## EXPEDITED MONTGOMERY COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

Address: 4711 Waverly Avenue, Garrett Park Meeting Date: 1/6/2021

**Resource:** Outstanding Resource Report Date: 12/30/2020

(Garrett Park Historic District)

**Public Notice:** 12/23/2020

**Applicant:** M. Russell Eihorne

(Karen Rowley, Agent)

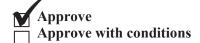
Tax Credit: No

Review: HAWP
Staff: Michael Kyne

Permit Number: 934800

**PROPOSAL:** Construction of new pool, walls, and fence

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**



### **ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:**

SIGNIFICANCE: Outstanding Resource within the Garrett Park Historic District

DATE: 1889



Fig. 1: Subject property.

#### **PROPOSAL:**

The applicant proposes to construct a 30' x 15' inground swimming pool with concrete surround at the northeast (rear/right) side of the property. A 2.5' high retaining wall with stone veneer will be constructed at the west (left) side of the pool, and a 5' high aluminum picket swimming pool safety fence will be installed around the swimming pool. The Garrett Park Land Use Advisory Committee and the Garrett Park Historic Preservation Advisory Committee both approved the proposal as submitted; the approval memo dated October 27, 2020 is attached to the application.

#### **APPLICABLE GUIDELINES:**

- IV. The Expedited Staff Report format may be used on the following type of cases:
  - 2. Modifications to a property, which do not significantly alter its visual character.
  - 10. Construction of fences that are compatible with historic site or district in terms of material, height, location, and design. Requests for fences higher than 48" to be located in the front yard of a property will not be reviewed using an Expedited Staff Report.
  - 11. Construction or replacement of walkways, parking areas, patios, driveways or other paved areas that are not readily visible from a public right-of-way and/or are compatible in material, location, and design with the visual character of the historic site or district.
  - 12. Construction or repair of retaining walls where the new walls are compatible in material, location, design and height with the visual character of the historic site or district.

#### Montgomery County Code; Chapter 24A-8

- (b) The commission shall instruct the director to issue a permit, or issue a permit subject to such conditions as are found to be necessary to insure conformity with the purposes and requirements of this chapter, if it finds that:
  - (1) The proposal will not substantially alter the exterior features of an historic site or historic resource within an historic district; or
  - (2) The proposal is compatible in character and nature with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural features of the historic site or the historic district in which an historic resource is located and would not be detrimental thereto or to the achievement of the purposes of this chapter; or
  - (3) The proposal would enhance or aid in the protection, preservation and public or private utilization of the historic site or historic resource located within an historic district in a manner compatible with the historical, archeological, architectural or cultural value of the historic site or historic district in which an historic resource is located; or
  - (4) The proposal is necessary in order that unsafe conditions or health hazards be remedied; or
  - (5) The proposal is necessary in order that the owner of the subject property not be deprived of reasonable use of the property or suffer undue hardship; or
  - (6) In balancing the interests of the public in preserving the historic site or historic resource located within an historic district, with the interests of the public from the use and benefit of the alternative proposal, the general public welfare is better served by granting the permit.
- (c) It is not the intent of this chapter to limit new construction, alteration or repairs to any 1 period or architectural style.
- (d) In the case of an application for work on an historic resource located within an historic district,

the commission shall be lenient in its judgment of plans for structures of little historical or design significance or for plans involving new construction, unless such plans would seriously impair the historic or architectural value of surrounding historic resources or would impair the character of the historic district. (*Ord. No. 9-4, § 1; Ord. No. 11-59.*)

### Secretary of Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation

The Secretary of the Interior defines rehabilitation as "the act or process of making possible a compatible use for a property through repair, alterations, and additions while preserving those portions or features, which convey its historical, cultural, or architectural values." The *Standards* are as follows:

- 2. The historic character of a property shall be retained and preserved. The removal of historic materials or alteration of features and spaces that characterize a property shall be avoided.
- 9. New additions, exterior alterations, or related new construction will not destroy historic materials, features, and spatial relationships that characterize the property. The new work shall be differentiated from the old and will be compatible with the historic materials, features, size, scale and proportion, and massing to protect the integrity of the property and its environment.
- 10. New additions and adjacent or related new construction shall be undertaken in such a manner that if removed in the future, the essential form and integrity of the historic property and its environment would be unimpaired.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Commission <u>approve</u> the HAWP application under the Criteria for Issuance in Chapter 24A-8(b), (1), (2) & (d) having found that the proposal will not substantially alter the exterior features of the historic resource and is compatible in character with the district and the purposes of Chapter 24A;

and with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation #2, #9, and #10;

and with the general condition that the applicant shall present the 3 permit sets of drawings, if applicable to Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) staff for review and stamping prior to submission for the Montgomery County Department of Permitting Services (DPS) building permits;

and with the general condition that final project design details, not specifically delineated by the Commission, shall be approved by HPC staff or brought back to the Commission as a revised HAWP application at staff's discretion;

and with the general condition that the applicant shall notify the Historic Preservation Staff if they propose to make **any alterations** to the approved plans.

Once the work is completed the applicant will <u>contact the staff person</u> assigned to this application at 301-563-3400 or michael.kyne@montgomeryplanning.org to schedule a follow-up site visit.

FOR STAFF ONLY: HAWP# 934800 DATE ASSIGNED\_



### **APPLICATION FOR** HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION 301.563.3400

APPLICANT:	
	Russell-Eihorne re-mail: Khkpermits 05 eyahoo, con 711 Waverly Ave city: Garrett Park zip: 20896
Address:4	711 Waverly Ave city: Garrett Park zip: 20896
	= Tax Account No.:
AGENT/CONTA	ACT (if applicable):
	ren Rowley E-mail: KhkpermitsOSeyaha, C
Address: 82	60 Preston Ct City: Jessup zip: 20794
	: 410 507 7705 Contractor Registration No.: 95872 Anthony to
LOCATION OF	BUILDING/PREMISE: MIHP # of Historic Property 4711 Waverly Ave
Is the Property	Located within an Historic District? Yes/District Name No/Individual Site Name
Is there an His map of the eas	toric Preservation/Land Trust/Environmental Easement on the Property? If YES, include a sement, and documentation from the Easement Holder supporting this application.
Are other Plan (Conditional Us supplemental	ning and/or Hearing Examiner Approvals /Reviews Required as part of this Application? se, Variance, Record Plat, etc.?) If YES, include information on these reviews as information.
Building Numb	er: 931555 Street: 4711 Waverly Arc Garrett Parkup
Town/City:	arrett Park Nearest Cross Street:
	Block: Subdivision: Parcel:
TYPE OF WOR	K PROPOSED: See the checklist on Page 4 to verify that all supporting items
for proposed	work are submitted with this application. Incomplete Applications will not
he accented	for review. Check all that apply:  Shed/Garage/Accessory Structure
	nstruction Deck/Porch Solar
Additio	Troo removal/planting
Demoli	Hardscane/Landscane Window/Door
	/Excavation Roof Sterior Other: Pool + tence
I hereby certi	by that I have the authority to make the foregoing application, that the application is correct
and accurate	and that the construction will comply with plans reviewed and approved by all necessary
agencies and	hereby acknowledge and accept this to be a condition for the issuance of this permit.
	Horen Kowley 11/20/20
S	ignature of owner or authorized agent Date

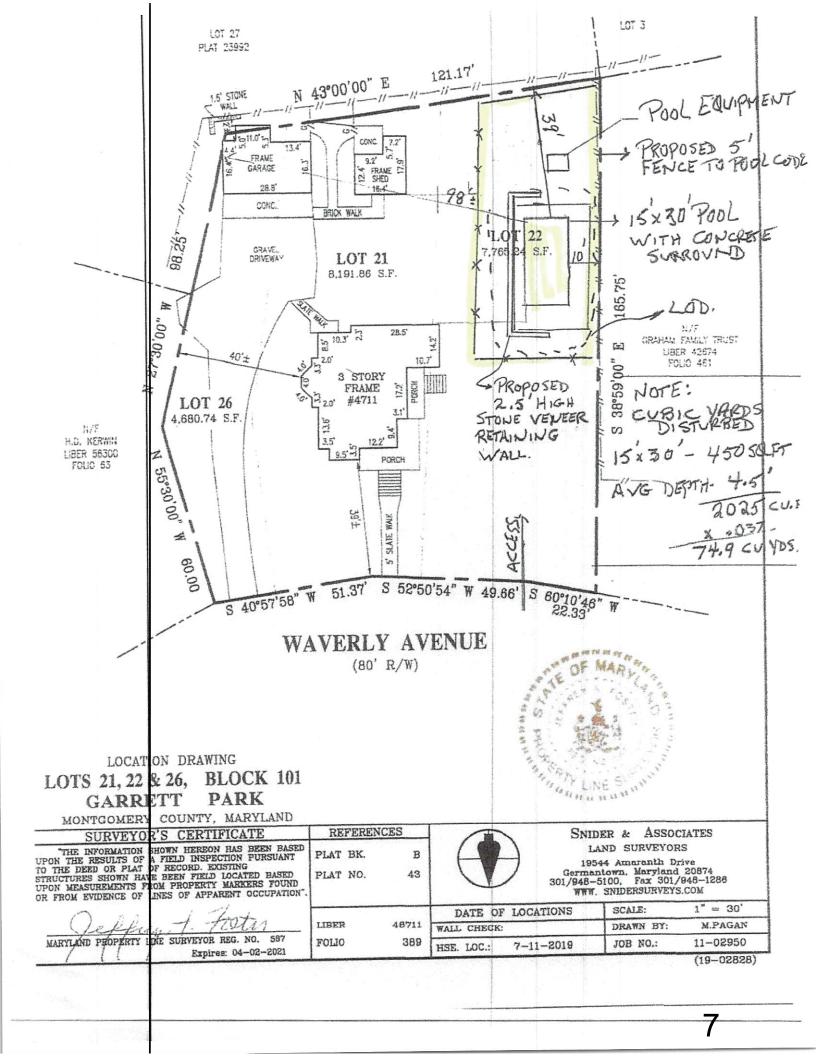
Description of Property: Please describe the building and surrounding environment. Include information on significant structures, landscape features, or other significant features of the property:

SFD

Description of Work Proposed: Please give an overview of the work to be undertaken:

30' k 15'in ground concrete pool, 450sf disturbed area 74.9 cu yds /cut fill
5' high fence to code w/ self latching gate

Work Item 1:	Pool	
Description of (	Current Condition:	Proposed Work:
S	FD	Inground pool
Work Item 2:	fence	
Description of	Current Condition:	Proposed Work:
SFE		5' fence to code
Work Item 3:		
Description of	Current Condition:	Proposed Work:



### Coastal Aluminum Fence Styles

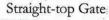
Matching gates are available for all of Coastal Aluminum Fence styles and grades in single-leaf swing, double-leaf swing, and cantilever with various security options. In addition to straight-top styles, gates are also available as arched-top.

Swing gates are offered to fit standard single-leaf openings of 3', 4', 5' and 6' as well as double-leaf openings of 6', 8', 10' and 12'.

Cantilever gates are well-suited for wide openings from 8' to 20' and can accommodate up to a maximum of 40' with a double-cantilever configuration.

Coastal Aluminum takes pride in offering superior customer service for any fencing gate need; whether your project requires standard sized or custom-built gates for all three grades -- residential, commercial, or industrial.





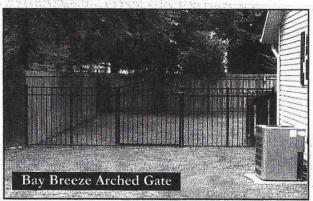


Arched-top Gate

# 48 inches

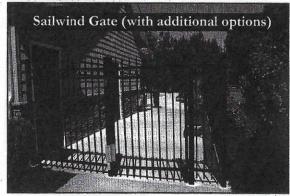
Single gates include one gate leaf, two standard self-closing hinges, and one standard gravity latch.

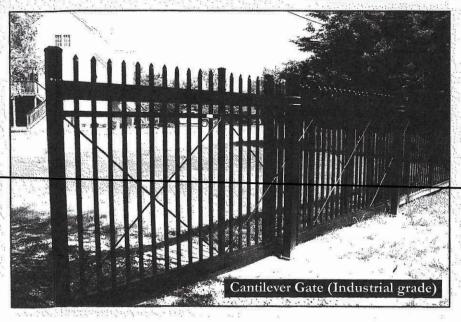
**Double gates** include two gate leaves, four standard self-closing hinges, one standard gravity latch, and one drop-rod.

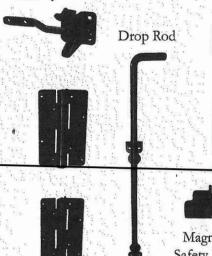


Gravity Latch

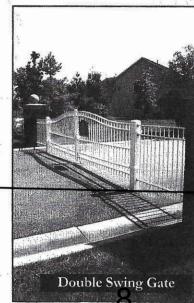
Self-closing Hinges













Marc Elrich County Executive DEPARTMENT OF PERMITTING SERVICES

Mitra Pedoeem Director

### HISTORIC AREA WORK PERMIT APPLICATION

Application Date: 11/30/2020

Application No: 934800

AP Type: HISTORIC Customer No: AC1120649

**Comments** 

City of Garett Park has approved it.

Affidavit Acknowledgement

The Contractor is the Primary applicant authorized by the property owner This application does not violate any covenants and deed restrictions

Primary Applicant Information

Location

4711 WAVERLY AVE 293 Soutland Ct Garrett Park, MD 20896

Othercontact

Rowley

Othercontact

ANTHONY & SYLVAN POOLS (Primary)

Historic Area Work Permit Details

Work Type

CONST

Scope of Work Construct an in ground pool w/ fence to code Building permit # 931555





October 27, 2020

Michele and Malcolm Russell-Einhorn P.O. Box 409 4711 Waverly Avenue Garrett Park, MD 20896

Dear Michele and Malcolm,

I'm pleased to inform you that after reviewing your application and plans for an in-ground swimming pool on your property, both the Garrett Park Land Use Advisory Committee and the Garrett Park Historic Preservation Advisory Committee have approved your request.

Please submit this letter with your application and plans to Montgomery County when applying for their permit.

Sincerely,

Andrea Fox
Town Manager