DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT
ZONING REVIEW

ADVERTISING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR ZONING
RECLASSIFICATION HEARINGS

The Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (BCZR) require that notice be given to the general public/neighborhood property owners relative to property which is the subject of an upcoming zoning reclassification hearing. This is accomplished by Baltimore County posting a sign on the property at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing and advertising in local newspapers. The advertising consists of a list and map of all reclassification petitions (cost evenly distributed between all petitioners), as well as individual advertising in local newspapers. The list and map must be published in two newspapers for three different weeks and the individual advertisements must be published in two newspapers fifteen (15) days prior to the hearing.

Zoning Review will ensure that the legal requirements for advertising are satisfied. However, the petitioner is responsible for the costs associated with these requirements. The newspaper will bill the person listed below for the advertising. This advertising is due upon receipt and should be remitted directly to the newspaper.

OPINIONS MAY NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL ALL ADVERTISING COSTS ARE PAID.

For Newspaper Advertising:

Item Number or Case Number: ________________________________
Petitioner: ________________________________
Address or Location: ________________________________

PLEASE FORWARD ADVERTISING BILL TO:

Name: ________________________________
Address: ________________________________
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Telephone Number: ________________________________

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