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July 1, 2014

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Jay Camp
Senior Planner
Town of Matthews Planning Board
232 Matthews Station Street
Matthews, North Carolina  28105

Dear Jay:

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Very truly yours,

Collin W. Brown

CWB/tg

Enclosure

cc:  Mr. Steven Montgomery (via e-mail)
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PETITIONER'S MAILING ADDRESS: 701 Maiden Choice Lane, Baltimore, Maryland 21228

PETITIONER'S PHONE NUMBER/EMAIL ADDRESS: 410-402-2449, steven.montgomery@erickson.com

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a deletion of wording at existing Section(s)

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SEE ATTACHED

Proposed revisions shown underlined or struck-through

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