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GRCA File: A 2022-110 - 6 Marianne Dorn Trail

Sarah Goldrup
Committee Administrator
Planning Division
City of Kitchener
200 King Street West, 6th Floor
Kitchener, ON, N2G 4G7

Dear Sarah Goldrup,

**Re: Minor Variance Application A 2022-110
6 Marianne Dorn Trail, City of Kitchener
Suresh Kumar Soundararajan and Gowri Krishnasamy/Rodney Freisen**

Grand River Conservation Authority (GRCA) staff has reviewed the above-noted minor variance application.

Recommendation

GRCA has no objection to the above-noted minor variance application.

Documents Reviewed by Staff

GRCA staff have reviewed the following documents submitted with this application, received on August 26, 2022 from the City of Kitchener:

- Application for Minor Variance (City of Kitchener, July 26 2022); and
- Drawings - General Information & Site Plan; Floor Plans; and Second Floor, Section and Elevation (Fine Line Drafting & Design, revised June 25 2022).

GRCA Comments

GRCA has reviewed this application as per our delegated responsibility from the Province to represent provincial interests regarding natural hazards identified in Section 3.1 of the Provincial Policy Statement (PPS, 2020) and as a regulatory authority under Ontario Regulation 150/06. GRCA has also provided comments as per our MOU with the Region of Waterloo and as a public body under the Planning Act as per our CA Board approved policies.

Information currently available at this office indicates that the subject property contains a portion of the regulated allowance to slope erosion and slope valley located east of the property. A copy of our resource mapping is attached.

Due to the presence of the above-noted features, a portion of the subject property is regulated by the GRCA under Ontario Regulation 150/06 – Development, Interference with Wetlands and Alterations to Shorelines and Watercourses Regulation. Any future development within the regulated area on the subject property will require the prior issuance of a permit pursuant to Ontario Regulation 150/06.

The existing and proposed use of the subject property is residential. We understand the purpose of this application is to permit a reduced sideyard setback for exterior stairs to facilitate the addition of a second dwelling unit in the existing detached dwelling. Based on the circulated plans, GRCA staff do not anticipate natural hazard impacts as a result of this application. We have no objection to this minor variance and a GRCA permit is not required.

Consistent with GRCA's 2022 approved fee schedule, this application is considered a 'minor' minor variance and the applicant will be invoiced in the amount of \$290 for the GRCA's review of this application.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at jconroy@grandriver.ca or 519-621-2763 ext. 2230.

Sincerely,



Jessica Conroy, MES PI.
Resource Planning Technician
Grand River Conservation Authority

Enclosed: GRCA Resource Map

Copy: Suresh Kumar Soundararajan and Gowri Krishnasamy – Owners (via email)
Rodney Friesen, Fine Line Drafting & Design – Agent (via email)



Grand River Conservation Authority

Date: Sep 01, 2022

Author: JC

6 Marianne Dorn Trail, Kitchener

Legend

- Regulation Limit (GRCA)
- Regulated Watercourse (GRCA)
- Regulated Waterbody (GRCA)
- Wetland (GRCA)
- Floodplain (GRCA)
 - Engineered
 - Estimated
 - Approximate
 - Special Policy Area
- Slope Valley (GRCA)
 - Steep
 - Oversteep
 - Steep
- Slope Erosion (GRCA)
 - Oversteep
 - Toe
- Lake Erie Flood (GRCA)
- Lake Erie Shoreline Reach (GRCA)
- Lake Erie Dynamic Beach (GRCA)
- Lake Erie Erosion (GRCA)
- Parcel - Assessment (MPAC/MNRF)

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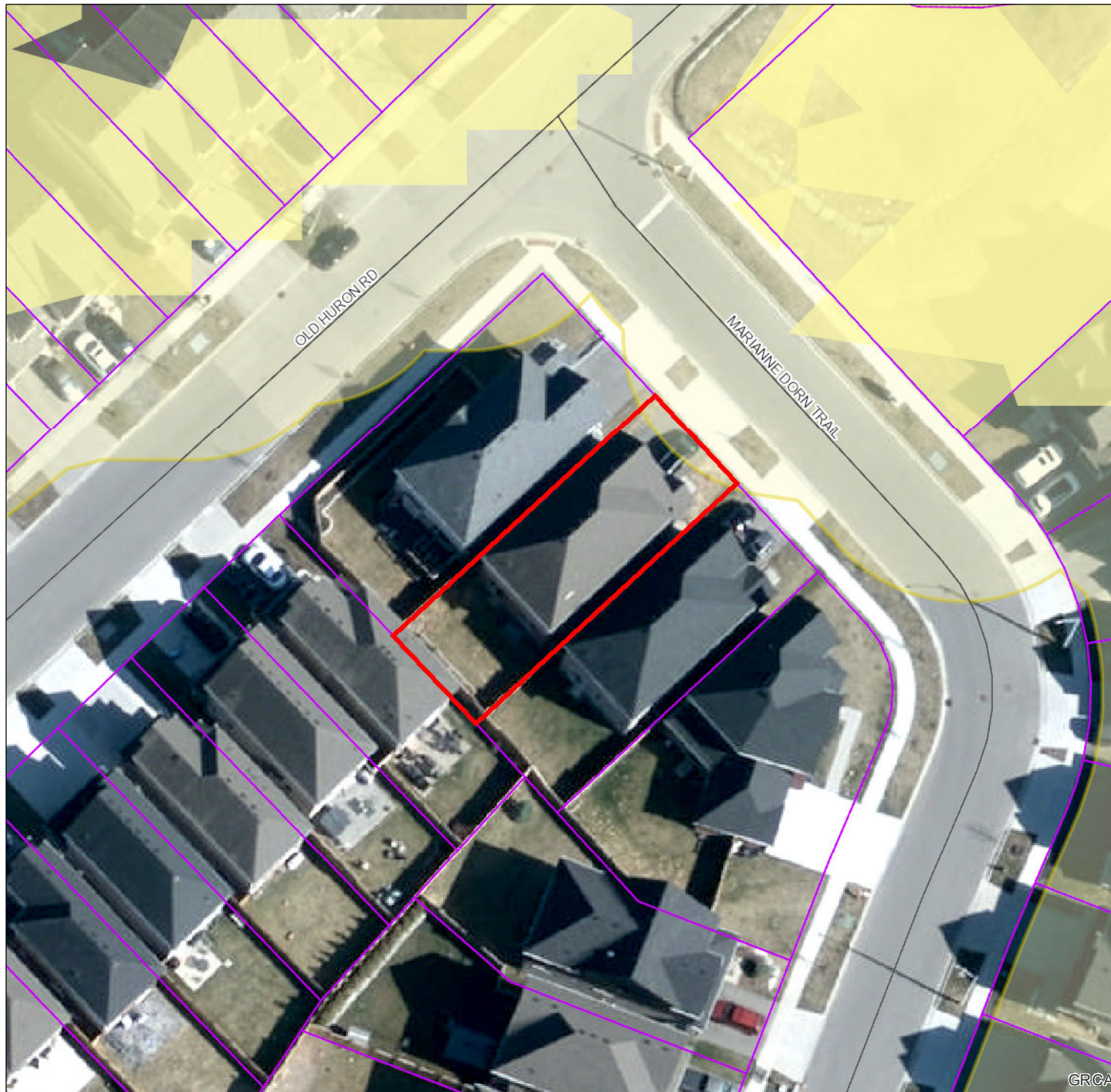
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