

TOWNSHIP OF MELANCTHON

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 2019 - 6:00 P.M.

- 1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES April 18, 2019
- 2. BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

3. <u>APPLICATION FOR CONSENT</u>

- 1. B8/19 John and Doreen Sipple Lots 17 & 18, Plan 34A, (Lot enlargement to Lots 21-23, Pt Lots 25-27, Plan 34A, and Pt Lots 13 & 14, Con 2 OS)
- B9/19 Adam Clark Part of Lot 14 (Lot enlargement to Lots 15-16, Plan 34A, and Part 2, 7R-2408, Part Lot 14, Con 2 OS)

4. APPLICATION FOR MINOR VARIANCE

1. A1/19 - Leo Blydorp - Part Lot 15, Concession 5 S.W., 097358 4th Line S.W.

5. APPLICATIONS ON FILE

1. B12/14 - Julian McDowell - West Part Lot 15, Concession 1 OS

6. <u>DELEGATES</u>

- 7. <u>CORRESPONDENCE</u>
- 8. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

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TOWNSHIP OF MELANCTHON Committee of Adjustment

157101 Highway 10 Melancthon, Ontario L9V 2E6

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING Application for Consent

File No. B8/19		
Date of Meeting: June 20, 2019	Time: 6:00 p.m.	
Name of Owner/Applicant: John and Doreen Sipp	le	
Location of Public Meeting: Council Chambers, 157101 Highway 10, Melancthon, ON, L9V 2E6 PROPOSED SEVERANCE: Lots 17 & 18, Plan 34A, (Lot enlargement to Lots 21-23, Pt Lots 25-27, Plan 34A, and Pt Lots 13 & 14, Con 2 OS)		
Existing Use: Residential	Proposed Use: Residential	
Road Frontage: 14.29 m	Depth: 15.29 m	
Area: .022 ha.		
RETAINED PORTION: Lots 15-16, Plan 34A,	Part Lot 14, Con 2 O.S.	
Existing Use: Residential	Proposed Use: Residential	
Road Frontage: 22.13 m	Depth: 60.69 m	
Area: .094 ha.		

The land is not the subject of an application under the Act for an Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, or Minor Variance application.

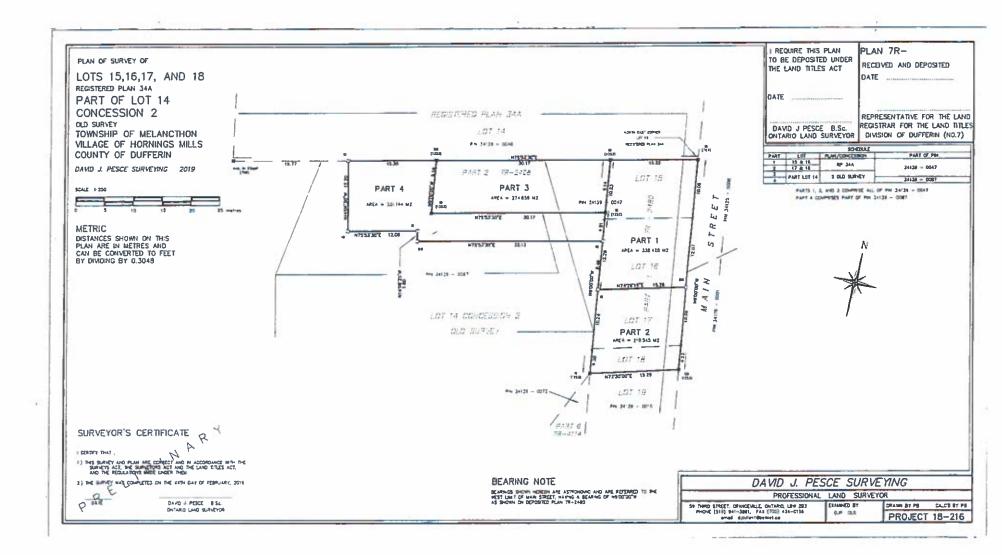
If you require additional information on this application, it may be obtained by contacting the Secretary-Treasurer at the above address during regular office hours.

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File No. **B9/19**

TOWNSHIP OF MELANCTHON Committee of Adjustment

157101 Highway 10 Melancthon, Ontario L9V 2E6

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING Application for Consent

Date of Meeting: June 20, 2019	Time: 6:00 p.m.	
Name of Owner/Applicant: Adam Clark		
Location of Public Meeting: Council Chambers, 157	101 Highway 10, Melancthon, ON, L9V 2E6	
PROPOSED SEVERANCE: Part of Lot 14, Con 2 OS (Lot enlargement to Lots 15-16, Plan 34A, and Part 2, 7R-2408, Part Lot 14, Con 2 OS)		
Existing Use: Residential	Proposed Use: Residential	
Road Frontage: n/a	Depth: Irregular	
Area: .033 ha.	ξ.	
RETAINED PORTION: Lots 21-23, Pt Lots 25	5-27, Plan 34A, Pt Lots 13 & 14, Con 2 OS	
Existing Use: Residential	Proposed Use: Residential	
Road Frontage: Irregular	Depth: Irregular	
Area: 22.57 ha. (approx)	<i>₹</i> .	

The land is not the subject of an application under the Act for an Official Plan Amendment, Zoning By-law Amendment, or Minor Variance application.

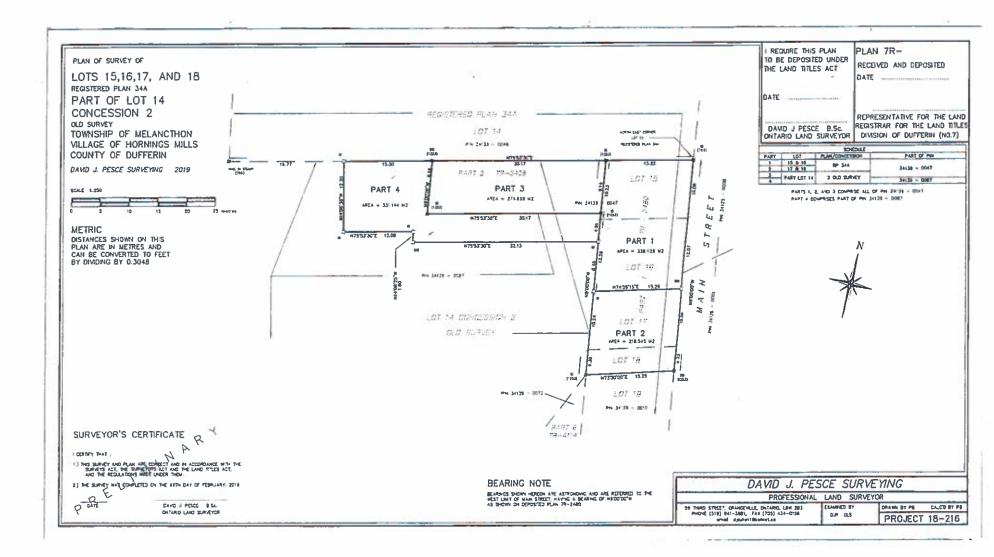
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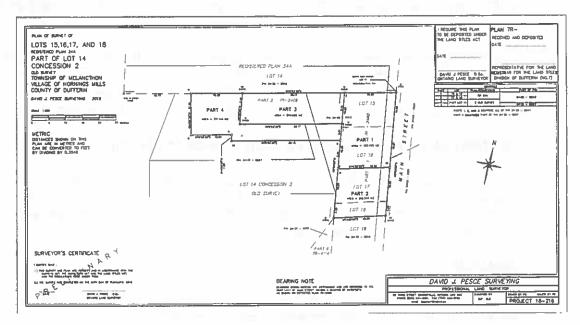
MEMORANDUM

To:	Mayor White and Members of Council
Copy:	Ms. Denise Holmes, CAO
From:	Chris D. Jones MCIP, RPP
Date:	June 14, 2019
Re:	Applications for Consent B8/19 and B9/19 (Sipple/Clark)

BACKGROUND

The Township is in receipt of two applications for consent to sever and merge lands to create a larger and more viable residential lot in the settlement of Horning's Mills. The applications have been submitted by John and Doreen Sipple and Adam Clark. The purpose of the applications are to facilitate a land transfer or swap between Sipple and Clark. A draft reference plan of the lands to be conveyed is provided in Figure 1.

Figure 1 – Subject Lands (Lands to be Conveyed)



In the above reference plan, the Sipple's are the current owner of Parts 1, 2 and 3, while Clark is the owner of Part 4. The purpose of the applications is to sever Part 2 from the Sipple lands to convey to Clark and to sever Part 4 from the Clark lands to convey to Sipple.

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	Current Lot Area	Resultant Lot Area	Current Frontage	Resultant Frontage
Sipple	832 m²	943 m²	36 m	22m
Clark	22.57 ha	22.57 ha	no cha <mark>ng</mark> e	no change

The purpose of the application is to create a viable building lot for the Sipples who lost their original home on the lot due to a fire and would like to rebuild.

OFFICIAL PLAN

The subject lands are designated Community and Environmental Conservation in the Township's Official Plan. The Environmental Conservation overlay reflects that the lot is located adjacent to Horning's Mills Creek.

ZONING BY-LAW

The Sipple lands are partially zoned Hamlet Residential (R1), Open Space Conservation (OS2), and Development (D). The Clark lands are primarily located in the Niagara Escarpment regulated area but small portions are also zoned R1 and D.

The minimum lot area and frontage requirement for the R1 Zone is 1,400 m² and 30 metres. Given that the resultant Sipple lot will not comply with these minimum standards and given that the lands to be conveyed from Clark to Sipple are zoned Development (D), it will be recommended that the Sipple lot be rezoned as a condition of approval.

NOTTAWASAGA VALLEY CONSERVATION AUTHORITY (NVCA)

The NVCA has been involved in this process given that the Sipple lot is located in a regulated area. At the time this report was prepared the NVCA had not provided formal comments but it is anticipated that comments will be provided in time for Committee to review at the hearing.

ANALYSIS

In my opinion the applications, which will facilitate a land swap, are appropriate and will help to create a more viable building lot for the Sipples.

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RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that application B8/19 be approved subject to the following condition in addition to the standard conditions of approval:

- 1. The resultant lot shall be rezoned to the Hamlet Residential (R1) Exception Zone to address a deficient lot area and frontage; and,
- 2. That Lots 15 and 16, Plan 34A be deemed by by-law not to be lots in a plan of subdivision to facilitate a legal merger with abutting lands, if necessary.

Is it recommended that application B9/19 be approved subject to the following condition

1. That Lots 17 and 18, Plan 34A be deemed by by-law not to be lots in a plan of subdivision to facilitate a legal merger with abutting lands, if necessary.

Respectfully Submitted,



Chris Jones MCIP, RPP

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING RE AN APPLICATION FOR

X Minor Variance - s.45(1) Permission - s.45(2)

Melancthon Township - Committee of Adjustment

File No. A1-19

Re An Application by: Leo Blydorp

Address: 393134 County Rd 12, Amaranth ON L9W 0M9

Description of Property: Part Lot 15, Concession 5 S.W., 097358 4th Line S.W.

Purpose of Application: Relief from By-law 12-1979 as amended by By-law 12-1982 to reduce the minimum front yard set back from 15 m to 9 m for a proposed hay and straw storage building.

Take Notice That an application under the above file number will be heard by the Committee of Adjustment on the date, and at the time and place shown below, under the authority of Section 45 of the *Planning Act.*

Date: June 20, 2019

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Township of Melancthon Council Chambers, 157101 Highway 10, Melancthon

Public Hearing - You are entitled to attend at this public hearing in person or you may be represented by counsel or an agent to give evidence about this application. Signed, written submissions that relate to an application shall be accepted by the Secretary-Treasurer before or during the hearing of the application at the address above and shall be available to any interested person for inspection at the hearing.

Failure to attend hearing - If you do not attend at this public hearing, it may proceed in your absence and, except as otherwise provided in the *Planning Act*, you will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceeding.

Notice of Decision - A certified copy of the decision, together with a notice of the last day for appealing to the Ontario Municipal Board shall be sent, not later than 10 days from the making of the decision, to the applicant, and to each person who appeared in person or by counsel at the hearing and who filed with the secretary-treasurer a written request for notice of the decision.

Dated this 6th day of June, 2019.

Signature of Secretary-Treasurer

• Municipal Planning Services Ltd. •

MEMORANDUM

To:	Mayor White and Members of Council
Сору:	Ms. Denise Holmes, Clerk
From:	Chris Jones MCIP, RPP
Date:	June 14, 2019
Re:	Minor Variance A1-19 (Blydorp)

Mr. Leo Blydorp has submitted an application for minor variance for lands located at 097358 4th Line S.W. located in Part Lot 15, Concession 5 S.W. According to the application, the applicant's lot has an area of 40.2 hectares (99.5 acres) with a frontage of approximately 122.6 metres (1,320 feet) on 4th Line S.W.

The applicant's lot is currently zoned General Agricultural (A1) and is used for agricultural purposes as part of the applicant's greater farm operations. The subject lands are currently occupied by several agricultural storage buildings and a dwelling.

The applicant wishes to construct a new hay storage building amongst the existing farm building cluster and is seeking relief from the minimum lot line setback of 15 metres. The proposed building would be located 9 metres (30 feet) from the front lot line and will have a floor area of 557 m² (6,000 ft²).

THE FOUR TESTS OF A MINOR VARIANCE

In considering this application, Committee needs to be satisfied that the proposal is in keeping with each of the "four tests" of a minor variance as set out in the Planning Act.

1. Is the variance in keeping with the intent of the Official Plan?

The subject lands are located in the Agricultural designation which permits agricultural uses as well as buildings and structures related to agri-business.

2. Is the variance in keeping with the intent of the Zoning By-law?

The intent of the By-law as it relates to building setbacks is to provide a compatibility measure between neighbouring land uses and contribute to the maintenance of rural character. The proposed location of the building is in keeping with the intent of the Zoning By-law.

3. Will the variance provide for the desirable development of the lot?

I believe the variance addresses this test as the approval of the variance will allow a new storage building to be located amongst an existing building cluster.

4. Is the Variance Minor?

The proposed variance will support an existing agricultural use, and will accommodate the construction of a new storage building that is compatible and in keeping with the character of the community. On this basis I consider the variance to be minor.

CONCLUSION

Should Committee be satisfied the variance meets the four tests, they may establish any reasonable condition to the approval of the variance.

In this case I believe the proposed variance fulfills the four tests and I do not recommend any conditions of approval.

Respectfully Submitted,



Chris Jones MCIP, RPP

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