

MCPB Item #

Date: 03/20/08

## MEMORANDUM

DATE:

March 07, 2008

TO:

Montgomery County Planning Board

VIA:

Rose Krasnow, Chief, Development Review Division

Ralph Wilson, Zoning Supervisor, Development Review Division

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

 Preliminary Forest Conservation Plan for Parcel P146, Shady Grove Metro.

 Local Map Amendment No. G-875 "PARCEL P146 SHADY GROVE METRO", request for reclassification of 4.26-acre parcel of land from the R-90 Zone to the PD-35 Zone for property known as Parcel 146, Derwood located at Redland Road between the CSX Rail Road Tracks and Crabs Branch Way in Derwood Maryland.

FILING DATE:

PLANNING BOARD HEARING

PUBLIC HEARING:

October 26, 2007

March 20, 2008

April 7, 2008

## Staff Recommendation:

 Staff recommends APPROVAL of the Preliminary Forest Conservation Plan for Parcel P146, Shady Grove Metro—Local Map Amendment No. G-875 with the following conditions:

Subsequent submissions will need additional consideration to the following regulations:

- All planning and design options shall be examined in subsequent reviews to determine if any forest can be saved and how reforestation to the conservation threshold level can be provided onsite, as specified in Section 22A-12-f-3. Landscaping cannot be used to meet these minimum retention requirements.
- Remaining reforestation requirements may be met offsite.