by the Board of	Area in Feet or	Width in	Occupied	Area Sq.	In Stories			Center	Side One		
		Appeals (3)	Acres (4)	Feet (5)	(6)	Ft. (7)	(8)	In Feet (9)	Front (10)	State	(11)	Total (12)	Rear (13)
Α	Farm, nursery, truck, garden, greenhouse, customary agricultural operation		5 acres										
Agriculture	One-Family dwelling		130,000 sf	300	0	600	2 1/2	35	60	75	20	50	50
	Two-Family dwelling		130,000 sf	300	20	1000	2 1/2	35	60	75	20	50	50
	Mobile home as part of a farm operation		40,000 sf	150	20	600	1	15	60	75	20	50	50
	Low-Impact Recreation Area												
	Public building or public school												
	Church, parish house, convent												
	Customary accessory use or building												
		Picnic grove, fish or game											
		club	10 acres	500)				130	145	25	50	50
		Veterinary, animal											
		hospital, kennel	2 acres						130	145	50	100	50
		Golf course or country											
		club					2 1/2	35	130	145	50	100	100
		Public utility station or					<u> </u>						
		structure										, ,	
		High Impact Recreation											
		Area	25 acres	600	20		2 1/2	35	130	145	100	200	100
		Mobile home court	10 acres	600	20		1	15	130	145	50	100	50
		Mobile home in court	4,000/mh	50/mh	20		1	15		145	10	20	25
		Nursing, convalenscent or	, ,	/									
		home for aged	50,000	250	25		2 1/2	35	70	85	20	50	50
		General aviation airport	100 acres	750			<i>'</i>						
		Multiple family dwelling	10 acres 4,000	sf/du								, ,	
		Daycare	130,000 sf	300	25		2 1/2	35	70	85	20	50	50
		Private school					, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,						
		Home occupation											
		Tourist Home							1				
		Trailer Camp							1				
		Agricultural machinery											
		repair shop and										, ,	
		agricultural machinery										, ,	
		sales store										, ,	
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R-1	One-Family dwelling with public water & sewer		22,500	150	20	600	2 1/2	35	55	70	15	30	50
Residence	Two-Family dwelling with public water & sewer		22,500							70		30	50
	One-Family dwelling without public water & sewer		40,000			1		<u> </u>	"				
	Two-Family dwelling without public water & sewer		13,300	<u> </u>	1		†				\vdash		
	Mobile home as part of a farm operation		15,000	100	20	600	1	15	55	70	15	30	50
	Church, parish house, convent		50.000				1		130	145	25	50	50
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	Public building or public school		5 acres	100									
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		General aviation airport	acres	750	,							, ,	
		Multiple dwelling	4,000 sf/du	1							\vdash		
		Tourist Home	,,		1		1				\vdash		
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Structure

Building 1	
Building Style	01 - Ranch
Number of Stories	1.0
Exterior Wall Material	03 - Alum/vinyl
Actual Year Built	1978
Eff. Year Built	1980
Year Remodeled	
Number of Kitchens	1
Number of Full Baths	1
Number of Half Baths	
Number of Bedrooms	3
Number of Fireplaces	
Heat Type	4 - Electric
Fuel Type	3 - Electric
Central Air	No
Basement Type	4 - Full
Total Sq Ft	1008
1st Story Sq Ft	1008
2nd Story Sq Ft	
1/2 Story Sq Ft	
3/4 Story Sq Ft	
Additional Story Sq Ft	
Finished Attic Sq Ft	
Finished Basement Sq Ft	
Finished Rec Room Sq Ft	
Finished Over Garage Sq Ft	
Condition	3 - Normal

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2025 Tentative Assessment Information

Land Assessed Value	\$20,000
Total Assessed Value	\$99,300
Equalization Rate	61.00%
Full Market Value	\$162,787
Partial Construction	No
County Taxable	\$99,300
Municipal Taxable	\$99,300
School Taxable	\$99,300
Village Taxable	\$0
Agricultural District?	False

Property Description

Property Type	210 - 1 Family Res
Neighborhood Code	27010 rural
SWIS	273289
Water Supply	2 - Private
Utilities	3 - Electric
Sewer Type	2 - Private
Zoning	CONF Conforming
School	Fonda-Fultonville
Book	2016
Page	68385
Grid East	499712
Grid North	1503982
Roll Section	1
Acres	1.00
Front	201.00
Depth	0.00

Last Property Sale

Prior Owner	Amanda Carroll f/k/a Fisher
Arms Length	No
Usable For Valuation	No
Net Sale Price	\$1
Full Sale Price	\$1
Sale Date	05/25/2016
Contract Date	
Deed Page	68385
Deed Book	2016
Deed Date	07/13/2016

Owner Information								
Owner Name	Address 1	Address 2	PO Box	City	State	Zip	Unit Name	Unit Number
James Carroll	146 Barker Rd			Fonda	NY	12068		
Amanda Carroll	146 Barker Rd			Fonda	NY	12068		

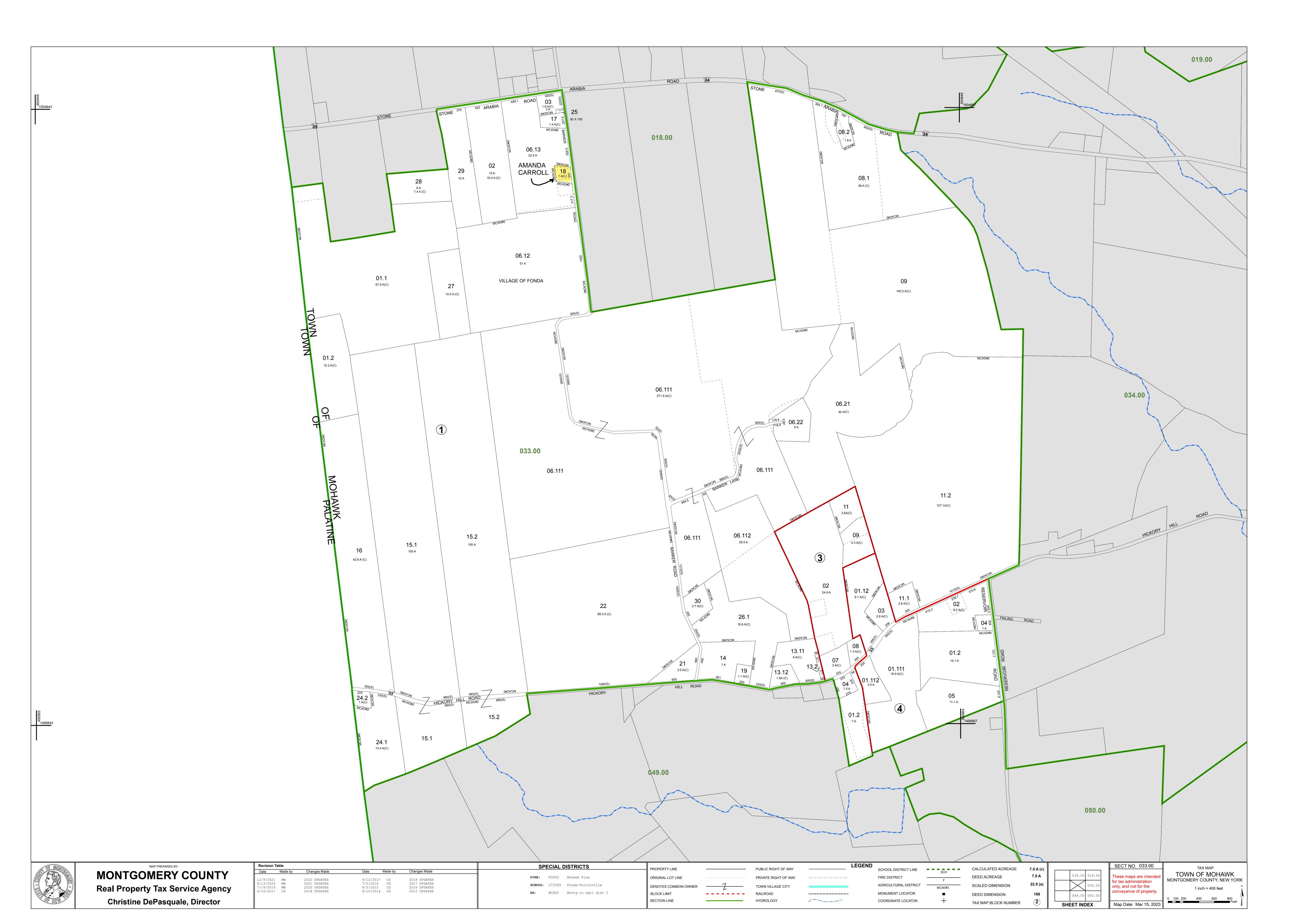
Sales										
Deed Date	Deed Book	Deed Page	Contract Date	Sale Date	Last Physical Inspection Date	Sale Price	Net Sale Price	Usable for Valuation	Arms Length	Prior Owner
07/13/2016	2016	68385		05/25/2016		\$1	\$1	No	No	Amanda Carroll f/k/a Fisher
03/16/2015	2015	61365		08/15/2014		\$1	\$1	No	No	Amanda Lynn Fisher
07/31/2008	1679	271		07/23/2008		\$1	\$1	No	No	Roger Fisher

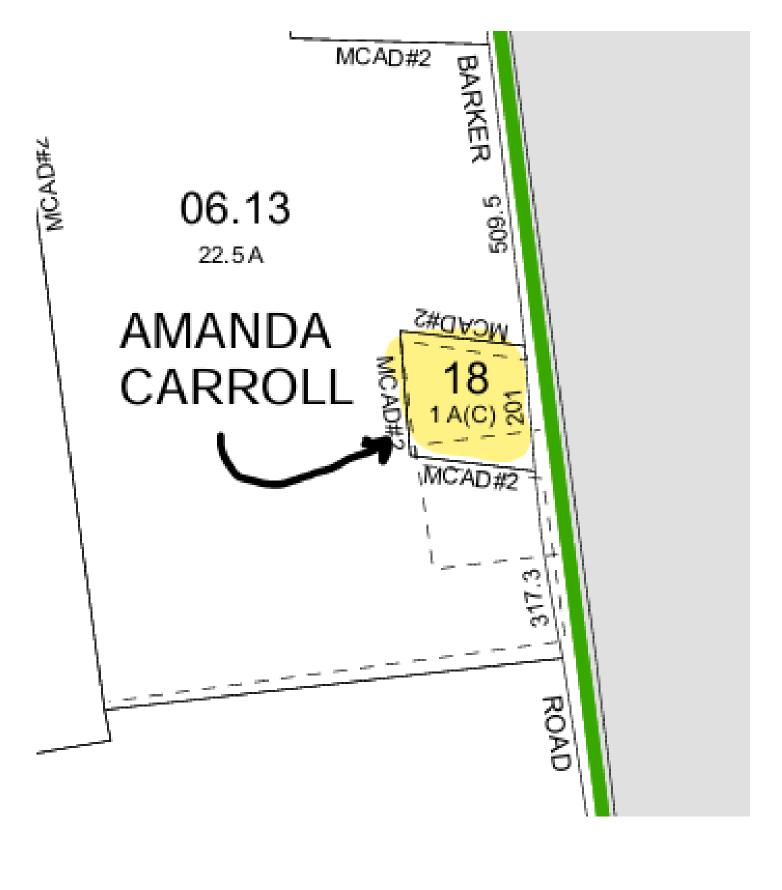
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			Land			
Site #	Land Type	Acres	Front	Depth	Sq Ft	Soil Rating
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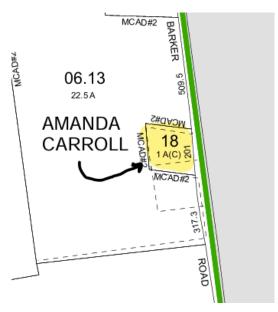
Improvements							
Site #	Structure Code	SqFt	Dimensions	Quantity	Overall Condition	Actual Year Built	Effective Year Built
1	RG4 - Gar-1.0 det		24.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000	
1	CP5 - Canpy-roof		10.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000	
1	CP5 - Canpy-roof		6.00 x 24.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000	
1	RP1 - Porch-open/deck		8.00 x 8.00	1.00	3 - Normal	2000	

Special Districts				
Code Description	Туре	Primary Units	Secondary Units	Amount
FD002 - Mohawk fire	Α	0.00	0.00	\$99,300.00

















WASH STATION, FLAT SPOT BESIDE THE DRIVEWAY AND UNDER THE TREES





EQUIPMENT STORAGE AREA AWAITING REPAIR IN LEAN-TO

FLAT AREA FOR WASH-OFF/OUT



Amanda Carroll List of Properties within 500 feet

Ref.Line #	S.B.L.Tax ID	Owner/s of Record & Mailing Address/es	Property Street #	Property Street Name
1	185-6	Clifford Voght Jr	147	Barker Rd
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		147 Barker Rd		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
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2	331-18	Amanda and James Carroll	146	Barker Rd
		146 Barker Rd		
		Fonda, NY 12068		
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3	331-6.13	Jeffrey and Cathy Weiss	322 Vac Land	Barker Rd
		236 Melo Park Rd		
		Niskayuna, NY 12309		
4	331-6.12	Village of Fonda	822 Water Supply	Barker Rd
		PO Box 447		
		Fonda, NY 12065		
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To:	Name: Date:
	Address:
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the ov notice prope	the most up to date information from the Montgomery County, New York Tax Parcel web site; you are listed as your of S.B.L.#(s):
Office	
S.B.L.	s) <u>331-18</u> Located at: <u>146 Barker Road, Fonda, New York</u> Zoned as: <u>A-Agricultural</u>
Prope	ty Owned by/ Applicant: <u>Amanda and James Carroll</u>
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Planning Board for: Major Subdivision
	☐ Minor Subdivision ☐ Major Site Plan ☐ Major Solar Site Plan ☐ Minor Site Plan
	☐ Special Permit ☐ Lot Line Adjustment
	Have an Application(s) submitted to the Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals for:
	☐ Use Variance 2 - Area Variance(s)☐ Review of Decision of the Zoning/Administrative Officia
	☐ Interpretation of the Zoning Ordinance ■ Special Permit
(Attac Site Pl busine by app TOM Z Appea are loc	n for Application, the Project Description and attached Map showing the Project(s) Location: n additional sheets if needed) an application to the TOM Planning Board; We wish to operate a small-scale agricultural repair and maintenance ss on our property. We will service equipment commonly used on farms and rural properties and service will be cointment only. oning Board; What we propose is an allowed use with a Special Permit granted by the TOM Zoning Board of ls. Area Variances; our lot size and road frontage is less than what is asked for by the Zoning Law of 2022 but we oking to operate a smaller operation and do not require the additional lot size and road frontage. see back page for more information.
<u>Planni</u>	ng Board Meeting:
Meeti	ng Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 Time: 6 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall
Zoning	Board Meeting:
Meeti	ng Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall, 2-4 Park St, Fonda, NY
Public	Hearing Date: Thursday, July 24, 2025 Time: 6:30 pm Location: Town of Mohawk Town Hall

You can contact: <u>Amanda Carroll</u> regarding their application at: <u>(518)-848-4474</u> with any questions; voice your support

and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email to: carrollamanda25@gmail.com

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You can contact Janet De Palma, the Town of Mohawk Town Supervisor at (518)-853-3031, option 5, with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may Email Janet De Palma at: supervisor@townofmohawk.net

You can contact Stan Waddle, the Town of Mohawk Building & Zoning Code Official at (518)-571-9882 or (518)-774-0420 with any questions; voice your support and/or concerns regarding the above Application. You may email Stan Waddle at: zoning@townofmohawk.net

Those interested are welcome to attend the above designated meeting(s) at the date(s) and time(s) listed.

Mohawk Equipment & Repair

Owned by: Amanda and James Carroll Location: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY

Business Name: Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Zoning District: Agricultural SBL- Parcel ID 33.-1-18

Business Overview

Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, family-run repair service based at our home on Barker Road. We specialize in servicing and repairing small engines and equipment commonly used on rural properties—including riding mowers, push mowers, rototillers, chainsaws, and similar tools.

While we are just getting started, our business is geared toward supporting local farmers and rural landowners, with fair, accessible pricing and services tailored to the needs of this community.

Business Operations

- Appointment Only: No walk-in traffic. Customers must schedule drop-offs or pickups.
- No Commercial Signage: None at this time; any future signage will go through the proper process.
- Low Volume: We typically have 2–4 pieces of equipment on-site at any one time.
- Limited Hours: James currently works a full-time job, so repair work is limited to a few hours in the afternoons after 2:30 PM on weekdays (typically until 6 PM), and intermittently on weekends between 8 AM and 6 PM.
- Quiet & Respectful: All work is done during normal daytime hours with care to minimize noise and disruption.
- Flexible Pickup/Drop-off Options: We offer trailer transport for those who cannot bring their equipment directly.
- Family Operated: The business is operated solely by Amanda and James Carroll.

Zoning Relevance / Agricultural Intent

While we have not yet serviced equipment directly from active farms, our service is built to meet that need.

James has over a decade of hands-on experience working with agricultural and logging equipment through companies such as Hudson River Tractor, Emrick Sales & Service, and Ground Equipment Inc.

Our goal is to become a reliable local option for farm equipment repair, bridging a service gap for area farmers and rural residents.

Long-Term Vision

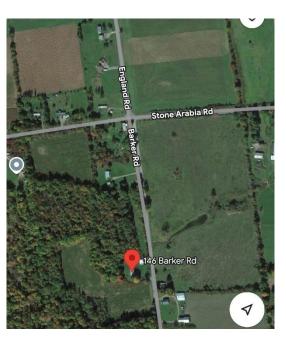
As we grow, we may apply for:

- Modest signage for visibility within the TOM Zoning Laws for Sign Regulations
- Light outdoor storage (e.g., scrap equipment area)
- Official dealership or supplier connections (e.g., Rotary Corp or Stihl)

Any changes will follow appropriate building permitting, zoning and planning procedures.

Closing Statement

We appreciate the opportunity to explain our plans. Mohawk Equipment & Repair is a small, community-focused business that aims to support the rural and agricultural character of our area. We are committed to growing responsibly and respectfully, with services designed to benefit the local community.



Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Equipment Washing & Spill Containment Plan

Location: 146 Barker Rd, Fonda, NY 12068

Prepared by: Amanda & James Carroll

Proximity to Waterbody: Within 500 feet

1. Purpose

This plan outlines the procedures used at Mohawk Equipment & Repair to responsibly manage potential runoff and fluid spills while washing or servicing equipment near a waterbody.

2. Washing Area Design

- Surface: A level, compacted gravel pad will be used for all outdoor equipment washing.
- Drainage: The pad will be flat or slightly bowl-shaped to contain water and allow it to soak slowly into the gravel.
- Location: The pad is located at least 50 feet away from any slope, ditch, or waterbody to reduce the risk of runoff.

3. Wash Procedures

- Soap Use: No detergents will be used unless necessary. When needed, only biodegradable, phosphate-free soaps will be applied.
- Initial Cleaning: Equipment with visible oil, grease, or fuel leaks will be wiped clean with absorbent pads or rags before washing.
- Rinse Water: Wash water will remain onsite and be allowed to soak into the gravel pad. It will not enter storm drains, ditches, or waterways.
- Oil Control: Absorbent pads or materials will be used on the gravel if any fluids are expected. These will be disposed of properly.

4. Spill Prevention & Response

- Spill Kits: At least one spill response kit will be kept in the garage and one in any mobile service vehicle.
- Secondary Containment: Fluids such as oil and gas will be stored in labeled containers with spill trays or on oil-resistant shelves.
- Spill Response Steps:
 - 1. Stop the source.
 - 2. Contain the spill using absorbents or berms.
 - 3. Clean up and dispose of used materials properly.
 - 4. Report any spill over 5 gallons or that reaches soil or water to the NYS Spill Hotline: 1-800-457-7362.

5. Recordkeeping (Simple Logbook)

- A basic logbook (digital or paper) will be kept to record:
 - o Inspection of the gravel wash area and spill kits (monthly)
 - Any spill responses
 - Any fluid-related maintenance events
- Sample entry:

7/16/25 – Checked gravel pad, no runoff or pooling. Spill kit in garage still fully stocked.

6. Waste Disposal

- Used absorbents and rags will be sealed in bags and stored until disposal at a local HHW event.
- Oily wash water, if collected, will be stored in a sealed 5-gallon bucket labeled "Wash Water – Hazardous" and brought to the next Montgomery County Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Event.
- Residents can contact Montgomery County Solid Waste at (518) 853-8174 to confirm upcoming HHW drop-off dates (usually held annually in summer).

7. Annual Review

This plan will be reviewed annually each spring or as operations expand. Adjustments will be made to remain compliant with local and state environmental guidelines.

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Division of Environmental Permits, Region 4
1130 North Westcott Road, Schenectady, NY 12306-2014
P: (518) 357-2069 | F: (518) 357-2593
www.dec.ny.gov

July 16, 2025

Stanley F. Waddle Town of Mohawk Building and Zoning Code Enforcement P.O. Box 415 2-4 Park Street Fonda, NY 12068

Emailed to: <u>zoning@townofmohawk.net</u>

Re: Lead Agency Coordination Response Amanda and James Carroll Mohawk Equipment and Repair 146 Barker Road Town of Fonda, Montgomery County

Dear Stanley Waddle:

This letter responds to your correspondence received on July 7, 2025, regarding lead agency coordination for the project referenced herein, under Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review – SEQR) of the Environmental Conservation Law and 6 NYCRR Part 617. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (the DEC) has the following interest in this project:

Name of Action: Mohawk Equipment and Repair

DEC Contact Person: Maranda Welch, Environmental Analyst I

SEQR Classification:

DEC Position: Based on the information provided:

Additional Information

Ground Disturbance

It does not appear that ground disturbance is currently proposed. Should this change, please reach out to the Division of Environmental Permits again as the site is within a Cultural Resource area and Agricultural District.



Please feel free to contact me by e-mail at maranda.welch@dec.ny.gov or by telephone at (518) 357-2446 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

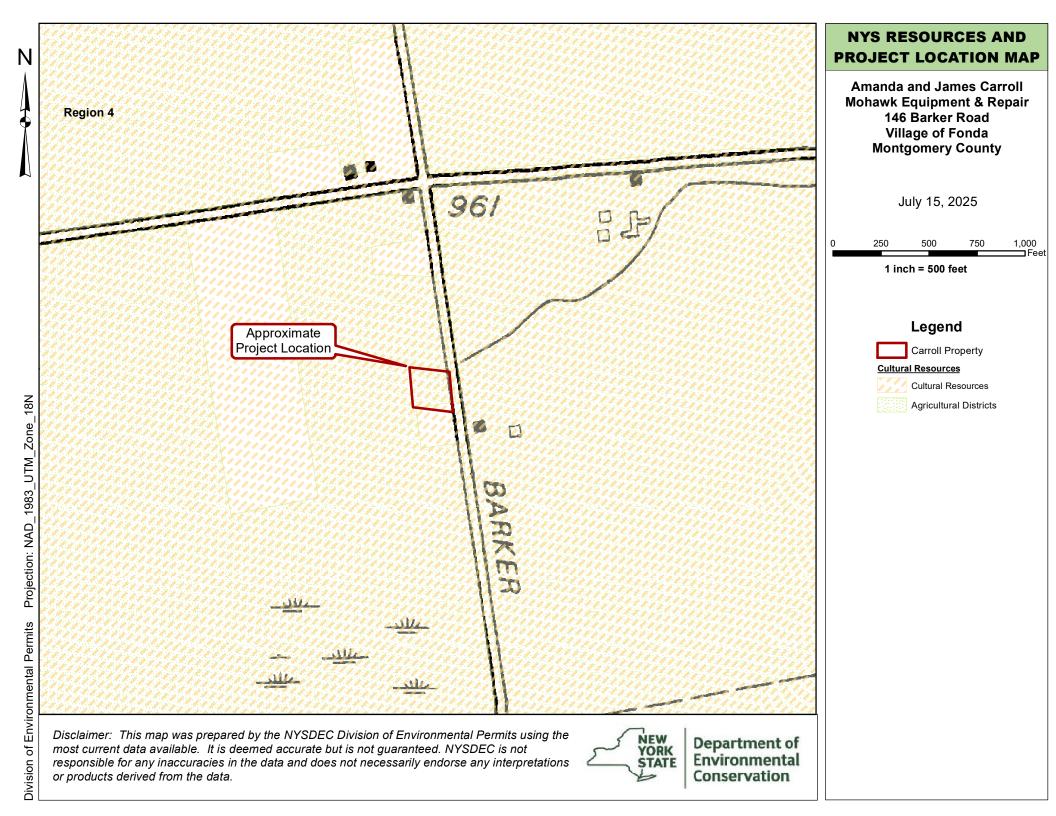
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Encl.: Project Location & NYS Resources Map





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July 14, 2025

Town of Mohawk Planning Board 2-4 Park Street Fonda, NY 12068.

Re: Proposed Project at 146 Barker Road, Fonda, NY - Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC

Dear Members of the Town of Mohawk Planning Board,

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Fonda, we acknowledge receipt of the public notice regarding the proposed site plan and special permit application for Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC, located at 146 Barker Road.

At this time, the Village of Fonda offers no formal objection or position on the proposal. However, we respectfully emphasize that any activities associated with this project, including the disposal of waste or runoff, must not interfere with or impact the water source that feeds the Village of Fonda Reservoir. The integrity and safety of our municipal water supply are of critical importance to our residents and water users.

We trust that due diligence will be exercised by the Town of Mohawk and relevant regulatory agencies to ensure appropriate safeguards are in place.

Respectfully submitted,

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Bill Peeler

Mayor

bpeeler@villageoffonda.ny.gov

Agency Use Only [If applicable	Agency	Use	Only	[If	app	licab	le
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Project:	MOHAWK EQUIPMENT & REPAIR	-
Date:	7/15/2025	

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 2 - Impact Assessment

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

		No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1.	Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	X	
2.	Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	X	
3.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	\boxtimes	
4.	Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	\boxtimes	
5.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	X	
6.	Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	X	
7.	Will the proposed action impact existing: a. public / private water supplies?	\boxtimes	
	b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	X	
8.	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	\boxtimes	
9.	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	\boxtimes	
10.	Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	\boxtimes	
11.	Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?		

Agen	cy Use Only [If applicable]
Project:	MOHAWK EQIP&REPAI
Date:	7/15/2025

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 3 Determination of Significance

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required.					
Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.					
TOWN OF MOHAWK PLANNING BOARD	7/15/25				
Name of Lead Agency	Date				
PATRICK CLEAR	PLANNING BOARD CHAIRMAN				
Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Title of Responsible Officer				
Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)				

CONDITIONS FOR CONSIDERING GRANTING A SPECIAL PERMIT BY THE TOWN OF MOHAWK ZONING BOARD MONTGOMERY COUNTY, FONDA, NEW YORK Purpose for Meeting: AMANDA CARROLL SPECIAL PERMIT FOR AGRICULTURAL Date: 7/24/2025 TOM PLANNING BOARD Negative: X Positive: Not Applicable Determined by: SEQRA: Date: 7/15/2025 From Town of Mohawk Zoning Law 2022: Article XIV: Board of Appeals; Section 52- Powers and Duties; The Board of Appeals shall have all the powers and duties prescribed by law and by this law, which are more particularly specified as follows: B. Special Permits. Special Use Permits. To issue special permits for any of the uses for which this law requires the obtaining of such permits from the Board of Appeals. No Special Use Permit (or "special exception" permit) shall be granted by the Board of Appeals unless it finds that the use for which such permit is sought will not, in the circumstances of the particular case and under any conditions that the Board considers to be necessary or desirable, be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare. The Board of Appeals shall find that: THE FIVE FACTORS FOR CONSIDERATION: 1. Will the proposed use be in harmony with and promote the general purposes and intent of the Zoning Law and the health, welfare and safety of the Town and its residents? **Board Member** Yes Abstain **Excused** Scott Parslow **Bob Francisco** Stan Mitchell Julie Weil Henry Araujo 2. Will the proposed use be appropriately located with respect to transportation facilities, water supply, fire and police protection, waste disposal and similar public facilities and services? **Board Member** Yes No Abstain E Excused Scott Parslow **Bob Francisco** Stan Mitchell Julie Weil Henry Araujo 3. Will the off-street parking spaces required be adequate to handle expected use? **Board Member** Abstain Excused Scott Parslow

Bob Francisco

Stan Mitchell						
Julie Weil	<u> </u>					
Henry Araujo						
4. Will the proposed use be compatible with the character of the neighborhood, the area, the zoning district, surrounding property values and will the environmental and natural resources of the area (onsite and offsite) be reasonable safeguarded, and will the proposed use will allow for future planned growth in the area?						
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Scott Parslow	<u> </u>					
Bob Francisco	\checkmark					
Stan Mitchell						
Julie Weil	<u> </u>					
Henry Araujo						
5. Will the proposed use not cause undue traffic congestion and not create a traffic hazard and will the proposed location have adequate access for pedestrians and vehicles?						
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Scott Parslow						
Bob Francisco	<u></u>					
Stan Mitchell						
Julie Weil	$\frac{V}{}$					
Henry Araujo						
CONDITIONS: (If a zoning board decides to grant a special permit, it may impose reasonable conditions to mitigate anticipated impacts of the of the special permit)						
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Motion to Grant / Den	y the requested	Variance made l	oy: Weil	Seconded by: Bot-		
Board Member	Yes	No	Abstain	Excused		
Scott Parslow						
Bob Francisco	$\frac{V}{V}$					
Stan Mitchell						
Julie Weil	$\frac{V}{V}$					
Henry Araujo	\overline{V}					
Motion Carried: Approved Denied						
Accepted By:	Henry -	Epison &		Date: July 24, 2025		
Print Name: Henry Araujo						

RESOLUTION GRANTING SPECIAL USE PERMIT FOR Mohawk Equipment & Repair, LLC 146 Barker Road, Fonda (Amanda and James Carroll)

WHEREAS, an application for a special use permit has been filed with the Secretary of Zoning Board of Appeals by Amanda and James Carroll for the property located at 146 Barker Road Fonda (tax map no. 33.-1-18), owned by Amanda and James Carroll, for an agricultural small machine repair and sales shop, *and*

WHEREAS, the action is considered an unlisted action pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act and the Planning Board is the lead agency for this coordinated review and the Planning Board issued a negative declaration on July 15, 2025; and

WHEREAS, after due Notice a Public Hearing was held by the Zoning Board of Appeals on July 24, 2025 at 6:30 P.M. at the Town Offices at the intersection of Park Street and Broadway in the Village of Fonda, New York and at which time the Zoning Board of Appeals considered the application, *and*

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals considered the application at its meeting on July 24, 2025; *and*

WHEREAS, all testimony and evidence has been carefully considered by the Board and the following pertinent facts and considerations noted:

- 1. The applicant proposes to use the property for the repair and sales of small agricultural equipment. The site is located in the A-Agricultural zoning district where such use is allowed by special permit from the Zoning Board of Appeals.
- 2. The Zoning Board of Appeals finds that the proposed project, under the given circumstances specific to this property, is not injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare as a result of the Board's consideration of the relevant factors in the Zoning Code and the following findings:
 - The Zoning Board of Appeals finds that the proposed use was in harmony with and will promote the general purposes and intent of the Zoning Law and the health, welfare and safety of the Town and its residents.
 - The Zoning Board of Appeals finds that the proposed use is appropriately located.

- The Zoning Board of Appeals finds the proposed use has adequate off-street parking to handle expected use.
- The Zoning Board of Appeals finds that the proposed use will be compatible with the character of the neighborhood, the area, the zoning district, surrounding property values; and that environmental and natural resources of the area (onsite and offsite) are reasonably safeguarded, and the proposed use will not unduly prohibit or discourage future planned growth in the area.
- The Zoning Board of Appeals finds the proposed use will not cause undue traffic hazards or congestion.

THEREFORE, after due deliberation, and weighing the factors for granting a special permit, it is hereby RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals *grants* the requested special use permit, subject to all applicable federal, state and local requirements; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the project is subject to the following conditions: (1) there may be up to four pieces of small equipment at a time at the property, which will be located beside and in front of the barn when being repaired and the equipment will be stored inside the leanto or inside the barn except when repairs are actively taking place; (2) in the event that a piece of equipment cannot fit inside the leanto or barn, one piece of equipment may be stored temporarily on the north side of the barn (on the opposite side of the barn from the leanto); (3) there may be storage of small equipment parts that are use for repairing the equipment ("donor parts"), but the donor parts must be stored inside the leanto/barn or behind the garage, so that the storage of the donor parts is out of public view.

Dated:	
	Henry Araujo
	Zoning Board Chairman

Town of Mohawk Zoning Board of Appeals Thursday July 24, 2025

Present: Zoning Board Chairman Henry Araujo, Board Members: Stan Mitchell, Robert Francisco, Julie Weil, Scott Parslow, Code Enforcer Stan Waddle and Atty. Claudia Braymer

Public Present: Gary E. Vincent, Amanda Carroll, Ron Rera, Frank Borst, Gloria Bruno and Janet DePalma

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Araujo at 6:31 pm.

Chairman Araujo introduced the Board, Recording Secretary, Code Officer and TOM Attorney to the applicants. He asked those present to silence their phone ringers and to step out in the corridor if they wish to have a discussion with another individual.

Scott Parslow made a motion to accept the minutes from the May 22, 2025 ZBA Meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Henry Araujo asked for a moment of silence for Tony Bruno. Chairman Araujo stated that "Tony was a very devoted member of the Town and served the town and community with great enthusiasm, devotion and fairness. His time given to the Town was unequal and unsurpassed. Tony will be sorely missed. "

Julie Weil made a motion to open the Public Hearing and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

1st item of business- Amanda Carroll presented the proposed Mohawk Equipment and Repair LLC, business her and her husband would like to open. Mrs. Carroll reported that small equipment repair would be done at their home and big repairs would be done at the farm where the equipment is located. She noted that her husband has years of experience. Mrs. Carroll stated that this would be a part-time business since she and her husband have full-time jobs. The Carroll's are requesting an area variance for Lot Size since the TOM requirement is 3 acres and they have just under an acre. Mrs. Carroll reported that they have tried to expand their property, but aren't able to purchase property surrounding them. It was noted that the TOM Planning Board requested a map of equipment storage and wash station. A detailed plan is now noted in the application. Discussion took place on where equipment would be stored when it's not being worked on, scrap equipment be stored and the amount of equipment that can be stored outside. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. The Carroll's are also requesting a variance for Road Frontage. They have 201 feet, but the TOM requires 300 feet. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider these variances. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded

the motion. All in favor. None opposed. There was no further discussion or questions on the two variances. The Conditions for Considering Granting an Area Variance were reviewed. Stan Mitchell made a motion to grant the variances and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to consider the Special Permit for Agriculture. Scott Parslow made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. Attorney Claudia Braymer has the conditions required by the board and will include them in the resolution. Julie Weil made a motion to grant the Special Permit and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

2nd item of business-Ron Rera stated that he is asking for an Area Variance for Road Frontage for a proposed business (Mohawk Valley Carport and Equipment Sales). He is short 37.41 in accordance with the TOM conditions. Mr. Rera noted that he is unable to obtain anymore road frontage. Chairman Araujo asked if there were any comments from the public. There were none. Chairman Araujo asked for a motion to review The Conditions for Granting an Area Variance for Road Frontage. Julie Weil made a motion and Stan Mitchell seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. It was noted that a Negative Declaration was given by the TOM Planning Board. Julie Weil made a motion to grant an Area Variance for Road Frontage and Scott Parslow seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Mr. Rera also is asking for a Special Permit for Agricultural Equipment to be placed in the AG zone of his property. Mr. Rera discussed the red pen markings that were made on the Site Plan Map at the July Planning Board Meeting. Stan Mitchell made a motion to open Public Comment and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed. Janet DePalma asked if anything permanent could not be put on the property so it could be farmed again in the future since it's in an Agricultural District. Atty. Braymer noted that Mr. Rera is not asking to add anything additional other than the barn that is currently there. No new structures can be added unless he comes before the Planning Board. Chairman Araujo asked if he would be removing top soil. Mr. Rera stated he is not removing any soil in the Special Permit area. Gloria Bruno stated that her husband wanted to keep all agricultural agricultural. She felt the Town would be setting a precedence if changes were made. Chairman Araujo stated that the ZBA is not changing the zoning and the Board can set conditions on the Special Permit. Code Enforcer Stan Waddle reported that he wrote the Bruno's responding to questions they had concerning this.

Julie Weil made a motion to close the Public Hearing and Robert Francisco seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Letters from the Brunos and letter to them from Code Enforcer Waddle were given to the ZBA for review. Hours of operation, lighting and noise were discussed. Atty. Braymer requested that Mr. Rera produces a new Site Plan Map with the changes made in red pen being made officially/electronically. Chairman Arauajo noted that since seasons change so could the creek change. The changes that were made in red pen were made to have the line between the Agricultural Zone and B-2 zones follow the creek. Atty. Braymer noted that a comment to the

Planning Board be made for them to request a new Site Plan Map. Mr. Rera was asked to take measurements and put a permanent marker in place stating where the dividing line would be and bring a new map to next month's meeting. Code Enforcer Waddle will assist in this. The granting of a Special Permit was tabled until next month's ZBA meeting that will be held on August 21, 2025 at 6:30 pm. Mr. Rera was informed that he could operate in B-2, but not the Agricultural District. The granting of the Area Variance will be forwarded to the TOM Planning Board and if approved by them it will be forwarded to the County Planning Board. Stan Mitchell made a motion to table the Special Permit until August's meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All in favor. None opposed.

Chairman Araujo reported that Scott Parslow will be leaving the ZBA and moving to the Planning Board. Supervisor Janet DePalma stated that this will happen next month. That will leave a vacancy on the ZBA which needs to be filled.

Stan Mitchell made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Julie Weil seconded the motion. All were in favor. None opposed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.