PLAINFIELD ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT NOTICE OF DECISION

John Tomlinson 177 Ladieu Road Plainfield, NH 03781 Application for Cottage business, Portable Toilet Rentals

Case 2018-02

You are hereby notified that the appeal by **John Tomlinson** for Special Exception #3.4 Approved Cottage Business to establish a portable toilet rental business at 177 Ladieu Road (Map 224, Lot 2) has been **granted** by an affirmative vote of at least three members of the Zoning Board Of Adjustment. In reaching this decision, the Zoning Board has relied on representations made in the application and testimony received at the May 14th 2018 meeting and May 24th 2018 site visit and meeting.

As part of its review of this application, the board made the following findings;

- 1. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (DES) does not regulate the storage yards for chemical toilet business.
- 2. The site is not visible from any abutting home.
- 3. There is a 100' +/- vegetative buffer between the storage site and the nearest boundary.
- 4. All waste is cleaned from units at an off-site facility per DES regulations.
- 5. Industry norm is that cabin interior and exterior are cleaned with water, unscented dish soap and bleach. Applicant testified that DES does not regulate the disposal of this waste water.
- 6. Activities other than moving and cleaning (e.g. unit assembly/repair) will take place in the existing outbuilding.

The application is approved with the following conditions;

- 1. The use may not expand beyond the proposed size (4 employees, 2 trucks, 2 trailers, 100 portable toilet units).
- 2. Hours of operation to be 6am to 8pm, with only infrequent exceptions.
- 3. Applicant must manage noise and odors to a reasonable level by abatement or through hours of operation.
- 4. No additional permanent lighting associated with this use.
- 5. No signage associated with this use.
- 6. Current vegetative screening of site must be maintained.
- 7. A limit of 2 round trips per day, with only infrequent exceptions.

In granting this appeal, The Board determined that the use as defined in the application will satisfy the conditions for all special exceptions as outlined in section 5.6 II and the specific standards found in Section 3.4 Approved Cottage Business of the Plainfield Zoning Ordinance, 2018 edition.

RSA 677:2 governs the rehearing and appeal process for ZBA decisions.

Richard Colburn, Chairman

Zoning Board of Adjustment

Date: 30May 2018