Borough Lots possibly ready for sale.

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To: Petersburg Borough

The following are Petersburg Borough Properties that look as though they could easily be put up for sale. I am wondering if you could please look at them and possibly provide an overhead view or plot map of each parcel and indicate if there are already utilities close to these properties or show how far away the water, sewer and power are for people who may want to purchase them.

Thank you for your time.

Gary Aulbach

Housing Task Force

Address Zoned Issue

1001 Augusta Street Residential W/S not available, 100'

away, but both need upgrading from Valkyrie Street - another 250'

200 Aaslaug Street

Residential Not buildable?

This is a small triangular lot encumbered with 20 ft setbacks on all three sides. It <u>could be</u> buildable if the borough was willing to vacate one of the undeveloped rights-of-way that surround it.

1200 Lake Street Residential W/S not stubbed

out. Within 50' to connect.

1004 Excel Street Residential W/S not available, 250' to connect, but sewer on Excel needs upgrades from transite pipe from 10th to

8th - another 500'.

607 North 3rd Residential S not stubbed out,

within 50' to connect. Water main not available - 180' away.

605 North 3rd Residential S not stubbed out,

within 50' to connect. Water main not available - 200' away.

304 Gjoa Street Residential W not available 140'

away, S not stubbed-w/in 50'

Sandy Beach Rd. ID# 01-003-515 Residential No W/S stubs, w/in 50' It has small buildable area and is subject to rights-of-way setbacks.

502 Lumber StreetW/S stubs but within 50'

Mobile Home

Drainage Gulley, No

1016 Sandy Beach Rd

Rural Residential W/S available

Recommend the borough rezone this to single-family prior to sale.

Gary and Chair Kensinger,

Information has been provided to identify what the Borough sees as an "issue" that should be addressed before these lots are ready for sale. Some are easier than others to overcome. Prior borough offerings did not have any impediments to their sale. i.e. utilities were installed and lot sizes were adequate for construction. Those lots were definitely the "low hanging fruit" and the presented lots in this document are hanging just a bit higher on the tree.

The lots presented that have utility issues only should be "developed" fully by the Borough if they are to be sold. This is the general standard that the Borough expects from private developers so we should follow our own expectations. This adds time and unbudgeted expense to each lot before it can be sold. If the Assembly decides to sell without providing water and sewer to the property lines, this should be made clear to the buyer.

Lots that have other issues such as setback problems which reduce actual buildable area or problematic topography may not be worth the effort to extend water and sewer, but if the task force has specific recommendations for reducing setbacks, granting variances, etc. those should be made clear to P&Z and the Assembly.

Liz Cabrera offered another lot for consideration – 1016 Sandy Beach Road. This is a large lot that she is recommending be rezoned to single-family if the task force wishes to include it in their recommended lots to sell. It is currently zoned as rural residential and some of the approved uses of this zoning may not fit in well with the neighborhood.

I'll be available at the next meeting to elaborate on any of these comments and answer questions as needed.

Karl

















