From: <u>Dave Olson</u>
To: <u>Karen Edwards</u>

Subject: Application for variances and special exceptions for 83 Mill Road

Date: Monday, February 03, 2020 4:47:51 PM

Dear Karen,

I am writing in regard to a request from the Charles and Trisha Walters to convert one of their Free Standing garages to an accessory apartment to house their sons who are currently living with them in their principle residence. My concerns are as follows.

- A. The potential for the free standing accessory apartment to be used as a rental unit in the future.
- B. The potential for impacting the quality of our ground water by locating a septic system so close to an area identified as wet lands.

The ground water impact is particularly important to us as I have had problems maintaining acceptable water quality despite having a full house filtration system. If you recall I was chasing a sudden spike in lead content this summer which I suspect was due to the drilling that Eversource was doing on Mill road. I understand that a septic system would not generate any Lead, but it is a reminder of how fragile our water supply can be. The idea of adding any risk to the situation is unacceptable as far as I am concerned.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me via my cell phone as we are living in South Carolina for the winter. My cell phone number is 502-594-0133. We will be returning to NH on or around April 1.

Thank you,

Dave Olson 4 Hemlock Way Durham, NH 03824