

Linda M. Finucane

From: David A. Olson
Sent: Monday, June 16, 2014 8:25 AM
To: aldermen
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Subject: FW: Regarding Special Permit 79 Shornecliffe (time sensitive)

From: Patricia Rowe [<mailto:rowepatricia@hotmail.com>]
Sent: Sunday, June 15, 2014 8:10 PM
To: David A. Olson
Subject: Regarding Special Permit 79 Shornecliffe (time sensitive)

To David Olson

Please forward this to the board of aldermen so they will receive it before tomorrow's meeting.

Thank you,

Patricia Rowe

As a neighbor and abutter I am writing this to support the request for a special permit for a retaining wall at 79 Shornecliffe Road.

I am in favor of the special permit-allowing the building of the six foot wall will mean that the level of ground where plantings (shrubs and trees) are placed is two feet higher visually and that will give me more screening and privacy from the VERY large house which looms over my back yard now that all the trees (formerly on the property and screening my yard)were cut down. I am not worried about things being unable to grow between the wall and my fence - things have always grown easily there and now that the trees are gone there is more light and I am confident that plantings will grow without difficulty. Worst case, vines can be planted at the top of the wall and drape down to cover the stone wall.

As an abutter I am hoping you will vote in favor of the special permit

Best

Patricia Rowe

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